

Lord's Servants

Minister: Donnie Martin

Spanish Minister: Lonnie Tapscott

Missionaries: Dionicio Santillan–
Juarez, Mexico

Miguel Garcia-Zaragosa, Mexico

Kevin Montgomery– International
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Shepherds

Jim Kotter

Lonnie Tapscott

Demetrius Williams

Deacons

Keith Boutwell

Rodolfo Rubio

Sunday Evening Worship

Small Group Leader: Lonnie
Tapscott

Wednesday, April 18, 2018 Evening Worship

Adult Class: Donnie Martin
Sound Room (April): Dominic
Hernandez & Isaac Moreno

Attendance & Contribution

April 8, 2018

Sunday A.M. Class: 115

Sunday A.M. Worship: 202

Sunday P.M. Worship: 25

Wednesday Evening: 62

Contributions: \$5,139.08

Total: \$5,139.08

2018 Montwood Update
Baptized: 3 Placed Membership: 6

Montwood Leadership

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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: www.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, April 15, 2018

Worship Order

Welcome: Demetrius Williams & Lonnie
Tapscott

Prayer: Philip Hart & Victor Estrada

Singing: Tranell Cox

We Bow Down

Blessed Assurance

Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross

Higher Ground

Alas! And Did My Saviour Bleed

Lord's Supper

This World Is Not My Home

Offering

Dismissal of Spanish/KFC

Sermon Scripture Reading:

Phil. 3:17-4:1 John Kotter

Sermon: Donnie Martin

Invitation Hymn: *Lord I'm Coming Home*

Family News/Prayer: Jim Kotter

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 – not feeling well, upcoming eye procedure; Ann Kotter & Eva Lopez – recovery from surgeries; Joe Villalobos (coworker of Lonnie T.)- awaiting surgery to remove a tumor; Monica Moreno – struggling with sciatica; Destiny & Xadia (friends of Sara Duley) – both recovering from medical procedures; Maria Rubio (Dolph's sister) – recovering from knee replacement surgery
- **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; for Joe Villalobos and his family as he is currently unable to work while waiting for surgery
- **Traveling Grace:** Lawrence Jeffery - weekly travels
- **Thanksgiving:** for the leaders of our country, our military; our Shepherds, Ministers, teachers, and the brethren of Montwood COC; Lucille Johnson (Lisa Dean's mother) – home from the hospital

Military Members

Fernando Huerta, Jr., Caleb Bloom, Jason Hancock, Trenton Hoeller, 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, Tranell, & 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



Kids for Christ:

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

Theme: Tower of Babel

Scripture: Genesis 11

Arts & Crafts

Teachers: Isley Barnett & Charles Scott

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 15 – Emily Garnica
- 17 – Mya Hernandez
- 17 – Bridget Martin
- 21 – Camden Martin
- 21 – CeCe Bufford

Announcements

- Food Pantry – Wednesday, April 18th, following evening worship – move items to dining hall; Thursday, April 19th from 9-11:30am – preparation of bags; Saturday, April 21st from 9-11:30am - Food Pantry Distribution. Volunteers are greatly appreciated for all days.
- Ladies Bible Study – Thursday, April 26th @ 6:30pm at the home of Norma Granado. Bridget Martin will be facilitating the Lesson study of A Woman Overwhelmed. All women are welcome to attend. Please see Bridget, Norma, or Lisa for additional details.
- Care Group – has been cancelled for April.
- Annual Mother's Day Brunch – Saturday, May 5th @ 11:00am. Sign-up sheet is in the foyer. Please sign-up by April 28th. Brunch is hosted by LaLonie Huerta. 8605 Turrentine Dr.
- 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.
- 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 April: evaporated milk & fans. All other non-perishable items are welcome.

Thank You

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Philippians 3:17-4:1

Big Idea: As followers of Jesus we must renounce our earthly citizenship and claim our heavenly citizenship.

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- 3) The Wrong Goal

Claim Your Heavenly Citizenship

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