

The Family

Delbert Love had surgery on the 29th.

Johnie Lowrance broke a bone in her ankle while on vacation in Colorado.

Barbara Polk hasn't been feeling well and is having tests.

Jeanette Case is having trouble with her back.

Scott Thomas, the grandson of Charles and Colleen Guyer, is home.

Mike Clem, brother of Dolores Pence, will have surgery tomorrow at M. D. Anderson Hospital.

Marilyn Trader's brother had another back surgery and she will be going to see him in New York.

Jimmie Elkins is not eating or drinking.

Prayer List for those with on-going health problems:

Geneva Nicholson	Jennifer Polk
Edith Snell	Lexie Neeley
Charlotte Miller	Lance Stewart
James Roberson	Audry Williams
Ellen Martindale	Mildred Smith
James & Jean Harris	Randy Graves
Ray Burlingame	Lonnie Welch
Norma Fahnert	Melma Chandler
Lois Drown	Dorothy Holcomb
Mike Clem	George & Annie Kendall
Habbina Noland	Homer Jones
	Mary Lou Carter

Our Loved Ones in the Military

Logan Risley	Stephen Gamer
Tommy Dean Barber	Steve Delapena
Mark Duncan	Ryan Love
David Rose	Wesley Bradshaw
Isaiah Hardie	Clinton Petty
Jonathan Rickard	Kris Weaver
John M. Thomas	Stacy Gerber
Bill (Bubba) Warren	
John Breeding	

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

Sunday AM 8/1

Song Leader: Frank Bellizzi
Prayer: 1. Fred Ingram
 2. Darrel Garrison
Communion: Tony Dennis
 Oliver London
 Bill Warren
 Jeff Warren
 Alt: James Estes

Scripture Reading: Jonathon Bast

Preach: Dale Dennis

Announcements: James Estes

Sunday PM 8/1

Song Leader: Frank Bellizzi
Preach: Dale Dennis

Prayer: 1. Bill Leonard
Prayer: 2. James Pence
Communion: Bill Leonard

Announcements: James Estes

Communion to Shut-Ins: James Estes & Mike Foster

Coordinator : John Dannelley

Wednesday 8/4

Song Leader : David Bast
Lesson: Kenneth Moore
Prayers: 1. David Jones
 2. Roy Martindale

Announcements: James Estes

(These assignments can be seen on the Web-site)

Sunday AM 8/8

Frank Bellizzi
 Roy Martindale
 Mike Foster
 Jimmy Jurajda
 Jakoby Jurajda
 Kirk Jessup
 Fred Ingram
 James Estes

Carl Bean

Dale Dennis

James Estes

Sunday PM 8/8

Frank Bellizzi
 Dale Dennis

Jack Hall
 Kirk Jessup
 Carl Bean

James Estes

James Estes

Wednesday 8/11

Dewain Bilbrey
 Cecil Burch
 Bill Warren
 Darrel Garrison

James Estes

San Jacinto Family News

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Welcome!!

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guest. In order to acknowledge your visit, please fill out a registration card and pass it to either aisle. (Members: You need to sign your attendance card) The cards will be picked up from the aisles by two young men.

Sunday AM Bible Study	9:00am
Sunday AM Worship	10:00am
Sunday PM Worship	6:00pm
Wednesday Ladies Bible Study	10:00am
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00pm

If we can be of help to you in any way, please let us know.

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 Dewain Bilbrey
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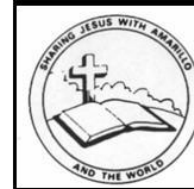
Minister:

Dale Dennis
 Amarillo College
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 Director:
 Frank Bellizzi

"In Search
 of the Lord's Way"
 Sundays 7:30 am
 KAMR Channel 4

"Key to the King-
 dom"
 Sundays
 8:00 am -on 10.2,
 Cable Channel 6

INSPIration Net-
 work, 12:00 am-
 Cable Channel 14



AM I GOOD ENOUGH?

An old story is told of three men who meet at the end of a dock on a Florida beach. One of the men is an alcoholic and homeless. The second man is just an average guy. The third man is a fine, honorable man, well respected in the community. Suddenly, the alcoholic runs and jumps off the dock, landing five feet out into the water. The other two men standing on the dock yell, "What are you trying to do?"

The man in the water yells back, "I'm trying to jump across the Atlantic Ocean!"

The second man, the average Joe, says, "Watch me, I can do better than that!" He quickly runs across the dock, jumps and lands ten feet out into the water, twice as far as the alcoholic.

The third man, the upstanding man, laughs and says, "That's nothing. Watch this!" He backs up about fifty feet and makes a mad dash across the dock out into the water and lands twenty feet out, twice as far as average Joe, and four times as far as the homeless alcoholic.

If we were to actually see such an attempt we would think these three men were crazy for trying to do the impossible—jump across the Atlantic Ocean! But people trying to earn their own salvation are even more foolish. God can't be approached by man on the basis of man's own moral goodness. Sometimes people are heard to say, "I'm a good person. Won't God accept me and take me to heaven?" This question shows a woeful lack of understanding of the grave nature of an individual's sin and the absolute holiness of God. If we were so good that we deserved heaven, salvation would be owed as a debt rather than something to be received as a gift of grace (cf. Rom. 11:6).

A truth made absolutely clear in the Bible is this: "No, God will not accept me because I am not a good person." Isaiah wrote, "But we are all as an unclean thing, and all our righteousnesses are as filthy rags; and we all do fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away" (Isaiah 64:6).

A person may look moral when compared with other people, but when compared with Christ, all people fall perilously short. This is why Paul states, "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Rom. 3:23). No matter how moral any person might be, he or she has fallen short of the perfect mark of God's righteousness. This is why in the next verse Paul declares that we have been "justified freely by his grace through the redemption

that is Christ Jesus" (Rom 3:24).

There are a lot of people who do good things for others and demonstrate a level of morality. However, there is a big difference between morality and righteousness. Righteousness is defined and revealed by our "righteous Father" in heaven, or seen in His Son "Jesus Christ the righteous" (John 17:25; 1 John 2:1; Heb. 4:15). To become righteous before God means that you are innocent or faultless in His sight. Such a person doesn't exist (cf. Rom. 3:10). The only way anyone can stand in the presence of a righteous God is to be forgiven and declared righteous by faith in God's work in Christ (Phil. 3:9). We are only accepted "in the beloved" because we believe and trust in the righteous work that He did (Eph. 1:6). When a person finally realizes this, he is on his way to realizing and receiving the free gift of God through Jesus Christ (Rom. 6:23).

Glad Tidings Good Things Howell Ferguson, Bells, TN

To our Christian Family at San Jacinto,
We appreciate your prayers and cards at this hard time for Cande and me. We love all of you and our Savior Jesus very much.

In Christian love,
Larry and Cande Moore

A lawyer and a senior citizen are sitting side by side on a long flight. The lawyer is thinking that seniors are dumb, and decides to play a trick on him. He asks him if he would like to play a fun game. The senior is tired and just wants to take a nap and declines. The lawyer persists and says that he will ask a question and if the senior doesn't know the answer he will pay \$5. "You ask me a question and if I can't answer it, I pay you \$500." This catches the senior's attention and to keep the lawyer quiet, he agrees to play the game. The lawyer's first question is, "What is the distance from the Earth to the Moon?" The senior doesn't say a word, but reaches into his pocket and pulls out \$5 and gives it to the lawyer. The senior asks this question, "What goes up a hill with three legs and comes down with four?" The lawyer uses his laptop and searches all the references he can find and emails all his smart friends to no avail. Finally, after about an hour, he gives up. He wakes the senior and hands him \$500. The senior pockets the money and goes right back to sleep. The lawyer is going nuts not knowing the answer to the question and wakes the senior. He asks, "Well, what goes up a hill with three legs and comes down with four?" The senior reaches into his pocket and hands the lawyer \$5 and goes back to sleep. Don't mess with Senior Citizens!!!!

Announcements

Today's greeters are Fred and Thelma Ingram. Next week, Bill and Brenda Warren will be the greeters.

Visitation Team One will need to see James and Martha Estes after evening services for their assignments.

The 26th annual "Change For Children" Campaign is underway at High Plains Children's Home. Please get a can and fill it with change. Contact Jimmy Jurajda for a can, or if you have any questions.

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Coming through the door after school one day, little Johnny hollers out, "Okay, everyone in the house, please stand advised that I, Johnny Elvis Smith, have on this date made a complete fool of myself by repeating stories concerning storks, as told to me by certain parties residing in this house!"

Grandpa to his teenaged granddaughter: "What did you learn in school today, Chrissy?" Chrissy: "I learned that those geometry problems you did were wrong!"

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\$5.00 fine for whining!

CONTACT ELDER FOR AUGUST

James Pence

If you have any questions about our church family or any work we are involved with or suggestions for improvement, give Jim a call.

OUR WEEKLY RECORD

Last Week	July 25, 2010	July Average
70	Bible Class	63
116	Morning Assembly	99
76	Evening Assembly	67
Adults (68) Kids (18)	Wednesday Night	78
N/C	Ladies Bible Class	N/C
\$5270	Offering	\$4636
Weekly Budget \$4406	—	Yearly Budget \$229,102