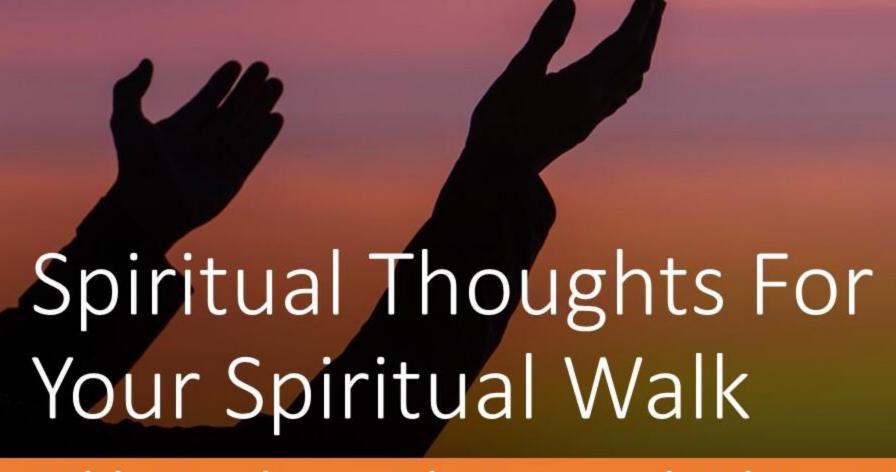
Wednesday, August 9, 2023 Announcements





Bible Studies with Emanuel White, Sr.

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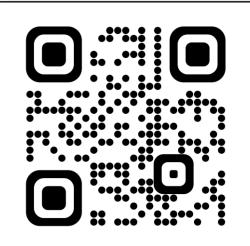
# Member Accountability (In-person AND Virtual)

Attention!

If you have trouble checking in, please stop by the Public Relations

Ministry Table for help, or to get checked in.

Thank you!



Scan the QR Code, or text the word CHECK to (817)563-7171
Then click the link.

(Each time you attend worship or classes.)

For accountability purposes, the link for each service/class is open for check-in until

MIDNIGHT

each time.

#### Our Vision

The Church of Christ in Forest Hill bringing glory to God by transforming lives through active evangelism, compassionate service, inspired edification and relevancy.

#### Our Mission

The Church of Christ in Forest Hill is committed to glorifying God and actively sharing the Spirit of Christ with all mankind by effectively equipping ourselves with spiritual development, fellowship, Christian compassion, and stewardship.





Spread the Word Difundir la palabra

Church of Christ in Forest Hill
Conducts
In-person Sunday Worship
Service in Spanish
Sundays: 10:00 a.m.
Minister: Bro. José G. Martinez

Iglesia de Cristo en Forest Hill
Conduce
Servicio de adoración Dominical
Presencial
En Español
Domingos: 10:00 a.m.
Ministro: Hno. José G. Martinez

# World Bible School Spreading God's Word throughout the World!

- Are you interested in working with this evangelistic effort?
- Please contact Bro. Roscoe Rhodes or Bro. Walford Jones for more information.





### Please Note!

The deadlines for submitting announcement requests to be published are as follows:

- Saturday, 6 p.m. for Sunday published announcements
- Wednesday, 2 p.m. for Wednesday <u>published</u> announcements

Only approved announcements will be published. Approved announcements submitted after the deadlines will be announced at response time, if possible.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

# Suggestions for New Elders/Deacons at FHCOC Closing on Aug. 27, 2023

- The link to suggest new leaders (elders and deacons) will close on Sunday, August 27, 2023.
- Members, please make sure your suggestions are submitted by this date.
- If you are having trouble with completing this process, please contact our church office at 817-563-7171 or stop by the Public Relations table in the back of the auditorium for help.





# Fellowship Dinner for Membership Group F - H

This event will be held on Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 p.m.

Please sign up, if you plan to attend. You may call the church at 817-563-7171 to confirm your desire to attend or see Bro Walford Jones.

We look forward to sharing the Joy with you on this date!



# 2023 Homecoming, Gospel Meeting, and Musical

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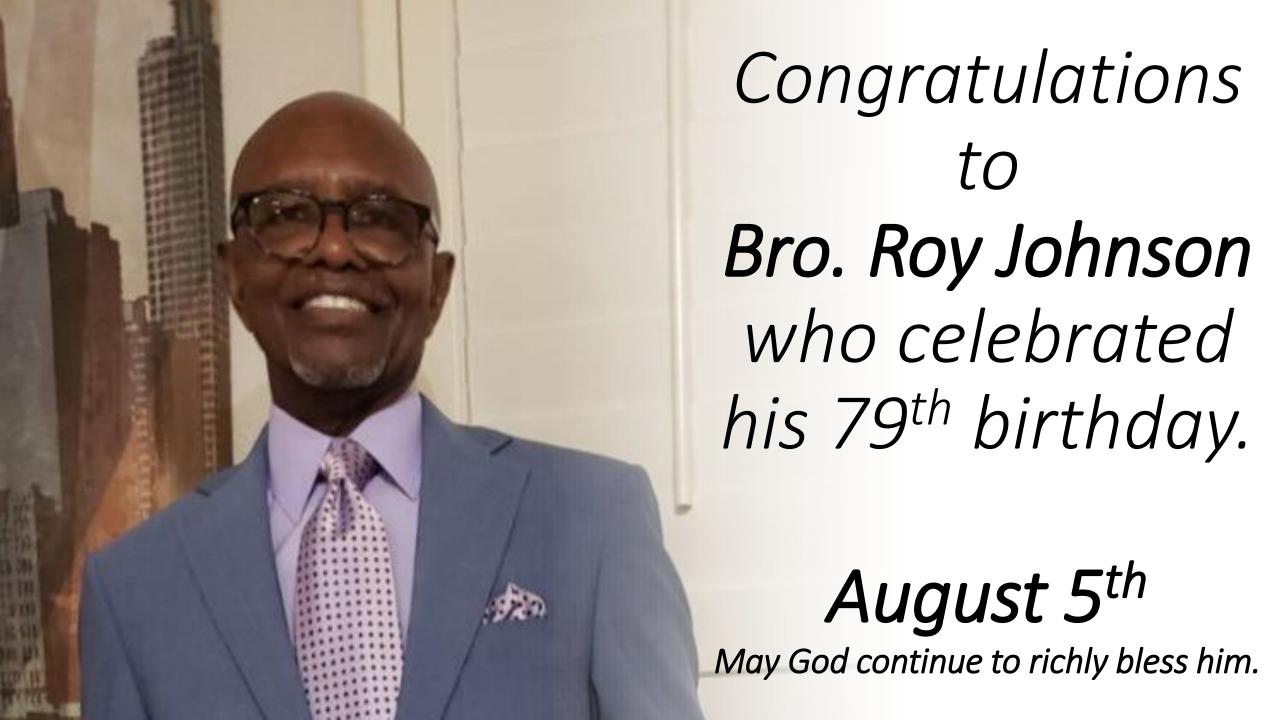
More to follow...

Sat., 10/7/2023 Forest Hill Singers' Musical, 5:30 p.m. Sun., 10/8/2023 Homecoming services -10 a.m. & 2:30 p.m. Mon. thru Wed., Gospel Meeting, 10/9 thru 7 p.m. nightly 10/11/2023

Happy Birthday to Bro. Kenneth Johnson who celebrated his 71st birthday on Sat., Aug. 5<sup>th</sup>.

May God continue to richly bless him.







Congratulations to Bro. & Darwynn and Sis.
LaTres Cole who celebrated their 29<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

We, as a congregation share the sentiments of Bro. & Sis. Warren & Berrie Mitchell when they write,

"Let's congratulate them and may God bless them to see many more years together."





### Gratitude

Kendall R. Patterson and the Patterson family wish to express their love for everything the Forest Hill family has done for them.

### Gratitude



Words cannot express how grateful I am to have found this church home. I have made lifelong friends here and met so many mentors. And I have learned so much from so many.

I hope to carry these lessons with me as I start my journey at the Univ. of North Texas.

This congregation has a way of making its members feel like family – and I love this family so much. I love each and every one of you.

Thank you, Forest Hill, for being an important part of my journey.

Sincerely, Jordan Montgomery

### Gratitude

Thanks to all of you, Church family, Women of Wisdom (WOW class), and FHCOC Leadership for all the love and encouragement for the book signing event, Love,

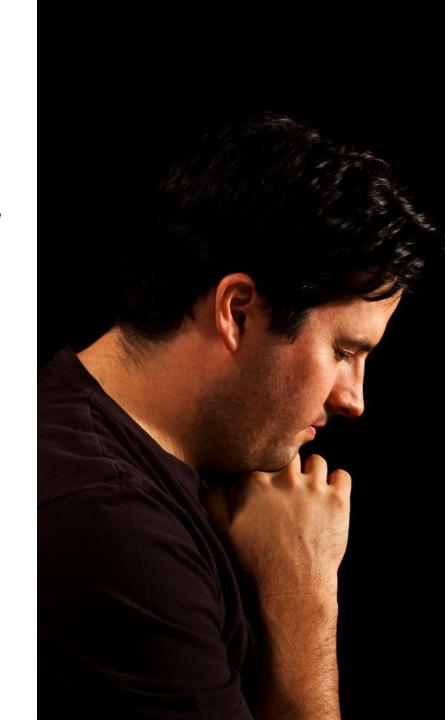
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- Sis. Mattie Brewer (requesting "much" prayers for those of us who are returning to work this week for safety and blessings each day)
- Sis. Michelle Brewer (for her grandchildren who are ill; for her entire household)
- **Bro. James Cothron** (grace for Bro. & Sis. Woods; recovery for Bro. Embry Thrower of San Diego)

- Sis. Sandy Croeze of Louisana (for continued chronic health issues; she appreciates everyone at Forest Hill Church of Christ thank you so much)
- Sis. Madison Corzine (for a successful year at Spelman College)
- Sis. Shalunda Corzine (grace)
- Sis. Renee Cullen (grace)
- Sis. Camille Davenport (for healing)





- Sis. Marva Easter (for improved health so she may return to in-person worship; for her family relations)
- Sis. Ny'Quasha Gipson (continued prayers for her; her position as a Christian mom and wife; her family)
- Sis. Crystal Green (for her mother, Alma Caldwell as she faces health challenges)
- Sis. Sherian Hayward (for her health and her family)

- Sis. Dorace Ogwuegbu (continuous prayers)
- **Bro. LaJohn McDonald** (for grace; for his wife, Sis. Patrice McDonald, who is ill)
- Sis. Rochelle Mukes (for healing)
- Sis. Chandar Nevils (for the Hodge family in the loss of their mother)
- **Sis. Jacqueline Pitts** (for family friend, Sherry, of Houston in the loss of her husband, Paul Simmons, who passed on Friday, Aug. 4<sup>th</sup>.





- **Bro. Larry Kimble (our deacon)** (for healing and special prayers for his family)
- Sis. Brenda Thomas (for her family; thankful for answered prayers)
- Sis. Angelia Williams (for her mom, Dorothy Hayes, for recovery from recent surgery)
- Bro. Billie Young (our elder) and his wife, Sis. Gladys Young (for healing)

- Bro. Kendrick and Sis. Shanita Widemon & family (grace)
- Prayers for **all students** beginning the new school year, Pre-K through College. May God bless all with a productive, beneficial, and safe school year.
- Prayers for **all who are traveling**. May God bless them to their destinations and back home safely.

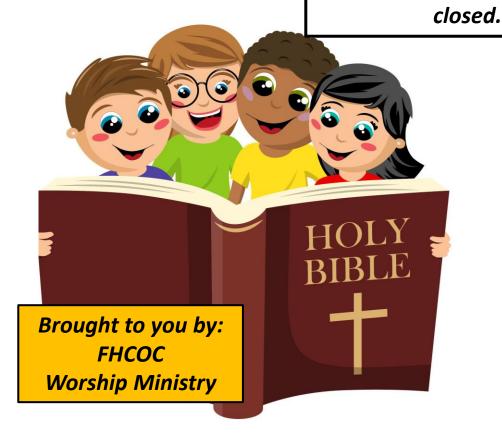


# Attention Parents!

If you have a child between the ages of 4 through 9, please bring them to the Children's Bible Hour Class during the worship service (in the classroom next to the nursery).

The class is designed to enhance a solid Biblical foundation in our children by reinforcing the stories and books of the Bible for spiritual growth.

Note:
Our Youth Ministry's
Children's Worship meets on
4th Sundays. When Children's
Worship meets, we will be



See Sis. Shanita Widemon for details.

### Distribution of Food to the Community

FHCOC Food Pantry in partnership with Tarrant Area Food Bank will distribute food to the community.

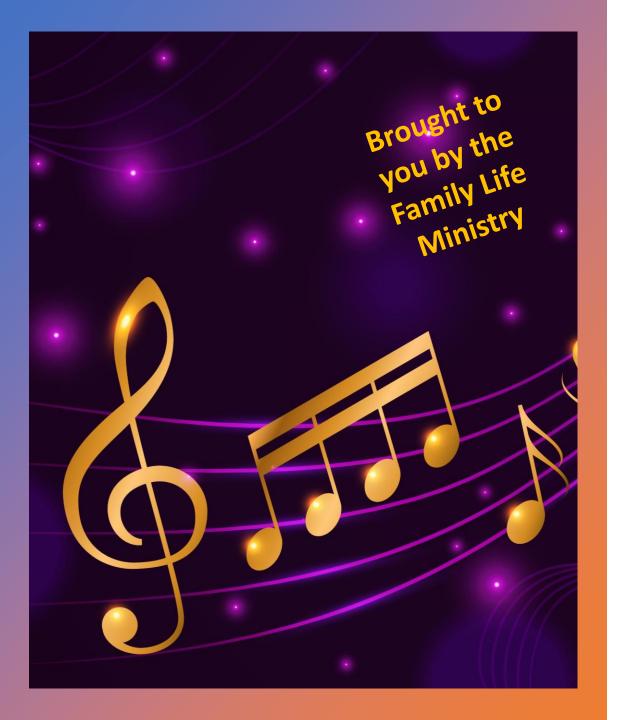
Every <u>3rd Monday</u> of each month From 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. (or until supplies last)

Next distribution date is August 21, 2023

*More information:* 

Contact Bro Henry Johnson or Bro & Sis Cliff and Kim Simril





#### News from the Forest Hill Singers

**Practice:** Sun., Aug. 13, 2023, 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Conf. Rm. B

# Practice for Pre-Schoolers through High Schoolers:

Sunday, Aug. 6, 2023 5:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m.

Please Note: We will not be accepting new singers from Sept. through Dec. 2023.

More info: See Bro. Willie Lynch or Sis. Alma Hills

- Sat., Sept. 9, 2023 City Wide Youth Picnic
- Sun., Sept. 10, 2023 Worth Hills Homecoming
- <u>Sun., Oct. 1, 2023</u> Piedmont Homecoming (Gilmer, TX)
- Sat., Oct. 7, 2023 Forest Hill Musical
- Sun., Oct. 8, 2023 Forest Hill Homecoming
- Sun., Oct. 15, 2023 Lake Como Homecoming
- <u>Sun., Nov. 5, 2023</u> New York & Leuda 1st Sunday Fellowship
- Sun., Nov. 12, 2023 East Pointe Homecoming
- Sun., Dec. 3, 2023 Ave K Homecoming





### Assessments Class begins Sunday, Aug. 13, 2023!



• What: The Spiritual Gifts Assessment is a tool that leads members into discovering what God has designed for them to do. By going through the class and taking the assessment, they can then, with surety, work in the church, fulfilling their responsibility to each other and following God's commands for them.

• When: Aug. 13, 2023 - Oct. 1, 2023

• Time: 8:45 a.m. – 9:45 weekly

# Did you know?

# August is National CHILDREN'S EYE HEALTH & SAFETY MONTH



Brought to you by: FHCOC Care Team Ministry

#### Children's Eye Health and Safety

Healthy vision contributes to children's school readiness, ability to learn, overall healthy development, and ability to reach motor developmental milestones. One major component of eye health is the concentration of screen time use and its effect on vision.

- **BLINK 20-20-20**, is an acronym that's a useful tool to help prevent screens from damaging children's eyes and vision. These same tips are good practices for adults and anyone suffering from chronic dry eyes or eye strain.
- **B BLINK:** Blinking helps moisturize the eyes. Set a 20-minute timer and, when it goes off, look at an object 20 feet away for 20 seconds while blinking and relaxing the shoulders and neck muscles. This will force the eyes to reset, refocus and relax.
- L LUBRICATE: Lubricate your eyes throughout the day. Artificial tear ointment at night may be helpful as well. If
  you wear contact lenses, try wearing glasses to reduce dryness while using electronic devices. If your house is dry,
  consider using a humidifier.
- I INCHES AWAY: Keep the computer or desk an arm's length away and at a slight downward angle from your child's face. Adjust the computer screen's settings, including contrast and brightness, so that it is comfortable for your children.
- **N NEAR DEVICE BREAKS:** Encourage children to go outside or play with a pet, sibling, or non-electronic toys when taking breaks from online learning or computer use. Or look out the window for 20 seconds after completing a level in a video game. Pre-mark books with a paperclip every few chapters to remind your child to look up. On an e-book, use the "bookmark" function for the same effect.
- **K KNOW YOUR SOURCES:** Rely on eye health information from trusted sources, including your child's pediatrician, pediatric ophthalmologist, or the American Association of Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus.

Source: American Academy of Ophthalmology



# Forest Hill is expanding its social media presence!

If you would like to work with this expansion through training and collaboration, please sign up at the P.R. table in the back of the auditorium, or email the Public Relations Ministry at public.relations@fhcoc.org

More information: See Bro. Walford Jones, Sis. Alma Hills, Bro. Clifton Johnson, or Sis. Jacquana Johnson

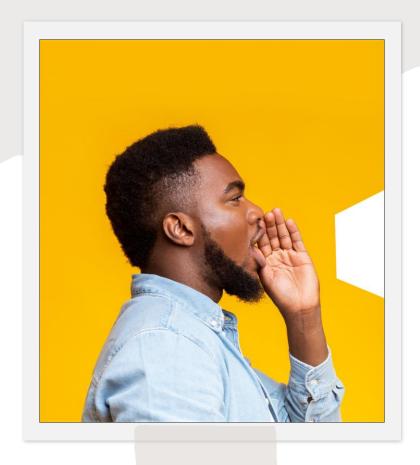


# Attention Ladies!

The Tuesday Night Ladies Bible Class is canceled due to the summer break until September 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

Questions, please call 817-563-7171

# Attention Brothers



Please join the Worship Ministry Coordinator, Bro. Kenneth Johnson, each Sunday morning for a morning briefing and prayer at 9:45 a.m. in the Overflow Room.

#### **August Servers**

<u>Scripture</u>: Bro. Jeffrey Davis <u>Prayer</u>: Bro. William Woods <u>Giving/Communion</u>: Bro. <u>Andrew Simmons</u>

# Back-to-School Supplies Giveaway Distribution will be August 12<sup>th</sup>, 8 a.m. – 12 noon

# Supplies will be given away Saturday, August 12, 2023.

For more information, contact Bro. Lawrence Thorns, Sis. Euwanda Thorns, or Sis. LaTrenda McFail

As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.

Galatians 6:10



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# Save the Date! Forest Hill Church of Christ Men's Retreat

*When*: September 7 − 9, 2023

**Where**: Hilton Garden Inn, Grandbury, TX

Cost: \$50 per person

Deadline for payment: Sun., Aug. 6, 2023

(You must have your room by Aug. 6, 2023)

See the registration form for hotel information.

For more information, submitting your \$50 payment, and/or securing your hotel room, please see Bro. Vallo Cross, Bro. Clifton Johnson, or Bro. Lawrence Thorns



#### TEXAS WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT CONFERENCE

We made special plans just for you. Don't miss out!

#### FRIDAY

Welcome Reception

Opening Ceremony (w/theme: Come As You Are) "TWEC's Got Talent" Showcase



**Evening Gala Theme:** "Shine Bright Like A Diamond" (denim and diamonds attire)

#### **SATURDAY**

**Morning Workout** 

Topic: "I am" What I Am - Being Content with Who God Called You to Be and Do" w/ Guest Speaker Ebony Yong Topic: "I am" By His Grace - Learning to Appreciate the Magnitude of God's Grace w/Guest Speaker Sarah Brooks TWEC Table Talk - w/friends: Saquoya

Fentress and Iris Kuku

#### SUNDAY

**Morning Workout** Bible Class w/Presenter Jenequa Eldridge **Worship Service** 

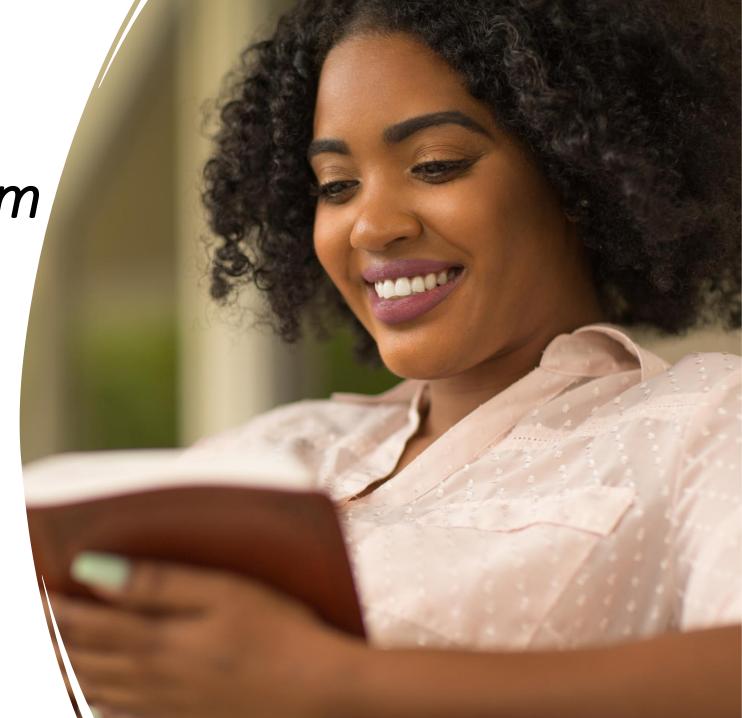
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East Main Street Church of Christ Ladies Day Program

• When: Saturday, August 26, 2023

• *Time:* 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

• <u>Where:</u> HFV Wilson Community Center, 625 E. Main St., Ardmore Oklahoma





Singles,

Please join us for the 47th National Christian Singles Seminar. This year's event will be hosted by the North Las Vegas Church of Christ.

The seminar will be held September 1-4, 2023, at the Orleans Hotel in the fabulous city of Las Vegas.

#### You can register on the NCSS website. (churchofchristness.com)

Or you can mail in your order with the enclosed registration form. Please make all checks and money orders out to Church of Christ.

Prices for registration are as follows:

Late registration: August 1 - August 31; \$220.00

On-site registration: September 1 & 2; \$230.00

Only cash or card will be accepted for on-site registration.

The itinerary will include:

Friday - Meet & Greet (which includes food) and games

Saturday - Workshops, a panel discussion, and banquet

Sunday - Worship service, free time to explore Las Vegas

Monday - Swimming, a bowling event, and prizes

Come out and join us as we learn more of God's will and His way, while we are "Living Single" in the Lord's Kingdom.

We're looking forward to seeing you in Las Vegas. Bring a friend.

For questions: Email – ncssgeneral@gmail.com or call (702) 758- 4408. (9:00am – 6:00pm PST)

Sis Kim Lewis, Publicity/Advertising

North Las Vegas Church of Christ

### Save the Date! 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Women of Purpose Conference

When: Oct. 6 - 8, 2023

**Where**: Courtyard Marriott, Carrollton

**Registration Fee**: \$175

**Deadline for payment**: Sun. 8/6/23

<u>Theme</u>: "Just When I Thought My Praise Was Not Good Enough, God Said...Yes!"

To register for this event, please visit <a href="https://www.godswomenofpurpose.org">www.godswomenofpurpose.org</a>



For questions, please email <a href="mailto:gwopconf@gmail.com">gwopconf@gmail.com</a>



This half-day seminar will offer peer support and resources for family caregivers and healthcare professionals.3.0 CEU credits or Nurses, Social Workers, CCM/ACM, and LPC



**August 19, 2023** 



9 AM - 2 PM



TCC Trinity River Campus 300 Trinity Campus Circle Fort Worth, TX 76102



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### Ladies Day Program

• When: September 23, 2023

• Time: 9:30 a.m., registration begins at 8:30

• **Topic:** Sisters Knit Together: Follow Workers in the Kingdom

Guest Speaker: Karla Sparks

• Location: Brown Trail Church of Christ, 1801 Brown Trail, Bedford, TX 76021

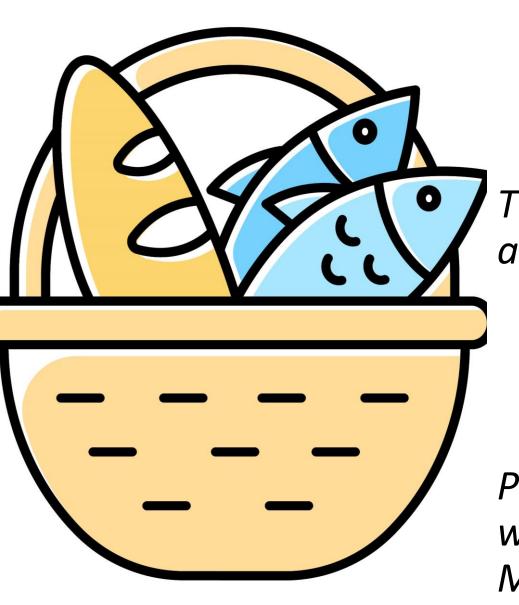
• **Meals:** Continental Breakfast and Lunch provided

#### Van Ministry (The van is currently running only on Sundays)



- Members, if you wish to ride the van on **Sunday morning, please leave a message by 9 p.m. on Saturday evening**.
  - The van phone is not consistently monitored, so please call only once for a pick-up request.
  - Please call to cancel any requested scheduled pickup for which you will not be riding.
  - A van driver will call you Sunday morning with a scheduled pick-up time for worship.

Van phone number: 817-300-3819



### Fish & Bread Ministry

The Fish & Bread Ministry is designed to assist with meals on a short-term basis for:

- mothers that have just given birth, and
- members that are currently incapacitated and need assistance

Please contact the Administration office with your request and the Coordinator, Sis. Monica Cross will contact you directly.



## Recently Baptized? Attend New Convert Classes!!!

Sunday mornings at 8:45 a.m.

Contact Elder Walford Jones for more information about the Sunday class.

Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Contact Elder Ed Henderson for questions about the Wednesday class.

### 2023 Elders Membership Assignments List

This list is being provided so that our members can have a point of contact if they should have questions or concerns. Due to COVID - 19, this list was last updated in 2020. Under normal conditions, it's updated annually.

Elder	Member's Last Name Begins With	
Bro. John Flenoid	U – Z	0
Bro. Ed Henderson, Sr.	A - B	
Bro. Henry Johnson	C — E	
Bro. Walford Jones	F — H	
Bro. Andre Landrum	I – K	
Bro. Roy Whatley, Sr.	L – P	
Bro. Billy Young	Q-T	



#### Schedule of Activities – Sundays

Date & Time	Activity	Contact Person(s)	<b>More Information</b>
Sundays, 8:45 a.m.	Sunday Bible Study In-Person for all ages (No Stream)	Bro. Roscoe Rhodes (General adult class) Bro. Andrew Simmons (All ages)	817-563-7171, public.relations@fhcoc.org
Sundays, 9:45 a.m. (Announcements - 9:45 a.m. Worship Service-@10:00 a.m.)	Announcements/Worship In-Person, and streamed on <a href="mailto:fhcoc.org">fhcoc.org</a> , f, & Zoom Phone	Bro. Roy M. Whatley, Sr.	817-563-7171, roy.whatley.elder@fhcoc.org
Sundays, 10:00 a.m.	In-person Worship Service (English & Spanish) Servicio de adoración dominical	Bro. Roy M. Whatley, Sr.	817-563-7171, roy.whatley.elder@fhcoc.org



Schedule of Activities – Tuesdays through Saturdays

Date & Time	Activity	Contact Person(s)	More Information
Tuesdays, 9:45 a.m.	Women of Wisdom (WOW) Bible Study  1st, 2nd, 3rd Tuesday: On Zoom  4th Tuesday: In-person.  5th Tuesday: Local activities, if scheduled.	Sis. Marsha Landrum Sis. Brenda Thomas	
Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study In-Person only	Bro. Henry Johnson	817-563-7171, public.relations@fhcoc.org
*Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	The Tuesday Night Ladies Bible Class This class is on sabbatical until Tuesday, September 5, 2023.	Sis. Doris Henderson	
Wednesdays, 6:45 p.m.	Wednesday Bible Study for all ages In-Person Adult Bible Class only is streamed on fhcoc.org, f ,	Bro. Emanuel White, Sr. (General Adult) Bro. Andrew Simmons (All ages)	

#### Resources

Resource	Information
Church Website	• www.fhcoc.org
Submit a Prayer Request	<ul> <li>Call the church phone: 817-563-7171</li> <li>Text the church cell: (682) 234-7822</li> <li>Email: <a href="mailto:church.office@fhcoc.org">church.office@fhcoc.org</a></li> </ul>
Emotional Support	ChristianWorks offers Christian Counseling for members at a discounted rate of \$25/session. For a confidential referral email: <a href="mailto:fhcoc.cwc@gmail.com">fhcoc.cwc@gmail.com</a>
Giving Options	Website: https://fhcoc.org/other/give Text: (817) 373-5370 Zelle: church.office@fhcoc.org U.S. Mail Church of Christ in Forest Hill 3916 Forest Hill Circle Forest Hill, Texas 76140



# Email Updates Please Note

Church Office <a href="mailto:church.office@fhcoc.org">church.office@fhcoc.org</a>

Bro. Emanuel White, Sr. emanuelwhite@fhcoc.org

Moving forward, please use these email addresses when emailing our church office or Bro. White.

Thank you!



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