



Central Church of Christ

September 27, 2009

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY:

Our deepest sympathy to **FRANCES HODGES** on the loss of her niece **Helen Estlack**. She passed away Thursday, September 24th. Services are today, at 2:00 in Clarendon at the First Methodist Church. **JIMMIE SCOTT** for treatment. **DAVID LEATHERMAN** is having trouble with his back. **WES & JOANN HAYHURST'S** granddaughter **Kelly Perkins** is home and doing well. **Trey Morgan** is home and recovering from gal-bladder surgery. **REBECCA COBB** is going to have thyroid surgery tomorrow. Also, her father **George Robinson** fell and cracked his spine. **LELA MAE NEVINS'S** sister **Evelyn Holloway** is not doing well and her other sister **Belle Bradley** is doing better.

Also keep these people in your hearts and prayers:

Bettie Smith, Clayton Williams, Myrtle Jennings, Paul Cox, Evelyn McCrary, John & Frankie Brookins, T.A. & Gene Hayhurst, Jay Weddel, David Tucker, Alvis Miller, Linda Hayhurst, Mabel Sadler and Steve Dickey.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY - "He Speaks To Me"

Beginning Tuesday, September 29th, at 12 noon with Anna facilitating and 6:00 p.m. with Amanda facilitating. It is a six weeks study. There is a sign-up sheet on the activity table for anyone interested.

Happy Birthday!!!

28th-Juanita Ober

29th-Verna Dutton

30th-Alexandria Aguilera

45 YEARS

You are invited to join David Leatherman, his friends and family to celebrate his retirement of 45 years of service from Atmos Energy, Monday, September 28th, 10:00 - 12:00 at the Swisher Memorial Building.

Morning Service

Singing-Toby

Song

Song

Song

REFLECTION & LORD'S SUPPER WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION

Song

Song

Prayer

Song

-Bruce-

"Building Strong Marriages-3"

Song

Announcements-Andy Stewart

Wes Hayhurst

September 28th, Bobby Moudy will be teaching a Financial Peace Seminar at the First United Methodist Church at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Child care will be provided for anyone interested.

WANTED!!!

We need a teacher for ages 3-7 years for the Wednesday night Bible Class. If you are interested please see Ross or Toby.

Records for 7/20/2009

Bible Class: 95 Worship: 135 Contribution: \$6,735

A Word from Bruce

A man went on vacation to the Holy Land with his wife and her mother. While in Israel, the mother-in-law died from a heart attack. The couple went to a local undertaker, who explained that they could either ship the body home which would cost more than \$1500, or they could bury her right there in the Holy Land for only \$150. The man said, "We'll ship her home." Surprised, the undertaker responded, "Are you sure? That's an awfully big expense, and we can do a very nice burial here." The man said, "Look, 2000 years ago they buried a guy here and three days later He rose from the dead. I just can't take that chance."

If your marriage has digressed to the point of "mother-in-law" jokes being the only fulfilling event in your marriage then you might ought to take a look at what is really fulfilling in marriage. Here's a few ideas: Affection, Sexual Fulfillment, Conversation, Recreational Companionship, Honesty and Openness, Attractiveness, Financial Support, Domestic Support, Family Commitment, Admiration.

Steve Zeisler wrote: "In many respects the best biological analogy to marriage is the creation of a life. Man and woman each contribute a cell having 23 chromosomes. The two cells are joined together, and a new human being who has never existed, a unique individual life, is created. In marriage, when two unique individuals, known and loved by God, are given to each other, another sort of life begins. God creates a living thing that never existed before, a unique oneness. And God cares about the life that he calls into being. God made you and me and we matter to him. But if he makes marriages, they also matter to him, and we ought to regard them that way."

Our marriages are special, lets do all that we can to maintain, educate, and support marriages!

See ya at the gathering place,

Bruce

The Power of Christian Fellowship

Youth Corner

by Matt

Teens love to hang out with each other, especially on the weekends and after football games or activities. This can be the best time of your lives when you are with your friends just doing really nothing. We have talked a lot about relationships, and how important they are in our lives. We stress that when you choose your relationships make sure that whoever you have that relationship with it is great Christian fellowship. It is almost impossible to underestimate the importance of Christian fellowship. When you join with fellow believers in worship and praise, you enrich their lives in the same way that they enrich yours.

Christ promised that wherever two or more are gathered in His name, He is there also (Matthew 18:20). So let us gather together in the presence of Christ and worship Him with thanksgiving in our hearts, praise on our lips, and fellow believers by our sides.

How good and pleasant it is when brothers can live together. Psalm 133:1

We had a great time at SNL last Sunday night in Childress. We are looking at going to a hockey game October 18th. If you are interested let me know. We need 10 to get a discount on tickets.