

January 4, 2026

West Hill

Church of Christ

All In

Are You Concerned About the Future?

By Dan Jenkins

Focus 2026

It was Jesus who described the final judgment and discussed the right hand and left hand of the Judge of all mankind. It is truly the most sobering thought that you and I will be there and hear the judgment given as to where we shall be forever and ever.

Every person who has ever lived will be there, for the graves will have been opened. The Judge said, "The hour is coming in which all who are in the graves will hear His voice and come forth" (John 5:28-29). Paul described it, "We must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body" (2 Cor. 5:10).

The universe, the heavens and the earth will have ceased. Their time of existence will terminate on that day of judgment (2 Pet. 3:7). This is the day "...in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up" (2 Pet. 3:10).

The judgment will take place, and like a shepherd in ancient days separated the sheep from the goats in his flock, so the Shepherd will separate the righteous from the ungodly. You and I will be placed with the righteous "sheep" on His right hand or the unrighteous "goats" on His left hand. The final judgment will happen in this way.

"Then the King will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world'" (Matt. 25:34). His final message to those on His left hand will be, "Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels" (Matt. 25:41). You and I will hear one or the other of two sentences—"Come, you blessed of My Father," or "Depart from Me, you cursed."

The reality of this time should impact every decision we make and the basis on which we make them. Nothing in this material world will matter, for none of it will exist when time ends. Most people you know think about their future, and they only focus on and value these temporal things. Many have elevated their judgment about how to live each day, but the only truth about the future is the truth from God.

You and I have a view of the future, but we must realize the truth about the future is found in the God of truth. One truth cannot be changed. You and I will without any doubt experience it. "And these will go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into life eternal" (Matt. 25:46). Think soberly about the closing words of Peter's second epistle, "Since all these things will be dissolved, what manner of persons ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness?" (3:12). Think soberly about these words!

Sunday: Worship 10:30am & Class 5:00pm

Tuesday: Benevolence 9:00-10:00am & Young at Heart Class 10:30am

Wednesday: Class 6:30pm

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Matthew 13:44

What do you have for Collateral?

Analyzing Matthew 13:44

The kingdom of heaven _____
is like _____
treasure hidden in a field _____
which a man found _____
and covered up _____
then in his joy _____
he goes and sells all that he has _____
and buys that field _____

Is Jesus Worth it to You?

Apostando todo
Mateo 13:44

¿Qué tienes como garantía?

Analizando Mateo 13:44

El reino de los cielos _____
Es como _____
un tesoro escondido en un campo _____
Un hombre lo encontró, lo escondió y lo volvió a
esconder _____
Luego, lleno de alegría _____
va y vende todo lo que tiene _____
Y compra ese campo _____

¿Vale la pena Jesús para ti?



Adult Classes - January & February 2026

Chapel:

"A Study on Prayer"
(David Baumgartner, David Shastid, & Brent Stewart)

Family Room:

"7 Habits of Effective Christians"
(Brandon Watson)

College & Young Adult:

"7 Habits of Effective Christians"
(Anthony Warnes)

Wednesday

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Sunday

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Chapel:

Men's Class
"Spiritual Leadership"
(Various)

Family Room:

Women's Class
"Women of Faith"
(Various)



Save the Dates!

February 22-24

with Steve Higginbotham

Friends and Family Day - February 22

The Glory of the Church (AM) - The Glory of God (PM)

Fellowship & Meal - February 23

The Mission of the Church (PM)

Young at Heart Class - February 24

The Destiny of the Church (AM)

Prayer Needs:

Martha Dowdle continues to experience health issues and will see her doctor next week.

Tiffany Smith is home from the hospital, and **Tanya Rowden** continues recovering from knee replacement surgery.

David Mahoney is improving and receiving treatment from home.

The Ramirez family is transitioning to a new home.

Jim Milam recently broke his arm after a fall.

Royce Bunch is at Heritage Oaks undergoing rehabilitation.

Sandra McCullough's brother-in-law (Ron) is hospitalized at Baylor Surgical in Dallas following complications from major back surgery.

Continue to remember: Bronny & Ruth Watson, Dan & Rita Dominy, Eula Henry, John Braly, Louie & Patty Williams, Nick Tooley, Bill & Beverly Abercrombie, Beverly Heathcote, David Mahoney, Millard & Martha Dowdle, Carol Barham, Judi Olsen, Cam Haden, & Jim Haden

survival were 15%. I and my family so appreciate the prayers, kind words and cards. Thank you Westhill for your concern and your love.
- **Buck Murphy Family**

Staffed nursery available for babies up to 2 yr old.
Nursery Attendant this week: **Courtney Drain**

This Week's Birthdays

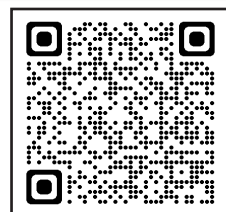
January 7 - Heather Southard
January 2 - Ricky Jennings & Sharon Mahoney
January 9 - David Baumgartner

Records for December 28, 2025

AM Worship.....235
Contribution \$53,569

Visitor Form

Thank you for joining us for worship! We would love to follow-up with you...



Announcements:

We rejoice with **Jayde Newman** as she has obeyed the Gospel and put on Christ in baptism!

Youth Area Wide Devo - Sun Jan 4 @ New Road Church of Christ in Waco, TX. Depart @ 3:45pm and return @8:30pm.

Young at Heart Class leaves Tues. Jan. 6 @ 9:30am to go to Tyler, TX, to visit Larry Hartsell; should return around 4:30pm.

Men's Breakfast - Fri. Jan. 9 @ 7am

Baby Shower for Korri Nicholson
- Sun, Jan 11 @ 3pm in the Parlor.

Baby Shower for Clair Gowen
- Sun, Jan 25 @ 3pm in the Parlor.

WOW Ladies' Retreat - Jan 30-31, 2026
Theme: "You Can Do Hard Things" w/ speaker Lindsay Olsen.

Friends & Family Day - Save the Date: Sun. Feb. 22

Westhill ARC (Addiction Recovery Counseling) meets weekly - contact Jay Mahoney

Westhill Family, My cousin Allan has finished his chemotherapy and as of last week he is cancer free. Truly a miracle and testament to the power of prayer. His chances for

Privileged to Serve

AM Song Leader
AM Opening Prayer
Scripture Reading
Communion Leader
Communion Servers

Carson Barham
Micah Haden
Donny Beal
Jason Burnett
Ronnie Giles

David Baumgartner
Percell Milton
Michael Jones
Greg Olsen

Luke Baumgartner
Joshua Miller
Rick Newton
Dylan Nors
Ti Saulus

AM Closing Prayer

Colton Nicholson

PM Song Leader
PM Opening Prayer
PM Devo
PM Closing Prayer

Wed. Song Leader
Wed. Invitation

Jan. Worship Coord.
Jan. Elder of Month

David Baumgartner
Cash Hendrix
Brandon Watson
Larry Rowden

Matt Newman
Rusty Owens

Michael Jones & Casey Hendrix
Scott Barham