

Prayer Concerns

~**Steve Smith** was able to go home from rehab on Wednesday. Please continue to pray for a full recovery from shoulder replacement surgery.

~Please remember **Chester Lynd's** son Curtis in your prayers. He was diagnosed with cancer. Doctors are trying to determine if chemotherapy can be used to treat it.

~Please lift up **Eric Robinson** in your prayers.

~Don't forget to pray for our high school graduates: **Reese MacDonald, Percaya Langston, and Wyatt DeFoore.**

~Jim Prather, father of **Shelley Doremus**, is back at home and using oxygen as needed for congestive heart disease. Continued prayers for him.

~**Clarissa Pyeatt's** mom's husband, Ervin Spain, is in hospice care. Please pray for peace and comfort at this time.

Happy Birthday:

June 1: Isaac Espinoza

June 3: Nell Hopper



Happy Anniversary:

May 28: Troy & Misty Tom

June 2: Kile & Lettie Morrow,

John & Bethany Powell,

David & Kari White

Our Calendar:

May 29: Memorial Day

May 30: Youth Group Lake Day

May 31: Children's root beer float party, VBS help needed after class

June 4 – 7: VBS

Children's Ministry News

- In the series of Epic Lessons of the Bible, children have studied the fruit of the Spirit, the Lord's Prayer, and will begin a study on the Ten Commandments today. The lesson can be found in Exodus 20 and Acts 17:16-34. God begins His Ten Commandments by saying not to have any other god but Him. In Acts, Paul visits Athens and sees the people have so many gods that they can barely keep them straight! Paul uses their religious ways as a chance to tell them about the only true God.
- New Summary Verse: "Jesus replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.'" (Matthew 22:37)
- Eric Gumm has agreed to teach the Boys Leadership class on Wednesday evenings this summer. The class will begin on **June 21** and will include 1st – 5th grade boys. The group will lead worship in late August. Many thanks to Eric and his helpers for their willingness to promote leadership skills to benefit the future church.
- Thank you to Kami, Emory, and helpers for teaching on Wednesday evening. They reviewed the Lord's Prayer with a discussion on the importance of a clean heart.
- Many thanks to Laura for using art experiences to teach Bible truths the last 3 Wednesdays. Her classes were memorable and enjoyed by all.



Youth students enjoying their last Wednesday night class before school is out!

Youth Ministry News

Join us on **Sundays at 9 a.m. and Wednesdays at 6:45 p.m.** for class.

Join us on **Tuesday** for our first Lake Day of the summer! We will leave from Westgate at **8 a.m.** and return around **5 p.m.** Please make sure you bring a lunch, water, and sunscreen!

We will be meeting for class in the fellowship hall **this Wednesday night** to get ready for VBS and have root beer floats!

Get ready to help with VBS! The youth group will help teach kids about Daniel's courage in the Bible **June 4th-7th.**

Please pray for all our students to have a great and formative summer!

Offering

May 21:

Contribution: \$2,372.13

eGive: \$3,110.00

Total: \$5,482.13

Budget: **\$6,341.00**

Be A Blessing: \$13.07

Lead Minister: Brady Horner (325-260-1903)

Youth Minister: Clay Howell (615-879-0983)

Children's Education Coordinator: Jackie Lee (325-518-4767)

Elders: Randy Bibb, Jim MacDonald, **Steve Stovall**, Troy Tom

Deacons: Manny Carneiro, Jon Cogburn, Eric Gumm, Adam Lott, **Chris Meeks**, Matt Waldrip

Nursery Duty:

Becki & Kipley Sutton

Building Lockup:

May: Matt Waldrip

June: Manny Carneiro

Westgate Church of Christ

Sermon Title: He who is forgiven little, loves little

Scripture: Luke 7: 36-39

When one of the Pharisees invited Jesus to have dinner with him, he went to the Pharisee's house and reclined at the table. A woman in that town who lived a sinful life learned that Jesus was eating at the Pharisee's house, so she came there with an alabaster jar of perfume. As she stood behind him at his feet weeping, she began to wet his feet with her tears. Then she wiped them with her hair, kissed them and poured perfume on them. When the Pharisee who had invited him saw this, he said to himself, "If this man were a prophet, he would know who is touching him and what kind of woman she is—that she is a sinner."

Wednesday Night Happenings

This Wednesday, May 31, the kids in the children's ministry and the youth group will celebrate the end of school with root beer floats. Those in this age group will meet in the fellowship hall at **6:45 p.m.** Brady's adult Bible class will be held in the auditorium at that time. After class, we will transition into a VBS worknight. Volunteers are needed to help put away tables and chairs and to set up the canopies. Not able to move tables? No worries, we have cardboard blocks that need to be folded together and props to assemble. All willing hands are appreciated and may be rewarded with a yummy float.



Next Sunday

On **Sunday, June 4**, we will start the morning with CJ Chaney teaching a combined adult Bible class in the auditorium. We will also welcome a special guest speaker for our worship service, Dr. Wes Crawford. Dr. Crawford is a brilliant and thoughtful professor, and has also served many years in successful church ministry. Hope you can make it!

VBS June 4 – 7

It's almost go time! Next **Sunday, June 4**, will be the start of Vacation Bible School for children ages 4 through 5th grade. The times for VBS are **Sunday (June 4) 9 – 9:45 a.m. and Monday – Wednesday (June 5 – 7) 6 – 7:30 p.m.** Remember you can invite a friend or neighbor to this fun event! If you are loaning items to use for VBS (baskets, sheets, artificial plants, etc.) and forgot to bring them today, please be sure to bring them **Wednesday night, May 31**.



VBS Workday June 4 @ 4

Come one, come all to the VBS Workday at **4:00 p.m. next Sunday!** Lots of final preparations will be needed to transform the fellowship hall into Babylon. The youth group is also encouraged to come volunteer. Thanks for the support from everyone; your investment in Westgate kids does not go unnoticed.

This Memorial Day, we remember those servicemen and women who courageously gave their lives.
"Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends." (John 15:13)