

February 12, 2023
A.M. Worship 101
Contribution \$5,766.58
Weekly Budget \$5,653.00

THOSE WHO SERVE
February 19 February 26
LOCK BUILDING
Gerry Austin Gerry Austin
PROJECTOR AM
Joel Sarabia Shane Young
Walter Anderson Jeff King

SCRIPTURE READING
David Johnson Stephen Bailey

FIRST PRAYER
Gerry Austin Darrin Griffith

LORD’S SUPPER
James Henry Scott Ratcliff
Carl Barrow Gerry Austin
D.D. Lindsey Joel Sarabia
Joe Maywald John Trammel
Michael Welch Quincey Trammel
Caleb Griffith Kim Smith
Darrin Griffith William Stidman
Randy Wilkinson Drew Stidman
James Carr James Carr
Sean Alsobook Kyle Teat

CLOSING COMMENTS
Scott Ratcliff Walter Anderson

CLOSING PRAYER
Larry Timaeus Rick Arnold

EVENING
PROJECTOR PM

Ethan Anderson Joe Davis
Brian Casey Gary Faycosh

SCRIPTURE READING
John Trammel David Johnson

FIRST PRAYER
Joe Davis James Henry

LORD’S SUPPER
Dan Talbot Curtis Sanford
William Stidman Carl Barrow

CLOSING PRAYER
Kim Smith Michael Welch



Wednesday Night with the Master

February 15th
6:00 p.m.

Come join us for
tostadas and
fellowship.

FEBRUARY 19, 2023

GREETERS
February 19 David Johnson
Carl & Sharon Barrow
Margy Davis, Cindy Gernand
February 26 Kyle Teat
Mandie Faycosh, Carol King, Karen Ratcliff
John & Meggin Trammel

MONITORS
February 19 Curtis Sanford
February 26 Kim Smith

MEN TO COUNT CONTRIBUTIONS
February 19 Rick Arnold & John Trammel
February 26 Roger Peltier & Kyle Teat

SPECIAL SERVICE
Communion Preparation Austin’s
Clean Communion Trays Gayla Anderson

SONG LEADERS
February:
19 Walter Anderson **26** Richard Thompson
March:
5 Sean Alsobrook **12** Stan Murray
19 Walter Anderson **26** Michael Welch
April:
2 Scott Ratcliff **9** Richard Thompson
16 Sean Alsobrook **23** Stan Murray
30 Walter Anderson

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Walter Anderson
Jeff King
Curtis Sanford

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Joe Davis
Kim Smith
Scott Ratcliff
William Stidman

John Trammel

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"WITH ACCENTS ON ACTIVITIES OF THE CHURCH"

FEBRUARY 14, 2023

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YOU'RE
invited

Our annual *Sweetheart Banquet* is coming up on
Saturday, February 18th at 5:30 p.m. Widows,
widowers, and retirees are invited to join us for an
evening of food, fellowship, and entertainment. Call
the church office to RSVP.



Neriah LeBlanc will be here Sunday, February 26. He will be bringing
us the lesson during our worship time. Following morning worship
we will have a potluck meal. Following our meal together, Neriah
will give us a report on his work in the Cayman Islands. We will not
have an evening service.

Also, on Sunday, February 26, we will have a *special contribution*
for the work in India that Scott Ratcliff is involved with.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES		
SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASSES		9:30 A.M.
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP		10:30 A.M.
SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP		5:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY NIGHT WITH THE MASTER		6:00 P.M.
ACTIVITIES & BIBLE STUDY		6:30, 7:00 P.M.

From the Preacher's Desk

"Guest Article"

I came across the following article and really enjoyed what was written. I hope you take something from it as well.

"When Christianity Disrupts A Materialistic Culture" By: Tyler King

As Paul journeyed throughout the ancient world and proclaimed the news of Jesus, he ran into several varying circumstances. Within these encounters of different people, he was often greeted with hostility and bitterness. This was especially true when he tried reaching out to non-believers in Ephesus.

In Acts 19, things seem to start in a good direction. Paul shows up, asks a few questions about the people's faith, and instructs them in a more advanced way than what they had previously experienced ([Acts 19:1-8](#)). We first see the opposition arise when Luke tells us of those who were "hardened," "disobedient," and "speaking evil of the Way" (19:9). Incredibly, that didn't seem to slow Paul down. In fact, the text says Paul began performing *extraordinary* miracles at this point. God's Word undoubtedly kept spreading throughout all the land even though there were some who remained hardened.

Paul then encountered a man named Demetrius, a silversmith who created shrines for the goddess Artemis. Demetrius gathered a bunch of men of the same trade and explained to them that Paul was taking away their business because he was converting people from polytheism into a faith of Jesus — making shrines and idols completely worthless ([Acts 19:26-28](#)). Paul placed such a precedence on Jesus and knowing Him, that it removed the need for a materialistic religion.

We do not live with a polytheist mind, and neither does our culture. Though there remain some similarities in principle. When "prosperity" ([Acts 19:25](#)) becomes a veil to the worth of Jesus, we can have assurance that we have missed it; we've missed the purpose and hope of life. Paul's words and actions were captivating enough to lead people away from such traps. However, in doing so, he also caused quite the disturbance. Sometimes the world will cause a ruckus when they see people follow Jesus. When we follow Christ, we fully acknowledge that we do not need those other things in life that so many others pursue. We belittle the passions and desires of this life, because we hold fast the worth of Christ and His resurrection. If people are disrupted by your faith, that is okay — it's happened before and it'll happen again. Paul took that experience and kept on in his journey, proceeding to Greece and Macedonia. We have a mission, a family, and a loving Father to keep us going along the way.

"Blessed is the
man who trusts in
the Lord, and
whose hope is the
Lord."

Jeremiah 17:7



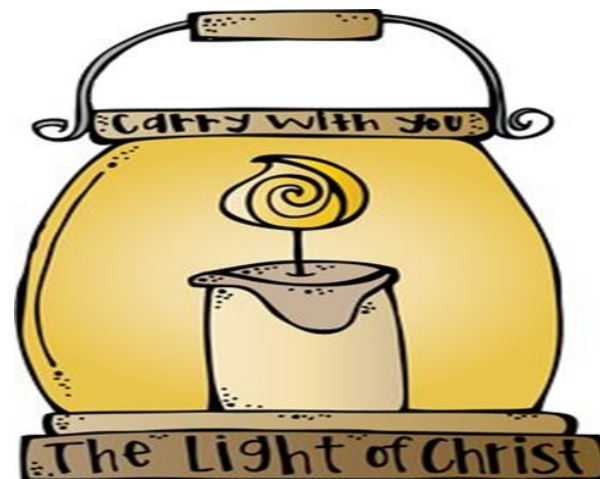
This coming Saturday, February 18, we will be having our annual Sweetheart Banquet. Guests will arrive at 5:30, so the youth need to be there at 5 p.m. If you have any questions, please see me.

Over Spring Break, the youth group has a very special retreat in east Texas leaving Tuesday, March 14, and return on Thursday, the 16th. If you have any questions, come talk to me.

If you would like to be a part of our Camp Hensel easter youth retreat this year, the sign-up is now available! Easter weekend this year is April 7-9. The cost for campers is \$70, and the cost for adult volunteers is \$55. To register follow the link: <https://forms.gle/Qm5U6rMh5tSFaQsk7> The last day to sign-up is Sunday, March 19. If you have any questions, please see me.



I'm collecting cardboard and plastic grocery bags for activities that will be done at Camp Hensel. If you would like to contribute, please let me know. We need about 100 Walmart sacks, and there is really no ceiling on cardboard boxes. Thank you!



CAMP BANDINA

Registration has begun! If your child is wanting to go to Camp Bandina, you can register online at bandina-cecilhutsonsession.com.



Please join us in honoring the parents to be

Madeline & Alex Smith

and baby girl

Parker Leigh Smith

Saturday, March 4th at 12:00 PM

Drop in virtually

[HTTPS://MEET.GOOGLE.COM/OXM-HGOK-YPI](https://meet.google.com/OXM-HGOK-YPI)

For questions contact

Melanie 979-848-6575 or Natalie 979-848-9287

Registered at www.babylist.com/madelinealexsmith

Please Pray

Gloria Mares is doing well following her procedure...Asher Welch is home and doing well following his procedure...Melissa King, daughter of Jeff and Carol King, has been diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma...Adi Martinez, niece of David Olmos, had a procedure, but didn't get the answers they were hoping for; she is scheduled to see a specialist...Kenneth McGrath, husband of Lily McGrath, is doing well following back surgeries.