



# BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH *of* CHRIST

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**GREETING/SONG LEADER** - Scott McGaha

**KIDS' TIME** - Larry Sullivan

**#499** - O to Be Like Thee!

**#2** - A Beautiful Prayer

**PRAYER** - Eric Hunt

**#857** - How Majestic Is Your Name

**#864** - I Want to Know Christ

How Deep the Father's Love

**COMMUNION PRAYERS** - Ed Cowart

**CONTRIBUTION PRAYER** - Ed Cowart

**#953** - Lord, I Lift Your Name On High

**#621** - Ten Thousand Angels

**SCRIPTURE READING** - Jesse McGaha  
John 18:1-11

**SERMON** - Larry Sullivan  
Stepping Out, Stepping Up

**#299** - I Stand Amazed

**ELDER'S PRAYER** - Richard Oller

**#213** - He Gave Me a Song

## WEEK OF AUGUST 08, 2021

### SUNDAY - AUGUST 08

- Bible Class for all ages - 9 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 10 a.m.
- Wisteria Place Services - 2:30 p.m.
- Worship Assembly - 5 p.m.
- *Scripture* - Philippians 3:7-11
- *Sermon* - The Jesus of Secular History
- Children's Bible Class* - On Summer Break
- University Place Services - 6:30 p.m.

### MONDAY - AUGUST 09

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

### TUESDAY - AUGUST 10

- Ladies Bible Class - On Summer Break

### WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 11

- "Feeding the Flock" "Brown Bag" - 5:30 p.m.
- Bible Class for all ages - 6:30 p.m.
- August Series - God's Word, My Guide
- Lesson* - The Word of God Is Not Bound
- Larry Sullivan
- Short Devotional - 7:15 p.m.

### SATURDAY - AUGUST 14

- Redeeming the Tears - 10 a.m. - Room 10
- End of the Summer Church-Wide Cookout
- Scarborough Park - 5402 Hartford St.
- NOON - Please bring desserts

## YOUTH HAPPENINGS

### YOUTH GET-TOGETHER

Friday, August 27, 2021  
Marty & Cathy Gray's House  
4th gr - 12th gr

### PANTRY PALS

Sunday, September 5, 2021  
See back for updated list

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### WISTERIA PLACE

Sunday, August 8, 2021 - 2:30 p.m.  
Sunday, August 15, 2021 - 2:30 p.m.

### THIRD FRIDAY GAME NIGHT

Friday, August 20, 2021  
6 p.m. - Fellowship Area - "Brown Bag"

### SHEPHERDING GROUPS

Sunday, August 22, 2021

### 5th SUNDAY SINGING

Sunday, August 29, 2021

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

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

"Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a **living sacrifice**, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship." Romans 12:1 (NIV)

### CLACK MIDDLE SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Supply lists are in the foyer and are due this Wednesday. Thank you!

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### MEMBERS

**Brian & Jessica Burton** - Jericho Rayne Burton - born 08/04/21  
**Morris & Margaret Chancey** - Cancer diagnosis for Margaret - more testing to come  
**Judy Henry** - Health issues  
**Carolyn Madeley** - Health issues  
**Jena Madeley** - Medical tests on 8/2/21  
**Mary Ann Newell** - Prayers that meds work  
**Marcus Richardson, Mary McDowell, & Family** - Prayers  
**Esta Scott** - Pain in hips & knee  
**Minnie Woody** - Health tests

### FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Teri Clark - Prayers - Oklahoma City, OK  
*(Daughter of Betty Retherford)*  
Wes Eastman - Hospital - Waxahachie, TX  
*(Father of Manuel Eastman)*  
Barbara Gilbreth - COVID - HMC  
*(Friend of Bette Raymond)*  
Brenda Richardson - Health concerns  
*(Sister-in-law of Bobbie Sudbury)*  
Beckhom Shold - Infant, skin condition  
*(Friend of Kenneth & Charlotte Longley)*  
Gaylord & Sharon Sturgess - Both COVID - Ft.Worth hospital (Gaylord - life support)  
*(Friends of Scott McGaha)*  
Ida Taylor - RSV  
*(Granddaughter of L & M Taylor)*  
Kaye (Den Herder) Vaughn - Hospice  
*(Former of BHCC)*

### SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF

Addie Felts - 08/01/21, Abilene  
*(Resident of University Place)*

### HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

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

### CANCER FIGHTERS

Paola Abdullah	Jena Madeley
Lewis Maness	Dorothy McCoy
Jesse Thomas	Minnie Woody

## FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

**NEXT PANTRY PALS**  
**Sunday,**  
**September 5, 2021**

Individually  
wrapped snacks for  
Clack MS

**Grape Jelly**  
**Fruit cups**  
**Cookies - Assorted**  
**Sweet Potatoes -**  
**canned**  
**Cranberry Sauce -**  
**Whole or Jelly**

## GOOD MORNING

A couple of Sundays ago, my wife and daughter had to stay home because Amberlynn was sick. My wife was watching the Sunday morning service on her phone when my dad got up to read scripture. In hearing my dad's voice, my daughter got very excited, exclaiming, "I hear Pawpaw!" She started running around the house saying, "Pawpaw, where are you." Two things are for certain, one, she loves her pawpaw, and two, she knows her pawpaw by the sound of his voice. The two of them are very close.

Jesus used the analogy of a shepherd and his sheep to explain his relationship to his disciples. We are told in John 10 that Jesus said **"But he who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. To him the gatekeeper opens. The sheep hear his voice, and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice. A stranger they will not follow, but they will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers."**

When my wife told me the story of my daughter getting excited, I couldn't help but be touched by the relationship that she has with her grandfather. I am glad they are so close. It also reminded of this analogy that Jesus used and how close we are supposed to be to him. So, my question for you this morning is this, "How close are you to the Good Shepherd?" Do you know the sound of his voice? Do you get excited when you hear it? Are you following him? If your relationship with Jesus isn't as close as it should be, start spending more time with him. Listen to the words he has shared with us and spend more time with his family. Let's be the kind of sheep who know their shepherd.

*Luke Bower*

*BHCC Youth & Family 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 Oller*

## LAST WEEK

*All numbers reflect  
in-person attendance*

**Bible Class - 123**

**AM Assembly - 180**

**PM Total - 888**

*Assembly - 100*

*CBC - N/C*

*University Place - 42*

**Wednesday Devo - 127**

**Contribution - \$11,830**

**Weekly Goal - \$9,600**

**Building Fund - \$18,000**

*Raised to date - \$15,790*