

Good morning and welcome to services! We are so glad you are here. We had such a wonderful time at our annual chili cookout and dessert auction last Sunday evening. Each year our youth group is so encouraged by the generosity of our congregation. Thanks so much to everyone who helped in preparing for the event, those who made pots of chili, those who donated desserts and those who purchased desserts and made other donations. We appreciate you all so much! Lads to Leaders testing codes were sent out on Wednesday and today is our last day to take the Bible Bowl test. If your child is having trouble logging in or testing, please let us know and we will administer the test tonight. We will also be having puppet practice today at 4:30. Next Sunday we are planning a workday to create our set and work on costuming our puppets. Our annual ladies brunch is being held on March 2nd. If you would like to participate by making food, leading a song or prayer, reading a scripture or doing a speech, please let Alison know. Hope everyone has a great week!

DOUG

"I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth." 3 John 4, NKJV

### WELCOME VISITORS

A big hearty welcome to those visiting today. Allow us to meet and greet you following the worship service this morning. At the end of the service today you will be given a gift bag from our congregation. "It is a small gift, but it comes from big hearts." Thanks again for coming.

## THOSE TO SERVE IN MARCH 2024

|                      |                     |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| <u>A.M. Opening</u>  | <u>A.M. Closing</u> |
| 3 David Akins        | Brook Williams      |
| 10 Doug Rader        | Sam Ellis           |
| 17 Orre Costlow      | Dennis May          |
| 24 Clint Satterwhite | Roy Davis           |
| 31 Carl Rutledge     | Rick Giles          |
| <u>P.M. Opening</u>  | <u>P.M. Closing</u> |
| 3 Kyle Lock          | Cory Camp           |
| 10 Marty Nash        | Tom Watson          |
| 17 Rodney Covington  | Doug Sumrall        |
| 24 Henry Baker       | Wayne Cartwright    |
| 31 Bill Hawkins      | Ben Rhone           |

### Serve Communion

|              |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|
| Andy Link    | Jerame Gipson   |
| Adam Krumnow | Clayton Collins |
| Doug Lowe    | Carl Rutledge   |
| Robby May    | Brayden May     |

### Prepare Communion

#### MARCH

3 Larry and Glenda Baskin  
 10 Rodney & Robin Covington  
 17 Clint and Jonna Satterwhite  
 24 Mark & Lisa Lambert  
 31 Bill Rawson– Tracy Calhoun

*If you cannot serve please call the church office. 903-723-6291*

March 3, 2024  
Door Greeters  
 Security Team

Communion Preparation  
 Larry and Glenda Baskin

# Gospel Worker

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### MINISTERS

Dan D. Manuel  
*Pulpit Minister*  
 Doug Rader  
*Youth Minister*

### ELDERS

Dwight Franklin  
 Dan D. Manuel  
 Dale Sparks

### DEACONS

Henry Baker  
 Steve Camp  
 Kyle Lock  
 R.D. Prince  
 Doug Rader

### SECRETARY

Eva Walker  
 Chloe Collins

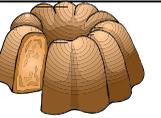
### MISSIONS

Brown Trail School of  
 Preaching, Bedford, TX  
 Jose Cuadras– Mexico  
 Hershel Bearden–India  
 Steve Handley–Prison Min.  
 Central TX Children's  
 Home–Buda, TX  
 Tipton Children's Home  
 Tipton, OK  
 GBN T.V. NETWORK  
 GIVE ME THE BIBLE-  
 T.V.  
 FOX 44 KWKT–Waco, TX  
 KTAL NBC Channel 6  
 Texarkana-Shreveport, LA.  
 KFXK FOX 51 Tyler  
 NBC 28 KYLE, Bryan-  
 College Station, TX.  
 FOX 29 KSVP Lake  
 Charles, La

ABC 10 KTEN Sherman-Tx  
 KTXD– 47 Dallas, Texas

### ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class  
 10:30 AM Worship  
 6:00 PM Evening  
 Wed: 7:00 PM



## CHILI COOK OFF-CAKE AUCTION

**The Chili cook-off and cake auction was a great success and we express appreciation to all who helped. A big thank you to the youth, Alison and Doug as well as the young people.**

**CHILI COOKOFF AND CAKE AUCTION WAS A GREAT SUCCESS.**  
**Monday Night For The Master**



*From Dan's desk:*

A big thank you to those who participated in the "Chili cook-off" last Sunday evening. Everyone who came really had a great time. We are so thankful to those who donated to the youth fund and those who prepared chili. First place winner was DEBBIE WARREN. Second Place went to HAILEY BROOKS, and Third place was given to BROOK WILLIAMS. We are grateful to them for their efforts. Thanks also to those who baked pies or cakes. It really was a great evening. Some \$3,613.00 was raised for the youth and activities planned. They will go to summer Christian camp, Lads To Leaders and other events. We want to remind you once more that tomorrow night is the time for "Monday Night For The Master". It would be great to have all of you present. It is always a wonderful time of good food and fellowship for the brethren here at Crockett Rd. The more you participate in church activities, the more the church will mean to you. We continue to have a number of brethren who have been ill and if not in the hospital, many are ill at home. Let's continue to pray for all those recently mentioned. Did you know that on March 10th we will go back on Daylight Savings Time? That means there will be more light at the end of the day. I am ready. Many of you who are afraid to travel or come to worship in the dark, will soon be able to come to the Sunday evening worship service. We hope to see many of you tonight.  
DAN

 **TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS**

**BILLY MASON** has been in the local hospital for tests and treatment. He is in Room 3343 in U.T. Tyler.  
**CHLOE COLLINS** is recovering from her recent hospitalization in Dallas last week. She will start treatment soon.  
**SHELIA LINK** is recovering from Covid -19.  
**DAN HUGHES** is recovering from recent abdominal surgery.  
**A prayer list is in the foyer.**

**MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER**

Tomorrow night Feb. 26th will be our Monday Night for the Master this month. We will eat at 6:15 and work will begin at 7 PM. Everyone is asked to join us for a wonderful evening of working together.

**SYMPATHY**

Our sympathy is given to Nancy Miller in the death of her brother Marcus Pinson, who recently died. He lived in South Dakota.

**Tell It Like It Is**

**"The Church is no playground"**

This expression basically means that if you are not willing to work hard and suffer a little for your efforts, then you are not going to accomplish very much. Just doing the easy and simple exercises that don't challenge one's body won't lead to lasting results. The same principle is true in life as well. In order for one to be productive in business, for example, one must be willing to make sacrifices of time and money; one must make an effort in order to do well. The more we put into a relationship the better it is going to be. The parent who makes an effort to spend time with his children is going to have a better relationship with his child than the parent that doesn't. Should it cause us to wonder, when we come to the spiritual world, that if we don't make an effort at serving the Lord that we're not going to get anything out of our relationship with God? The same principle is true here as well. "No pain, no gain." Sometimes I think that people expect church to be some kind of spiritual playground where we can just relax and have fun in the glow of God's goodness. Surely there is more to our relationship. DAN

It's easy to say it, but to actually live it is another story. We talk all the time about what we need to be doing, but we always seem to have excuses as to why we cannot do it. Jesus told a story in Luke 14 of a man who made a great supper and invited many to come. He sent his servants out to bid them to come into the feast, and they one by one began to give excuses as to why they could not attend. Most of the excuses were very lame. I believe we put ourselves in that same boat all too often. When was the last time you had a personal Bible study with someone? Surely, you agree that this needs to be done. Why isn't more of this happening? There are people who need to be studied with, but it doesn't seem to be happening as much as it needs to be happening. Think about your life for a moment. If you're a Christian, you will probably say that God comes first in your life. This is as it should be. But, are you living that way? *Author Unknown*

**PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES** 

## **PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

**February 25, 2024**

Dan Hughes is recovering from recent abdominal surgery.

Joyce Weatherly has been in the local hospital recently, but is improving.

Jayce Coborn, grandson of Frank and Laura Glenn is recovering from recent surgery

Chloe Collins is recovering from recent tests that indicated that she has M.S. She will undergo treatment soon.

Glenda Baskin had surgery on her foot and continues to recover.

Mason Johnson (16 month great grandson of Linda Johnson) having seizures. He is at his home.

Terry Hail, son of Glenda Baskin had heart bypass surgery. He is recovering.

Billy Mason is in U.T. Health in Tyler in room 3343.

Becky Welborn, sister of Kyle Lock has been seriously ill.

Prayers for Nancy Miller in the death of her brother, Marcus Pinson in South Dakota.

Kenneth Thomason, son of Jack and Mary Jo, is in an Irving hospital recovering from a head injury

Ann and Ken Holland both continue to have issues with COPD and eye issues.

Spencer Kieffer (friend) has lymphoma and asked for prayer.

Mary Bryant, cousin of Linda Hawkins has Lymphoma Leukemia

The Hawkins friend, Vernon Dickinson has staph infection and asked for our prayers.

Noelle Eason, granddaughter of Peggy Higginbotham, is having tests and treatment.

Dr. Greg Hortman (friend of several in the church) is having health issues.

Lori Tanner Richardson, cousin of Cindy Thornton, has breast cancer and asked for prayers.

Jeffery Wooden, son of George, is undergoing radiation for cancer.

Sue Smith, friend to several is recovering from surgery in Dallas.

Madison White, step daughter of Jamie White, is improving as she undergoes treatment for brain surgery.

Jo Ann Hannah, friend of Mary Alice Largent, is recovering from surgery.

Diane Wilcher continues with health concerns. She is at her home.

Jerame Gipson's friend, Lisa Safronoff, is having health issues.

Becky Barnes' great grandson continues to have health issues.

Tina Teetz, daughter-in-law of Pat Baird, is still undergoing tests and treatment

**Remember those in nursing homes and home bound in your prayers.**

Courtney Bell, Patsy Bush, Mary Chambliss, Opalene Chapman, Mary Ann Colling, Ed and Kathleen Compton, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, George Wooden, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Joyce Matlock, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Martha Sims, Monty Todd, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, Charlie Young.

**NOTE:** We try to update the prayer list each week. When people are improving and doing better we remove their names and add new ones who have asked to be on the list. We need those of you who are acquainted with those on the prayer list to let us know when they improve. Please notify us in the church office.