

**WELCOME TO
NORTH MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST
THANKS FOR COMINGWE ARE GLAD YOU CAME
DECEMBER 13, 2020**

PULPIT MINISTER.....GREG SURLS.....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.

**DECEMBER ELDER ON CALLDAVID ANDREWS
DECEMBER SECURING BLDG.....SECURITY TEAM
DECEMBER DEACONS ON CALLJAMES COTTON & CHASE GARDNER**

OUR ELDERS:

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

REMEMBER:

- 12-13- CLASSES 9:30 & ON LINE
- 12-13- WORSHIP 10:30 & ON LINE
- 12-16- MID-WEEK 7:00
- 12-20- MISSIONS MEETING BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH
- 12-20- CLASSES 9:30 & ON LINE
- 12-20- WORSHIP 10:30 & ON LINE
- 12-23- MID-WEEK 7:00 NO POW
- 12-23- OFFICES CLOSED
- 12-24- OFFICES CLOSED
- 12-25- MERRY CHRISTMAS
- 12-27- CLASSES 9:30 & ON LINE
- 12-27- WORSHIP 10:30 & ON LINE

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.

CHRISTMAS CARD BAGS ARE READY TO BE FILLED

The Christmas card bags are in the MPB for cards only for our shut-ins. Please put a card in so they can be mailed or taken to them in a couple of weeks. There are 13 bags. Since some will have to be mailed be sure you only put in cards (No gifts or candy). Thank you to Payton Surles & Mattiema Craig for decorating the bags for us.

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

- 12-18- KARIN MALONE
- 12-18- CONNIE NEUGENT
- 12-22- DAVID & SHARLA ANDREWS
- 12-22- ELENOR GARDNER # 4
- 12-26- LARRY TEEL
- 12-27- CAROL BUCHANAN
- 12-29- ROBERT LEE



BLESSINGS OF FORGIVENESS

Guilt is a powerful thing. You may have done something that you knew was wrong, but nobody knew about it. So you keep it secret and hope no one finds out. You, however, know about it. It gnaws at your conscience. It consumes your thoughts. It wears you down. At this point, if you tell others, there will be all the guilt you have hidden to deal with along with the shame that comes from the cover-up being exposed.

David, a man after God's heart, made some pretty bad mistakes in his life. One of these is recorded in 2 Samuel 11. This is the story of David's sinning by taking Bathsheba who was the wife of another man. David saw her, desired her, and took her (after all, he was the king and kings can do and have anything or anyone they want). Nobody had to know, until she tells David she is pregnant and her husband had been away at war. David brings Uriah, her husband, home from battle hoping he would be with her a few nights and everyone would assume the child to be his.

Uriah doesn't go along with the plan, so David creates a new scenario in which Uriah ends up dying in battle. Now David thinks he is in the clear. After her period of mourning, he moves her to the palace and she becomes his wife. The baby is born, so it has been more than a year since this all started.

David is confronted with his sin by God through his prophet Nathan. David repents. We are certain that David wrote Psalm 51 after being confronted with his transgressions. Many also believe he wrote Psalm 32 at that time as well. This is the poem we want to consider here.

The psalm begins in the first two verses pronouncing the freedom that follows forgiveness. Sin puts one under bondage but forgiveness brings blessings and freedom. In verses 3-5, David describes the burden of guilt. Guilt is what makes the shackles of sin feel all the more heavy, especially when we are trying to hide it from everyone else.

Verses 6-10 show the conflict that may rage within the guilty person's mind. Do I repent and confess what I have done and trust that God will protect and deliver me, or do I keep it hidden and allow my heart to grow hard because of my stubbornness?

It may be hard - very hard - to admit that we are wrong. The shame might feel overwhelming. There will no doubt be consequences because of bad decisions. However, none of these things can outweigh the blessed freedom from sin and guilt that we can have when we are in a right relationship with the LORD.

Greg Surles

Our PRAYER REQUESTS

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

- VELLA BLADES — RETURNED BACK AT HER HOME 12-09
- RITA UNDERWOOD — BLISTER ON FOOT & DRAINING PROBLEMS
- BUCK JONES — THYROID TESTS SEEING A SPECIALIST 1-5
- BARBARA TRIGG — TEMPORAL ARTERY PROCEDURE 12-16
- ANN WILSON — HEALTH ISSUES
- BEVERLY DELANO — EYE INJECTION 12-16
- TOM BLACK — HAVING MANY TESTS
- RUTH WINSTEAD — HEALTH ISSUES
- ROCHELLE FORD — EYE SURGERY 12-17
- CAROL BUCHANAN — EYE SURGERY 1-06
- JOHN MIZE — V.A. HOSPITAL IN DALLAS 12-02
- CRYSTA SMITH — DAUGHTER TO CAROLYUN MCCARTY — BAD FALL
- BROWN TRAIL SCHOOL OF PREACHING
- THE OBED RODREGUEZ FAMILY IN THE PASSING OF OBED & VICTORIA
- FRANK ZAMARRON — BROTHER TO RICHARD — COVID-19
- CODY ZAMARRON — NEPHEW TO RICHARD — COVID-19

PLEASE ALSO CHECK THE DECEMBER PRAYER LIST

CHECK OUT THE NEW WORK ROOM.....
IT HAS BEEN PAINTED AND NEW CARPET INSTALLED.

SYMPATHY — We send our love and prayers to Janice Savage in the passing of her Uncle Ed Womack and his daughter, Sandra Kay last week due to Covid-19 and other health issues.

PRAYERS FOR: We send our love and prayers to Crysta Smith, daughter to Carolyn McCarty. Crysta was helping Carolyn get holiday things out of her attic when she fell through the ceiling and landed on the concrete in the garage. She was to come home from the hospital on Monday 12-7 but has a long road ahead of her to recover from the fall.

THE LADIES CHRISTMAS PARTY WAS CANCELLED DUE TO COVIS-19 GETTING WORSE.

REMEMBERING THOSE WE LOST IN 2020

- FRED BUCHANAN
- MIKE WILSON
- JOHN DAVIS
- BILLIE BERRY
- MARGIE BRANCH
- MARY GRAY
- RUSTY BLADES
- FRANK NEUGENT
- BONNIE REACH
- ZADA TILLMAN



LADIES BIBLE CLASS WILL RESUME JANUARY 13, 2021

RECORD OF OUR ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

12-06 CLASS.....38..... PLUS ON LINE
12-06 WORSHIP54..... PLUS ON LINE
WEDNESDAY MID WEEK 12/09.....27..... PLUS ON LINE
WEDNESDAY LBC 12/09.....7..... PLUS 4 ON LINE

OFFERING DECEMBER-06 2020.....\$2,776.00

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

DON'T FORGET TO MAIL YOUR CONTRIBUTION IN
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. 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
 Siguatepeque — 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 # 609 521 W. 7TH STREET 76086
2. CARMALETTA COLLINS — 1238 NEW CASTLE DR. W'FORD 76086
3. INA JEAN DAVIS — GRAND BROOK MEMORY CARE — #106 @ 2501 HERITAGE AVE. GRAPE-VINE, TEXAS 76051
4. VELLA BLADES — 2024 TIN TOP ROAD # 903 W'FORD 76086
5. VELDA HODGE — 2024 TIN TOP ROAD # 1401 W'FORD 76086
6. LAVERNE JUSTICE — 1223 E. BANKHEAD — WEATHERFORD, TEXAS 76086
7. HAZEL MCCRARY — THE OAKS OF GRANBURY ASSISTED LIVING ROOM # 127
8. CONNIE NEUGENT — 1020 N. CHARLOTTE AVE. STEPHENVILLE, TX. 76401
9. LILA TALLEY — W'FORD HEALTH CARE ROOM #603-B 521 W. 7TH STREET 76086
10. RUTH WINSTEAD — 1207 ANN STREET — WEATHERFORD, TEXAS 76086

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

WORSHIP ORDER FOR 12-13-2020

COORDINATOR.....RON JOSSELET
 ANNOUNCEMENTS.....TREY PITCHFORD
 OPENING PRAYER.....TREY PITCHFORD
 SONG LEADER.....RON JOSSELET
 INTERNET VIDEO STREAMING.....TBD
 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 — TOM & SUSAN BLACK
 WEST DOOR — LORI & KELLY HILL

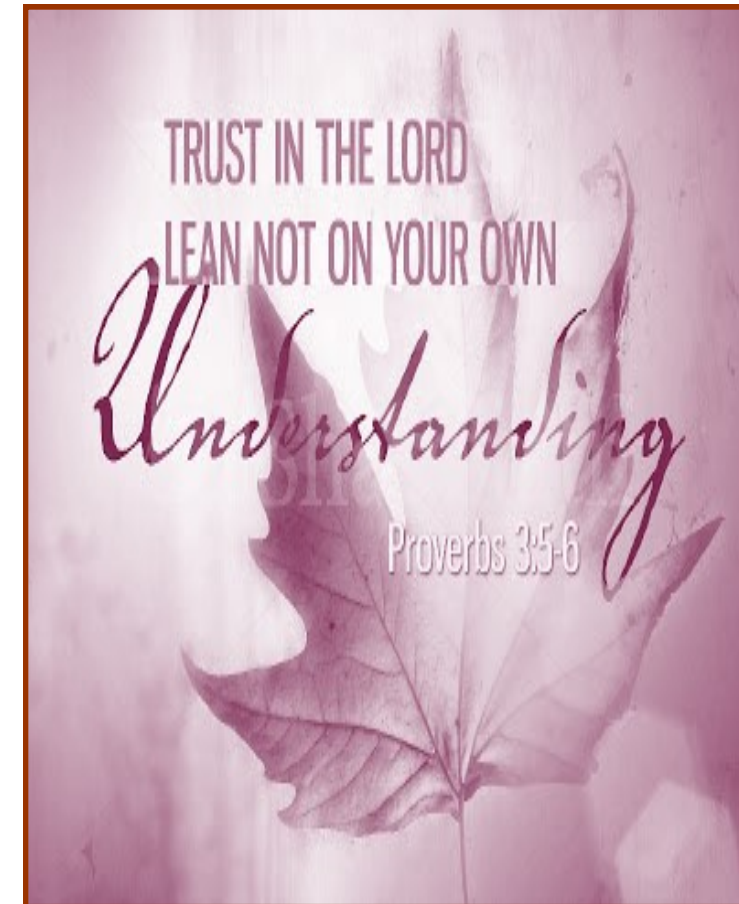
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 16, 2020

SONG LEADER.....GREG SURLES
 OPENING PRAYER.....MATT CRAIG
 DEVOTIONAL.....MIKE PATRICK
 CLOSING PRAYER.....MIKE PATRICK

PRAY FOR OUR NATION TO HEAL



UPLIFT UPDATE DECEMBER 13, 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.