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 John Foster
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 Jonathan Lytle
 Josh Webb
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Minister

Philip Sims

Sunday Bible Classes

9:30 AM

Sunday Morning Worship

10:30 AM

Sunday Service Groups

5:00 PM (except First Sundays or during
 Area Wide Services)

Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Class

10:00 AM (Sept-Nov; Jan-Apr.)

Wednesday Evening

7:00 PM (Classes for all ages, Singing,
 Prayer, and Devotional)

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WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

Sunday, September 16

To Serve at the Lord's Table

Jonathan Lytle	Philip Sims
Bob Earles	Toby Allen
Jackie Wilcox (A)	Josh Webb (A)

Prayers: John Foster
 Sam Bitner

Communion Talk: Brian Hodnett

Song Leader: Robbie Peiser

Sound Booth: Justin Cox

Young Men to pass out Visitor Cards:
 Ryan Cox
 Kason Hodnett

Greeters for September: The R. Peiser's

Deacon for September: John Foster
 940-256-1754

WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICE

September 19

Invitation: Luke Peacock
Song: Philip Sims
Prayer: Brian Hodnett

OUR RECORDS

Wednesday PM (Sept. 5)	52
Sunday Bible Class (Sept. 9)	59
AM Worship (Sept. 9)	77
Contribution (Sept. 9)	\$3,755.00
Budget	\$3,451.00

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*"To every thing there is a season, and
 a time to every purpose under
 the heaven:"*

Ecclesiastes 3:1 (KJV)

Phil Us Up

Mountains that Move, or Rivers that Run! Faith—Belief

What are they, what's the difference? I think if you ask most folks what faith is, or what belief is, the answer will be "there's not much difference." The thing is they are so related, so close in meaning, many think they are the same. Different translations often use the two words interchangeably which is often confusing. So what is belief? Here is a good definition; *a judgment or opinion in which a person is fully persuaded*. Beliefs, simply stated, are things we are convinced of. Faith is something different. Faith includes our beliefs, but it is bigger than our beliefs, it requires action. If our beliefs do not move us to action, then there is no faith. James says it like this. "Faith is dead when it doesn't result in faithful activity." (CEB)

Do you see how belief and faith are interrelated? The difference is subtle, but critical. When we believe the truth with enough confidence to act, we exercise our faith! Jesus says it doesn't take much faith for stuff to happen, even miraculous stuff! (Matt. 17:20) I often hear lots of religious talk about what someone believes. Here is what I observe: Religious talk desires something to happen—faith expects something to happen. Religious babble talks about prayer—faith spends time in prayer. Lots of Christians want lots of stuff from God—"faithers" anticipate stuff and lots of it from God! Many of us live in a state of want, with no trust. Faithers live lives filled with

action, expecting God to move mountains! Faith is the assurance of things hoped for; the conviction of things not seen. I spent way too much effort at times telling others what I believe instead of acting on what I believed, and watching God move mountains, or say like it rains 10 inches, when we really needed it. God shows up when His people act in faith. Now you tell me, what's the difference between belief and faith? Mountains that move; rivers that run.

Thanks to all who prayed in faith for the recent rain. God delivers, and God is good! I love you all.

Have a great week.

Philip

Thank You

Dear Friends in Christ,
Thank you for your recent monetary donation after our fire. It is wonderful living in a community that has given such support to us and our family, and we are so grateful for you.

Glenn & Janis Brzozowski and family



Taste of Country – Silent Auction

Sept. 18, 4:30 – 6:30 pm

Haskell Civic Center

(Contact: Debbie Earles, Fonda Newton, or Loutina White) Tickets are \$15 each. Let one of the ladies know if you want to buy ticket (s), donate something for the auction, or for the goodie bags.

Family News and Concerns

Nancy Peiser was dismissed from the hospital on Aug. 11. She is at home recovering from pneumonia.

Lee Roy Schaake was dismissed from the hospital on Aug. 11, and is at home.

Roy Martindale is recovering from surgery on his lip that was done Sept. 5, in Lubbock.

Gerald McCoy is at home dealing with a broken arm, cast, and pain.

Levi Sorrells... upon learning that there are more tumors and dealing with so much pain, he has decided that it's time to come home and spend the rest of his days with his family in peace.

Glenda Goff has had two falls within the past month and will see the neurologist Aug. 19. He wants to do an MRI on her head and an EEG because of the Myasthenia Gravis.

Sara Weise continues her stay at the Parkland Hospital as she recovers from the wreck.

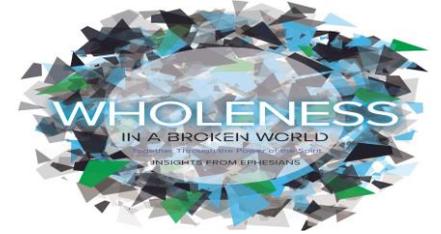
Noah Osei Aboagye (of Ghana) continues to take the medicine as he waits for the urologist to return.

Continue to remember... Frankie Cothron, Glenn Hale, Dorothy Hartsfield, Andrew Long, Stephanie Mayfield, John Neeley, A.D. Powers, Sam Wester

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mary Kennedy. She passed away Aug. 10. The funeral is planned for Aug. 13, at 10:00 a.m. at First Baptist Haskell. Burial at Willow Cemetery.



Glenda Goff sends her love and hugs to everyone at the Haskell Church of Christ. She misses each person so much. She would love to hear from you. Mail her a card or call her. The address is: 423 Lockhart Cutoff Rd. DeRidder, LA 70634. Her phone number is: 337-463-7856.



Abilene Christian University Summit Sept. 16-19, 2018

From its earliest days, this university has hosted an annual gathering our founders called Bible Lectureship and today, we call Summit. It's a time of year when we look forward to engaging study and dialogue among Christians and church leaders that extends to our students, staff and faculty – our entire campus community.

Summit 2018 is opening with a night of worship! Randy Harris will begin the week on Sunday, Sept. 16, at 6:30 p.m. at the University Church of Christ. He will explore "God's Standing Ovation: Praising His Glorious Grace," focused on Ephesians 1:3-14. The message will reflect on how God, in Jesus and by means of the Spirit, graces the church with many blessings, all to his glory. The service includes a joint concert featuring ACU's A Cappella Chorus and the Alumni Chorus.



BIBLE CLASS

There is still a need for one more teacher.

Wednesday Nights

5th Grade Group

for the months of March, April, May

(Talk to Josh and Bergen.)