



# Belt Line Road Church of Christ

*"...churches of Christ salute you" (Rom 16:16)*  
*Established 33 AD*

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972-790-8606

Web site:  
[www.beltlinechurch.com](http://www.beltlinechurch.com)

## Schedule of Services

### **Sunday:**

Bible Class ..... 9:00 a.m.  
AM Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.  
PM Worship ..... 5:00 p.m.

### **Wednesday:**

Bible Study ..... 6:30 p.m.

## MINISTER

Doug Post

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## ELDERS

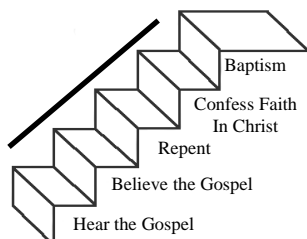
Darrell Allen  
Richard Renfro  
Dean Webb

## SECRETARIES

Janice Daniel & Jerry Grantham  
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## **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)



## **A HEALTHY CHURCH INVOLVES YOU & NEEDS YOU**

**Doug Post**

It would be a good thing if we each could realize how important our individual roles are in the Lord's body – the church. Sometimes we may think that our part in the work is so insignificant that it would not be missed if we did not do the thing that is ours to do. But that is never true. The church of our Lord must have the function of every one of its parts or "members." None are unnecessary; all are vital. We need to be careful we do not sell ourselves short in the Lord's work.

Probably none of us wants the body of the Lord to be crippled or diseased. We want to be a part of a group of people who are spiritually vital. But the church as a whole cannot be what it ought to be unless its individual members recognize the importance of each of their roles.

It is the clear teaching of the Scriptures (Eph. 4:16; Col. 2:19) that **the church is healthy and grows when each member does his part**. There is no member who can truthfully say he or she has no stake in the health and growth of the body. Whatever each does has an impact — for better or worse — on the body. The whole cannot be greater than the sum of its parts.

It so happens that the Lord's work, or at least part of it, is a collaborative work, a group effort. We are stronger, and the work prospers more greatly, when we work together, and each of us needs to see the extent to which our own part of the work is important to the overall effort.

This week, let's devote some attention to the matter of our individual involvement in the Lord's work. As we study the Bible and talk of these things in our families, let's think of how we can serve more actively and fully in the work which is, after all, the greatest in the world.

We are truly blessed to work and worship with fellow members who have much to offer. We need to bring out the best in one another, for the Lord's sake. So let's resolve to find greater joy in our life in the Lord by delving more deeply into the work He has given us.

## FAMILY NEWS:

News at Belt Line Road Church of Christ

Call in your information to the office at:

972-790-8606 by Sunday evening



**Ongoing Health Concerns:** Grady Fowler, Nancy Pond, Jerry Baker, Don Overturf, Paul Hughes, Katherine Cox, David West, Alice Worthy, Jeanene Heilman, Kent Conner, Billy & Veronica Whitfield, Jackye Jewett, Dorris & Janie Walker, Deidra Sutton, Dena Spencer, Tandy Garrett, Tammy Tomlinson

**Home Bound Members:** Gearldean Jones

**Rehab:** Elma Lawrence (room #516) and **Fernando Ybarra** (room #510) – **Villages on MacArthur**  
**Jackye Jewitt** – **Avante** – (room #112)  
**Glen Kelly** – **Christian Care** – (room #118) - (Mesquite, Tx.)  
**Virginia Stull** – **Morada** – (room #B-118) – (Grand Prairie, Tx.)

### UPDATE:

**Geraldean Jones** has been moved to room #2426 at Baylor, Scott and White Hospital. Please keep her and the family in your daily prayers. She is doing much better.

**Eula Hedrick** is home recovering from a procedure that was done on her back.

**Karen Rathbun** will be having foot surgery tomorrow, March 11<sup>th</sup>.

**John Mayer** will be meeting with a heart specialist on March 14<sup>th</sup> regarding his pacemaker.

**Mary Carroll** (Mission Printing) is home sick with the flu.

We have many of our number who are experiencing various health issues. Please keep them in your daily prayers. Daily prayers are also needed for our missionaries, military, first responders and weather-related victims.

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There are **Green Cans** in both foyers to fill with your loose change for **Foster's Home for Children**. The cans will be picked up sometime in December.

There is also new Literature in both foyers. Please take them to read and pass on to friends, relatives and neighbors.

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**REMINDER:** Covid, RSV, the flu and pneumonia cases are rising in this area. Please protect yourself from being exposed. If you don't feel well, please stay in so as not to expose others.

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**MEMBERS:** In the future, if you are approached by a visitor asking for money for food, gas, rent or a place to stay – please refer them to one of the Elders so they can be helped.

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*God uses people who fail – because there aren't any other kind around – Charles Spurgeon*

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**Greeters Scheduled for Sunday Morning – March 16, 2025**

**Front Foyer:** Walt LaHaye & Myrtle Wade

**Back Foyer:** Thomas & Karen Rathbun

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**3/12/25 Wednesday Night Bible  
Study – 6:30 pm**

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Joseph Paul	3/5
Xavier Kaiser	3/6
Don* Overturf	3/7
George Tripp	3/18
Jerry Baker	3/18
Kay Overturf	3/19
David Cofer	3/21

### MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

Don* & Kay Overturf	3/12
Gary & Nadya Workman	3/29

**THOSE TO SERVE ON: March 16, 2025**

**Announcements** – Darrell Allen

**Song Leaders** – a. m. Jerry McKey  
p. m. Jerry McKey

**Prayers** – a.m. George Tripp  
David Cofer

p.m. Darrell Allen  
Richard Renfro

**Scripture Reading** – a.m. Joseph Paul  
Psalm 119:104  
p.m. Charlie Hall  
Hebrews 11:6

**Lord's Table** – (Both Services) Dean Webb & Thomas Rathbun

### **ATTENDANCE & BUDGET NUMBERS**

	<u>3/9/25</u>	<u>YTD Avg.</u>	<u>Goal</u>
<b>Sunday Class</b>	27	28	50
<b>A.M. Worship</b>	48	55	100
<b>P.M. Worship</b>	26	29	50
<b>Wed. Class</b>	29	24	50
<b>Contribution</b>	\$3,391	\$4,517	\$4,890

### MISSIONARIES SUPPORTED

**Willie & Del Gley** – *Ghana/Togo, Africa*  
**David & Paula Tarbet** – *New Milford, CT*  
**Matthew & Emma Idowu Fola** – *Lagos, Nigeria*  
**Rohan & Sandra Jones** – *Cape Town, South Africa*  
**Elangwe & Magdaline Gregory** – *Wotutu, Cameroon*

### OTHERS SUPPORTED

**Christ's Haven Children's Home** – *Keller, Texas*  
**Foster's Home for Children** – *Stephenville, Texas*  
**Mission Printing Worldwide Literature Distribution**

### STUDENT PREACHERS SUPPORTED

**Southeast School of Preaching** – *Trevor Tattersall*

What does it mean to “Fear The Lord” or have a “Fear of the Lord”? Below are various scriptures that will aid in explaining what it is and the blessings and promises for those who do so. Does your life reflect the scriptures below?

*The angel of the LORD encamps all around those who fear Him and delivers them. Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good; Blessed is the man who trusts in Him! Oh, fear the LORD, you His saints! There is no want to those who fear Him. The young lions lack and suffer hunger; But those who seek the LORD shall not lack any good thing. Come, you children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the LORD. Who is the man who desires life, And loves many days, that he may see good? Keep your tongue from evil, and your lips from speaking deceit. Depart from evil and do good; Seek peace and pursue it. Ps. 34:7-14*

*In the fear of the LORD there is strong confidence, And His children will have a place of refuge. The fear of the LORD is a fountain of life, To turn one away from the snares of death. Pr. 14:26-27*

*The fear of the LORD is the instruction of wisdom, And before honor is humility. Pr. 15:33*

*And to man He said, ‘Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom, And to depart from evil is understanding. Job 28:28 (Ps 110:10, Pr.9:10, Pr.1:7)*

*....And by the fear of the LORD one departs from evil. Pr.16:6*

*The fear of the LORD is to hate evil; Pride and arrogance and the evil way, And the perverse mouth I hate. Pr.8:13*

*The fear of the LORD leads to life, And he who has it will abide in satisfaction; He will not be visited with evil. Pr. 19:23*

**Darrell Allen**

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