8:00 A.M. ORDER OF WORSHIP

Song Leader – Glen Metheny
Welcome – Michael Claxton
Song – Lord, We Come Before Thee Now
Song – Cornerstone
Prayer – Alan Hewett
Scripture – James 5: 6-11 – Luke Hewett
Song – There is a Redeemer
Communion & Offering – Greg Brooks
Song – Salvation Belongs to our God
"The Road of Faith is Not Always Smooth" – Noel Whitlock
Song – To Canaan's Land I'm on my Way
Shepherd's Prayer – Brett Watson

5:00 P.M. ORDER OF WORSHIP

Song Leader – Jim Randolph
Welcome – Greg Brooks
Song – All the Way My Savior Leads
Song – Be Still My Soul
Prayer – Gordon Hogan
Song – It Is Well With My Soul
Scripture – Hebrews 1: 4-9 – Darren Mathews
"Greater than the Angels" – Noel Whitlock
Song – O How I Love Jesus
Prayer – Richard Duke

LAST WEEK

11/01/2020:
8:00 Worship— 300 / 11:00 Worship — 211
Bible Classes —246/ Children's Worship — dismissed
Worship 5:00 p.m. —116 / Worship 7:15 p.m. —dismissed

FINANCES

Budget for 11/01/2020.....$51,500.00
Giving for 11/01/2020.....$30,776.96
Budget through Week 9.....$426,612.00
Giving through Week 9.....$384,839.94

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November 8, 2020

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Daily Bread—Connecting to the Word

(Second in a series of articles about the mission statement of the College church of Christ)
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God taught my family an important lesson this past month when our refrigerator went out. We were forced to depend upon friends, the grocery store, and local restaurants more than usual. Although inconvenienced, we learned what it means to live off daily bread.

For forty years, Israel was forced to depend upon God for their morning manna, heavenly quail, and rocky-mountain water. If they stocked up too much on manna, it would spoil. If they slept in too late, it was gone. If they failed to plan for the Sabbath, they would go hungry. God provided each day just what Israel needed to survive.

After feeding the multitude with five loaves and two fish, Jesus reflected on the deeper meaning of this providence: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever" (John 6:51). Humans cannot live by material bread alone. We require another kind of daily bread to survive.

Leftover turkey and dressing can satisfy only until the next meal, but there is ongoing sustenance in divine bread, like "he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world" (1 Jn 4:4) or "love never fails" (1 Cor 13:8) or "do not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go" (Josh 1:9).

This bread provides everlasting energy to overcome pressures at work, challenges at home, and controversies on social media. Instead of reaching for another Five-Hour Energy, what we really need is a shot of "though the fig tree should not blossom, nor fruit be on the vines…yet I will rejoice in the LORD; I will take joy in the God of my salvation" (Hab 3:17-18).

Here's an idea—choose one scripture for your family to meditate on each day for a week, a month, or even a year. Post it on your fridge. Imagine what could happen if every time you reached for milk, you also filled up on the Word? As God instructed Jeremiah, Ezekiel, and John, so must we "Eat the Word!" If we do, we might find that consuming His "wonderful words of life" can be our most important meal of the day.

Jordan Guy

COMMUNION ON SATURDAY

Saturday, November 7, will be the last Saturday that communion is distributed in the drive-thru. You may pick up communion in the building during normal office hours Monday-Friday, 8:00-5:00 p.m. If you can't make it to the building, or need to have communion delivered to you, please contact the office, and it will be delivered to you on Saturday morning.

WINTER COAT DRIVE



Our Coat Drive will be on Saturday, November 14, at College Church. We are currently collecting new and gently used coats. We offer coats to the parents as well as the children in our community. Please drop off your clean coats in the barrels in the Welcome Center.

<u>These sizes are most needed:</u>
Women's Medium (most of all); Men's Small; Men's Medium; Men's and Women's Large; Women's XL; Men's XXL; Boys and Girls 6-8; Boys and Girls 10/12; Boys and Girls 14/16.

PRAYER & PRAISE

Prayers:
Byron Howell is recovering from neck surgery; **Barbara House** has a broken foot; **Tex Massegee** is in St. Vincent after successful bypass surgery ; **Edwin Myers** is at St. Vincent hospital; **Susan Watson**.

Deaths:
Sandy Chase, mother of **Debbie Gentry**, passed away Thursday, October 29. Services were Saturday, November 7, in Arlington, TX.

Wally Westbrook, father of **Tim Westbrook**, passed away Saturday, October 31. Services were Saturday, November 7, in The Woodlands, TX .

HIS HOUSE NEEDS

His House needs flatware, towels and coffee pots.

HOLIDAY GIFT OUTREACH

Our Holiday Gift Outreach Program will begin with the coat drive on Saturday, November 14. We will have families available to adopt beginning Sunday, November 15 in the Welcome Center.



SHOWERS

Ladies are invited to a bridal shower honoring **Christina Pinner** and Brett McEuen Sunday, November 15, 2:00-3:30 p.m., in the College Church Family Room. This will be a COVID friendly, in-person shower. Christina is the daughter of Jim and the late Debbie Pinner. The couple is registered at Soiree Gifts and Amazon. Gifts early to the home of **Christy Morgan**, 709 Pin Oak Drive, or **Cynthia Cole**, 908 Cedar Street.

You are invited to a wedding shower celebrating Maci Handy (student member) and Daniel Parrish TODAY, 1:30-3:00 p.m., at the home of Sherry Burkett, 809 Golf View Drive. The couple is registered at The Boutique, Doorframes, Amazon and Target. Gifts early if convenient.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Moved out of town: Judy Clark, 2421 College Ave #347, Conway, AR 72034.

LINDA BYRD SMITH MUSEUM OF BIBLICAL ARCHAEOLOGY

The Linda Byrd Smith Museum of Biblical Archaeology has recently been modified with the replacement of some artifacts with “new” ones. Among the displays is a cabinet that focuses on writing in the ancient world. Another highlights aspects of religion. Yet another presents artifacts associated with warfare in the ancient world. There are also displays of biblical coins, on crucifixion and burials in the first century, and artifacts highlighting Egyptian material. The museum is located on Harding’s campus, in McInteer 146 and is open Monday through Friday from 9 am to 4 pm during the regular school year. Admission is free.

FAMILY CONCERNS

Briarwood Nursing & Rehab: **Ellen Brown** 104.
The House of Three: LR: **Bill Diles**.
The Crossing at Riverside: **Mable Carpenter** 309; **Louise Ganus**; **Eloise Muncy** 317B; **Margaret Parker** 212A; **Joe Hurd's** mother, Patsy Hurd 216A; **Sharon Manor's** father, Harvie Reynolds 105; **Sharon Manor's** mother, Opal Reynolds 114; **Danny & Mike Wood's** mother, Frances Wood 115A.
Oakdale: **Carolyn Boutell** 117; **Rick Boutell** 117.
Providence: **Lottie Nichols** 46A hospice; **Laura Smith** 308.
Searcy Healthcare: **Clarene Keesling** 82.
Hickory Heights: LR: **Larry Heusel**

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

There will be ONE 9:00 a.m. service November 22-January 10. Bible class will be at 10:15 a.m.





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