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For many Christians, there can be a disconnect between knowing and doing. We understand the right thing to do, but we do not always end up doing that thing. For others, they might even set out to do the wrong thing or have the wrong thoughts, while outwardly trying to portray a holy life. Jesus addresses this problem in the Sermon on the Mount.

On the day Jesus sat down to teach, the religious people of His time already knew the rules well. They placed a great deal of emphasis on following the rules, and some were quick to condemn those who did not. In their efforts many completely missed the intent of the rules and how much God cares about their interactions with one another. Jesus challenges their thinking each time He says, "You have heard that it was said..."

God's desire for His people has always gone much deeper than following rules or changing actions. He wants our thoughts and hearts to be transformed. He wants us to live authentic lives that honor Him. We learn what those lives should look like through the example of Jesus and specifically through His teaching in Matthew 5-7.

- Brian

"Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock." - Matthew 7:24

January 16, 2021



Elders

Jeff Butler
Scott Estes
Greg Hatton
David Hendricks
Richard Howard
Brent Lowe
Butch Platt

Ministers

Brian Lewis
David Dirrim
Thorin Turner
Kyle Wilson

Secretary

Dana Chilcoat

Family Matters

Don Hoover has been struggling with his health. He had some slight improvement on Tuesday. Please keep Don and D'Esta in your prayers.

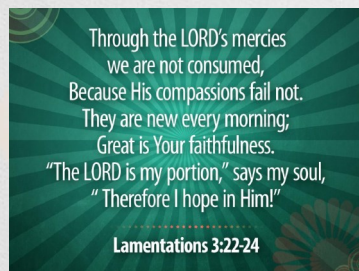
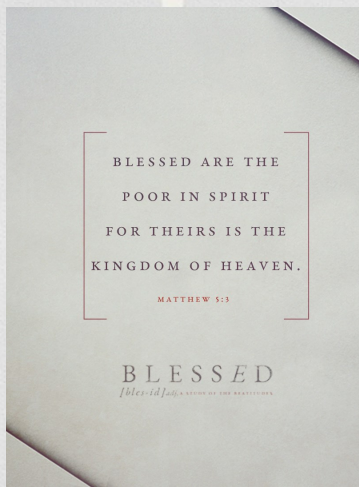
Barbara Cannon is struggling at this time. Please keep her and Charles in your prayers.

Susan Pickle has a test scheduled for Monday at Mercy Ada and has asked for your prayers.

Avi Nickell had tonsil surgery on Monday. Please keep her in your prayers.

Carla West will have hernia surgery on February 1st. Please keep her in your prayers.

Martha Begin had a successful surgery on Monday. She is still in the hospital at this point. Please keep her in your prayers.



1 Thessalonians 5:17

"Pray without ceasing."

Please continue to pray for ...

Retha Allen, Ronald Trent, Jesse Nickell, Paula Hatton, Barbara Cannon, Barbara Hataway, Verna Cannon, Jeannie Wingard, Sherry Price, Lea Crain, Patsy Hill, Sue Silkey, Shirley Love, Gerald Joliff, Katie Meaders, Johnnie Sing, Alyene Sims, Mildred West, Cherry Bennett, Shirley Perry, Pattie Mitchell, Debbie Harber, Warner Fleck, Thayne Consequellos, Randy Wilson, and Steve, Jana & Stacey Stewart.

Happenings

Church Events & Announcements

Ladies Prayer Group meets on the 1st and 3rd Sundays each month at 4:00 pm in the old kitchen. The next time they will meet is January 16th.

Yellow House will hand out food this month on Monday, January 24th, from 8am-10am. Helpers this month are: Butch & Denise Platt, Carolyn Preble, Scott & Sharon Estes, Donna Duncan, & Mary Conley.



Thank you to all those who donated to the Tornado Relief fund that was mentioned a few weeks ago. Your special contributions were added to a contribution from the Southwest general fund to make a total of \$8,425.00. Last week we sent half of those funds to the Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team and the other half to the Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort. Both organizations are partnering with local congregations to provide supplies and volunteers to help with tornado relief efforts in Kentucky, Tennessee and other areas in path of the tornados.

And all who believed were together and had all things in common. - Acts 2:44


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**FRIDAY & SATURDAY,
MARCH 4 - 5, 2022**

**North MacArthur Church of Christ
9300 N. MacArthur Blvd.
Oklahoma City, OK 73132**



January at a Glance

- 02 Ladies Prayer Group,
Youth Meal/Devo
- 04 Ladies Bible Class Resumes
- 09 AWTG at Westside in Norman
- 13 College Meal/Devo w/Qualls
- 14-16 WinterQuest CANCELLED
- 16 Ladies Prayer Group
- 23 Youth Meal/Devo
- 24 Yellow House
- 27 Col. Meal/Devo w/Sumpters
- 28-29 Vision Seminar (SALT)
- 30 Youth Meal/Devo



January 14th-16th
WinterQuest
CANCELLED

January 23rd
Youth Meal & Devo



Tigers for Christ

January 27th
College meal & devo
with the Sumpter
family

who's your
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- 01/17 Aiden Robinson
- 01/19 Braxton Holloway,
Jean Kelley
- 01/20 Bobbie Fennell
- 01/22 Autumn Graham



- 01/17 Mark & Debbie Willis
- 01/22 Wendell & Judy Voto



SAVE THE DATE!

Stronger Marriages
Workshop
with Trey & Lea Morgan
Friday & Saturday
March 25-26, 2022

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN

Josh Higginbottom
Frank Holsapple Jr.
Clay Patterson
Michale Perry

Sunday Bible Classes

Adult Classes

David Hendricks
John's Letters
Auditorium

David Dirrim
Old Kitchen Classroom

Jeff Butler
Gospel of Mark
Fellowship Building

College Group

Kyle Wilson
Southwest Corner Classroom

Youth Group (6th-12th Grades)

Thorin Turner
Youth Classroom

Kids

Elementary (K-2nd & 3rd-6th)

North Hall Classrooms

Preschool (2 Years Old & 3 & 4 Years Old)

South Hall Classrooms

Baby Class (Under 2 Years Old)

For the Record: 01/09/2022

Bible Study	128
AM Assembly	188
PM Assembly	120
Wednesday PM	127
Contributions	\$13,020
Budget	\$13,500

SERVING THIS WEEK

Sunday AM:

Song Leader: Tyler Jones
Opening Prayer: Jeff Butler
Closing Prayer: Raymond Johnson
Scripture Reading: Jag Frye
Lord's Supper Thoughts: Jack Cadenhead
Communion Servers: Jacob Bowman, Brett Butler,
KerVon James, Jack Cadenhead, Jared Griffin, Odie
Heck, Tim Hensley, Jet Frye
Balcony Servers: Trenton Hensley & Nathan Lewis
Attendance Counter: Cody Frye
Safety Team Walk **AM/PM**: Hunter Nickell
Safety Team Camera **AM/PM**: James Bryant
Coordinator **AM/PM/Wed**: Caleb Estes & Russell Neill
Sound Booth **AM/PM/Wed**: Drew Adams & Joe Dirrim

Sunday PM:

Song Leader: Ronnie Osborn
Opening Prayer: Chelton Andrews
Closing Prayer: Thorin Turner
Attendance Counter: Bart Conley
Communion: Trent Barrett & Casey Farrar

Wednesday PM:

Song Leader: Russell Neill
Announcements/Opening Prayer: Will Lampkin
8 Minute Devotional: Greg Hatton
Closing Prayer: Glendel Hatton
Attendance Counting: Chelton Andrews
Safety Team Walk: Tommy Garrett
Safety Team Camera: Lane Garrett

January Contribution Counters:

Bill Young, Chuck Love, James Byers, & Ried Duncan

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome

Unto Thee O Lord - 794

Scripture: Matthew 7:28-29

Prayer

Anywhere with Jesus - 414

Hear O Israel - 446

Create in Me - (Not in Book)

Thoughts From the Cross: Jack Cadenhead

Oh, the Depths and the Riches - 375

Communion

Thy Word - 449

Contribution

Lord Reign in Me - (Not in Book)

A.M. Lesson: Hear and Do

Have You Been to Jesus? - 904

Announcements

I Stand in Awe - 96

Prayer

P.M. Lesson: Obedience

An elder and wife are available in the classroom of
the middle hallway of the building during each
invitation.

Elder for January: Richard Howard
Supporting Elder & Wife: Scott & Sharon Estes

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Sunday

Bible Classes - 9:00 a.m.

Morning Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Evening Worship - 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday

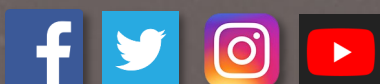
Bible Class Auditorium 7:00 p.m.

Youth Group - College Group

K-5th Grades

Worship & Classes Online

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