



BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH *of* CHRIST

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING/SONG LEADER - John Hanson
PANTRY PALS - Mark McMillan

#19 - All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
#568 - Savior, Teach Me
#569 - Search Me, O God

PRAYER - Scott McGaha

#985 - Worthy Is the Lamb
#203 - Hallelujah! What a Savior!

COMMUNION PRAYERS - Delton McGuire
CONTRIBUTION PRAYER - Delton McGuire

#516 - One Day
#220 - He Lives

SCRIPTURE READING - Otis Guthrie
1 Corinthians 15:1-4

SERMON - Larry Sullivan
New Life in a Nutshell

#68 - Because He Lives

ELDER'S PRAYER - Richard Bower
#810 - Jesus Loves Me

WEEK OF APRIL 04, 2021

SUNDAY - APRIL 04

- Bible Class for all ages - 9 a.m.
- Masked Class - Education Building
- Live-streamed from Auditorium
- Worship Assembly - 10 a.m.
- Masked Assembly - Education Building
- Live Streamed from Auditorium
- Worship Assembly - 5 p.m.
- *Scripture - Ephesians 2:1-5*
- *Sermon - Sinners by "Nature"*
- *Children's Bible Class - Fellowship Room*
- University Place Services - 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY - APRIL 05

- Prayer Conference Call with Floyd Miller - 8-9 p.m.
- Call (605) 313-5695 - Passcode is 718815

TUESDAY - APRIL 06

- Ladies Bible Class - 10 a.m. - Room 10

WEDNESDAY - APRIL 07

- Bible Class for all ages - 6:30 p.m.
- Short Devotional - 7:15 p.m.

THURSDAY - APRIL 08

- Men's Brown Bag - Noon - Room 10

SATURDAY - APRIL 10

- Redeeming the Tears - 10 a.m. - Room 10

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

TEXAS BIBLE BOWL RESULTS

Middle School (1st yr)

Team - 2nd Place -
Noah Preston, Annabelle Bower,
Bella Sumners, Emily Strickland

Individual Awards:

Elementary (1st yr)

3rd - Bella Sumners
4th - Caroline Vasek
9th - Bennet Taylor

Middle School (1st yr)

2nd - Noah Preston

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

REDEEMING THE TEARS

Saturday, April 10, 2021
10 a.m. - Fellowship Area

THIRD FRIDAY GAME NIGHT

Friday, April 16, 2021
6:00 p.m. - Fellowship Area - "Brown Bag"

VALENCIA FAMILY FAREWELL

Friday, April 23, 2021
5:30-8:00 p.m. - "Come & Go"
Tacos & Fellowship - Fellowship Area

MEETING TIMES

SUNDAY MORNINGS

9 a.m. - Bible Class for all ages
10 a.m. - Worship Assembly

SUNDAY EVENINGS

5 p.m. - Children's Bible Class
5 p.m. - Worship Assembly

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Meal (*on break*)
6:30 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages
7:15 p.m. - Short Devotional

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**"Do not weep! See, the Lion of the tribe of
Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed ..."**
Revelation 5:5 (NIV)

PLEASE WELCOME TO OUR BHCC FAMILY:

Larry & Judy Clifton & their son, Sean

Ian McTavish

We look forward to working and worshipping with you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

Kevin & Linda Allen - Now home - Prayers of thanksgiving as they recover
Justin & Sadie Rosenquist - Birth of their son Zy Tiner Rosenquist
Bobbie Sudbury - Health issues & encouragement
Tammy Tiner - Health issues
Janet Smith - Cataract surgery - 04/06/21

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Bobby Condron - Cancer treatments
*(Cousin of **Jaye Loudermilk**)*
Terry Davis - Cancer diagnosis
*(Friend of **Dean Newman**)*
Johnnie & Jerry Knight - Health concerns
*(Aunt & Uncle of **Roxanne Hello**)*
Colleen & Dillan Orman - Safe delivery of their baby in May, Indianapolis, IN
*(Niece of **Valerie McGuire**)*
Carrie Wood - COVID 19 - lung infection
*(Daughter of **Thaila Robertson**)*
Simon & Christina Mora - Both - COVID 19
Simon in HMC with pneumonia
(Former Member of BHCC)

SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF

Gary Keeney - 03/23/21, Abilene
(Former Member of BHCC)
Tommy Sampson - 3/29/21, Clyde, TX
*(Friend of **Roxanne Hello**)*
*(Nephew of **Tincy Gorman**)*
Vivian See - 3/26/21, Grinnell, IA
*(Aunt of **Terry McGaha**)*
Tom Wilson - 03/21/21, Johannesburg
*(Uncle of **John Hanson**)*

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Eldon Amonett	Pauline Baskett
Phyllis Bonner	Janet Bruns
Mamie Crane	Norma Dotson
Leroy & Mary Mason	Jo Potter
Frances Pruett	Melinda Simmons
Dean & Nelda Stewart	Laveta Youngquist

CANCER FIGHTERS

Paola Abdullah	Jena Madeley
Lewis Maness	Dorothy McCoy
Kay Procter	Larry Taylor
Jesse Thomas	Minnie Woody

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

NEXT PANTRY PALS
Today
Sunday, April 4, 2021

Individually wrapped snacks:
Applesauce, Chips,
Granola Bars, Cookies,
Fruit Snacks, Gold
Fish, Cheese-Its,
Pop-Tarts

NEW LIFE IN A NUTSHELL

Pam and I have been working diligently to get our old house in some semblance of order and livability. There is so much to do! Lately there have been some beautiful days to work outside! We have cut back the dead plants and planted flowers and things that should bring us joy for a long time to come. There seems (especially in this climate) to be one question that keeps coming up...WATER! Are these flowers, shrubs, etc. going to have enough water to continue growing and flourishing in this climate?

I know that in the grand scheme of things, our little flower plants are not making much of a difference other than bringing joy to us and to passersby. How much more important are the farmers who depend on the rain and the sunshine to make things grow so that they can feed their families and possibly hundreds of others?

It is an amazing system isn't it? I mean seeds carry in themselves the possibility of life for hundreds of generations. Watered by the rains, flourishing in the soil those seeds provide for all involved: from the sower to the bread on the table. It eventually accomplishes what God intended for it.

Through the prophet Isaiah, God tells us that His word is exactly like that. It is like a seed that falls to the ground. It is like the rain that provides the moisture necessary for growth. His word will accomplish what he intends it to.

Can you get your brain around that? I am definitely challenged to understand it! I can sow seeds, and I can buy bread at the store but I have no real concept of how the whole system works. Words are powerful...but wow! His words are certainly much higher than my thoughts and His ways far beyond my comprehension.

In all of scripture we see God's plan unfolding. We are privy to the minutest corner of God's thoughts, and you know what? We are in the middle of his plan! His invitation to seek Him while he can be found, to forsake wickedness and unrighteousness and turn to Him shows that he cares how we respond to His message. This is the God who stands ready to give mercy and to freely pardon. What a God!

I recently read about 2000-year-old date seeds that were excavated in Palestine. They were planted and grew into fruit producing date trees whose variety had been extinct for centuries.

In some of our lives the Word has been like that, lying dormant, ignored, and sometimes useless for decades. Isn't it time that we let that soft rain of God's word fall on it and allow that seed to grow? Isn't it time that we seek the Lord and turn to His mercy and pardon that are waiting for us?

Larry Sullivan

BHCC Preaching Minister

OUR LEADERSHIP

MINISTERS

Larry Sullivan
(Preaching)
Luke Bower
(Youth and Family)

DEACONS

Kevin Allen
Hank Davis
Marty Gray
Christopher Hall
John Hanson
Eric Hunt
Chris Jeter
Kenneth Longley
Scott McGaha
Dean Newman
Justin Rosenquist
James Sumners
Gregg Taylor

ELDERS

Richard Bower
Ed Cowart
Robert Dennis
Charles Goodnight
Richard Oller
Larry Taylor
Stuart Tiner

ELDER OF THE MONTH
Richard Bower

LAST WEEK

*All numbers reflect
in-person attendance*

Bible Class - 124

AM Assembly - 160

PM Total - 88

Assembly - 88

CBC - N/C

University Place - N/C

Wednesday Devo - 105

Contribution - \$8,681

Weekly Goal - \$9,600

Building Fund - \$18,000

Raised to date - \$15,790