

The Family

Bailey Estes, granddaughter of James and Martha Estes, will be having a breast biopsy on Tuesday.

Kal Higgs is home now following knee replacement surgery on both of his knees.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Rexan Nordyke. She passed away on December 18th. Her services were held at San Jacinto on Tuesday.

Prayer List for those with on-going health problems:

Geneva Nicholson		Jennifer Polk
Edith Snell	Betty Barber	Delbert Love
Charlotte Miller		Charles Pergeson
Audry Williams	Dale Orr	Mildred Smith
Ellen Martindale		Barbara Polk
James & Jean Harris		Kathy Minier
Ray Burlingame	Loni Welch	Melma Chandler
Norma Fahmert		Dorothy Holcomb
Lois Drown	Jeanette Case	George & Annie Kendall
Mike Clem	Carl Bean	Joe Henrickson
Homer Jones		

Our Loved Ones in the Military

Logan Risley	
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 12/26

Song Leader: Frank Bellizzi
Prayer: 1. David Jones
 2. Fred Ingram
Communion: Mike Foster
 Tony Dennis
 Larry Moore
 Dewain Bilbrey
 Alt: Ray Burlingame

Scripture Reading: Toby Dennis

Preach: Dale Dennis

Announcements: James Estes

Sunday PM 12/26

Song Leader: Frank Bellizzi
Preach: Dale Dennis

Prayer: 1. Jack Hall
Prayer: 2. Mike Foster
Communion: David Jones

Announcements: James Estes

Communion to Shut-Ins: James Estes

Coordinator: Mike Foster

Wednesday 12/29

Song Leader: Fred Ingram
Lesson: Frank Bellizzi
Prayers: 1. Kirk Jessup
 2. Joe Hershey

Announcements: James Estes

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

Sunday AM 1/2

Frank Bellizzi
 Bill Warren
 Ray Burlingame
 Dewain Bilbrey
 H. D. Dyson
 Charles Guyer
 Tony Dennis
 Darrel Garrison

Tanner Dennis

Dale Dennis

James Estes

Sunday PM 1/2

Frank Bellizzi
 Dale Dennis

Roy Martindale
 Jeff Warren
 Darrel Garrison

James Estes

Darrel Garrison

Wednesday 1/5

Stan Keeney
 Frank Bellizzi
 Earl Joy
 Jack Hall

James Estes

San Jacinto Family News

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Welcome!!

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guest. So that we may 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.

SHEPHERDS:

Jack Hall
 Joe Hershey
 Kenneth Moore
 James Pence

Deacons:

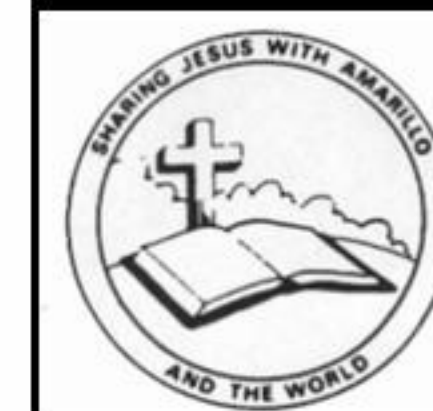
David Bast
 Dewain Bilbrey
 Jimmy Jurajda
 Bill Warren

Minister:

Dale Dennis
 Amarillo College
 Bible Chair
 Director:
 Frank Bellizzi

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

"Key to the
 Kingdom"
 Sundays
 8:00 am —on
 10.2, Cable Chan-
 nel 6
 INSPIration Net-
 work, 12:00 am—



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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Are You Covered?

On November 26, 2008, a gang of terrorists stormed the Taj Mahal Palace in Mumbai, India. After the carnage had left 200 people dead, a reporter interviewed a guest who had been at the hotel for dinner that night. The guest described how he and his friends were eating dinner when they heard gunshots. Someone grabbed him and pulled him under the table. The assassins came striding through the restaurant, shooting at will, until everyone (or so they thought) had been killed. Miraculously, this man survived. When the interviewer asked the guest how he lived when everyone else at this table had been killed, he replied, "I suppose because I was covered with someone else's blood, and they took me for dead."

In his book "Has Christianity Failed You?" Author Ravi Zacharias uses this story to illustrate the sufficiency of Christ's death for our sin: "This is the perfect metaphor of God's gift through Jesus Christ to each one of us. Because he paid the penalty for our sin—because we are covered in the blood of His sacrifice—we may have eternal life."

I love how looking at a modern day story can shed so much light on the sacrifice of Christ that took place over 2000 years ago. Christ shed His blood in order to be the sacrifice for us. The Israelites had to kill a lamb and cover their doorposts in Egypt with blood in order to have God's punishment and judgment pass over them. Christ did the same thing for us; as long as we have Christ's blood covering us, we will also surpass God's judgment and punishment. When we were lying under the table with nowhere else to turn, Christ's blood covered us so we could live. Are you covered in the

Winnsboro
Christ,
TX



"They're called 'cargo pants.' They're for carrying cargo ... like frogs and snakes and bugs."

blood of
Bulletin Digest
Tony Tucker,
church of
Winnsboro,

I want to thank you ladies for your encouraging cards while I was in the hospital in October. I hope you all have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—again thank you so much—I greatly appreciated your cards.

Ovella Post (Anna Kiser's daughter)

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,
We appreciate so very much all the effort you made to make the day of Arleta Dennis' funeral be a perfect day. Everything was nicer than needed because you are all as nice as can be.

Thanks so much. We love you all,
Dale & Elnora, Tony, Christine & Ashley

Anger

You can tell a lot about people by observing how often they get angry, the relative importance of the things they get angry about and how long they stay that way.

Of all the strong emotions, anger is probably the most common. Unfortunately, it's also the least useful. It can destroy families and friendships, create enemies, ruin health and happiness.

It seldom pays to get angry, for too often emotion blocks out logic. Things done in anger rarely make a good impression on anyone. All of us can look back on mistakes we've made in the heat of anger. Our close friends could probably point out a few more we've chosen to forget.

Anger is not always wrong, for Christ became angry on occasion. But we seldom have the control that Christ did. Anybody can become angry—that's easy; but to be angry with the right person, and to the right degree, and at the right time, and for the right purpose, and in the right way—that is not within everybody's power and is not easy.

Whenever you find yourself in an angry or critical mood, stop and find out why. Then figure out something constructive to do about it. But never, never stay angry—people who do are digging their own graves and choking their very souls.

The word "anger" is found 276 times in the Bible. It was found in the world's first family when Cain slew his brother, and it is found in every corner of the earth today. Anger boils like acid in many a heart. It causes otherwise reasonable people to commit atrocious acts for which they will never cease to pay. Listen to the Word of God: "*Do not be eager in your heart to be angry, for anger resides in the bosom of fools.*" (Ecc. 7:9) "*Be angry, and yet do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger.*" (Eph. 4:26).

Announcements

Today's greeters are David and Martha Jones. Next week, Bonnie Connally and Ladelle Dunaway will be the greeters.

Visitation Team 4 will not meet today.

There will be a New Year's Eve Party in the Family Center on Friday, December 31st, at 6:00. We are going to have nachos and whatever snacks you want to bring.

Westview Boy's home will be here on January 10th. There are sacks in the foyer with lists of items they requested.

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People Like You (Joanna Fuchs)
A brand new year!
A clean slate on which to write
Our hopes and dreams.
This year:
Less time and energy on things;
More time and energy on people.
All of life's best rewards,
Deepest and finest feelings,
Greatest satisfactions,
Come from people—

CONTACT ELDER FOR DECEMBER 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	December 19, 2010	November Average
56	Bible Class	65
101	Morning Assembly	90
56	Evening Assembly	58
Adults (45) Kids(6)	Wednesday Night	79
N/C	Ladies Bible Class	15
\$4648	Offering	\$3774
Weekly Budget \$4406	—	Yearly Budget \$229,102