

Belt Line Road Church of Christ

“...churches of Christ salute you” (Rom 16:16)
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Schedule of Services

Sunday:
Bible Class..... 9:00 a.m.
AM Worship... 10:00 a.m.
PM Worship.... 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday:
Bible Study.... 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday:
Ladies' Bible Class(Sept.–Apr.)
Class meets at 10 a.m.

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Dean Webb

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Darrell Allen
Glen Kelly
John Mayer

SECRETARIES

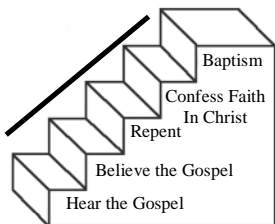
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CUSTODIANS

Mike & Elizabeth Garrison

**THE GOSPEL PLAN
OF SALVATION**

Hear-Romans 10:17
Believe-John 8:24
Repent-Acts 17:30
Confess-Romans 10:10
Be Baptized-Acts 22:16
Saved - in Christ (Galatians 3:27)



SUMMER SERIES OF GREAT BIBLE CHARACTERS (2015)

June 3rd - Willie Alvarenga (Bedford, Texas)
“Moses”

June 10th - Pat McIntosh (Bedford, Texas)
“Abraham”

June 17th - Rob Waller (College Hills, Fort Worth, Texas)
“Samuel”

June 24th - Robert Stapleton (Bedford, Texas)
“David”

July 1st - Arern Haggar (Haltom City, Texas)
“Isaiah”

July 8th - Jim Laws (Tyler, Texas)
“Joseph”

July 15th - Kevin Rhodes (Cleburne, Texas)
“Ruth”

July 22nd - Robert Dodson (Ft Worth, Texas)
“Joshua”

July 29th - Kenny Gardner (Bedford, Texas)
“Paul”

August 5th - Gary Fallis (Fort Worth, Texas)
“Peter”

August 12th - Tom Wacaster (Ft Worth, Texas)
“John”

August 19th - Heath Stapleton (Bedford, Texas)
“Luke”

August 26th - Kevin Langford (Lewisville, Texas)
“Elijah”

FAMILY CARE
A Message from Our Shepherds

This past week has been a very sad and trying time for us at Belt Line. Bro Jeff Jenkins said it best while speaking at Sister Joann's funeral service. We've always known Don and Joann as a team. When talking about the work at Belt Line it has been Don and Joann. When able our Sister Joann Hatch did a superior job teaching our young people. What she taught our children made a very lasting impression on each of them. She loved God's Word, and had the ability to share it with others. Those in her classes loved and remembered her and the words she taught them. What a tragic loss to the Hatch family and the family that meets at Belt Line Road. We extend our deepest sympathy to Bro. Don Hatch and his remaining family. They worked together, so now, we need to roll up our sleeves and keep the lights burning. Working together accomplishes great things, and this is what happened at Belt Line Road this past week even in trying times.

In Psalms 18:1-2 "I will love thee, O LORD, my strength. The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower". Whenever we are feeling troubled, alone, or helpless, it is nice to remember that Christians have a mighty all powerful, source of strength in God. In this world, we have to adjust to all different kinds of happenings and situations. We need to always remember that with God, we are safe and constantly under his protection. We don't have to understand why negative things happen around us; we just have to have a strong faith that this too will pass, and know that our Heavenly Father is always in control. We need to pray for courage, strength, and God's protection. When we share our burdens with others it will help us deal with our daily concerns.

We must keep in remembrance and share with others that in order for us to receive God's Spiritual Blessings, we must be in Christ, and keep God's commandments. In our article last week we went to great length with scriptures explaining that in Christ is our only hope of eternal salvation. Therefore, we must follow the instructions to be in Christ. In order for us to be fed with the Sheep means we must be among the Sheep at feeding time. Our God understands and only those physically able are expected at every assembly time. Regular attendance is very important and we must never forget that. Belt Line is a blessed congregation! With good faithful teachers, we ought to strive to hear their lessons. Read Proverbs 2:1-9.

Have a great week serving God! Remember and pray for our sick and shut-ins!

Dean Webb

"...I will pay my vows unto Jehovah, Yea, in the presence of all his people. Precious in the sight of Jehovah is the death of his saints. O Jehovah, truly I am thy servant: I am thy servant..." (Psm 116:14-16).

Thank You

My family and I are humbled by the magnificent acts of love and kindness during the passing of Joann. From the moment the Elders arrived at the hospital to the days which followed gentle love has been given to us. Jerry McKey, Jeff Jenkins and Darrell Allen were messengers filling our lives with hope. We thank them for such service. Their words and singing were so reassuring. Joann would have been so pleased and humbled by the gathering of so many. From the pal-bears to those who place flowers by her casket everyone made this a wonderful time of calm and joy. We are so thankful.

The meals and many other items brought into the home overwhelmed us. Thank you to everyone for all the food, paper and plastic ware which made so easy to clean up you were so thoughtful and loving. The meal following the funeral services was amazing. Those who cooked and served it are appreciated and loved by us. I have never had such a wonderful time of blessings. Thank you.

Cards, phone calls, emails, face book and other messages of sympathy flooded our lives like a river of love and kindheartedness. They came from around the world. Families, individuals and congregations sent words of consolation and affection. We will read and reread them relishing the compassion in each of them. Joann did not know how much influence she had in the kingdom. I am so proud she was my wife. She led me to Christ and stood by my side for nearly 55 years. Her classes with children were her greatest delight. When she could not go up the stair it was a time of sorrow and loss. Watching the youth grow to adults gave her special joy. Families living faithful to the Lord were a constant joy to her.

Joann loved to work with women and wanted to encourage them in the work of the Lord. Helping to unify ladies in special times like Ladies ½ Day, Solo-Sister and classes were cherished times. Unifying ladies in a work that they could treasure was her greatest joy. Her "life" was yearly open house, fellowship dinners, devotional in the home, entertaining and other times when she could have brethren around her. Caring for the sick, visiting senior living facilities and going to see brethren were times she loved. She was constantly doing things for others never expecting anything in return. So much more filled her life. The love from all was a rich reward to her. She would have thanked you for all that you did for her family. Thank you for working alongside her and blessing her in unnumbered ways.

Memories return from individuals who shared our lives. Individuals we served in the kingdom with from fifty years ago were present for her funeral, new friends and fellow Christians honored her memory. We are in awe of your tenderness and thank each. The children who came to the visitation and funeral comforted our family. Your love demonstrated to our family that her life was well spent while serving the Lord. We are so thankful words fail us to tell you how much you meant to Joann and me. Her passing is deeply felt but you have made it bearable. The days were good with Joann. Her example touched so many. I feel like I am so richly blessed by each of you for the generous ways you help my family in the passing of Joann. I wish I could tell each of you personally thank you for the flowers, word, hugs and other acts of kindness. Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Don Hatch

Family News:

News at Belt Line.
Call in your information to the office at:
972-790-8606 by Sunday evening.

GREETER ASSIGNMENTS

May 17, 2015

Front foyer: Richard & Carolyn
Renfro

Back foyer: Don & Anne Herriage

May 24, 2015

Front foyer: Glen Kelly &
Jerry Grantham

Back foyer: Robert & Cathy
Taylor

Sermon Titles

May 17, 2015

a.m: "Evangelism"

Scripture: TBA

p.m: "Report on Jamaica"

Scripture: TBA

May 24, 2015

a.m: "Greatness Of Salvation"

Scripture: 1 Timothy 1:12-17

p.m: "Peril Of Spiritual
Ignorance"

Scripture: Romans 10:1-10

Contribution Counters For May

John Mayer & Thomas Rathbun

Communion Preparation For May

Mary Wise & Donna Davis

MISSION PRINTING

Mission Printing will meet
Sunday at 4:00 p.m. in the Jr.
Auditorium to collate booklets.
Please come help us and enjoy the
Christian fellowship.

PRAYER LIST

Ongoing Health Concerns:

Bobby Bowen, Jane Easter, J.C.
and Dessie Ross, Don and
Margaret Lewis, Frances Tipton

Homebound Members:

Roy and Helen Thomas, Mary
Walker, Gearldean Jones

Recovering at Home:

Bobby Garrett's mother **Linda
Garrett** is now home after being
in Baylor Irving last week. They
were monitoring her heart.

There are many dealing with short
term health issues. Please
remember them in your prayers.

Upcoming Procedures:

James Winniford father of **Kim
Mayer** will have cancer surgery
Monday May 11th.

Nursing Home:

Noma Myers – Northgate Plaza
Dorothy Smith – Avalon
Elsie Nanney – Elm Croft

Military:

Chris and Abigail Mathews

Special Request:

Mike & Elizabeth Garrison's
daughter **Diedra Sutton** has been
diagnosed with cancer and needs
our prayers.

David Hawkin's daughter's
mother **Patricia Freeman** is in
Baylor Irving. Prayers have been
requested on her behalf.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Spring Cleaning of the Annex - Planning Meeting

Sunday, May 17th at 5 p.m. will
be a meeting in the Annex to
review plans for a "Spring
Cleaning". Special emphasis will
be on clearing out old & unused
dishware from both the Annex

and the Dish Room. All
interested parties are welcome to
attend.

Spring Cleaning of the Annex - Work Session

Anyone who is interested in
helping with the Spring Cleaning
of the Annex is welcome to join
the cleanup crew on **Monday,
May 18th at 10 a.m.** in the Annex.
We should be finished by lunch
time.

THANK YOU NOTE

There is a Thank **You Note** on the
bulletin board from the **Letha
Ann Molotzky** family. She was
the mother of **Vicky Askins**.

39'ers

The **39'ers** will meet Monday,
May 18th at 6:30 p.m. in the
Annex. Please bring food and
enjoy the wonderful fellowship.

We extend our deepest sympathy
to **Don Hatch** and to his family
on the loss of the love of his life
Joann this past Monday. She
received a head injury as a result
of a car accident on Monday
afternoon. Joann was the perfect
example of what a Christian
Woman should be. She touched
many, many lives over her 74
years and will be deeply missed
by all who knew her. Services
were here at the church building
on Thursday morning.

SUMMER CAMP

Wednesday, May 13th is last
chance to get your registration
forms in for **camp** as camp is
filling up. If you have sent them
in yourself please let us know. We
need a count of how many are
going from here.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

5/18/15 – 39’ers – Annex – 6:30 p.m.

MAY BIRTHDAY’S

- Vicki Catlin – 5/1
- Cindy Vaughn – 5/2
- Curtis Vaughan – 5/11
- Kati Mimms – 5/13
- Bobby Garrett – 5/14
- Jerry McKey – 5/14
- Janice Daniel – 5/16
- Samantha Howard – 5/20
- Myrtle Wade – 5/21
- Margaret Lewis – 5/27
- Polly Roses – 5/30
- Toby Howard – 5/31

MAY ANNIVERSARIES

- Bobby & Tiffany* Garrett – 5/6
- Don & Anne Herriage – 5/18
- Don & Joann Hatch – 5/19
- Dean & Joy Webb – 5/23
- J.C. & Dessie Ross – 5/31

*If unable to serve on the Lord’s table,
please contact Scot Allen:
(214)724-6400*

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THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE THIS SUNDAY

<u>LORD’S TABLE (MORNING)</u>		5/17/15	<u>SUNDAY A.M. PRAYERS</u>
<u>Front Table</u>	<u>Rear Table</u>		· Dean Webb
· Scot Allen	· Bobby England		· Don Herriage
· Glen Kelly	· Toby Howard		· Ken Lee
· Dale Cox	· Nathan Allen		
· Walt LaHaye	· Thomas Rathbun		<u>A.M. SCRIPTURE READING</u>
· Samuel Henderson			· Dale Cox
· Don Herriage			TBA
			<u>SUNDAY P.M. PRAYERS</u>
			· Mike Garrison
			· Alex Perry
<u>LORD’S TABLE (EVENING)</u>			<u>P.M. SCRIPTURE READING</u>
· Nathan Allen			· Curtis Vaughan
· Henry Seidmeyer			TBA
<u>COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS</u>			<u>P.M. SONG LEADER(S)</u>
· Thomas Rathbun			· Jerry McKey - Denzil
<u>A.M. SONG LEADER</u>			
· Jerry Baker			

FOR THE RECORD: ATTENDANCE & BUDGET NUMBERS

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>This Week</u>	<u>YTD Avg.</u>	<u>Goal</u>
Sun. Class	65	66	63	100
A.M. Worship	94	105	103	150
P.M. Worship	77	65	67	80
Wed. Class	55	88	59	85
Contribution	\$7395	\$5407	\$5547	\$5098

MISSIONS

- Glen Tattersall** – Australia
- Roland & Rose Moshen** – France
- Gary & Nadya Workman** – Ukraine
- Charlie & Mary DiPalma** – Australia
- Willie & Del Gley** – Ghana/Togo, Africa
- David & Paula Tarbet** – New Milford, CT
- Wil & Telanda Sadler** – Military Missions
- Wayne Jackson** – Christian Courier on the Web
- Christ’s Haven Children’s Home** – Keller, TX
- Foster’s Home for Children** – Stephenville, TX
- Ted Lingren** – Sisophon Bible School – Cambodia
- Rohan & Sandra Jones** – Cape Town, South Africa
- Elangwe & Magdaline Gregory** – Wotutu, Cameroon
- Mission Printing Worldwide Literature Distribution**
- Terry & Pam Laurence** – Ft. Defiance, Arizona – Navajo
- Mike Batot** – Southwest School of Bible Studies – Austin, TX
- Carlos Tario** – Brown Trail School of Preaching – Bedford, TX
- Daniel Garza** – Southwest School of Bible Studies – Austin, TX
- Dennis & Beth Johnson** – Chennai Teacher Training School – India

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