

WELCOME

We're Glad You Joined Us!

December 9, 2018 **WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS**

Announcements

Mickey Davis

Song Leader

Kelby Owens

Communion Reading

John Carrell

Communion and Offering

**R. Manley, P. Mauck,
J. Mauck, K. Owens**

Assembly Prayers

A.M. Opening: Ron Taylor

A.M. Closing: Cameron Jackson

P.M. Opening: J. P. Wesley

P.M. Closing: Herb Manning

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

Card Pick-Up: Boen Proctor

Vestibule Duty: Jim Anderson

Greeters: Rudy & Barbara Manley

Nursery:

Diane Mauck

FEEDER FAMILIES

12-9-18

Meat: W. Anderson

Des & Drink: N. Boyer

Pot & Bread: A. Marcho

Veg & Salad: B. Mashburn

SERVANTS AT NWCOC

EVERY MEMBER

Elders

Mickey Davis 580-924-7853

Paul Mauck 580-434-5747

Ron Taylor 580-579-4906

Ministers

Joseph Lewis 972-849-4943

Deacons

Rudy Manley 580-916-2873

Herb Manning 580-916-0102

Jay Mauck 580-916-6277

Jim Taylor 580-380-1095

Benevolence Assistance

Jim Anderson 580-380-2326

MISSIONARY WORK

Every Member, All The World

* Al Horne, South Africa

* Ernesto Huete, Nicaragua,

* Chimala Bible College

* Pettijohn Springs Christian Camp

* Eric Davenport, Rwanda

*In Search of the Lord's Way

ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sunday

9 AM Bible Study

10 AM & 6 PM Worship

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class

2nd & 4th Tuesday @ 1:30 PM

Wednesday

7 PM Bible Study

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FOR THE RECORD

Week of: 12-2-18

Sunday Bible Class: N/A

Sunday AM Worship: N/A

Wednesday Bible Study:

Offering last week: N/A



December 9

The Messenger

“What it means to me”

A little over fifty-one years ago I considered moving my young family to Durant, OK. Our family life had been centered in a close relationship with the church in Ada, OK. And with two young children I wasn't about to make the move unless I could find that close foundation that we had felt in the church there. After visiting the two congregations in Durant I knew we had found our home with either congregation.

With this, I found myself trying to get a new business underway and doing my best to keep focused on the spiritual life of myself and my family. Over the years I have realized that we have developed a strong bond with both congregations and even though I saw most of them on a daily basis in my pharmacy, it was not enough. Every day I felt an inner longing wanting to be with both congregations. I wanted to sing, pray and be together around the Lord's Supper. I wanted to listen and study God's marvelous word with all of my church family. I suppose it was a simple thought on my part. I just wanted us to be together and I found myself in prayer about those moments, but the answer didn't seem to be clear in the mist that surrounded me.

Well now it is happening. The answer has been given and now I wonder, what else is possible? It is a new beginning and a fresh start to be, as one person has said, to be more than we can be.

Charles Villines



The elders welcome new members! If you would like to be identified with the Northwest church of Christ, the elders would like to meet with you. Please make a notation on the

BIBLE CLASS: Layne Heitz

WORSHIP SERVICE: Layne Heitz

SUNDAY NIGHT: Logan Cates

ANNUAL LADIES ORNAMENT EXCHANGE:

BUNCH: Saturday Dec. 8th @ 9-11a.m. @ home of Jencia Boon 213 Kolton, Durant, OK. Limited Parking so try to carpool.

LADIES MARK YOUR CALENDER FOR CONNIE'S 39TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY— THURSDAY DEC. 13TH @ Northwest Fellowship Hall:

We will meet at fellowship hall at 6:30 on Dec. 13th. Everyone is to bring a finger food to enjoy together and a gift for our Dirty Santa gift game for exchange. Participating in the game is not mandatory, but over the years it has helped us have many fun memories. It's my prayer that those memories will continue to grow this year and that we will also get to know one another more personally through this time together. This is for all of the ladies of the Durant Church of Christ. Contact Connie Manning if you have any questions.



LIFE GROUP 2—

Dec. 9th: Will meet at Mickey & Barbara Davis's house for lunch. Contact Barbara on what to bring & bring diapers.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAY'S

- 12-Gwen Hawkins
- 12-Donna Gage
- 12-Paul Mauck
- 14-Connie Manning
- 17-Luke Daniel

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 13-Melvin & Denise Horton
- 22-Rudy & Barbara Manley
- 23-Roe & Kathy LaPorte
- 23-Monny & Stephanie Mullins
- 30-Paul & Diane Mauck

HARVEST DINNER DECEMBER 8TH

@ 5:00 p.m.



PRAYERS:

Prayers for Jan & Hank Jenkot. Jan is in ICU in Durant at this time. In very serious condition.

Dorothy Coop is at Carrus Rehab.

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| Dorothy Coop | Patty Bowen |
| Sandra Phillips | Vera Wilmeth |
| Don Duncan | Jan Jenkot |
| Neal and Coralie Taylor | |
| James & Reba Shields | |

SHUT INS: Doris Andrews, Mary Armor, Tommie Bettis, Dorothy Deligans, Gertrude Goad, Peggy Hamilton, Margaret Norris, James and Reba Shields, and Kyron Wyatt.

IN MILITARY:

- Taylor Roy (Air Force)
- Cooper Sullivan (Army National Guard)
- Jack Case (Air Force)
- Jeffrey Rogers, (Okla. National Guard)