

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 May

Isaac Moreno	Pat Moreno
Rick Gandara	Ron Washington
Beto Estrada	Fernie Armendairz
Hal Howerton	Fernie Huerta

Sunday Evening Worship

Small Group Leader: Demetrius
Williams

Wednesday, May 9, 2018

Evening Worship

Adult Class: Donnie Martin

Sound Room (May): Ezra Moleko &
Talon Tapscott

Attendance & Contribution

April 29, 2018

Sunday A.M. Class: 114

Sunday A.M. Worship: 207

Sunday P.M. Worship: 28

Wednesday Evening: 52

Contributions: \$6,653.50

Other: \$716.00

Total: \$7,369.50

2018 Montwood Update

Baptized: 4 Placed Membership: 6

Montwood Leadership

·Lonnie Tapscott

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If you have any question, please feel free to
contact Troy Cranston for more information.

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, May 6, 2018

Worship Order

Welcome: Jim Kotter & Lonnie Tapscott

Prayer: Philip Hart & Eduardo Urbina

Singing: Demetrius Williams

10,000 Reasons

God's Family

The Lord's My Shepherd

He Leadeth Me

Lead Me Gently Home

Lord's Supper

10,000 Angels

Offering

Dismissal of Spanish/KFC

Sermon Scripture Reading:

Luke 2:40-52

AJ Leday

Sermon: Jim Kotter

Invitation Hymn: *There Is a Habitation*

Family News/Prayer: Demetrius Williams

Greeters for May: Moreno Family

Dismiss



Prayer Requests

- **Health and Wellness:** Tiddley Cooper, & Albert Martinez, - restored health; Marisol Luna, & baby– healthy pregnancy & safe delivery; Ethan Williams – continued improvement; Cianna Martin – recovery from surgical procedure; Ann Kotter, Eva Lopez, Carlos Luna, Joe Villalobos (coworker of Lonnie T.) & Anthony Pearson (Randa Smoot's nephew) – recovery from surgeries; Lucille Jackson –awaiting results of bone scan; Willie Mae Keyes (friend of Randa Smoot) – diabetic complications
- **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; San Juana Jayme (Fatima's mother) – has been placed in hospice; Florina, Lyric & Isley Barnett – spiritual growth
- **Traveling Grace:** Lawrence Jeffery - weekly travels; the Martin Family & Paula
- **Thanksgiving:** for the leaders of our country, our military; our Shepherds, Ministers, teachers, and the brethren of Montwood COC; Dennis McConaughy's tests show that the cancer is gone from his liver; Courtney and baby, Johnny Lopez – healing without any complications

Military Members

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

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

Long Term Prayer Requests

Maria Gandara, Vincent Hernandez, Rafaela & Veronica Rodriguez, Lucy & Tatiana Chavez, Carmen & Albert Martinez, Mildred Bustillos, Don Alan Riggs, San Juana Jayme, Dalton Southern, Christina Hernandez, Anselmo Martinez, Lucille Jackson, Dolores Crocker, Dennis McConaughy, Carlene West, Dolores Cranston, Mary Hallberg, Ann Kotter, Ryan Lee, Janet Outerbridge, Aubry Herrarte, Farida Maharaj, Wayne Gardner, Gwen Wilbanks, Dawn Spencer, Beth McNichol, Ellis Lewis, Jr., Veronica Sears, Marlon Aquino, Tiddley Cooper, Lucille Johnson, Carolyn Matthews, Ruth Aston, Martha Duley, Ana A., Elizabeth Rodriguez, Fred Jackson, Tonya Seale, Kay Popelka & Alma Williams



Kids for Christ:

All kids ages 3 to 8 are welcome to join us for Bible Stories, devotion, Crafts, Skits, & Puppet Shows.

Theme: God Calls Abram

Scripture: Genesis 12

Storytelling

Teachers: Isley Barnett & Lauren Owens

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 6 – Kay Duley
- 8 – Dennis McConaughy
- 9 – Gina Hernandez
- 10 – Talon Tapscott
- 11 – John Reifers

Announcements

- Family Meeting – Saturday, May 12th in the dining hall. Breakfast will be served at 8:00am, with the meeting beginning at 9:00.
- Baby Shower – please help us welcome the baby boy of Marisol & Angel on Saturday, May 12th from 4-6 in the Dining Hall. See Bridget Martin or Monica Moreno for more information. Marisol is registered at Target.
- Big Heart 2018 for the Children's Home of Lubbock- we will be collecting boys' S/M overnight diapers through May 17th. Please see Alta for more information.
- Graduate Luncheon – May 20th following Morning Worship. Sign-up sheet for luncheon is in the foyer. Please see Romy T., Lisa D., or Anita Kotter for more information.
- Join us as we celebrate the union of Christina Regis & Adam Lewis - Please see the MCOC Happenings Board in the foyer for more information

Food Pantry Ministry

Pantry items for May: evaporated milk & fans. All other non-perishable items are welcome.

Thank You

Graduates

If you are graduating/recently graduated from High School or College, please give Alta Rubio your information, (school, date of graduation, honors) so that we may post in the bulletin.

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Luke 2:40-52

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