

BAKER HEIGHTS

CHURCH of CHRIST

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING/SONG LEADER - Scott McGaha

KIDS'S TIME - Luke Bower

#985 - Worthy is the Lamb **#129** - Each Step I Take

PRAYER - Stuart Tiner

#651 - The Ninety and Nine

COMMUNION PRAYERS - Mark McMillan **CONTRIBUTION PRAYER -** Mark McMillan

#590 - Surely Goodness and Mercy

SCRIPTURE READING - Lacy Loudermilk John 10:7-14

SERMON - Larry Sullivan Life in the Fold, Life to the Fullest

#369 - Jesus, the Loving Shepherd

ELDER'S PRAYER - Ed Cowart

I Am a Sheep

WEEK OF MAY 23, 2021

SUNDAY - MAY 23

- Bible Class for all ages 9 a.m.
- Worship Assembly 10 a.m.
- Worship Assembly 5 p.m. Shepherding Groups NO LIVE-STREAMING
- NO Children's Bible Class Resumes Sept. 5th
- University Place Services 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY - MAY 24

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

TUESDAY - MAY 25

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

WEDNESDAY - MAY 26

- "Feeding the Flock" Fellowship Meal 5:30 p.m. "Brown Bag"
- Bible Class for all ages 6:30 p.m.
- Short Devotional 7:15 p.m.

THURSDAY - MAY 27

- Men's Brown Bag - Noon - Room 10

SUNDAY - MAY 30

- Farewell Gathering for Velony Pietsch, the German Exchange Student with Larry & Pam Sullivan
- 3:00 4:30 p.m.
- Come for German coffee or tea and Fellowship before Velony heads back to Chemnitz, Germany.
- Hosted by Larry & Pam
- 1242 Highland Ave.

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

REGISTRATION FOR WRYC 2021 CAMP SESSION

Sign up NOW - session 1 www.whiteriveryouthcamp.com

WHITE RIVER YOUTH CAMP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Work Camp (May 30 - June 2) or Day Camp (June 6-11) - See Luke Bower

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

July 26th, 27th, 28th See Luke Bower for details

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

NO CBC

No CBC this summer Resumes Sunday, Sept. 5th

FAREWELL FOR VELONY PIETSCH

Sunday, May 30, 2021 3-4:30 p.m. @ the Sullivan's

5th SUNDAY SINGING

Sunday, May 30th - 5 p.m.

BHCC OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, May 31st in observance of Memorial Day

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 *(on break)* 5 p.m. - Worship Assembly

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Meal -"brown bag" 6:30 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages 7:15 p.m. - Short Devotional

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

"Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!" Revelation 5:12 (NIV) CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATE:
Michael Dow Davis - Angelo State University

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

Jena Madeley - Surgery - 5/20/21 Kalli Richardson - Prayers

Lee Tellor - Welcome home from TDY

Davis Varner - Health concerns

Sarah Waller - Knee replacement

surgery - 5/11/21

Colleen Willis - Eye Surgery - 5/21/21

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Bobby Condron - Cancer treatments (Cousin of Jaye Loudermilk) Cody Gonzales - Surgery - 5/14/21, Brenham,TX (Grandson of **Minnie Woody**) Maureen Phiri - Cancer, Zambia (Sister of Apson Phiri)

SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF

Kay Procter - 5/17/21, Abilene (Mother of **Bobbie Sudbury &** Candie Stevens)

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Eldon Amonett Phyllis Bonner Mamie Crane Johnnie Feaster

Janet Bruns Norma Dotson

Pauline Baskett

Jo Potter Melinda Simmons Leroy & Mary Mason Frances Pruett

Laveta Youngquist

Dean & Nelda Stewart

CANCER FIGHTERS

Paola Abdullah Lewis Maness Larry Taylor Minnie Woody

Jena Madelev Dorothy McCoy Jesse Thomas

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

NEXT PANTRY PALS Sunday. June 6, 2021

Canned fruit Pie fillings Soup Canned beef stew Canned chili Canned ravioli

BE LIKE CHRIST -PHILIPPANS 2:1-11

How can the Church survive in the hostile world that we live in today? Paul gives us the answer in Philippians 2:1-11. The answer Paul gives is that we all strive to be like our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! How do we accomplish this overwhelming task? In verses 1-5, Paul states the core of the gospel reminding us of what we have already received from Christ: encouragement, comfort, fellowship with the Spirit, tenderness, and compassion. Afterwards he encourages us to live accordingly!

Then in verses 6-11, Paul shows us the sweet image of Jesus. Jesus could have demanded worship, but instead he chose to serve out of concern for others. Jesus had everything under his control. Yet he chose to give up everything to become a servant, and to die on the cross for us who are lost sinners without hope. Therefore, God exalted him above all else, and he alone is worthy of our praise and devotion. Paul makes the point that this is the way God wants us to live! God wants us to live like Christ!

To achieve such a lofty goal, we must start by doing the following:

- If we have received grace, we must show grace to others.
- If we want joy in our lives, we must become a servant to God and those around us.
- If we want peace in our lives, we must empty our lives of our selfish concerns and place others first.

Thus, we should remember this – being like Christ is a way of living, not just a sometimes thing we do one Sunday. It is a God-breathed Spirit that empowers us to live as Christ has shown us.

In John 1:14 we read that the "Word (Christ) became flesh." That Word should shape our lives and the Church. We are all bound together by God through the life of Christ. He lived as a servant and so should we who wear his name. If we do this, we will not only survive in this world, but we will also grow his body, the Church!

Ed Cowart

BHCC Elder

OUR LEADERSHIP

MINISTERS

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

ELDERS

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

DEACONS Kevin Allen

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

ELDER OF THE MONTH Ed Cowart

LAST WEEK

All numbers reflect in-person attendance

Bible Class - 116 AM Assembly - 187 PM Total - 165

Assembly - 86 CBC - 37

University Place - 42 Wednesday Devo - 131

> Contribution - \$8,156 Weekly Goal - \$9,600 Building Fund - \$18,000

Raised to date - \$15,790