



Join us for  
Vacation Bible  
School!!!

June 17th - 21st

for completed KG thru 5th grades

Dinner from 4:30-5:30p, M-Th

Class from 5:30-8:30p

Adult classes at 7p

## Elders' Corner

### UNITED

Did you ever think we would need security teams in our church building during worship services to keep us safe? Or, we would need comprehensive policy rules for who can use our facilities and how the facilities can be used. Well, that day is here and we the Eldership have been working hard to complete a comprehensive plan of who we are and what we believe and why we believe what we believe. The Bible is our only book of authority.

Soon, we will be introducing our new general use building policy, a marriage policy, and a funeral policy. There may be questions about these new policies so feel free to ask us any question you might have.

The devil is certainly at work here and we as God's chosen must stand together and fight off the devil's flaming arrows. One thing for sure, united we can overcome any scheme of the devil.

Michael, Eddy and Pat



# JUNE



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- 6/2 Prison Ministry
- 6/2-7 Camp Pettijohn (E3)
- 6/6 Thursday Scrapers @ 9:30a
- 6/9 Prison Ministry
- 6/9 L2L Meeting after evening services
- 6/10 AWTG (Noble)
- 6/13 Thursday Scrapers @ 9:30a
- 6/15 JOY@50 Auction @ 4p
- 6/16 **Father's Day**
- 6/17-21 Meals to Homebound
- 6/17-21 **VBS**
- 6/21 Food Distribution Setup (approx. 9a)
- 6/22 Food Distribution 9:15a
- 6/23 Baby Shower for Ryleigh & Channa @ 2p
- 6/23-28 **Workweek @ Tipton**
- 6/27 Thursday Scrapers @ 9:30a
- 6/28 Singing @ Sunset Estates @ 6:30p
- 6/29-7/6 Honduran Mission Trip
- 6/30 Wedding Shower for the Gees @ 2p
- 7/7 Prison Ministry
- 7/7 Shower for Zach Brown & Frankie @ 2p
- 7/8 AWTG @ Newalla
- 7/14 Prison Ministry
- 7/15-19 Meals to Homebound
- 7/15-19 Preacher Training Camp
- 7/18 Food Distribution Setup approx. 9a
- 7/20 Food Distribution @ 9:15a
- 7/21-23 Back to School Family Float Trip
- 7/29-30 Six Flags

**FAMILY PRAYER NAME:**

# Highland Church of Christ

Tecumseh, OK

June 2, 2019

### Our Elders

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### Our Deacons

- Greg Beal
- Brett Byrum
- Johnie Fredman
- Stacy Gingrich
- Robby Kinsey
- Jay Madden
- Keith Patterson
- Jeremy Pearman
- Adam Sack
- Gary Stapp

Hello and welcome to worship!

The brilliant Scottish writer, Thomas Carlyle, lived on a farm in Dumfriesshire, which he called "the loneliest nook in Britain." Each day he climbed a ladder to his attic, where he worked until dark. His devoted wife Jane was left alone. One evening at dinner, Jane asked why he had never expressed appreciation for the food she lovingly prepared for him. "Woman," Carlyle barked, "must you be paid for everything you do?" With that, he stamped off to his attic workshop. Years later, when his wife died, Carlyle found her diary. On tear-stained pages, he read this recurring refrain, "Oh, I wish you would say a kind word or give me a compliment now and then about the things I try to do to make you happy." *Source: Together Magazine, November 1957*

I am sorry I don't thank all of you like I should. I am thankful for you here at Highland, but I don't say it near enough. I want to say kind words about all of you here today. You do so much that makes me happy. You have shown so much love to my family since the first day we arrived. Our love has grown for you through the years. My kids are being raised in a wonderful environment here. They have been blessed by you. The love this church has for children and youth is tremendously inspiring. Our family has watched many of you grow and that thrills us. There are all kinds of exciting things going on here and it is because of many of you. I believe Highland is the best place to worship God around and that is not because I am the preacher by any means. It is because you are here. I am so honored to be your preacher. So many of you are using your gifts for the Lord and, oh, the blessings that flow because of them. We have many serving opportunities here and it amazes me at how many of you jump at the opportunity to serve. I love you and I thank you for all you do. Thanks for letting me be a part of your life.

*Erick*

# Announcements

A new quarter of classes began today. Check easels for the class that fits you.

The Joy@50 Auction will be June 15th at 4p. Please see Jan Parker, Gene or Jessica Wilcox, or Jim and Jan Willis if you have items to donate. Pls, no clothes or shoes and consider only gently-used items. Home-baked items will also be gladly accepted!



Ladies Day at Farrall church of Christ will be June 22nd with a continental breakfast starting at 9:30 and the program beginning at 10:30. Details on bb.



The date for the "Meet and Greet" diaper and wipes baby showers for Ryleigh Drew and Channa Smith has been changed to June 23rd at 2:00p.

The Children's Home of Lubbock is collecting hand soap refills for use by their 80 children. If you can help please bring it by June 20th.

If you, and maybe a friend, would like to "Adopt a Flower Bed" please see one of the elders.



**Health (Members):** Piper Davis, finger surgery; Glen Jones, chipped ankle; Sheryl Loveland, injured knee; Claudia Perry, knee surgery recovery; James Moudy and Sheila; Jody Roberts; Dee Banta; Twila Carr, stomach infection, Integris SW; Harold & Cindy Hall; Jim Hayes; Tami Lawson.

**Health (Others):** Jace Melton (the Cummings' 7 yr-old friend) brain tumor; Norman Moudy (Claudine & Barney's uncle) stroke; Ted Reno (Diane Seaton's DIL's brother) lymphoma; Jim Vercelli (friend of Fredmans) aggressive lymphoma; Roy Branson (Brian's dad) hip replacement; Joleen Hatler, broken leg; Krista (Kacy Kinsey's friend, cancer surgery; Pam Holt's SIL, prostate cancer; Hugo Ortiz (Betty Limas' uncle) kidney failure; Evelyn (Tom & Shirley Cummings' great granddaughter); Charles Elmore (Mica's Dad) hospitalized with A-fib; Virginia Stover (Ariel Howeth's grandmother) broken neck; Xavier Grimmett; Kelly (Jimmie Young's daughter); Mark & Kayla Hindman (friends of Mica Byrum) premature baby; Tandy Hasbell (Jennifer Stapp's coworker) malignant brain tumor; Jaydon Dalrymple (Addison Adam's friend) Non-Hodgkin's; Vanessa McKinney, brain injury; Mark Miener (Verlie's friend); Rusty McCart (Verlie's nephew) cancer; Trevor Watkins (Louie Hatler's friend); Hal Able (LaDessia's BIL); Twila Carr & Dee Banta's aunt; Jim Perry (Verlie's friend) ICU; Dewayne Thomas (preacher @ Dale) brain tumor; Robert Sullivan (Carolyn Wilcox's brother); Grandma Gladys (Lori Brown's grandmother) cancer; Ray Grimmett Jr (cancer).

**Our shut-ins:** Connie Mack Stubbs; Rosie Brightwell; Retha Barnes; Mary Littleton; James & Sheila Moudy, Shawnee Care Ctr, #202; Audrey Savory, Golden Rule, Rm 32; Mildred Boone; Ellen Childers; Lorene Haynes.

**Sympathy:** Our sympathy goes out to Jo Ellen Payton in the loss of her husband, Dale (Buzzy). Services were Friday. Also to Margie Byerly in the loss of her sister, Lenore Burgess (97), who passed away last Sunday.

**Other:** Twila Carr requests prayers. Please remember our country and our military (especially those in our church family like Austin & Andrew Sack).



Thank you for visiting!

## Highland church of Christ

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### Attendance Last Week:

Bible Class:	127
Daily Bible Readers:	41
Sun Worship:	209
Sun PM:	202

### Schedule of Services

#### Sunday:

Bible Study	9:30 a.m.
Worship	10:30 a.m.
Evening	5:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday:

Bible Study	7:00 p.m.
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Current directory is on ...

[www.hcoct.com](http://www.hcoct.com)

Please call the office for login credentials for the members' area on the website.



If your hymnal needs attention, please leave it on the seat.



Book of the Month

for June is

Matthew

## TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS

Privileged to Serve the Church Assembly

Preacher:.....*Erick Henson*

Song Leader:.....*Michael Kelsey*

Opening Prayer Leader:.....*Jim Willis*

Closing Prayer Leader:.....*Darrell Hinson*

Greeters:.....*Gary Perry, Terry Banta, Torrey Hatler, Justin Phillips, Jeremy Pearman*

Auditorium Greeters:.....*Betty Fly & Lone Arnold*

Announcements:.....*Pat Swafford*

### Serving at The Lord's Table

Bread:.....*Brett Byrum*

Cup:.....*Kevin Chesser*

Offering:.....*Buddy Lawson*

Scripture Reader:.....*Caleb Kelsey*

Servers:.....*Jim Arnold,*

*Steve Flowers, Jay Watkins, Pat Patterson, Colby Brown, Trace Brown*

*Men, if you are scheduled to be on the table, please be here by 10:15; otherwise, I will have to find a replacement. Thank you, Stacy*



**Hanging VBS Flyers** - June 3rd, meet @ building @ 10a to hang flyers in business windows. Please see Erin if you have questions and let her know if you are able to help.



**L2L Kickoff** - June 9th after evening services. Stay tuned for details.

**AWTG** - June 10th @ Noble; leaving @ 5p.

**VBS** - June 17th-21st @ 4:30-8:30, adult class @ 7p. Still need adults to sign up to help.

**Tipton Week** - June 23-28 We still need adults. Please sign up.

THANKS  
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