"How To Behave Before **Insiders and Outsiders**"

(1 Thessalonians 4:9-12)

TODAY'S GREETERS: Lynda Malaska & Jan Tinsley

SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Ray Rose) The book of Philippians

Multipurpose Room - Teens (Doug Boyle) Church History

WEDNESDAY PM - November 29th

Greeter Tucker Fuxa Song Luke Rehmel **Scripture** (1 Peter 1:17-21) C. Key

WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Frosty Munsell) The book of 1 Thessalonians

Teen Room - Teens (Ray Rose) The book of Philippians

Fellowship Hall - Ladies Class (Fern Boyle) Biblical Geography

BLAST Class - PreK - 6th (Nov 29th: Carolyn Rehmel)

NEXT SUNDAY - December 3rd

Grevson Waide & Luke Rehmel Greeters

Announcements Tim Rehmel **Ron Scott** Songleader Scripture Reading/Prayer **Tucker Fuxa** Lesson **Rav Rose** Communion **Frosty Munsell Closing Prayer Matt Nichols PM Songleader Ron Scott Roger Gaddie PM Prayer**

ELDERS *Elder of the Month - November

> Greg Waide *Doug Boyle

DEACONS *Responsible for locking the building - November

Roger Gaddie - Building/Communion Svc *Tim Ford - Audio-Visual/Technology Tim Rehmel - Education

> If you ever miss a robo-call from the church, you can hear the most recent message again by dialing: 1-877-333-9336.

PULPIT MINISTER - Ray Rose SECRETARIES - June Munsell & Jennifer Waide

Office Hours: 8:30 to 4:30 (Mon & Wed-Fri) Notary services are available in the office Wed-Fri.



SUNDAY Bible Classes

9:30 am AM Worship

10:30 am 5:00 pm Mid-Week Boost Meal 5:30-6:30 pm 7:00 pm Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

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Thanksgiving

Throughout the Bible, we see thanksgiving for blessings as a theme. The Old Testament resounds with the people praising God; Israel had a history of giving thanks to God for the mercy and deliverance he showed them. In the New Testament we read, "Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven he gave thanks and broke them" (Luke 9:16).

Let's consider some thoughts for thanksgiving.

Motive. When we give thanks to God, our sole motive should be *pure* gratitude. Thanksgiving is giving thanks and that alone. Of all our types of prayers, a thanksgiving prayer is the least likely to be polluted or corrupted with selfish thoughts or a subconscious appeal to manipulate God. It is about God's blessings toward us and our appreciation of those blessings.

Knowledgeable. Being grateful requires us to look back into the past, whether times recent or years past, and acknowledging blessings for which we are thankful. Our culture is infatuated with the future and the result is that thanksgiving is sometimes neglected. But to give thanks to God is to look backwards, not forwards, and to express gratitude for the good things that have come our way.

Comprehensive. On the U.S. holiday, we thank God for the meal. Sometimes we include more in our prayers. We should, because we are so blessed. God is to be thanked for our family, friends, housing, jobs, and possibly hundreds of other minor things. Giving God thanks should be a theme running through our lives in times good and bad. The Pilgrims lived close enough to the soil to know how dependent they were on God's providence. In bitter winters with scarce food, they learned to thank God for all they had. And they were eager to thank Him during times of abundant blessing, too.

This Thanksgiving, ponder and consider the many blessings you enjoy. Be grateful for these wonderful benefits and thank God for them.



PRAYER LIST:

Lynda Malaska...She had an abnormal EKG and will begin further testing on her heart this week.

Bart Wilder (Uncle of Teresa Rose)...He has been diagnosed with terminal cancer and has chosen not to undergo any treatment.

Kathy Wade (Aunt of Bill David & Connie Walker's daughter-in-law)...The Mayo Clinic diagnosed her with ALS and MS. She was released to go home on Hospice

Garry Osburn...He was hospitalized on Wednesday. They thought he had covid, but it turns out he was dehydrated. He is still struggling and needs our prayers.

Daniel Osburn (Son of Garry & Calvina)...He had surgery on Wednesday to remove part of his toe.

Family of Carl Wessel (Former member)......Carl passed away last Sunday night. Mission Trip to Ghana, Africa...Please be praying for Amanda Turpin, Jonathan and Re'Elle Crowell as they prepare for their trip, Dec 8-23.

Please continue to pray for:

Lucille Wilder Lena Stites Marsha Hager LeAnna Colby Nancy Thomas (Sister of Polly Watkins) Connor Key Tina Wilder Eldon Gritz Misty Walker



TONIGHT, 6:30 pm Youth devotional at the Scotts' home

WEEKLY MID-WEEK BOOST MEAL

Cost: \$5 per adult; \$3 per child (12 & under); \$20 family max

THIS WEEK'S MENU (Nov 29th):

Enchiladas

DAYS IN GOD'S WORD (Nov 12 - Nov 18 Number of days: 140 Slips turned in: 22



MAKING DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS

OUR RECORDS

Week of November	19, 2023
Bible Class	62
AM Worship	93
PM Worship	
Contribution	
Wed PM	

MISSIONS WE SUPPORT:

Elio Vergara - Panama **Andrew Boyle - Memphis School of Preaching Jonathan Crowell - World Bible Institute Ariana Crowell - Wales** Re'Elle Crowell - Ecuador & New Zealand

> **Garriott Road Prison Ministry** In SEARCH of the Lord's Way Lariat Creek Christian Camp **Future Teacher Training Camp**

ORDER OF WORSHIP - Nov 26, 2023

<u>UNDL</u>	<u>IN OF WONSHIP - NOV 20, 2023</u>
<u>AM</u>	ANNOUNCEMENTS - Dan Biby ELDER WELCOME/PRAYER - Doug Boyle
	Titus 1:15 - 2:15
	SONGLEADER - Doug Boyle
578	We Will Glorify
309	In My Life, Lord, Be Glorified
703	I Love You With the Love Of the Lord
709	How Sweet, How Heavenly
719	Love One Another
570	A Beautiful Life
	SCRIPTURE/PRAYER - Andrew Boyle
	1 Thessalonians 4:9-12
	LESSON - Ray Rose
	"How To Behave Before Insiders & Outsiders"
417	Where He Leads, I'll Follow
364	Come, Share the Lord
	LORD'S SUPPER - Tucker Fuxa
828	Instruments Of Your Peace
	CLOSING PRAYER - Roger Gaddie
PM	SONGLEADER - Ron Scott
452	Standing On the Promises
287	There Is a Redeemer
	PRAYER - Tim Rehmel

EQUIPPING THE SAINTS: Ray Rose

Titus & Philemon

MIGHTY Men's Mentoring Conference

Saturday, Feb 3, 2024

South Fork Ranch Parker, TX, near Dallas

Register online at WylieChurchofChrist.org Cost: \$45/ticket

POWERFUL PRAYER WARRIORS,



Please pray specifically for these three students this week:

ALLEY CAPPETTI

Granddaughter of Rocky & Cindy Gaisford

VALA STEVENS

Granddaughter of Sam & Rachel Lyons

MICHAELA MUNSELL

Granddaughter of Frosty & June Munsell



TODAY, Andrew Boyle! TODAY, Bob Summers! WEDNESDAY, Jack Nichols!

SUNDAY PM SCHEDULE:

TONIGHT Titus & Philemon (Ray) Hebrews (Greg) Dec 3 Dec 10 James (Doug) 3rd Sunday Singing Dec 17

CARE & SHARE:

Donna Bunch



Tonight Following evening services At the Scotts' home

YOUTH DEVOTIONAL



Bible Reading Schedule:

Nov 26 Rom 11-14 Nov 27 Rom 15-16 Nov 28 1 Cor 1-4 Nov 29 1 Cor 5-8 Nov 30 1 Cor 9-11 Dec 1...... 1 Cor 12-14 Dec 2......1 Cor 15-16





Jerry & Marsha Hager! FRIDAY, Jeff & Polly Watkins!

VERSES OF THE WEEK:

Titus 2:11-14

¹¹ For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, ¹² teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, 13 looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, 14 who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself [His] own special people, zealous for good works.

OUR SHUT-INS:

Virgie Lee, The Commons, Rm 305 Sue Mathis, The Commons, Rm 106 Zane Johnston, Tennyson Manor, Apt 7 Ken Strever, Garland Rd Nursing & Rehab Ctr, Rm 521-B

