



## **DOUG'S CORNER!**

I want to thank everyone that came and helped honor Hunter McColl last night. A huge thanks to Jady English for speaking. Let's be praying for Hunter as he wraps up his Senior year.

It is time to start signing up for MIA, Mission In Amarillo. It will be all day on Monday, June 5th-Wednesday, June 7th. This is an area work camp for our current 5th-8th grade students. The cost will be \$15 and there is a sign up sheet on the Youth Bulletin Board. Sign up deadline is Wednesday, May 24th.

I want to encourage our families to sign your children up for camp this summer. Dates and grades are shown below. The cost for each student is \$75. You can select to pay later, and give me money for your student. If you have any questions, please let me know. You can register at [mvccalto.com](http://mvccalto.com) For any of our high school students that are 16 or older, you can apply to be a Counselor-In-Training or to work in the kitchen for our younger week of camp. See Doug for details.

This Is The Way! - Doug

### Upcoming Events

June 4th: Catalyst Prep  
June 5th-7th: MIA (Current 5th-8th grade)  
June 9th & 10th: Catalyst  
June 25th-July 1st: Camp for 6th-12th Grade  
July 9th-15th: Camp for 3rd-8th Grade

## **Order of Worship**

### **Welcome**

531: Praise the Lord

### **Psalm 18:1-3**

193: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah  
Jesus is Lord

### **Communion**

234: Higher Ground

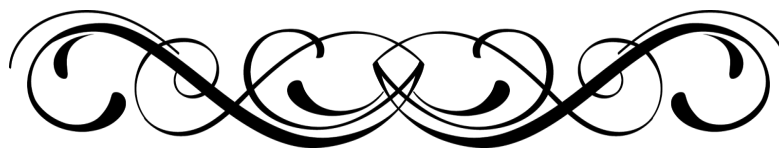
### **Prayer**

## **Serving the Lord with Gladness: Getting More Out of the Prayers**

805: I Come to the Garden Alone

### **Prayer**

### **Announcements**



### **Hebrews 8:8-12**

## **How to Explain the Two Covenants**

# **The Bell Avenue Church of Christ Beacon**



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## **Carl's Dye-a-logue**

Most of the time when you look at the news it is bad. Whether you are watching it on broadcast TV, streaming it, or reading it in the newspaper or online . . . it seems that everything happening is bad. In some cases, if it is not bad enough, the "newspeople" add a little hyperbole to make it seem worse.

Then, if the news is political in nature, it is really bad. You can tell what the political beliefs of the writer are based on the way the article is written (and sometimes just the headline). It seems the "newspeople" no longer just want to report the news they must editorialize everything.

Well, this past week I actually read something positive on a news site that typically provides and promotes bad news. It was a story from another country about a 12-year-old boy who was riding a bus to school (not a school bus, mind you). He had been given \$6.00 by his mother for his fare and lunch.

At the stop after he got on, a dirty, smelly woman got on the bus. The conductor began passing through the bus collecting fares. This elderly woman began looking in her bag. To make a long story short (too late!), she did not have the \$3.00 fare.

The conductor decided to be a jerk about it and loudly rebuked the woman and said the bus was not a "charity ride" and told the driver to stop, so they could throw her off the bus.

The boy was seated a couple of seats in front of the woman, and he turned around and gave the conductor his other \$3.00 and said it was the fare for the lady.

As it turns out, this lady was very wealthy. She had experienced car trouble and, while she was outside her car, had been splashed by a passing vehicle. She had forgotten her wallet in her car. At the end of the story, she reunites with the boy at his school and makes a sizable donation to the school and expects nothing in return, so long as they continue to turn out fine young people like this boy.

It is a feel-good story with a happy ending. There is a valid point (even if the story turns out to have been a "recycled" story from years ago).

The boy helped someone who needed help. He never expected to be repaid. He saw someone who was in need, and he met that need as he was able. His mom should be proud.

Someone else is proud when we do what we can for those in need. Read Matthew 25:31-46 to see who.

# Speaking the Truth in Love

## Assembly Times

### **Sunday Worship**

9:30 AM and 5:00pm

### **Sunday AM Bible Classes**

Following Services

### **Wednesday Devo/Classes**

7:00pm

## Ministers

Carl Dye

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### **Youth and Family**

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### **Secretary**

Beverly Hays

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## For the Record

**April 30, 2023**

AM Worship.....	106
Sunday Classes.....	90
PM Worship.....	54
Giving.....	\$4,077.00
Weekly Budget.....	\$5,272.96
YTD Giving.....	\$76,577.14
Budget.....	\$94,913.28

## Elders

\*Cled Click

Eddie Hankins

Gene Mayfield

Mural Worthey

*\*indicates current contact person for the month*

## Deacons

**Colby Patterson**

*Transportation*

**Casey Wall**

*Building Maintenance & Grounds*

## Other Ministries

**Cled Click**

*Adult Education*

**Gene Mayfield**

*Finance  
World Bible School*

**Richard Mayfield**

*Contribution & Tract Rack*

**Mural Worthey**

*Amarillo Bible Chair Director*

## Reminder:

**In reverence to God and respect toward other worshipers, please remember to silence all cell phones and pagers at the beginning of the worship assembly.**

# Congregational News

## **Prayer List**

Mandi Gustin has injured her shoulder.

## **Showers of Gifts**

There will be a Bridal Shower for Rachel Dye on Friday evening, May 19th, at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Room. Finger foods, punch and cupcakes will be served. The couple have registered at Target and Bed, Bath and Beyond.



Also, Monica is putting together a cookbook for her. If you would like to share a recipe, please email Monica at [monicajeandye@gamil.com](mailto:monicajeandye@gamil.com) or give it to her at church.

## **Dinner for Mothers**

There is a signup sheet on the foyer table for the Mother's Day dinner, Saturday, May 13th at 6:00pm.

## **A Picture Is Worth a Thousand Words**



So, please make sure your picture is on the board! It only takes a few minutes for Cled Click to snap that smile! Please get with him for a new or updated photo.

## **Looking Forward to May and June!**

May is shaping up to be a busy month! We will have Mother's Day dinner, a Bridal shower for Rachel Dye, and a Brown Bag dinner. Check out Doug's Corner for June Happenings.



# Prayer List

Nancy Brown; Martha Campbell; Charlie Chance, Suellen Cross; Paula Gilliland; Ted Hardwick; Don & Rhea Hicks; Jerry & Sherry Lee; Kenley Martin; Sammye Martin; Nelda Morgan; Deedie Thomas; George & Betty Vinson; Casey Wall; Debra Zoller

In charge of meals for May for those in need:

Cheryl Walton

## **AM**

**Song Leader**-Doug Martin

**Opening Prayer**-Colby Patterson

## **Lord's Supper**

**Prayer:** Mural Worthey

**Front** - Hunter McColl, Michael Foster, Marc Lathem, Troy Brown

**Back**— Kenneth McColl

**Scripture:** Eric Sturkie

**Closing Prayer**—Nate Roehr

**Cards**—Evan Roehr, Teagan Wright

**Door Monitor**-Cled Click

**AV**-Evangeline Martin, Harper Coleman

## **PM**

**Song Leader**--Patrick Harris

**Prayer** – Jady English

**Scripture** - Mural Worthey

**Speaker**-Carl Dye

**Closing Prayer**-Jerry Lee

## **Contact**

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## Bell Avenue Missions

- Amarillo College Bible Chair
- Panhandle State Bible Chair
- WTAMU Bible Chair
- Brazil
- In Search of the Lord's Way
- Key to the Kingdom
- Northern New Mexico
- New Mexico Christian Children's Home
- Eastern European Missions
- Spanish Literature Ministry
- Bangladesh School of Preaching
- Cameroon School of Preaching
- South America Preacher Training School
- Berkshire Preacher Support