

### March

Mar 18 Seven @ Seven  
 Mar 19 Man-Up to meet at the building at 5:30 for supper in Wichita  
 Mar 20 Teen Supper in the basement at 6:30  
 Mar 21 Carpenter Place Grocery Pick-Up  
 Mar 24 Men's Business Meeting  
 Mar 25 Seven @ Seven  
 Mar 27 Bring cookies for Winfield Rest Haven  
 Mar 29 Gals & Gab pizza and game night; 6:00 p.m.  
 Mar 30 Youth Group Hike, Devotionals & Lunch  
 Mar 31 5th Sunday Fellowship; no p.m. services

### CUSTODIAN OPENING

We are currently looking for a custodian for our building. The Nichols family has been maintaining the building in recent years, but will not be continuing in 2019. If you are interested, or know someone who might be, contact one of the Elders for more information on the duties and compensation involved.

### HONDURAN MISSION TRIP

Wes LeFlore and Rex Harris will be traveling to Honduras on a short term mission trip in June. The purpose of the trip includes humanitarian and missions outreach to the Honduran people. Each of them must raise \$1500 to cover the travel expenses involved. If you would like to have a part in this work, they would very much appreciate your financial support. Contact either Wes or Rex for more details.

### MAN-UP

Man-Up will be meeting at the church building at 5:30 on Tuesday, March 19 and traveling to Wichita for dinner. Make plans to come hear a lesson on the leadership quality: Courage.

### GALS & GAB PIZZA & GAME NIGHT

There is a pizza and game night planned for Gals & Gab on Friday, March 29 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Room. Bring your favorite game and a few dollars for pizza.

### YOUTH GROUP HIKE, DEVO & LUNCH

There will be a Youth Group Hike, devotional and lunch on Saturday, March 30 at the Chaplin Nature Center near Arkansas City. The van will leave at 9:00 a.m. and return in the early afternoon. Lunch is provided

*Choose the "Bread of Life," or you are toast.*

### FROM THE PREACHERS DESK

#### Giving

It is a popular saying that we should give of our three T's: time, talents and treasure. I was told that a few times in my early Christian years with little explanation.

The truth of the matter is that there were many years of my Christian life that I gave very little or not at all. When I say "gave" I am referring to those three T's. The Bible says a little bit about how I spend my time and how I utilize my talents but it says A LOT about how I use my treasure.

Did you know that there are over 2,000 verses in the Bible regarding money? Suffice it to say, it's a big deal. Even though it is an important biblical topic, it is one that has become largely ignored in our church culture today.

It's strange. There are churches today that never talk about money and how we use it and there are churches that never stop talking about money, so much so that new terms have been created such as "The Prosperity Gospel."

I don't want us to ignore the topic of money, or any other biblical topic for that matter! I don't want to talk about money every Sunday either, and I really don't see how it would be possible. What I want to do is discuss the topic when it comes up, just like we discuss every other topic.

Giving has become one of the greatest joys of my life, but like I said earlier, it wasn't always so. What changed? I studied my Bible, asked questions and sought understanding. Afterward, I was more convicted than I have ever been before and I changed. You know, that is exactly what we're supposed to do any time we are convicted about anything! Conviction only comes when we recognize a wrong that must be made right.

What do you know about what the Bible says about giving? Do you know what is expected of you? This week we will learn some of what the Bible says regarding giving. Here is a sneak peek, Matthew 6:2,3,4 (partial)

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### PRAYER LIST

Wade Colwell, Dana Morris, Sandy Albin, Lindy Bolser and her son, Ralph Dry, Kylie Lock, Beth Brownlee, Ron Shields, Richard Wartick, Dalton Brownlee, David Brundage, Matt Norris, Eliza Conwell, Larry Helton, Patsy Pierce, Allen Stone, Deedra Bostick, Crystal Anderson. *Shut-In's*: Ella Mae Watson, Ted Davis, Bertha Brown, Gene Deffenbaugh, Dorothy Lauterbach, Maxine Cole.

### ATTENTION FRIENDS OF SILVER MAPLE CAMP!

The Annual Breakfast and Auction sponsored by Friends of SMC is coming up Saturday, April 6, 2019 from 8 AM to 11 AM. There will be pancakes, sausage, egg casserole, coffee and orange juice. Some of the activities include silent auction, live auction, and kids door prizes. The cost is \$8.00 and children 8 and under are free. All proceeds will go to Silver Maple Camp Foundation.

When given the **CHOICE** between being **RIGHT** and being **KIND**,  
**CHOOSE KIND!**

*I am never in control of what happens around me  
 But I am always in control of what happens within me.*

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**So when you give...**

**But when you give...**

**...so that your giving will be...**

Do you see that? In the four short verses we are studying, Jesus implies three times that we are supposed to be giving. Giving what? Giving how? We will answer these questions and more in the sermon. I can't wait!

You're always on my heart and mind!

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### **Koine Greek Word of the Week:**

In today's text, the phrase "**to the poor**" comes from the Greek noun **eleemosyne**, and means "to show mercy or pity."



**HOW TO WORSHIP: PART 1**

Matthew 6:1-4

*“Beware of practicing your righteousness before men to be noticed by them; otherwise you have no reward with your Father who is in heaven. <sup>2</sup> “So when you give to the poor, do not sound a trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, so that they may be honored by men. Truly I say to you, they have their reward in full. <sup>3</sup> But when you give to the poor, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, <sup>4</sup> so that your giving will be in secret; and your Father who sees what is done in secret will reward you.*

God’s Glory = \_\_\_\_\_

My Glory = \_\_\_\_\_

3 Major Giving Areas

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

Hypocrite = \_\_\_\_\_

If I \_\_\_\_\_, God \_\_\_\_\_.

If I \_\_\_\_\_, God \_\_\_\_\_.

**THOSE WHO SERVE**

**SUNDAY, 10:30 AM**

SCRIPTURE READING  
PRAYER  
COMMUNION

USHERS  
DISMISSAL PRAYER

**SUNDAY, 6:00 PM**

PRAYER  
COMMUNION  
DISMISSAL PRAYER

**WEDNESDAY, 7:00 PM**

LEAD SINGING  
DISMISSAL PRAYER

**ATTENDANCE**

**SUNDAY—March 10**

BIBLE CLASS.....	42
A.M. WORSHIP.....	93
P.M. WORSHIP.....	51
CONTRIBUTION.....	\$2,828

**WEDNESDAY—March 13**

Auditorium—26    Teens—8    Bible Hour—9    Nursery—3  
**Total—46**

**COMMUNION PREP**

March            Wade Pierce

**COORDINATOR**

March            Leroy Lewis

**ELDERS**

Rex Harris      Marvin Kline  
Ed Newberry    Tom Norris

**DEACONS**

Kevin Dodds    Aaron Hines  
Leroy Lewis    Mike Neal  
David Pierce    Alan Shields

**MINISTER**

Wes LeFlore

**March 17**

David Pierce  
Brian Turney  
Roger Brownlee, Alan Shields  
Levi Turney, Mike Neal  
John Rayl, Tom Kirkwood  
Ed Newberry

**March 17**

Mike Neal  
Alan Shields, Levi Turney  
Marvin Kline

**March 20**

Rex Harris  
Brian Turney

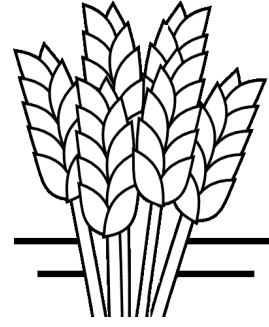
**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

*Sunday*

Bible Classes.....9:30 A.M.  
Worship.....10:30 A.M.  
Children’s Worship.10:30 A.M.  
Evening Worship.....6:00 P.M.  
Children’s Class.....6:00 P.M.

*Wednesday*

Ladies Bible Class....9:30 A.M.  
Bible Class.....7:00 P.M.



*“Reaching Inward, Outward  
Upward, Downward”*

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

March 10, 2019

Call to Worship

Song            “Above All”

Song            “Still”

Prayer

Scripture      Deuteronomy 15:7-11

Song #344      “Low in the Grave He Lay”

Lord’s Supper

Song #957      “This World Is Not My Home”

Lesson

Song #567      “Restore My Soul”

Closing Prayer

*Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children’s Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the study for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.*