



BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH of CHRIST

VOLUME 61

MARCH 12, 2023

ISSUE 11

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING/SONG LEADER - Sean D'Entremont

KIDS' TIME - Larry Sullivan

#42 - How Majestic Is Your Name

#325 - Boundless Love

COMMUNION PRAYERS - Richard Oller

CONTRIBUTION PRAYER - Richard Oller

#704 - Bind Us Together

#703 - I Love You With the Love of the Lord

PRAYER

#720 - The Bond of Love

SCRIPTURE READING - Paul Klozinski

Romans 12:9-12

SERMON - Larry Sullivan

Hopefully, Devoted to You

#655 - Would You Be Poured Out Like Wine

ELDER'S PRAYER - Charles Goodnight

#694 - Servant Song

WEEK OF MARCH 12, 2023

SUNDAY - MARCH 12

- 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 - Genesis 1:1-8; 4:16; 6:1-4
 - Sermon - Countering Old Testament Confusion (1)
- Children's Bible Class - Fellowship Room
- University Place Services - 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY - MARCH 13

- Seniors In Motion Meeting/M meal/Games 10am - 2 pm
- Prayer Conference Call with Floyd Miller - 8-9 p.m.
- Call (605) 313-5695 - Passcode is 718815

TUESDAY - MARCH 14

- NO Ladies Bible Class - Resumes 3/21/23

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 15

- "Feeding the Flock" Fellowship Meal - 5:30 p.m.
- Lasagna - \$4 per person, up to \$16 per family
- Short Devotional - 6:30 p.m.
- Bible Class for all ages - 6:45 p.m.

THURSDAY - MARCH 16

- NO Men's Brown Bag - Resumes 3/23/23

FRIDAY - MARCH 17

- Family Game Night - 6 p.m. - Fellowship Area
- Bible Bowl group to Game Night @ Oldham Ln. 6pm

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

BIBLE BOWL/MATTHEW STUDY

- *March 17th - Game Night @ Oldham Lane (6 pm - midnight @ Oldham Ln)
- *March 25th - Competition @ Hillcrest 9am - 2pm
- *Trip - March 31st - April 2nd - Camp Bandina (Call Toni for details ASAP)

COMMUNION TO THE SHUT-INS

Sunday, March 19, 2023 (NEW DATE)

LTC - DALLAS AREA

April 7-8, 2023

WRYC REGISTRATION

whiteriveryouthcamp.com

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

SHEPHERDING GROUPS

Sunday, March 26, 2023

REDEEMING THE TEARS

Saturday, April 8, 2023
10 a.m. - Fellowship Area

SENIORS IN MOTION MEAL/GAMES

Monday, April 10, 2023
11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - Fellowship Area

4TH ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF

Saturday, April 15, 2023
4 p.m. - Fellowship Area
Sign-up sheets in Auditorium

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
6:30 p.m. - Short Devotional
6:45 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

2023 SPRING ADULT CLASSES

Sunday - the Book of Psalms

Wednesday - Prayer

Starts April 2nd

36th RED RIVER FAMILY ENCAMPMENT

June 24-27, 2023

Speakers include: Wes McAdams, Chris McCurley

Register: rrfe.org/registration

BAPTISMS

Darla Smith - 02/26/23

Matthew Holveck - 03/01/23

Welcome to the BHCC Family

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

Jan Bower - Neurosurgery - 03/17/23
Terry McGaha - Biopsy - 03/14/23
Janet Smith - Cataract surgery - 03/14/23

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Yazmina Cormier - Health concerns
*(Wife of Friend of **Stuart Tiner**)*
 Abby Martin - Leukemia treatments
*(Great-niece of **Philip & Carolyn Madeley**)*
 Martha Watson - COVID, Houston
*(Sister-in-Law of **Suzanne Dennis**)*

SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF

Kristi White - 02/26/23, Lubbock
*(Co-Worker of **Kassie Smith**)*
 Viola Grant - Atlanta, GA
*(Sister of **Roberta Guthrie**)*

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Pauline Baskett
 Phyllis Bonner
 Billie Brown
 Janet Bruns
 Johnnie Feaster
 Jim & Connye Hays
 Curtis Johnson
 Leroy and Mary Mason
 Perry & Shirley Neely
 Jo Potter
 Frances Pruett
 Melinda Simmons
 Laveta Youngquist

CANCER FIGHTERS

Paola Abdullah
 Judy Clifton
 Jena Madeley
 Lewis Maness
 Jesse Thomas
 Minnie Woody

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

NEXT PANTRY PALS SUNDAY April 2, 2023

Baked beans, Green
 beans, Pinto beans,
 Ranch-style beans,
 Beef stew, Catsup,
 Hot dogs, Cereal,

Chicken noodle soup,
 Tomato soup, Relish
 (sweet & dill), Spam,
 Sugar, Ground beef,
 Vienna sausages,
 saltine crackers,
 Hamburger Helper,
 Spaghetti noodles

GOOD MORNING

You might notice a few of us missing this Sunday. That is because the youth is on their annual spring break. This is our first year to go the National Park near Corpus Christi. As we were planning for this trip, we learned this is the place they release baby sea turtles after they hatch. This reminded me of an article written a few years ago.

Scientists had started noticing an increasing number of baby sea turtles dying after hatching on the beaches of Florida. They came up with the theory that it was light from the beach houses that was causing the baby turtles to die. You see, after the turtles hatch, scientists believe they use the light of the moon reflecting off the sea to find their way. If the light from the houses is too bright or too close, many times the turtles start heading inland instead of out to sea. Hatchlings that end up being misdirected die from attacks by predators, exhaustion, drying in the morning sun, or strikes by automobiles in nearby parking lots and roads. Now, many of the cities along known nesting grounds for sea turtles have laws regarding where and when you can have artificial light along the beaches. This happens because baby turtles follow artificial light instead of the real thing.

We, too, are guilty of following artificial light. As school starts back there are a lot of things that will be tempting to follow. We have to remember that we have one true light we are supposed to follow – that is the light of Jesus Christ – but there are many worldly things trying to pretend to be the one true light. How many people do you know that are trying to follow things like fame, success, love, friendships, or money in order to find safety and happiness. If we follow these false lights, we can find ourselves in spiritual danger. Thomas, when asking which way to go and what to follow, got this answer from Jesus in **John 14:6**,

Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

Just like they started doing for the sea turtle, we need to start turning off the artificial lights so we can see the one true light we are supposed to follow. Let us not be distracted by false lights and remember to keep the youth in your prayers as they start a new school year.

Luke Bower

BHCC Youth & Family Minister

OUR LEADERSHIP

MINISTERS

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

DEACONS

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
 Charles Goodnight

LAST WEEK

All numbers reflect
 In-Person attendance

Bible Class - 129

AM Assembly - 189

PM Total - 151

Assembly - 46

CBC/Other - 63

University Place - 42

Wednesday Devo - 110

Contribution - \$11,716

Weekly Goal - \$8,951