

Lord's Servants

Minister: Donnie Martin

Spanish Minister: Lonnie Tapscott

Missionaries: Dionicio Santillan–Juarez,
Mexico

Miguel Garcia-Zaragosa, Mexico

Kevin Montgomery– International Bible
Institute, Houston, Texas

Shepherds

Jim Kotter
Lonnie Tapscott
Demetrius Williams

Deacons

Keith Boutwell
Rodolfo Rubio

Lord's Table for March

Fernie Huerta	Charles Scott
Victor Estrada	Dominic Hernandez
Talon Tapscott	Jessie Chavez
Jeremy Covey	Terence Wade

Greeters for March: Jose Luna & Lisa Dean

Wednesday, March 6, 2019 Evening Worship

Adult Class – Donnie Martin
Sound Room – Williams Family

Spring Forward

**Don't forget to set your clocks forward
one hour on Saturday, March 9, 2019.**

Attendance & Contribution

February 24, 2019

Sunday A.M. Class: 67

Sunday A.M. Worship: 179

Sunday P.M. Worship: 26

Wednesday Evening: 33

Contributions: \$6,317.00

Other: \$11.20

Total: \$6,328.20

2019 Montwood Update
Baptized: Placed Membership:

Montwood Leadership

• Lonnie Tapscott
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• Jim Kotter
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Stay Connected

Here are some ways to connect with the
Montwood family.

Facebook:

@ChurchOfChristMontwood – public page

Montwood Church of Christ Group – closed
group for Montwood Members

How Do I Become a Christian?

The Scriptures lay out in precise terms what is necessary for a person to become and remain a follower of Jesus. At Montwood, we believe God's Word teaches that we are initially saved (justified) by grace through faith in baptism and we remain in a saving relationship (sanctified) as we walk with Jesus in the light on a daily basis.

None of us is able on our own to erase the debt sin creates with God nor are we able to perfectly keep God's commands in the way that we live. This is why we fully depend upon God's mercy and pardon for our past guilt and rely on His power and wisdom to live obediently in the present.

If you are interested in becoming a disciple of Jesus for the first time, we invite you to come forward during our invitation hymn or to meet with the leaders of our congregation to discuss further what the Bible teaches.

Becoming a Member of Montwood

All disciples of Jesus Christ (those who have been baptized for the forgiveness of sins and who are striving to live by faith in God's Word) are welcome to place membership with our local congregation. If you are interested in doing so, the shepherds would welcome the opportunity to meet with you and discuss what we believe local church membership entails.

Visit our website: montwood.org Update your information, view upcoming events, bulletins and much more.

Knowing, Showing, Going

- Personally Knowing (the love of God)
- Powerfully Showing (the love of God)
- Prayerfully Going (with the love of God)



Sunday, March 3, 2019

Welcome & Prayer: Jim Kotter & Lonnie Tapscott

Singing: Demetrius Williams

Lord Reign In Me

It Is Well With My Soul

There is a God, He is Alive

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Come Share the Lord

Lord's Supper

Offering

This Is My Father's World

Dismissal of Spanish/KFC

Sermon Scripture Reading:

1 John 1:1-4 Troy Cranston

Sermon: Donnie Martin

'Fellowship Through the Reality of Jesus'

Invitation Hymn:

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

Family News/Prayer: Jim Kotter

Dismiss



Prayer Requests

- **Health and Wellness:** Jessie Chavez, Shannon Parr, Daisy Barrett – (Lisa's aunt), Lawrence Burris, Lucille Jackson, Denise McConaughy, Martin Family, Maria & Marco Amador - restored/ improved health; Dolores Cranston –upcoming surgery; Tiddley Cooper, Melissa Williams & Layton (grandson of Cindy Covey) – complete healing; Ricky Taylor (Larry Brown) – suffered a possible heart attack; Marco Amador – results of MRI; Jackie Ortegon (friend of Cranstons) – struggling with depression and anxiety
- **Strength & Encouragement:**
Montwood Family, missionaries around the world, & any one being persecuted – stay strong in faith, make time for prayer, study and growth in the knowledge and practice of God's Word & learn what it means to be a humble disciple of God; that the family at Montwood can grow closer as one; for all those seeking answers from God that we will be patient and listen as He reveals His will for our lives; spiritual growth for the family of Montwood; Lisa Dean – job situation; Tiddley Cooper – peace and healing; for LOVE Ministry to stay focused (R. Gandara); for Gina Hernandez while she is in Alaska; Gricelda Wade – employment opportunities; Sonia & Dan Koen – safety while in Sierra Leone
- **Traveling Grace:** Hilda & Briana Rohrer; Dave Davis
- **Thanksgiving:** for the leaders of our country, our military; our Shepherds, Ministers, teachers, and the brethren of Montwood COC

Military Members

Fernando Huerta, Jr., Caleb Bloom, Kimberly & Anthony Huidor, Joey Dotson, Adam Lewis, James Hugley, Kelvin Kwaramba, Torrey Canady, Joseph & Alvanetta Reed, Lizette (Granado) Wu & Lance Wu, Derek Davis, Matthew Powell, Justin Young, Eric Dozier

Prayers for Our College Students

Adrian Luna, Elise Williams, Brian, Brandon, & Morgan Cox, Artiziel Broussard, Kenneth Huerta, Amber & Brianna Rohrer, Christina, Katy & Dominic Hernandez, Zachary & Josh Dantzler, Lyric Barnett, Andrew Luna, John Kotter, Ezra Moleko, Autumn Russell, Isaac Moreno & April Soto

Long Term Prayer Requests

Maria Gandara, Vincent Hernandez, Rafaela & Veronica Rodriguez, Lucy & Tatiana Chavez, Carmen & Albert Martinez, Mildred Bustillos, Don Alan Riggs, Carlene West, Lucille Jackson, Dolores Crocker, Dolores Cranston, Mary & Csilla Hallberg, Dennis McConaughy, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Ann Kotter, Ryan Lee, Beth McNichol, Tiddley Cooper, Lucille Johnson, Fred Jackson, Tonya Seale, Kay Popelka, Norma Estrada-Keith, Lorna Ganaway, Sidney Ford, Patsy Brown, Bill Cramer, Manuel Macias, Rick Duncan, Evelyn Torres, Shannon Parr, Frank Bouttee, Emma Garcia, Joy Yocham, Jack Hedgpeth, Stella Allen, Toni Evans, Francine McGarrah, Uncle George, Armando & Maria Chavez



Food Pantry Ministry

Pantry items for March: Canned cream of mushroom soup, oatmeal, or peanut butter. All other non-perishable items are welcome.

Thank You



Kids for Christ

All kids ages 3 to 7 are welcome to join us for Bible Stories, devotion, Crafts, Skits, & Puppet Shows.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 4 – Cianna Martin
- 5 – Jimmy Soto
- 6 – Briana Rohrer & Carlene West
- 7 – Randa Smoot, Mayela Estrada, & Manuela G. Gutierrez
- 9 – Alta Rubio
- 10 – Calvin Cooper

Announcements

- Upper Elementary Class – Male/Female Teacher needed for the 5th/6th grade spring session class. Please see Becky Reifers for more details.
- Milestone Ministry Meeting – **TODAY** following morning worship.
- Hermeneutics Class – this evening with Lonnie T. will be covering Chapter 12 – The Role of the Holy Spirit
- Men's Breakfast - Saturday, March 9th @ 8:00 am in the dining hall. All men are welcome to attend.
- Zaragoza Church Visit – Sunday, March 10th. If you are interested in going, speak with Lonnie or Romy Tapscott.
- Ladies Bible Study – Our monthly Ladies Bible Study was postponed last week and will resume on Thursday, March 7th @ 6:30pm, at the home of Norma Granado. We will cover the last "Chapter" of the book and then welcome suggestions for the next book. Please see Bridget Martin, Lisa Dean or Norma Granado for more information. Hope to see you ALL there!
- Active Shooter Seminar – for anyone interested there will be two classes: Thursday, March 14th & Thursday, March 21st at 7:00pm in the Auditorium, MCOC. Contact Dolph Rubio for more information & to RSVP
- Big Hearts 2019 – Children's Home of Lubbock is working together with the church to collect boys' S/M overnight diapers. Our goal is to collect 40 packages by Wednesday, May 1st. Please see Alta for more details.

Sermon Series: Fellowship Sermon Title: Fellowship Through the Reality of Jesus

1 John 1:1-4

Big Idea: We have real fellowship because we have the real Jesus.

The Historic Reality of Jesus (vv. 1-2)

Jesus' Divinity

Jesus' Humanity

The Relational Reality of Jesus (vv. 3-4)

You Don't Get God Without Jesus

You Don't Get Jesus Without His Word

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