

The Family

Carl Bean's hand is better. He will have more surgeries on his hand.

Annie Kendall's daughter, Linda, had a heart attack. She is in The Heart Hospital at NPTH. Annie said that she is still in an induced coma.

Nancy Thompson, granddaughter of Annetta Tucker, will have knee surgery on November the 3rd.

When asked why he didn't remember a picture he had drawn, my 7-year-old great-grandson, Ashton, said, "I just don't have a good memory card."

My 6-year-old grandson, Condredge, was attending a concert with his mother and me. At the beginning of the concert a cell phone rang. His mother said, "Someone forgot to turn off her cell phone." Shortly afterward, a baby began to cry. Condredge said, "Someone forgot to turn off her baby."

Prayer List for those with on-going health problems:

Geneva Nicholson	Jennifer Polk
Edith Snell	Lexie Neeley
Charlotte Miller	Lance Stewart
Audry Williams	Charles Pergeson
Ellen Martindale	Mildred Smith
James & Jean Harris	Randy Graves
Ray Burlingame	Lonnie Welch
Norma Fahnert	Barbara Polk
Lois Drown	Delbert Love
Mike Clem	Jeanette Case
Homer Jones	Rexan Nordyke
	George & Annie Kendall
	Joe Henrickson
	Mary Lou Carter

Our Loved Ones in the Military

Logan Risley	Stephen Garner
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 10/31

Song Leader: Frank Bellizzi
Prayer: 1. Stan Keeney
 2. Roy Martindale
Communion: Earl Joy
 Bill Warren
 Fred Ingram
 Jack Hall
 Alt: James Estes

Scripture Reading: Tanner Dennis

Preach: Bret McCasland

Announcements: James Estes

Sunday PM 10/31

Song Leader: Frank Bellizzi
Preach: Bret McCasland
Prayer: 1. Mike Foster
Prayer: 2. Roy Kiser
Communion: James Pence

Announcements: James Estes

Communion to Shut-Ins: James Estes & Frank Bellizzi

Coordinator : Kenneth Moore

Wednesday 11/3

Song Leader : David Bast
Lesson: Frank Bellizzi
Prayers: 1. Bill Leonard
 2. Earl Joy

Announcements: James Estes

Sunday AM 11/7

Frank Bellizzi
 Carl Bean
 Roy Martindale
 Bill Warren
 Dewain Bilbrey
 Roy Martindale
 Toby Dennis
 Phillip Carter

Kirk Jessup

Dale Dennis

James Estes

Sunday PM 11/7

Frank Bellizzi
 Dale Dennis
 Mike Foster
 Darrel Garrison
 Earl Joy

James Estes

Bill Warren

Wednesday 11/10

David Jones
 Frank Bellizzi
 Kirk Jessup
 David Bast

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.

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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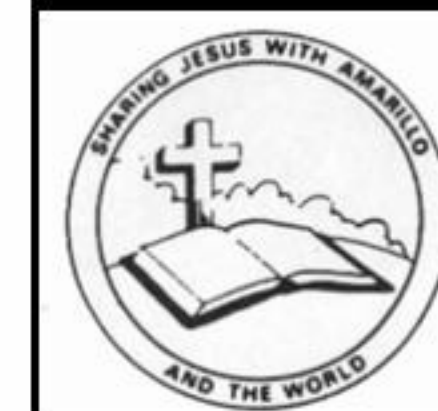
SHEPHERDS:
 Jack Hall
 Joe Hershey
 Kenneth Moore
 James Pence

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 King-
 dom"
 Sundays
 8:00 am —on
 10.2, Cable Chan-
 nel 6
 INSPIration Net-
 work, 12:00 am—
 Cable Channel 14



I Would Kill to Play Sports

Most of you know I love sports. I played sports in high school and was fortunate to play baseball at Freed-Hardeman. I still love to play basketball and other sports even to this day (though my recovery time is lengthening!). I have a profound appreciation for those who are able to play sports at the major college and professional levels. One thing that frustrates (and sometime angers) me is to see people waste their abilities. It disturbs me to see talented people throw away their opportunities because of bad decision making. I've even been known to say, "He's throwing away an opportunity that I would've killed for when I was young." Of course, I'm using hyperbole to describe my frustration.

We've seen what some people will do to play sports. Some take performance enhancing drugs or cheat in other ways; some try to handicap their competitors. In 1994 figure skater Tonya Harding became the most famous of these when she had her ex-husband try to break fellow skater Nancy Kerrigan's legs. In 2006, the back-up punter for Northern Colorado was sentenced to seven years in prison for stabbing the starting punter in the leg in an attempt to disable him. The stories get worse.

Recently while watching an episode of ESPN's "Outside the Lines," I heard a story that absolutely floored me. The NCAA was reviewing its rules concerning the revocation of scholarships for female athletes who get pregnant. Why? Because on Mother's Day 2007 ESPN reported that seven women on Clemson's Track and Field team admitted to having abortions in order to keep their scholarships. One woman admitted having two abortions during her time at Clemson, and claimed one of Clemson's administrators encouraged her to have an abortion. Here is her comment: "How could this happen?" she asked ESPN, "My career was going to end. I'm not going to go the Olympics or get to finish my four years. I was just like, 'This is a dead-end road. You're not going anywhere else.'"

It should be noted that in the wake of these revelations, Clemson changed their revocation policy.

Romans 1:28-32 speaks of those who, because they did not retain God in their knowledge, were given over to a reprobate mind (one void of proper judgment) to do things that ought not be done. One of these manifestations is "without natural affection." Now, if someone can explain to me how a mother can possess natural affection and yet kill her baby so she can play sports or go to the Olympics, I'll be intrigued to hear your explanation.

Incidentally, January 22 marked the thirty-fifth anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court's decision to make the womb the most dangerous place in America. As we enter this election season, Christians should support candidates whose positions on social issues reflect those found in the Scriptures.

GLAD TIDINGS GOOD THINGS

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What Happens Next

A little notice posted on the front of a store in Nottingham, England read: *"We've been established for over a hundred years and have been pleasing and displeasing customers ever since. We've made money and lost money. We have suffered the effects of nationalization, coal rationing, government control and bad payers. We've been cussed and discussed, lied to, held up, robbed and swindled. The only reason we stay in business is to see what happens next."*

We cannot always anticipate what happens next in life, but as Christians we know we can deal with whatever happens. As Paul says, "For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain. But if I live in the flesh, this is the fruit of my labor: yet what I shall choose, I do not know...Nevertheless to abide in the flesh is more needful for you" (Philippians 1:21-22, 24). Isn't Paul's outlook on life wonderful? To believe with all of your heart that you are ready for eternity right now, but knowing that right now God has something great to accomplish through your life—to use you in some way for what happens next.

—Jason Hart

While out with his parents, an acquaintance asked our 9-year-old grandson his name. "Samuel," he replied. The man then remarked, "What a good Old Testament name! Are you a priest or a prophet?" Samuel stood taller and answered, "I'm a Baptist!"

While talking to my wife about a business deal I was working on, I pointed out that it was all but settled, adding, "The handwriting is on the wall." Our 6-year-old grandson, Seth, overheard my remark and chimed in, "But Grandpa, I didn't have anything to do with it!"

My great-granddaughter, Makayla, was trying to think of a word but it just wouldn't come to her. "Grandma," she explained, "my brain went out to lunch, and it hasn't come back yet."

At bedtime, my 4-year-old granddaughter, Kate, announced to her mother and me, "I was a bad girl today." We asked, "And why was that?" She said, "If you are good and do what you're told all the time, that's no fun!"

Announcements

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

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Joy
Request the Honour of Your Presence
At the Marriage of their daughter
Kalee Diane Joy
To
Brent Thomas George
Son of
Mr. and Mrs. Tom George
Saturday, the sixth of November
Six o'clock in the evening
Hillside Christian Church
6100 Soncy
Amarillo, TX
Reception immediately following

CONTACT ELDER FOR OCTOBER

Joe Hershey

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

OUR WEEKLY RECORD

Last Week	October 24, 2010	September Average
60	Bible Class	62
83	Morning Assembly	97
65	Evening Assembly	60
Adults (35)	Wednesday Night	97
Kids (100)	Ladies Bible Class	18
15	Offering	\$3801
\$3609	Weekly Budget \$4406	Yearly Budget \$229,102