

ASSIGNMENTS - November 30, 2008

Announcements.....Jimmy Anderson & Randal Wilson
 Prayers A.M.....David Waggoner & John Webb
 Prayers P.M.....Hollis Adams & Kendel Hickenbottom
 Scripture.....Stephen Wilson
 Usher & Count.....B J Lowery & Randel Barnard
 Nursery.....Martha Bachman & Lori Cotton
 Song Leader A.M.....Robert Davis
 P.M.....Harry Webb
 Wed. P.M.....Paul Landis
 Communion Preparation.....J O Sheppard

Lord's Table

Wan Callaway* Chris Duncan
 Gerald Holland B J Lowery
 Randal Wilson Stephen Wilson

*The one in charge of the Lord's Table needs to assign two men for Sunday evening worship.

Bus Driver for Nov.... Kendel Hickenbottom—733-7967
 Visitor Cards.....Joe Dell Williams & Daniel Wilson
 Power Point Operator—Nov.....Elizabeth Hickenbottom
 If you cannot serve please call J O Sheppard, 538-5462

Elders

Hollis Adams.....476-2585
 Wan Callaway.....538-6173
 Paul Landis.....538-0354
 Tommy Sims.....867-4163

Pulpit Minister

Britt Farmer.....538-4569

Youth Minister

Todd Davis.....806-592-1515

DEACONS

Craig Cotton, Todd Davis
 Kendel Hickenbottom
 Gerald Holland, Brice Jackson
 David Jackson, Leroy Schaffner
 J.O. Sheppard, Harry Webb
 Scott Williams, Brad Yurcho

Secretary

Elizabeth Hickenbottom
 Office: (940) 538-4564

LIFE SIGNS

Bible Class.....100
 Worship A.M.....144
 Worship P.M.....235 Wednesday..... na
 Membership.....216
 Contribution.....\$2,802
 2008 Budget.....\$3,600

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 P.O. Box 388
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Forward Service Requested

Worship Opportunities

Sunday Morning: Bible Classes for All Ages 9:30 am, Worship 10:30 am Sunday Evening: Worship 6:00 pm
 Wednesday Evening: Devotional and Classes 7:00 pm - Ladies Class Tuesday 10:00 a. m.
 Henrietta Church of Christ, P.O. Box 388, Henrietta, TX 76365-0388

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H E N R I E T T A
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Farmer's Harvest

I was so excited to have the Sunday we had last weekend. It was great to have all of the visitors we had and it was wonderful to have 235 people here Sunday night for our Annual Thanksgiving Worship service with the area brethren. I really appreciate all those who made the day special.

The Adult Christmas party will be December 7th after evening worship. There will be more information inside the bulletin for this activity, but don't you dare miss it!. Also that will be the redo for our Involvement Sunday that I was unable to present this past week while in the hospital.

I will be gone on this Sunday to visit my mother in Tennessee. With our move and transition over the last year it makes two years since our last visit. Please keep Lisa and I in your prayers as we travel this week.

The next weekend I have the opportunity to be a part of one of our dear friend's wedding on December 6th in Franklin. Mindy and her sister Ashley are some of the sweetest young ladies you would ever want to meet. (Just don't stand across the net from them in a volleyball game.) Mindy has been a wonderful help to Central Texas Christian Camp over the last several years.

I love being a part of this wonderful family here in Henrietta. You made me proud by the way you welcomed those from the area churches and the visitors that enter our doors.

I love you all,

Britt

TEEN BEAT

A recent e-mail I got was actually an old e-mail. It is a simple story of a father who is frustrated, upset, overwhelmed, etc. but learns a lesson as the result.

United States Map

A father wanted to read a magazine but was being bothered by his little girl, Shelby. She wanted to know what the United States looked like.

Finally, he tore a sheet out of his new magazine on which was printed the map of the country. Tearing it into small pieces, he gave it to Shelby and said, 'Go into the other room and see if you can put this together. This will show you our whole country today.'

After a few minutes, Shelby returned and handed him the map, correctly fitted and taped together. The father was surprised and asked how she had finished so quickly. 'Oh,' she said, 'on the other side of the paper is a picture of Jesus. When I got all of Jesus back where He belonged, then our country just came together.'

What a lesson is in this simple story. Whether it is our lives, our family, our health, our finances, or anything else we can imagine, it can seem impossible for us to put together. We can't solve the riddle of how to fix ourselves and make our problems go away. We may not even like ourselves and certainly can't understand how anyone could. But when we look to Jesus for the answer, what we find is something that provides a complete picture.

Now, to be sure, I am not saying that trusting God and having faith in Jesus will suddenly make all our problems simply vanish. Rather what the Bible says is, "Come to me all you who are weary and heavy laden and I will give you rest." What better promise could we ask for than rest from the problems of life when we look to the one that really matters? My challenge this week, trust Him more.

In His love,
Todd

PRAYER LIST

Curtis Harrelson, Dana Wilson's father, will be going home Thursday and he is doing much better.

Cherry Webb Nagabar, Harry & Judy's daughter, had some heart tests done in Dallas.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER: Lori Cotton, Jennifer Sheppard, Christi Salmon Cameron, Ardell Williams (Alyene's daughter in law)

Those in the Nursing Home: Linda Sims, H J Matthews, Alene Wood, Grace Estridge

Your love and support through Floyd's illness will always warm my heart. The transportation to treatments, the monetary gifts, food, flowers, visits, calls and especially your thoughts and prayers will always be remembered. Thank you for being a part of our lives.

*In Christian love,
 Lura Masters
 Jeff, Daryl, Jenna and Keith*

Thank You! Thank You!
To everyone who helped with the
Area-Wide Thanksgiving Service.
You are appreciated!

Youth News
Sunday, December 14
YOUTH CHRISTMAS PARTY
December 22
Frisco Mall
 Rock Climbing, Skating, Shopping
December 23
 Youth Room work party
Dec. 31-Jan. 3
 Winter Retreat

*Oh give thanks to the LORD,
 for he is good:
 for his steadfast love
 endures forever!
 1 Chronicles 16:34*

Men's Breakfast will resume
December 4th at 6:30 am at
As Good AS It Gets.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

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| 1—Yvonne Adams | 14—Elizabeth Hickenbottom |
| 2—Ryan Greene | 15—Melissa Poling |
| 2—Denver Hood | 16—Brittany Poling |
| 5—LeAnn Skinner | 19—Cathy Talley |
| 8—Caleb Holman | 20—Kirby Whitley |
| 10—Kelley Barnard | 21—Aeriel Sheppard |
| 10—Anthony Pope | 22—Andy Spikes |
| 11—Dustin Lowery | 29—Tina Davis |
| 11—Freddie Barnhill | 30—Stephanie Skinner |
| 12—Dale Massie | Let us know if someone's missing. |
| 14—Randel Barnard, Jr. | |



The Primetimers will be having a
Christmas Party on December 1
starting at 6:30.
Potluck!
Bring your favorite holiday dessert.

The Adult Christmas Party
will be after services
Sunday, December 7th
More details to come.



CALENDAR

- 12/1
 PRIMETIMERS
 CHRISTMAS PARTY
- 12/7
 ADULT CHRISTMAS
 PARTY
- 12/14
 SMALL GROUPS
- 12/17
 LADIES CHRISTMAS
 PARTY AT JERRI'S

Service Group Assignments November

- FELLOWSHIP MEAL**
 Group 1: Jimmy & Harry
- VISITATION**
 Group 2
- COMMUNION FOR
 SHUT-INS**
 Group 3
- DOOR GREETERS**
 Group 4