

WELCOME TO NORTH MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

WE ARE GLAD YOU CAME
AUGUST 9, 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.

AUGUST ELDER ON CALLDAVID ANDREWS
AUGUST SECURING BLDGSECURITY TEAM
AUGUST DEACONS ON CALLCHASE GARDNER & JAMES COTTON

OUR ELDERS:

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

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET:

THE ELDERS HAVE ASKED THAT THOSE WHO ARE WORSHIPPING FROM HOME, PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO EITHER KELLY HILL AT 139 HACKBERRY POINTE DR, BROCK, TX 76087 OR NORTH MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1302 NORTH MAIN ST, WEATHERFORD, TX 76086, OR IF YOU HAVE A KEY, YOU MAY PUT IT IN KELLY'S MAIL BOX.

WEDNESDAY SUMMER SERIES SPEAKERS & TOPICS

- 8-12- STEVE VEAZEY — THE PHARISEE & PUBLICAN
- 8-19- MIKE PATRICK — THE FAITHFUL SERVANT & FOOLISH VIRGINS
- 8-26- MATT CRAIG — THE TALENTS

LADIES BIBLE CLASS — Remember LBC on Wednesday at 10:00 at the building and Bible marking at 11:30 and for those that can not attend use Zoom.



REMEMBER YOUR CALL LIST — PLEASE CONTINUE CALLING OUR MEMBERS EACH WEEK TO SEE ABOUT THEIR NEEDS. LISTS ARE IN THE MAIL BOX OF GREG SURLS. (BY HIS OFFICE) OR SEE DENISE SURLS

LADIES MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR A THURSDAY EVENING LBC

Adult ladies will be meeting on Thursday evening August 20th at 7:00 in the MPB for a ladies class taught by Deb Stidolph.

THE ELDERS ANNOUNCEMENT — On September 6th we will start having classes again depending on how the Covid-19 is at that time. There will still be NO first Sunday meals.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY AND/OR HAPPY ANNIVERSARY FOR AUGUST 2020

- 8-11- HAZLE MCCRARY
- 8-11- JANICE SAVAGE
- 8-12- RICHARD ZAMARRON
- 8-12- ROB STIDOLPH
- 8-14- MIKE PATRICK
- 8-14- BOBBY & RUGENE GENTRY
- 8-15- SHARLA ANDREWS



THE LORD'S POWER AND PROTECTION

In our two previous articles, we have looked at the beginning verses of Psalm 18. My hope for these articles is that you will not just read them (for they are so limited and poor compared to the fullness and richness of the holy scriptures themselves), but that they may simply provide a basic framework to help us begin to construct our own thoughtful understanding of these ancient songs and poems.

Along with this, I hope that you are spending as much time as possible with the psalms - reading and re-reading and meditating upon them. As with really good modern poetry, the simple message of the arranged words are just the beginning, the surface. Only after time, thoughtful consideration, intellectual, and even emotional digging, do we begin to peel away the layers and see the deeper meanings underlying the mere words.

Now, continuing on into Psalm 18, I would like to focus on verses 6-19. There is not enough space here to put the text so please refer back to the first two paragraphs. In this section, we see the LORD's power and protection. Throughout history, I imagine, people have wondered if anyone hears their cries of distress. "Is there anybody listening," has been a question humans have asked at various times and in many different cultures. Then, one might ponder, if anyone hears, what can they do about it?

The basic framework (aka outline) that I see in this section is: (6) the LORD does hear and (7-19) when he takes action, there is nothing or no one that can compare to him. This second subsection describes in vivid poetic imagery that: (7-9) if the earth itself trembles, how do the enemies of God stand a chance; (10-15) the LORD is more swift and powerful than any army or nation, and nothing can withstand him; and (16-19) there will be things that are too strong for me to deal with on my own, and there will be enemies that I cannot overcome without help, but God is able to deliver me when I turn to him.

What are some take-aways? We should pray all the time and not just when we are in trouble, but on the flip side of that, we should pray especially when we are distressed. God will hear our cry. We should remember that nothing in the world can stop God's will from being accomplished. He delights in his faithful children.

So I should ask myself, do I delight in him? Have I put my trust in him? Does he have my undivided allegiance? Why would I put any hope in anyone or anything other than the Almighty?

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.

VELLA BLADES — WITH OUR LOVE AND PRAYERS IN HER LOSS
O. A. CLARK — EAR CANCER SURGERY 8/20 & 8/21 — W'FORD
LINDA HENDERSON — ATTENDING TO PAIN ISSUES
INA DAVIS — NOW IN ASSISTED LIVING (817) 609-4136
RUGENE GENTRY — RECOVERING FROM ANKLE SURGERY
BRENDA BACCUS — SISTER TO RON JOSSELET — CHEMO TREATMENTS
DUREA MIZE — D-N-L TO DANA MIZE HIP REPLACEMENT SURGERY 7-27
BRENDA SNODGRASS — DAUGHTER TO LINDA HENDERSON — BROKEN ANKLE & UPCOMING SURGERY
JANE WESTBROOK — FRIEND TO LOUISE JONES — LUNG REMOVAL
LOYE NELL GAGE — GRAND MOTHER TO LORI HILL — SANTA FE REHAB WITH MULTIPLE PELVIC FRATURURES AFTER A FALL

◆ PLEASE CHECK YOUR AUGUST PRAYER LIST FOR MORE NAMES

WHITE HARVEST IS ON ITS WAY

Only three months until our White Harvest Mission Sunday. Be saving those coins and planning on what you can give toward our Mission Sunday November 1, 2020. It will be here before you know it. Let's fill that wheelbarrow.



THANK YOU — I want to thank everyone for the prayers, calls and texts. I am blessed to have such a loving church family. God bless each of you.
Love, *Debbie Bramlett*



Deb Stidolph has placed some cans of Ensure in the fridge in the MPB for anyone that wants them. They have been disinfected. Take them if you want them.

JUST A THOUGHT — Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, (when we can touch) a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around....Bulletin Digest

PRAYERS FOR: Please remember in your thoughts and prayers Hannah Surles as she has left for school at Southwest School of Bible Studies in Austin. Remember her family as they adjust to her being gone and this new life for all.

Abby Bowman leaves for St. David School of Nursing Texas State University at Roundrock, Texas on 8/17. Our thoughts and prayers for her and her family as they adjust to this new life.

RECORD OF OUR ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

8/2 CLASS.....61..... PLUS ON LINE
8/2 WORSHIP78..... PLUS ON LINE
WEDNESDAY MID WEEK 8/5.....34 PLUS ON LINE
WEDNESDAY LBC.....7..... PLUS 3 ON LINE

OFFERING AUGUST 2, 2020.....\$3,210.00
2020 WEEKLY BUDGET.....\$4,607.00



SUNDAY 9:30 AM.....BIBLE CLASSES
 SUNDAY 10:30 AM.....WORSHIP
 WEDNESDAY 10:00 AM.....LADIES BIBLE CLASS
 WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM.....LADIES BIBLE MARKING CLASS
 WEDNESDAY 7:00 PM.....SUMMER SERIES

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

Missionaries & Mission Points

Royce Frederick — Andhra Pradesh, India
 George Funk — Gospel Chariot Missions
 William Tengani — Kwadwesi, RSA
 Tim Burroughs — China
 Trent Kennedy — Singapore
 Josh Richardson — Wisconsin
 Life Verlooy — Wisconsin
 World Bible School
 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
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 Richard Zamarron.....FACILITIES & GROUNDS.....817-822-3296

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS

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

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 & FRANK NEUGENT — THEIR HOME
7. BONNIE REACH — HILLTOP PARK REHAB (W'FORD) ROOM #401 (W'FORD)
8. LILA TALLEY — W'FORD HEALTH CARE ROOM #603-B (W'FORD)
9. ZADA TILLMAN — HOLLAND LAKE NURSING HOME (W'FORD) ROOM # 100

WORSHIP ORDER FOR 8-09-2020

COORDINATOR.....RON JOSSELET
 ANNOUNCEMENTS.....CHASE GARDNER
 OPENING PRAYER.....CHASE GARDNER
 SONG LEADER.....RON JOSSELET



1. MATT CRAIG.....PRAYER FOR THE BREAD
2. MATT CRAIG.....PRAYER FOR THE FRUIT OF THE VINE
3. ROBERT WHEELER.....PRAYER FOR OFFERING

PREACHING TODAY.....GREG SURLES

INVITATION / CLOSING PRAYERROBERT WHEELER

VISITOR CARD HAND OUT — GREETERS

GREETERS : EAST DOOR — TREY & LACIE PITCHFORD

WEST DOOR — MIKE & JUDY PATRICK

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 12, 2020

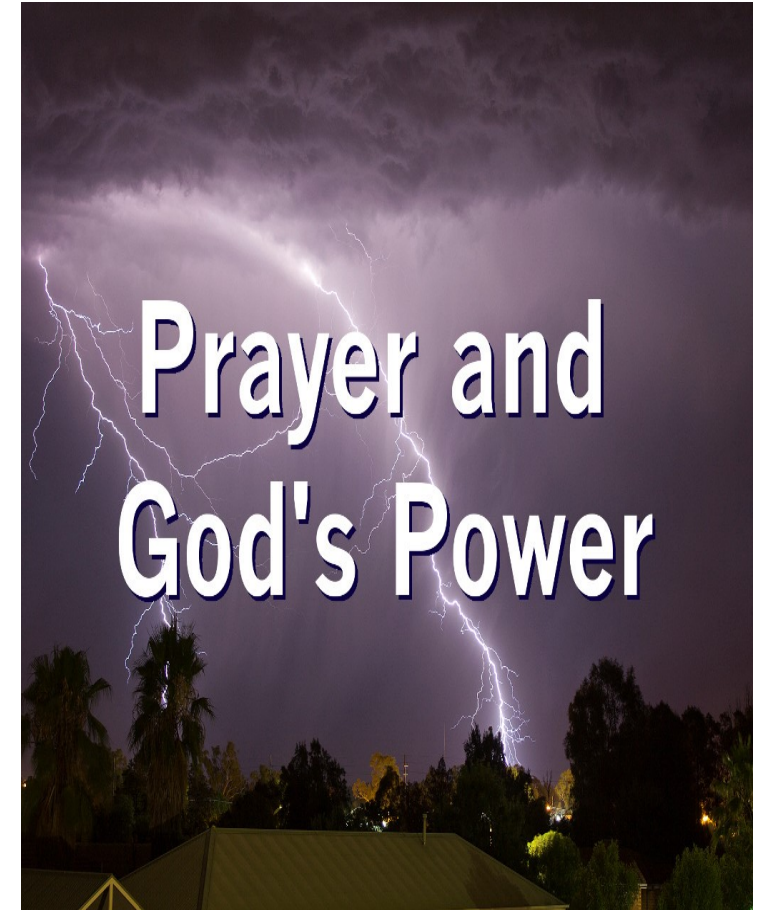
SONG LEADER.....CHARLIE COX
 OPENING PRAYER.....GREG SURLES
 SUMMER SERIES LESSON.....STEVE VEAZEY
 CLOSING PRAYER.....RON JOSSELET
 AUDITORIUM CLASS.....BREAK FOR SUMMER SERIES

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

PRAY FOR OUR NATION TO HEAL

**While the earth remaineth, seedtime
 and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer
 and winter, and day and night shall not cease.
 Gen. 8:22**

UPLIFT UPDATE AUGUST 9, 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.