



# TWELCOME TO NORTH MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

THANKS FOR COMING .....WE ARE GLAD YOU CAME

**October 4, 2020**

PULPIT MINISTER.....GREG SURLES.....817-658-9115

**If anyone desires to be baptized or to worship and serve under the oversight of the elders at North Main church of Christ, please contact one of the elders.**

**OCTOBER ELDER ON CALL .....RON JOSSELET**  
**OCTOBER SECURING BLDG.....SECURITY TEAM**  
**OCTOBER DEACONS ON CALL .....BOBBY GENTRY & RICHARD ZAMARRON**

**OUR ELDERS:**

- David Andrews.....817-771-1984
- Ron Josselet.....817-908-1204
- Steve Veazey.....940-452-5690
- Robert Wheeler.....940-468-9590

**REMEMBER:**

10-07- WEDNESDAY LBC 10:00 & BIBLE MARKING 11:30  
 10-07- WEDNESDAY MID WEEK 7:00 SPEAKER IS MIKE PATRICK  
 10-11- MISSIONS MEETING @ NOON BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH

**PLEASE DO NOT FORGET:**

The Elders have asked that those that are worshipping from home please send your contributions to KELLY HILL AT 139 HACKBERRY POINTE DR, BROCK, TX 76087 OR NORTH MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1302 NORTH MAIN ST, WEATHERFORD, TX 76086, or you can put them in Kelly's mail box here at the building.

**THE OCTOBER CALENDARS AND PRAYER LIST ARE IN EACH FOYER, PLEASE PICK THEM UP TODAY.**



**MISSION MEETING & INTERNET TRAINING CLASS — THERE WILL BE A MISSION MEETING & WORLD BIBLE SCHOOL INTERNET TRAINING CLASS ON SUNDAY OCTOBER 25 RIGHT AFTER AM WORSHIP. PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH AND IF YOU ARE STAYING FOR THE INTERNET TRINING CLASS @ 1:00 YOU WILL NEED TO BRING YOUR COMPUTER/LAPTOP. THERE IS A SIGN UP SHEET IN THE FOYER AND FOR MORE INFO SEE SANDRA SMITH. THIS CLASS WILL BE TAUGHT BY BILL CALDWELL FROM WBS.**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY AND/OR HAPPY ANNIVERSARY FOR  
OCTOBER 2020**

- 10-07- O. A. CLARK
- 10-08- BRADEN PITCHFORD
- 10-08- MATTIEMAE CRAIG



## GOD'S GRACE, DELIVERANCE, AND PRESENCE

Psalm 23 is surely the most identifiable song in the Psalter. Most people growing up in a Judeo-Christian religious context know these words by heart or are at least familiar with them. In my experience, they are now usually confined to memorials and funerals.

I have found myself contemplating, "What do you say about a passage that most people have heard lessons or read articles about many times over?" So, my intent here is to trace the flow of the poem and give each stanza a heading. Then, point some things out to help us as we meditate on the psalm throughout the week.

In verses 1-3, God's grace is demonstrated in a beautiful metaphor. Of grammatical import, notice that Yahweh (the LORD) is the subject of the verbs in this section. These actions on behalf of his sheep are an outpouring of God's grace. Also, the favor shown and given to the sheep is not due to their deserving it, but for his name's sake (3).

Verse 4 shows God's deliverance. Note that the subject of the verbs changes to the psalmist, David. Even though God richly blesses us, humans don't always go down the path representative of God's will. Because of selfish choices, we may find ourselves in a place of deep darkness. Though we may turn away from God, he never gives up on us. Like David, if I will turn back to God, acknowledge my shortcomings, and fully trust in him, he will deliver me through the trials and consequences I face.

Verses 5-6 show the blessings of being in God's presence. Again, notice that God is once again the subject of the verbs in verse 5. When my loyalty and allegiance are to the LORD, enemies are no longer a threat. My relationship to God along with his grace and deliverance overpower anything else.

Greg Surles



## Our PRAYER REQUESTS

ALL SHUT INS — ALL MISSIONARIES — OUR ELDERS - DEACONS – MINISTER - OUR MEMBERS & OUR NATION — & ALL THOSE WORKING IN FIELDS THAT ARE EXPOSED TO COVID — 19 ON A DAILY BASIS.

ALBERT BOOZER — SOME IMPROVED  
 VICKI WHEELER — PET SCAN ON 9-21 — RESULTS SOON  
 LINDA HENDERSON — HAVING TESTS  
 JOHN MIZE — SON TO DANA MIZE ICU 9-13 W'FORD  
 BECKY SMITH — SISTER TO LINDA HENDERSON IN REHAB  
 LEE & VERA SUE SHEPARD — PARENTS TO TIM SHEPARD

REMEMBER THE GOODIE BAGS FOR OUR COLLEGE KIDS AND BOXES FOR APPLE KIDS TOO.

### IN SEARCH OF THE LORD'S WAY TOPICS

- 10-11- JUST A CHRISTIAN
- 10-18- THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
- 10-25- MEMBERSHIP IN THE CHURCH

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR LIVE STREAMING

If you are interested in learning how to do the Live Streaming please see James Cotton or Ron Josselet.

DEMOLITION OF GARAGE Our garage will be demolished soon, so if there is anything in there we need to keep please take it out within in the next week, because what is left inside will be demolished along with the garage and taken away in a large dumpster. Please see David Andrews for more info.



**OUR SYMPATHY** — We send our love and prayers to Connie Neugent and family in the passing of her husband, Frank Dalton Neugent, 75 on Sunday September 27 after a bad fall & Covid-19 & hospital stay. His funeral service was held on Friday at 11:00 at Lacy Funeral Home in Stephenville, Texas with visitation on Thursday. Instead of a meal that was planned a gift card was sent to Connie as she will be moving to Stephenville soon.

**OUR LOVE AND PRAYERS ALSO FOR CHARLES REACH AND FAMILY** in the passing of his mother, Bonnie Reach on Tuesday September 29th after a long illness and stay in Hilltop Rehab. A Memorial is being planned for Bonnie for a later date by the family. Bonnie had been a member here at North Main for 7 years.

### RECORD OF OUR ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

9/27 CLASS.....49.....PLUS ON LINE  
 9/20 WORSHIP .....72.....PLUS ON LINE  
 WEDNESDAY MID WEEK 9/30.....33.....PLUS ON LINE  
 WEDNESDAY LBC 9/30.....6.....PLUS 0 ON LINE

OFFERING SEPTEMBER 27, 2020.....\$3,423.00

2020 WEEKLY BUDGET.....\$4,607.00

DON'T FORGET TO MAIL YOUR CONTRIBUTION  
 I Cor. 16:1-2



SUNDAY 9:30 AM.....BIBLE CLASSES FOR ALL AGES  
 SUNDAY 10:30 AM.....WORSHIP  
 WEDNESDAY 10:00 AM.....LADIES BIBLE CLASS  
 WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM.....LADIES BIBLE MARKING CLASS  
 WEDNESDAY 7:00 PM.....BIBLE CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

TO VIEW OUR SERVICES VIA LIVE STREAM, VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT [northmaincofc.com](http://northmaincofc.com). CLICK ON EVENTS AND SCROLL TO THE CALENDAR TO FIND THE DATE AND SERVICE YOU WANT. ALL LIVE STREAM EVENTS ARE RECORDED AND MAY BE VIEWED LATER. YOU MAY USE THIS LINK: <https://www.northmaincofc.com/events?view=calendar&month=06-2020>

OFFICE HOURS — MONDAY – THURSDAY 9:00 — 4:00  
 LUNCH 12:00-1:00  
 FRIDAY 9:00 – 12:00

GREG IS OFF ON FRIDAY & WANDA IS OFF ON MONDAY

**Missionaries & Mission Points**

- Royce Frederick — Andhra Pradesh, India
- George Funk — Gospel Chariot Missions
- William Tengani — Kwadwesi, RSA
- Greg Surles — Africa
- Trent Kennedy — Singapore
- Josh Richardson — Wisconsin
- Life Verlooy — Wisconsin
- World Bible School & Local
- Pajok South Sudan – Preacher Training
- Siguatpeque — Honduras Outreach
- Phanat Ouch — Cambodia
- Jesse Moser — Southwest School of Bible Studies
- Hannah Surles — Southwest School of Bible Studies



**OUR DEACONS**

- James Cotton.....COMPUTER & NETWORK / SAFETY / WEBSITE.....817-312-0444
- Matt Craig.....OUTREACH / SAFETY / WORSHIP ORDER.....817-565-3280
- Chase Gardner...BENEVOLENCE / YOUTH / WORSHIP ORDER.....817-528-9013
- Bobby Gentry.....AUDIO & VISUAL.....817-599-0930
- Kelly Hill.....TREASURER / FINANCES.....817-999-5277
- Eddie Marsh.....VISITATION / HOSPITALS/ SHUT-INS / WIDOWS.....903-450-6608
- Trey Pitchford.....MISSIONS / WORSHIP ORDER.....832-489-5612
- Richard Zamarron.....FACILITIES & GROUNDS.....817-822-3296

**REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS**

1. OPAL CARTER — W'FORD HEALTH CARE ROOM # 609
2. INA JEAN DAVIS — WEST FORK ASSISTED LIVING 980 HILLTOP DR. W'FORD ROOM # 166
3. VELLA BLADES — HER HOME
4. VELDA HODGE — HER HOME
5. HAZEL MCCRARY — THE OAKS OF GRANBURY ASSISTED LIVING ROOM # 127
6. CONNIE NEUGENT — HER HOME
7. LILA TALLEY — W'FORD HEALTH CARE ROOM #603-B
8. ZADA TILLMAN — HOLLAND LAKE NURSING HOME (W'FORD) ROOM # 100

PLEASE TAKE TIME TO SAY A PRAYER, CALL THEM, OR SEND A CARD.

**WORSHIP ORDER FOR 10-04-2020**

COORDINATOR.....RON JOSSELET  
 ANNOUNCEMENTS.....KELLY HILL  
 OPENING PRAYER.....KELLY HILL  
 SONG LEADER.....FRANK HUGHES  
 INTERNET VIDEO STREAMING.....JAMES COTTON  
 AUDIO- VISUAL.....MIKE PATRICK OR BOBBY GENTRY



1. DAVID ANDREWS.....PRAYER FOR THE BREAD
2. DAVID ANDREWS.....PRAYER FOR THE FRUIT OF THE VINE
3. STEVE VEAZEY.....PRAYER FOR THE OFFERING

PREACHING TODAY.....GREG SURLES

INVITATION / CLOSING PRAYER .....STEVE VEAZEY

VISITOR CARD HAND OUT — GREETERS

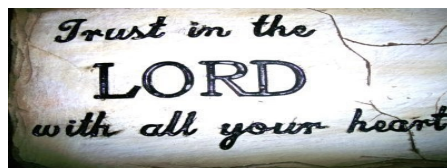
GREETERS : EAST DOOR — TREY & LACIE PITCHFORD  
 WEST DOOR — LINDA HENDERSON & SHARRON SIMPSON

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 7, 2020**

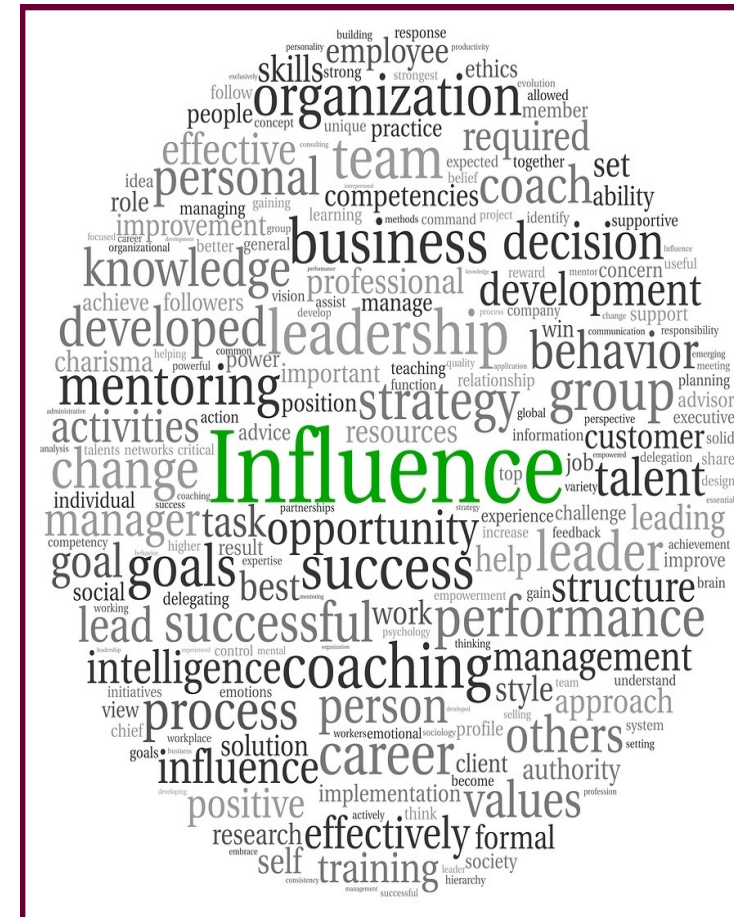
SONG LEADER.....GREG SURLES  
 OPENING PRAYER.....SCOTT BOWMAN  
 CLOSING PRAYER & DEVOTIONAL.....MIKE PATRICK  
 AUDITORIUM CLASS.....RON JOSSELET  
 AUDIO-VISUAL.....MIKE PATRICK OR BOBBY GENTRY  
 INTERNET VIDEO STRAMING.....JAMES COTTON

***Come, take the bread;  
 Come, drink the wine;  
 Come share the Lord***

**PRAY FOR OUR NATION TO HEAL**



**UPLIFT UPDATE** OCTOBER 4, 2020



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 IN SEARCH OF THE LORDS WAY DIRECT / DISH  
 7:30 A.M. CH 47 SUNDAY.....DISH  
 7:30 A.M. CH 27 SUNDAY.....DIRECT  
 ON SPECTRUM SUNDAY CH 7 @ 7:30 A.M.