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# COLLEGE MOUND GAZETTE

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## *Prayers & Joys*

Our nation, our leaders, our troops, our law enforcement officers, and relationships during these challenging times, for the Healthy Church Initiative (HCI), those impacted by the mass shootings in El Paso and Dayton, folks traveling., Joy that Susan Learned doing better, Joy that Kaleb Arredondo is back home, Kathy Boltin (recovering), Darrell Boltin (Back issues), Rock and Reid’s granddaughter Emma, Jackie and Emily Petroff (Involved in bad car wreck), Nelda Curry (Involved in car wreck), Dick Liston (Broken hip), Kasey King, Nyal Stromberg, Maxine Tankersly (elevated blood pressure), Tim Howell, Jennifer Burnett, Owen Hamilton, Susie Arredondo, Wallace Sullivan, Jerry Hinojosa (heart attack), Sally Hammond (breast cancer) and her husband Duke, Elaine Wooldridge (breast cancer), Kitty Brin’s sister-in-law Connie (stroke)

## **This Week at College Mound August 11-17, 2019**

- ☞ **Game Night:**  
Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup>, 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ☞ **Bible Study:**  
Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, 12 noon and 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ☞ **Supper Club:**  
Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m. at a restaurant TBD
- ☞ **Birthdays and Anniversaries:**  
Frank Rasor – August 12<sup>th</sup>  
Don Orman – August 12<sup>th</sup>  
Bobbie Sue Learned – August 12<sup>th</sup>  
Don & Susanne Orman – August 14<sup>th</sup>  
Allison Hamilton – August 16<sup>th</sup>  
Roger Learned – August 17<sup>th</sup>  
Kathy Penney – August 17<sup>th</sup>

## Last Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup>

Attendance in Sunday School: 32

Attendance in church: 70



Scripture: Hosea 11:1-11 God has compassion for his people.

Sermon: "Glimpses Into the Mind and Love of God" We can all relate to the image of a loving mother and child. God is our loving parent, who tries to guide us down the right path. He releases us from our bonds of sin just as he delivered his people from the real bonds of slavery. It's not the wrath of God that frees us from the bonds of sin, it's the love of God that sets us free!



The Lord's Supper was served to all.



The United Methodist Women held their annual planning meeting last week, and celebrated birthdays for the summer - Vivienne Flowers, Martha Nesler, Rose Tatum and Clara Burnett (whose great-granddaughter Kaylee Sluder stood in for her).

Kathy Boltin is now the leader of our Prayer Warriors Email group! If you come upon a prayer concern during the week, please send it to Kathy and she will distribute it via email to the congregation. Just a note – she has received some error messages as she sends out her emails. If you are not receiving these emails, or if your email address is incorrect in the Directory, please let her know at [kathyboltin@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kathyboltin@sbcglobal.net) or call her at (972) 754-2685.

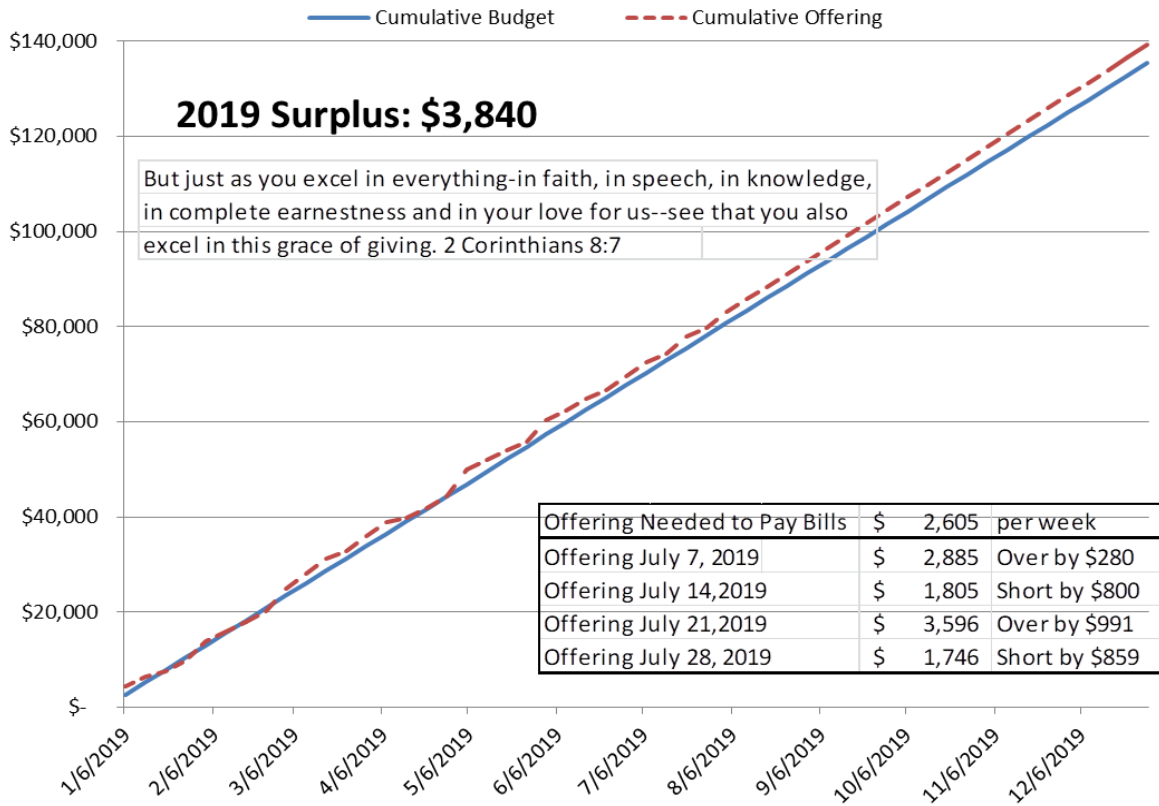
Now faith is the  
substance  
of things hoped for...  
Hebrews 11:1



If you go out the side door after worship service, be careful you don't trip over the new

Penny Fund bucket! And while you're at it, why not unload that pocket full of change that's been weighing you down? The Penny Fund helps those who are having temporary financial issues and need a little help. See Pastor Bob for more info!

## Church Budget at 7/28/19



Be sure and keep the Lord's Acre Auction on your mind, as it will be here before you know it! Becca Rasor (your humble editor) will be accepting the descriptions of your donated items, to put in the auction catalog. So let's get going! If you know what you will be donating, go ahead and send a description and an estimated value of your item(s). You don't have to wait until you get ALL of your items in at the same time, either. Just send them as you think of it – but send them! The email is [becca10000@aol.com](mailto:becca10000@aol.com) or call/text at (972) 345-9149. And remember, the items should be new (or only VERY gently used) and valued at \$10 or more.

