

March 10, 2024

Schedule of Assemblies

Sunday

Worship 10:00 AM Classes 11:15 AM

Wednesday

Early Adult Class 4:30 PM Fellowship Meal 5:30 PM Classes for All Ages 7:00 PM Childcare for age newborn to 3-years-old is available during Worship on Sundays & on Wednesday nights during the 7 PM classes. For transportation to Worship and other assemblies, call (405) 672-1311, M-F, 9:00 AM-5:00 PM.

WORSHIP ORDER

Song, Shout Hallelujah	Ivan Gonzalez
Welcome	Ivan Gonzalez
Song, Ring out the Message	Tim Holt
Song, Seeking the Lost	Tim Holt
Song, There is a Redeemer	Tim Holt
Prayer	Justin Ogletree
Song, The Old Rugged Cross	Ivan Gonzalez
Communion	Garrison Martin
Song, Bind Us Together	Ivan Gonzalez
Offering	
Scripture Reading, John 4:9-14	Tony Franz
Song, Go Light Your World	Ivan Gonzalez
Message, The Woman at the Well	Garrett Marshall
Song, I Lay Me Down	Tim Holt
Closing Announcements	David Schmitt
Prayer	Melvin Thompson
Song, There's a Stirring	Tim Holt

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EDITORIAL

Who Are We?

There is an old Twilight Zone episode where five characters (an Army Major, Clown, Tramp, Ballerina and Bagpiper) are all trapped in a receptacle trying to figure how to get out. At one point, one of the exasperated characters shouts out, "Who are We?". The episode ends with these five characters being toys in a Salvation Army Christmas time bin.

That question of "Who are We" is a valid one among those of us who profess to be Christians. We are asked that by unbelievers trying to understand what's behind our motivations. There are brothers and sisters who ask that about each other. And there might even be occasion to ask the question in connection with how God sees us. The fact is that there ought to be qualities about each of us that identify with the example of Jesus Christ. None of us do this perfectly. But it is also easy to become complacent in establishing our identity as Christian people, a people motivated by our love for Jesus and other people. The Bible defines the essence of who or what we ought to be.

Christians are to be People of Compassion. God's compassion for lost people is expressed throughout the pages of Scripture, but two passages seem to really stand out: Hosea 11:1-8 and Matthew 9:36. Compassion means to feel the hurt of

someone else. Christlike compassion is expressed in responding to the hurting and reaching out to the helpless.

Christins are to be Relational. God had Moses build a Tabernacle because He desired to be among the Children of Israel. Jesus built relations first with His disciples and then with the outcasts. Relational Christianity is where we build partnerships with

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each other to fulfill the Gospel Mission. We partner with each other for training for and execution of the mission plan.

Christians are to be Reciprocal. The church was defined by its mutual respect, sharing and loving of each other. Jesus expressed this idea in each of His "One Another" Passages. We are to be kind and compassionate to one another (Ephesians 4:32); we are to be loving and affectionate with one another (Romans 12:10); we are to be empathetic toward one another (Romans 12:15-16), and we are to be forgiving to one another (Colossians 3:13).

All of these qualities build genuine Christians. They should define every part of who we are. "Who are We?" We are people whose love is genuine; who love being in relation with each other, and who are compassionate with each other. And we are to show these sides when we speak with unbelievers. Because that is what Jesus did.

SERMON NOTES

"The Woman at the Well"

When I think of Jesus, what first comes to mind is usually what a great teacher he was, or the miracles he performed, or the acts of kindness he displayed. However, I hardly ever think of Jesus as an evangelist. Yet, in his earthly ministry, he was constantly spreading news of the Kingdom of God, and how this kingdom was suppose to operate. This morning, we are going to look at one of Jesus' most direct evangelical conversations and how his approach challenged this woman, but also showed love and grace.

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EN ESPAÑOL

Notas Del Sermon - Cuando pienso en Jesús, lo primero que me viene a la mente suele ser el gran maestro que fue, los milagros que realizó o los actos de bondad que mostró. Sin embargo, casi nunca pienso en Jesús como un evangelista. Sin embargo, en su ministerio terrenal, constantemente difundía noticias sobre el Reino de Dios y cómo se suponía que debía operar este reino. Esta mañana veremos una de las conversaciones evangélicas más directas de Jesús y cómo su acercamiento desafió a esta mujer, pero también mostró amor y gracia.

Devocional va ser el próximo Sabado el 16 de Marzo en la cafetería a las 5:00 PM de la trade. No se pierdan esta oportunidad de convivir y conocernos mas.

GET CONNECTED



If you signed up to help the Outreach team by baking, plating and bagging cookies, OR if this sounds like something you would consider helping with, please join us after Bible Class today, <u>March 10th</u> for a short meeting in the church office. We hope to see you there!

Questions? Contact David Schmitt, 405-219-0990.



On Wednesdays this month, we will have stations set up to fill Easter Eggs with candy in the FLC from 5 PM - 8 PM.

MINISTRY AND MAINTENANCE STATISTICS

03/03 Worship Attendance	317
03/03 Bible Class Attendance	
03/03 Contribution	\$25,880.60
2024 YTD Regular Contribution	\$154,880.60
2024 Weekly Average	\$15,488.06
2024 Weekly Budget	\$16,209.00

FEATURED EVENTS

Join us on Wednesday Nights! We have Bible classes for all ages.

Wednesday Night Classes

4:30 PM

Early Bird Class | Chapel

7:00 PM

Adult Bible Class | Chapel
Bilingual Adult Bible Class | Room 201
Children (Infant - 6th Grade) | Children's Area
Ladies' Class | Room 209
Men's Meet-Up | Room 203
Youth (7th - 12th Grade) | Youth Center

We need donations of candy and prefilled Easter eggs
Drop-off bins are available around the church.

Thank you for helping us provide this event for our community.

DCYG SPRING RETREAT April 12th-14th

Oakridge Christian Camp | Anadarko

DCYG will be heading to Anadarko for their Spring Retreat, April 12-14. The cost is \$105 and students **must register by March 29th** to receive a t-shirt. Registration is available through the church app or check your email for the DCYG Weekly newsletter from Justin that has the link as well.

FAMILY UPDATES

BIRTHDAYS

Mary Carr | March 10
Clara Williams | March 10
Teresa Traynor | March 11
Max Staats | March 11
Jo Ellyn Livesay | March 13

Kristi Dillinger | March 13

Rachel Melendez | March 14

Jeannean Hill | March 15

Garrett Wood | March 16

Vicki Hunt | March 16

NEW MEMBERS

Please join us in welcoming our newest members, **Jill Rodriguez** and her daughter, Hannah.
Please say hello and be in prayer for them. Here is their contact info to update your directory:
Mailing Address:
PO Box 45690,
Tinker AFB, OK 73145
405-931-3623



CONDOLENCES

- Condolences to Barbara Solis on the recent loss of her Aunt, Mary Ann Sanchez.
- Condolences to Alberta Camacho on the recent loss of her nephew, Floyd Carter.
- Condolences to Victor Benitez on the recent loss of his mother,
 Yolanda Chavez Rodriguez.

UPCOMING DATES

COMMUNITY CUP - every Tuesday in the Coffee Shop, 7 AM - 9 AM **WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP MEAL -** every Wednesday, 5:30 PM - 7 PM

- March 15-24 Young Adults Mission Trip, Wyoming
- March 17 Third Sunday Potluck (Third Sunday of each month)
- March 21 Community Cupboard Distribution, 2 PM 5 PM
- March 23 MoMENtum Men's Conference. Southwest CoC
- March 30 Easter in the Park
- March 31 Easter Sunday Service
- April 5-7 Women of Joy Conference, Branson, MO
- April 12-13 Women's Walking With God Conference, Maize, KS
- April 12-14 DCYG Spring Retreat, Oakridge Christian Camp
- May 4 Whiz Kids Spring Fling @ Science Museum
- May 5 11 Teacher Appreciation Week (*Thank a Teacher!*)
- May 12 OBI Blood Drive, FLC
- June 2 7 Camp Rock Creek