

Prayers and Praise Confidential _____

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Sermon Notes

Title: "Chasing After God"

Scripture(s): Acts 8:1, "On that day a great persecution broke out against the church in Jerusalem and all except the apostles were scattered throughout Judea and Samaria."

Notes:

Application:



Scan with your phone
to go to our website



INSTANT CHURCH DIRECTORY

We are on a mission to update the member information in our Directory. If you have the directory app, take a look at your listing. You can update all your family information, as well as your photo in the app. If you don't have a photo, talk to Ronnie Gilbert. He will take one for you and get it uploaded to your listing. If you need assistance with the app or your listing, contact Phyllis Riley at (806) 674-9639.



October 12, 2025
ORDER OF WORSHIP
"Jesus Let Us Come to Know You"
Call to Worship/Opening Prayer
Worship led by P.J. Sneed
"Blessed Assurance"
"Father of Mercies"
"I Exalt Thee"
Lord's Supper
Contribution
"When My Love to Christ"
Dismiss children 3 years old - Kindergarten
to Children's Church
"Hosanna, Hosanna"
Sermon: Bret McCasland
"Chasing After God"
Song of Invitation
"There is a Redeemer"
Closing Announcements
& Elder's Prayer

"Be Holy Spirit Filled and Live in Him"

Coming Up at the Colonies
TODAY Sunday, October 12th
9:00 am Coffee Connection
9:30 am Bible Classes
Combined Bible Class in the Auditorium
Monday, October 13th
10:00 am Ladies Bible Study
Tuesday, October 14th
8:45 am Walking Class
9:00 am Men's Bible Study
Wednesday, October 15th
8:45 am Walking Class
6:00 pm Meal and a Message
Thursday, October 16th
8:45 am Walking Class
12:00 noon Chat n Chew
Sunday, October 19th
3–5:00 pm Youth to Maxwell's
Pumpkin Farm
Sunday, October 26th
5:00 pm Single Ladies Small Group
Friday, October 31st
North Amarillo Church of Christ Food
Pantry Distribution



WELCOME!
Ruth Harguess
to our
congregation.
We are proud to
have you as a part
of our family.

In September, because of your generosity, we served a record 114 families representing 370 individuals in our **North Amarillo Food Pantry Outreach**. A lot of these were new recipients. Thank you! Our next distribution is Friday, October 31st.




If you are looking for a place to serve, We still need relief van drivers to the Craig for Wednesday Night Meal & a Message. Please see Wayne May if you can help. There are also opportunities to work in the Church office. If you have a few hours a week and are interested please see Phyllis Riley.

Wednesday Night Meal and a Message
6:00 pm Meal— Nacho Bar (\$5)
6:30 pm—Message
Ben Gifford will continue his series entitled “The Church of Christ, Pursuing God’s Goals for His Church”

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In the Bible, it rained for 40 days and nights. Day 41 came and the rain stopped. Moses went up on the mountain for 40 days. On day 41, he received the Ten Commandments. The Israelites wandered in the wilderness for 40 years. Year 41, they walked into the Promised Land. Goliath, taunted Israel for 40 days. Day 41 came, and David slew him. Jonah preached a message of repentance to Nineveh for 40 days. On day 41, God stopped his plan to destroy them. Jesus fasted and was tempted for 40 days. Day 41, the devil fled. After his resurrection, Jesus appeared to his disciples for 40 days. On day 41, He ascended into Heaven.

The rain will stop, the giant will fall, and you will enter your “promised land” Don’t give up at 40...
Your 41 is coming!



Youth Group will be going to Maxwell's Pumpkin Farm on **Sunday, October 19th 3:00–5:00 pm**. Youth Parents and families are invited. **You must call Duncan Pruitt (806) 236-3239 to reserve your ticket(s)**. Deadline to reserve ticket(s) is **Wednesday, October 15th**. Bus leaves the church at 2:40 pm.



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

01—Rhonda Allen
02—Eric DeLaCruz
05—Ruth Harguess
11—Sandra Lovato
11—Cathy Reyna
13—Russell Bailey
15—Sara Gifford
15—Sharon Lane
17—Tim Cato
17—Janice Johnston
19—Ron Cleeton
19—Sandy Ellsworth
22—John Rackley (91)
22—Winona Colson
24—Leslie Otwell
28—Betsy McBride
29—Lindsay Culala
30—David Carruth

ANNIVERSARIES

Oct. 4—S. D. & Kathy Himes
Oct. 6—Tom & Betty Butler
Oct. 20—Casey & Lisa Tolliver
Oct. 22—Tony & Diane Freeman
Oct. 28—Johnnie & Cathy Shannon





New First Aid Kits are located in these areas:

- Youth Area
- Children's Area
- Nursery
- Kitchen
- Front Office
- Conference Room
- Marcear Great Room

If you wish to receive our weekly e-Newsletter, send your email address to office@thecolonies.org

For the week of: October 5, 2025
Attendance: 220
Contribution: \$18,554.00
Weekly Budget: \$13,913.46
Year-to-Date Giving: \$551,168.51
Year-to-Date Budget: \$556,538.46

Frank Bellizzi
P. J. Sneed III
Ken McLaughlin
Wayne May

Andrew Reyna
Rodney Young
Steve Hunter

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We have a nursery available during our sermon. There is also a Cry Room in the rear of the auditorium for your convenience.

Nursery Volunteer Today
Cindy Fisher



If you are visiting with us today...Thank you. Please fill out the perforated portion of the bulletin and place in the collection basket. Be sure to pick up a visitor's gift in the foyer. We would like to get to know you.

Sunday, October 12, 2025

Mark all that apply

☐ Guest

☐ Member

☐ Place Membership

☐ Wednesday Night Meal

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Home Phone () _____ Cell Phone () _____

Do you want a nametag to wear? “ ...Greet the friends there by name.”

First and last name on tag _____

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