

The McLish Avenue Messenger

This is the message we have heard from Him... God is Light (1 John 1:5).

January 31, 2010

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This New Testament passage quotes an Old Testament passage. Where is the Old Testament passage found?

“For You will not leave my soul in Hades, Nor will You allow Your Holy One to see corruption..”

Acts 2:27 (NKJV)

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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Bible Study 9:30 am

Worship 10:30 am

Worship 6:00 pm

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 pm

God's Plan of Salvation

Ben Bailey

Are You Saved? Are you unsure? Follow this checklist to see if you have obeyed the gospel God's way.

1 You must hear/listen to God's Word to be saved. “Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God” (Romans 10:17).

2 You must believe/have faith in Jesus Christ. “Unless you believe that I am He, you will surely die in your sins” (John 8:24).

3 You must repent of sinful things that you have in your life. “Unless you repent you shall all likewise perish” (Luke 13:3).

4 You must confess Jesus as the Lord and Master of your life. “With the heart one believes unto righteousness and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation” (Romans 10:10; See Matt. 10:32-33).

5 You must be baptized for the remission of your sins. “Repent and be baptized every one of you for the remission of your sins and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit” (Acts 2:38; See Mark 16:16; Acts 22:16; 1 Peter 3:21).

Have you met the above conditions to receive the gift of Salvation? If not, we would love to study with you.

The Gospel of Christ The website continues to be a source of information for many who are searching on the internet. If you have a friend or



relative in another congregation, please jot down their name and phone number and give it to Kevin. He'd like to use these contacts to help open doors for him to speak about *The Gospel of Christ*.

Pantry Teachers, please encourage your Bible students to bring one pantry item each week. This will help each student develop a giving spirit.

Need a ride to services? If you need the van to pick you up for services, please see **Steve Mann, Scott Saner**, or one of the elders. *If you can help drive the van on Wednesdays, please see Steve or an elder.*

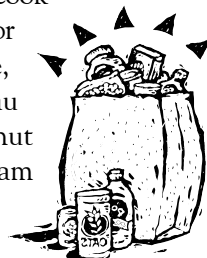


Tammy Gravelle is collecting labels for the children's home. Both soup labels and Duncan Hines labels can be redeemed by them for equipment and supplies.

Assistance It would be greatly appreciated if everyone could check the pew around where they sit after each service to see if there are items that need to be thrown away. Your time spent in tidying your area is greatly appreciated.

Media Tammy has filled the center display rack at the back of the auditorium with a selection of CDs and DVDs. If there is something that is not out that you'd like copies of, there are order forms in the tract rack on the right side as you are facing the back.

Children's homes Westview will be back the first week in March and is requesting: sugar, canned fruit, sweet cereal, cooking spray, sloppy joe sauce, beef or chicken broth, powdered Gatorade, Fritos, potato/tortilla chips, au gratin/scalloped potatoes, peanut butter or cheese crackers, cream of chicken or mushroom soup, liquid Cascade, liquid detergent, ibuprofen/Tylenol.



Tax forms Please check with Melba to pick up a tax form.

Outreach Groups

Group 1

Chock & Mary Aldridge
Ron & Peggy Jones
Ray & Tomi Harness
James & Tammy Gravelle
Ronnie Byrd
Steve Mann
Scott & Tina Saner
Jaccie Pirtle

Group 2

James & Dana Meece
David & Linda Johnson
Ben & Christie Bailey
Betty Higgins
Harold & Martha Dillard
Pat Ballard & Vickie Fletcher
Bill & Gail Stewart
Earl & Sue Mann

Group 3

Vernon & Arlene Castleman
Sharon Ryan & Christy Murray
Cecil Hargrove
Lovel & Mary Hughes
Lonnie Harris
Rick & Suzanne Tidwell
Tom Matlock
Sharlene Wallis & Rebecca

Prayer List



Teen Stewart is recovering at home after gallbladder surgery. **Tom Matlock** reports that he doesn't have any broken bones after his fall. **Jean Parker** went back to Norman to consult with her doctor after her knee surgery. **Glenda Vison** had a stint put in a leg artery last week. **Jamie Feroi** will start a clinical trial at MD Anderson in a few weeks. Liz Aldridge's boss, **Mike Cawley**, had cancer surgery last week.

Please continue to remember: April Willis's friend **Shannon • Virginia Hubbard • Ben Tomlinson • Mary Ann Ashley • Ruth Parker's great-grandson Emory Raney • Earl Mann's sister Joan Etta Brooks • Charlie Stevens**, Louis Harris' father • **Joyce Gilliam • Todd Hicks' mother, Rilda Renick • Ginger Waller • Bessie Childress • Jean Cary's nephew, Kent Barker**, and her brother **D.C. Shipman • Marty Stinson • Deborah Thomas • Flo Brown**, sister of Joyce Gilliam • **Ruth Minyard • Mildred Pennington's sister, Geneva Long** and her sister-in-law **Billie Gilliam • Earl & Sue Mann • Patti Culpepper • Trent Jacobson**, Jimmie's son • **Christy Murray's cousin Misty • Betty Higgins • Jerry Vinson • Murray Goforth • Deborah Thomas' mother • Pat Morrison**, Olga Sue Stinson's sister • **Bill & Virgie Burchfield • Dortha Phillips • Pat Ballard's mother • Madeline Minyard • Sharon Ryan's mother, Mary Griffeth • Larry Ryan's mother, Lorraine • Jamie Feroli's sister, Dara Robison • Wayne Price**, Jennifer Johnson's uncle • **Jamie Feroli's mother, JoAnn Watson, and grandmother • Peggy Jones' sister, Mary Warner •** and those shut in/nursing home members.

Responses **Jacie Pirtle** responded last week acknowledging sin and asking for the prayers of the church for strength. She also asks for prayers for her son Chris.

5th Sunday singing We'll have a 5th Sunday singing this afternoon Please plan to be at the building at 5 pm to share in this time of praise.

Next Sunday at noon we will come together for a fellowship meal. Please plan to attend and bring a little extra for any visitors we might have. This is a great opportunity to get to know your brothers and sisters a little better.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

January

30 Amy Hicks

February

- 1 Marsha Pettit
- 3 Peggy Jones
Betty Tipton
- 8 Sharon Chamberlain
- 9 Sharon Ryan
- 11 Marvin Willis
- 12 Joyce Giles
Roy & Lori Patrick
- 13 Mary Aldridge
Gloria Clark
- 14 Gypsy Castleman
Alice Williams
- 21 Bobby Wallace
- 25 Isabella Murray
- 26 James Meece
Michael Castleman

March

- 1 Cap & Teen Stewart '47
- 5 Melody Smith
- 10 Christy Murray
- 11 Madeline Minyard
Justin Mann
W.O. Clark
- 13 Pat Ballard
- 14 James Gravelle
- 15 Toni Mann
Fred & Maxine Bellomy '49
- 16 Lexie Wallace
- 17 Lara Austin

Over 39ers The over 39ers will meet Thursday, February 18th at 6:00 pm at the building to caravan down to McGehee's. If you have questions, check with James Gravelle.



There is a collection of thank you notes posted on the back bulletin board. Please take the time today to stop by and be encouraged.

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Website update Have you been on line and seen the changes to both websites that James has been working on? If you haven't been on either site in a while, take a little time and log on to www.mclishchurchofchrist.com and www.thegospelofchrist.com.

Those to Serve Today

Announcements.....	F.A. Shellenberger		
Lord's Table	Ronnie Byrd	Ron Jones	Bo Fore
	James Meece	John Johnson	Cecil Hargrove
Song Leader.....	David Johnson	PM Opening Prayer.....	Floyd Johnson
AM Opening Prayer.....	Tom Matlock	PM Closing Prayer.....	Ron Jones
AM Scripture.....	Daniel Jones	PM Lord's Supper.....	John Johnson
AM Closing Prayer.....	Harold Dillard		
Greeters Jan 31 & Feb 3.....	Ronnie Byrd, Tom Matlock		

Elders

Charles Aldridge
710 15th NW
223-4602

Vernon Castleman
3533 Dogwood Road
223-0983

James Meece
909 Davis
223-7637

Deacons

Fred Bellomy
223-3240

Martin Dotson
226-6450

James Gravelle
223-7911

Todd Hicks
504-2829

Ron Jones
223-7268

Steve Mann
223-7246

Scott Saner
226-2920

Jerry Vinson
223-3865

Feb

February 3

10:00 am Ladies' Bible class
7:00 pm James Gravelle gives devotional

February 7

12:00 noon Fellowship Meal

February 10

10:00 am Ladies' Bible class
7:00 pm Ben Bailey gives devotional

February 17

10:00 am Ladies' Bible class
7:00 pm Ronnie Byrd gives devotional

Kevin's schedule

Today:

Sasakwa, OK

Feb 14

Ambrose, TX



Broadcast
Schedule

2/7 Colossians Lesson 1-*The Importance of Christ's Blood*

2/14 Colossians Lesson 2- *What Law Are We Under Today?*

Scripture from page:
Psalm 16:10