

March
 Mar 11 Teen Supper in the Basement at 6:30 p.m.
 Mar 12 Carpenter Place grocery pick-up
 Mar 15 Byron Newberry to speak
 Mar 18 Teen Supper in the Basement at 6:30 p.m.
 Mar 22 Jed Sikes to speak
 Mar 22 Men's Business Meeting
 Mar 25 Bring cookies for Winfield Rest Haven
 Mar 25 Teen Supper in the Basement at 6:30 p.m.
 Mar 26 Gals & Gab meets at 6:30 p.m.
 Mar 29 5th Sunday Fellowship; no p.m. services

VISITING PREACHERS
 We will have guest speakers for morning worship on the following dates: Byron Newberry will speak on March 15 and Jed Sikes will speak on March 22. Both these men grew up in this church family, so come welcome them "home."

WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS
 It has been said that the poorest person in the world is the one who has no friends. It was William Shakespeare who said, "Those friends thou hast and their adoption tried, grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel." It has been revealed that people with friends enjoy better health, live longer lives, are happier and find greater fulfillment in life. Friendship improves happiness, and abates misery by doubling our joy and dividing our grief. Jesus is the best friend anyone can have because:

1. He is a loving friend. (Proverbs 17:17; John 13:15)
2. He is a lasting friend. (Proverbs 18:24; Hebrews 13:8)
3. He is a lifting friend. (Matthew 11:19; Luke 15:1-2)
4. He is a living friend. (Revelation 1:11-18)
5. He is a listening friend. (Psalm 34:15)

What a blessed assurance to come to the end of life's way, knowing at the end of the road Jesus our friend is waiting to welcome us home with a "Welcome friend to the house of my Father."
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CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE
We need volunteers! Sign up across from the office!
March
 March 08 Linda Wartick & Teylin Wartick & Arallai Wartick
 March 15 Jill DeJarnett & Piper Dodds
 March 22 Emily Pierce & Elise Wartick
 March 29 Shelly Brown & Glenda Day & Pam Rayl

FELLOWSHIP ROOM SCHEDULE
 March 26—Gals & Gab meet at 6:30 p.m.
 March 28—Hines—1:00 to 6:00

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK
 Who Are Those Sacks For?
 The sacks on the table at the front of the sanctuary are donations for Carpenter Place, formerly known as Maude Carpenter Children's Home, a girls home in Wichita.

Unlike other girls homes, Carpenter Place provides a Christian home environment. Their aim is help each girl realize her true potential in Christ, with an ultimate goal of reuniting that girl with her family.

Carpenter Place has three homes. Each home has houseparents who provide a Christian example while teaching valuable lessons and life skills.

All houseparents practice Trust-Based Relational Intervention or TBRI. This form of intervention is an attachment-based, trauma-informed intervention that is designed to meet the complex needs of children from hard places. TBRI uses empowering principles to address physical needs, connecting principles for attachment needs, and correcting principles to disarm fear-based behaviors. While the intervention is based on years of attachment, sensory processing, and neuroscience research, the heartbeat of TBRI is connection.

I think you'll find it interesting that Westview Boys Home also practices the TBRI methodology, which Rex, Nathan, Levi, Leon and I all got to witness first-hand when we visited Westview last summer. To say the least, it is very impressive to see it in action.

Another part of Carpenter Place is the Shellee Morrison Christian Learning Center, whose mission is, "nurturing deeply hurting girls to restored relationships with God, family and community." This function of Carpenter Place helps girls that have fallen behind academically to catch up to, and often exceed, their grade level. Built into this program are daily devotionals to help the girls learn Christian principles during each school day.

I think it's important to not simply fill a sack simply as a form and function of Christian duty, but rather to understand that when we fill that sack with supplies, that we are doing it for Jesus Himself. That's not how I see it, it's how He sees it.

Matthew 25:37-40, Jesus taught, *Then the righteous will answer Him, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry, and feed You, or*
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PRAYER LIST
Lonnie Bennett-back in the hospital after a fall
Sandy Albin-prayers for good results from all the tests
Dorothy Crisler-is in the Wellington Health & Rehab room #111 and would enjoy cards, visitors and prayers

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY
 We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Ted Davis. Ted passed away Thursday, March 5. His services are pending with Shelly Family Funeral Home.

BABY'S ARRIVAL
 Wes & Kendall's little guy will arrive on the 10th. They have requested no visitors while in the hospital as Kendall will be recovering from surgery and needs her rest. Keep them in your prayers.

HONDURAS MISSION TRIP
 Wes, Rex and Nathan are currently raising funds for their mission trip to Honduras. If you would like to contribute, please give to the mission participants directly. If you would like a contribution receipt for tax purposes, please let Wes know and one will be provided.

CARPENTER PLACE GROCERY PICK-UP
 Carpenter Place will be here this Thursday, March 12. Grocery bags are in the foyer and by the west door. Grab a bag, fill it and have it here by Wednesday.

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thirsty, and give You something to drink? And when did we see You a stranger, and invite You in, or naked, and clothe You? When did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?' The King will answer and say to them, 'Truly I say to you, to the extent that you did it to one of these brothers of Mine, even the least of them, you did it to Me.'

I encourage you all to go to the website, <https://www.carpenterplace.org/> for more information about this wonderful work. We have until Wednesday, March 11th to fill a bag and put it on the table!

Much Love,
 Wes LeFlore (918) 607-8489 or huskerves1@gmail.com



REACTIONS & RESPONSES: GREATNESS

Matthew 11:7-15

As these men were going away, Jesus began to speak to the crowds about John, "What did you go out into the wilderness to see? A reed shaken by the wind? But what did you go out to see? A man dressed in soft clothing? Those who wear soft clothing are in kings' palaces! But what did you go out to see? A prophet? Yes, I tell you, and one who is more than a prophet. This is the one about whom it is written, 'Behold, I send My messenger ahead of You, Who will prepare Your way before You.' Truly I say to you, among those born of women there has not arisen anyone greater than John the Baptist! Yet the one who is least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he. From the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffers violence, and violent men take it by force. For all the prophets and the Law prophesied until John. And if you are willing to accept it, John himself is Elijah who was to come. He who has ears to hear, let him hear.

What Made John Great?

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- 2)
- 3)
- 4)
- 5)

Notes:

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 1

BIBLE CLASS.....	53
A.M. WORSHIP.....	87
P.M. WORSHIP.....	27
CONTRIBUTION.....	\$2,708

WEDNESDAY—March 4

Auditorium—27	Teens—7	Bible Hour—11	Nursery—4	
				Total—49

COMMUNION PREP

March Wade Pierce

March 8

David Pierce
Leroy Lewis
Roger Brownlee, Mike Neal
Brian Turney, Kevin Dodds
Marvin Kline, Charles Garver
Ed Newberry

March 8

Alan Shields
Mike Neal, Brian Turney
Ed Newberry

March 11

Rex Harris
Tom Kirkwood

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

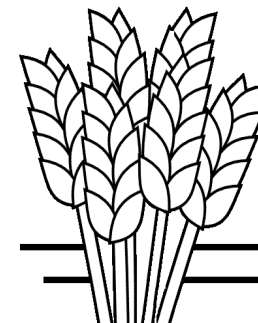
SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

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

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Call to Worship

Song "Here I Am to Worship"

Song #71 "As the Deer"

Prayer

Scripture Malachi 4 (NASB)

Song #18 "Faithful Love"

Lord's Supper

Song #76 "How Great Thou Art"

Lesson

Song #909 "There's a Fountain Free"

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.