

NEWS FROM SHERWOOD

WELCOME

We welcome you to the Sherwood Church of Christ. Our ushers will be giving you a packet with information about this congregation. Within the packet is a visitor's card, which we would like for you to fill out and place in the contribution tray later in the service. Again, thank you and welcome! We invite you back for services Sunday evening at 5:00 and Wednesday evening for Bible classes at 7:00.

NURSERY FACILITIES

An attended nursery is available on the west side of the foyer for infants through two years.

ATTENDANCE CARDS

Please remember to fill out an attendance card and place it at the end of the pew. Thanks!

MNETM

The last *Monday Night for the Master* for 2015 will be held tomorrow evening at 6:00 in the MPB. The menu is *tamales*.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Will resume on January 12, 2016.

FOSTER'S CANS

We appreciate everyone who took a can to save their change for the children's home. The cans will need to be turned into the office by December 20.

CONGRATULATIONS!

- ♦ Dean & Alice Cartwright celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on December 8.
- ♦ Elmer & Brenda Cates celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on November 29.

CAROLING

Come join area wide youth for Christmas caroling this afternoon at Buena Vida at 3:30 (3800 Englewood Ln.) and 4:00 at Madison (5001 Office Park Dr.) Come out and enjoy some Christmas carols. - David Burton

THANK YOU

Thank you so much for the contribution to Odessa Christian in honor of Russell. We appreciate it so much. Sherwood family, thank you for the abundance of cards of encouragement that keep coming. They mean so much.

*Love,
Minnie Lois & family*

FOR THE FAMILY!

Plan to join us for a fellowship meal on Wednesday, December 16th from 6:00 - 6:40 p.m. in the MPB. The menu is Lasagna. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer or call the office. A \$4 donation is appreciated.



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Brandon and Brittany Owens on the birth of their son, Asher Loyd Owens. He was born Friday, December 4. He weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces.

CHRISTMAS PARTY - EVERYONE IS INVITED!

White Elephant Christmas Exchange

December 20, 2015 (following evening service)

At the home of Clayton & Linda Dennis
1415 Emerald

Everyone is asked to bring a finger food to share. Kids also are invited and asked to bring a gift appropriate for both boys or girls.



BABY SHOWER

Please join us for a baby shower honoring Rylea Wilkerson. She is having a boy!

Date: Sunday, December 20, 2015

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Place: The Miller's - 6549 Opal Drive

Registered at: Target and Babies "R" Us



ROOTED STUDENT MINISTRIES

- LTC - **Song leading & Bible Reading at 12:30.** Drama at 1:30; Puppets at 2:30; Art at 3:30; Bible Bowl/Bible Quiz/Chorus at 4:30; Signing for the deaf at 5:30.
- Area Wide - **today.** Please be in the parking lot at 3PM to go Christmas caroling. A meal after evening service will follow.
- Tuesday Fun Day - Dec. 15 - 7:00 PM. Come to the MPB for supper and an evening of fun & fellowship. We will be done at 9.
- Christmas Party - Friday, December 18th. We start at 6PM with supper. Please RSVP for headcount. Guys bring drinks, girls bring sweets. Also, if you would like to participate in the gift exchange please bring a wrapped gender-neutral gift no higher than \$25. Also wear your ugly Christmas sweater for a chance at a cool prize.

• **Prayer List**

- Blackey Adams, friend of the Willey's, throat cancer in MCH -ICU #4.
- Lans Barber, nephew of Pat Sibley, cancer.
- Betty Blount, mother of Howard Blount, is in MCH. She fell and broke her ribs.
- Carolyn Boles is in MCH room 555.
- Michael Cash, brother of Janet Cash, trying to find reason for low blood count.
- Mary Bell Clements is at Madison room 304 recovering from a fractured hip.
- Cathy Connally recovering from cancer surgery.
- Brenda Davis suffering with back pain.
- Keith Davis back and leg pain.
- Freda Decker health concerns - tests on the 14th in Midland.
- Glenda Dickens diagnosed with congestive heart failure.
- Wayne Dickens health concerns.
- Kim Fisher, friend of Sherry Cox, recovering from cancer surgery.
- Eddie Foster is at Madison room 307 B.
- Vicki Gilpin, sister of Steve Henderson, has Rocky Mountain Spotted Tick Fever.
- Denyce Hawk, daughter of Violet Walker, recovering from cancer surgery.
- George Hawk, son-in-law of Violet Walker, having treatments on legs.
- Keith James, nephew of Mavanee Young, in a serious car wreck - multiple injuries.
- Julie Kelly, friend of the Greenfield's, stomach cancer.
- Doug Lain, grandson of Betty Lain, health concerns.
- Ruth Laughery, friend of David Burton, health concerns.
- Ron Marshall, father of Adam Marshall, recovering from dog bites.
- Buddy Martin is in MCH ICU #7 following surgery.
- Donna Massey is in Houston to see a specialist.
- Rose McCleery will be traveling to Austin on December 14 for a procedure.
- Jonathon Melendez, grandson of Ray Calzadias, recovering from broken knee.
- Jay Motley, neighbor of Jimmy & Vicki Kiker, health concerns.
- Steve Nelms is at home recovering from surgery.
- Dorothy Powell is at Madison Medical Resort for rehab - room 405.
- Gwen Roberts is in rehab at Buena Vida room 214 - doing good.
- Ava Skiles is in Buena Vida room 104 B.
- Ken Stamps is in Parks 210 A.
- Melissa Thompson, granddaughter-in-law of Joann Scott, brain tumor.
- Kathy Thorpe is having radiation treatments every day for a month.
- Meta Troutz, sister of Wanda Mims, is at home.
- Coleman Walker, nephew of Essie White, rare kidney disease.
- Violet Walker fell and broke her arm.
- Brenda Wilson, step-mother of Mark Wilson, hospital in San Antonio.
- Kelby Young personal struggles.
- Those struggling with **ongoing health problems**: Amy Anderson, Terry and Ramona Bishop, Don Bowen, Joe Ben Brandenburg, Dean & Alice Cartwright, Flossie Dunlap, Amber Farris, Glen Ford, Jim & Dorothea Howell, R.B. and Lucille Hunnicutt, Allan & Wanda Jeter, Gwen Lackey, Betty Lain, Lisa Lewis, Mary Lumpkin, Buddy Martin, Scott Martin, Londa Medlin, Leonard Ruebush, Doris Whitley, Mark Wilson, Mavie Woods
- **Rest Home Residents**: Carl Denton (Deerings #308B), Marilyn Doughten (Orchard Park #236A), Flossie Dunlap (Orchard Park # 138), Evelyn Edwards (Parks Village #515) Ann Israel (Sherwood Place #128).

OUR RECORD - DECEMBER 6, 2015

Bible Class	186
AM Worship	321
PM Worship	128
Wednesday	120
Contribution	\$16,417.00
Weekly Budget	\$16,700.00
Building Fund Balance	\$434,356.34

Sherwood Pantry

Canned Hams
Vegetables
Soup
Tuna

Nursery Attendants December 20, 2015

Courtney Roemisch
Heather Boykin

Elders

Clayton Dennis
David Dobbs
John Hamrick
Danny Miller
Lynn Money
Matthew Nzere
Fred Wilson

Deacons

Michael Boswell
Darryl Boykin
Roger Cox
Brian Crow
Rusty Eubank
Kevin Farber
Clint Golden
Michael Hall
Brian Irby
Ruben Jacobo
Mark Koehn
Phillip Marquez
Lantz Mills
Bill Morgette
Denver Nelms
Eric Orr
Jon Roemisch
Robin Rutherford
Donny Susan
Kory Willey
Josh Wilson
Roger Winchell
Chad Wood

Ministers

Adam Marshall
Lynn Money
Brandon Owens
Mark Wilson

Missions

Ray Calzadias
61 & Ector - Odessa
Juan Gutierrez
Toluca, Mexico
Fernando Ponce
Panama
Raul Solis
Toluca, Mexico
Jaime Stonestreet
Panama
Ed Wharton
SIBI-Lubbock
Jaret Zepeda
Elizabethtown,
South Africa
Roberto Zepeda
Toluca, Mexico