Announcements Sunday, May 28, 2023



Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.

Matthew 7:7

# 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!

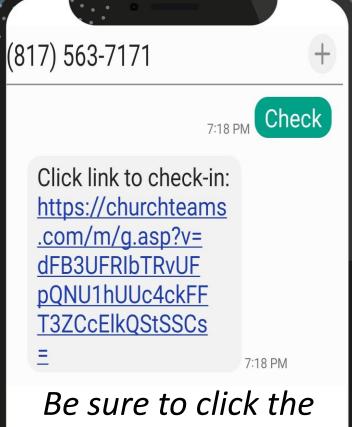


Text the word **CHECK** to

(817)563-7171

Then click the link.

(Each time you attend worship or classes.)



link you receive, then check the service/class you are attending and submit.

#### 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.



**When**: Wed., May 31, 2023

**Time:** 7:00 p.m.

**Where**: At the church building

Let us come together in Prayer and Praise to glorify God for what He has done for us and petition Him for our requests!



"...and the Lord added to the church..." Acts 2:47

We rejoice with heaven!

Bro. Courtney Ray Gardner

was baptized on

Sunday, May 21, 2023



We welcome Bro. Gardner and pray that his Christian journey will be filled with growth in the grace and knowledge of our Lord.



# Happy Birthday to Sis. Kim Simril

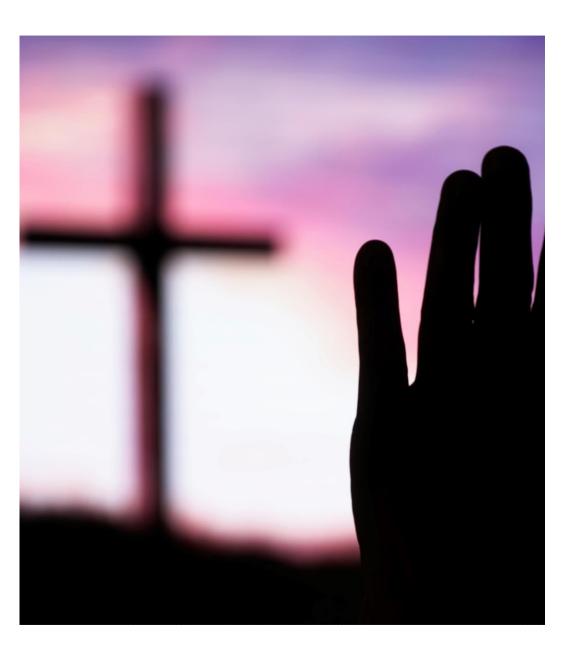
Sis. Simril celebrated her 60<sup>th</sup> birthday on May 20<sup>th</sup>.

May God
continue to
richly bless Sis.
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#### Gratitude

- Bro. Gilbert Bellamy wishes to thank everyone who prayed for him during his illness and those who prayed for his sister, Lt. Col. Terrall Stanley, who has cancer. Please keep both in your prayers.
- Sis. Cheryl McKnight thanks God for her mother, Helen Woods. Sis. Woods recently turned 88! May God continue to bless her.





# Praise Reports!

- **Bro. Jeffery Williams'** outpatient procedure was favorable on Monday, 5/22/23. He is home recuperating well.
- Sis. Renee Craft's father, L. J. Roberson, was released from the hospital. Please pray for the long road to recovery that lies ahead.
- Bro. Vallo Cross is feeling better.
- Sis. McCoy's and Sis. Howard's prayers have been answered.





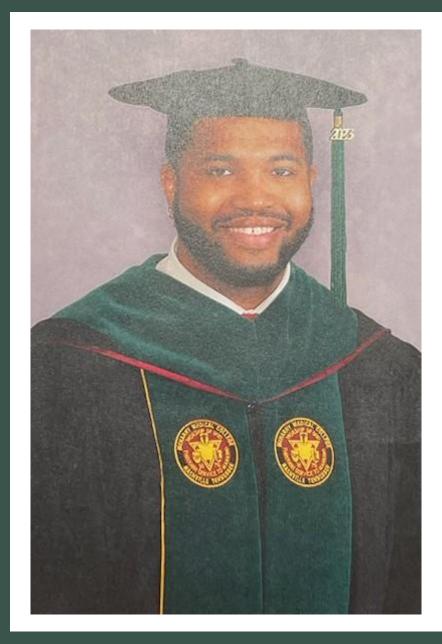


Congratulations to Kennedy Woodard!

Kennedy graduated from Washington University on 5/15/2023.

She received her Master of Science degree in Aerospace Engineering.

She will continue her career as an Engineer at Boeing. She is the daughter of Sis. Sonja Woodard and the granddaughter of Bro. Henry and Sis. Mattie Johnson.



# Congratulations to Dr. Trevor Kwaku Thompson, MD

Dr. Thompson graduated from Meharry Medical College with his doctorate in medicine.

He will be starting residency at Vanderbilt University Medical Center as a physician in their Internal Medicine department.

He is the grandson of his very proud grandparents, Bro. Robert and Sis. Bertha Mitchell. He is our brother in Christ, as he was baptized here at the Forest Hill Church of Christ.



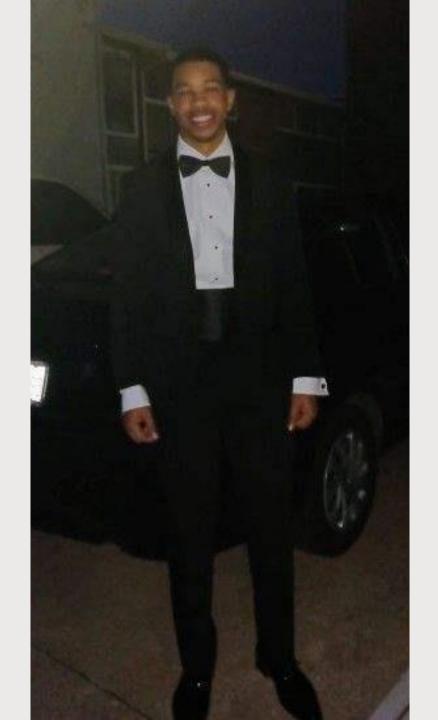
Congratulations! Chloe Reid!

Chloe graduated from high school on 5/27/2023!

of Bro. Mark and Sis. Tricia Reid.







# Congratulations to Zeke Maxwell

Zeke graduated from Denton High School on Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup>.

He will be attending Oklahoma State University, majoring in Chemical Engineering.

Zeke's proud grandmother is our own Sis. Jacqueline Smith. His parents are Bro. & Sis. Waymond and Satawnda Maxwell.



- Sis. Nancy Evans (confession and prayer request)
- Sis. Adrienne Ford (confession and discernment in knowing the direction in her life

- Sis. Angel Givens (for strength, finances, and a family member that needs help)
- **Bro. Joe Hayes, our deacon** (grace as he handles family matters)
- Sis. Charlie Mae Jones (for healing; she is ill)

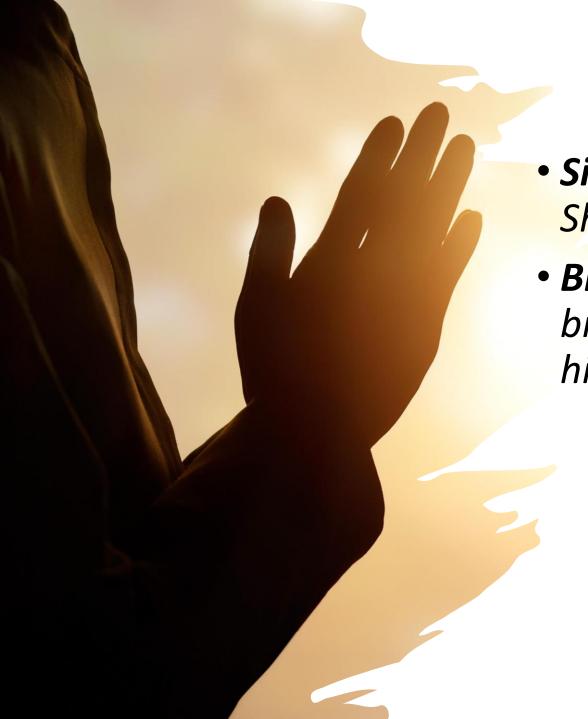




- **Sis. Audra Kingsby** (for herself and her children, Kash and K.J.)
- Sis. Jacqueline Pitts (grace)
- Bro. Rodney Roland (confession and prayer request; prayers for his wife who is struggling with health issues)

- Sis. Irene Ruiz (for continuing to do her assignment; for her son, Steven; for herself in being back on chemotherapy)
- **Bro. James Smith** (grace for his family and he as they gather for his aunt's funeral)
- Sis. Andrea Taplin (continuous prayers for the Taplin family)
- **Bro. Wendell Upshaw** (confession and prayer request; continuous prayers for his family)





- Sis. Charlene Warmsley (for her cousin, Shante with eye complications)
- **Bro. Billy Young**, our elder (for his brother, Herman Young, in the loss of his daughter, who passed 5/13/23)

- Sis. Dorace Ogwuegbu (for renewed health; for God resolving conflicts in her life; continuous prayers for her son)
- Sis. Billie Lang (for health and strength)
- Sis. EuWanda Thorns (for healing of her elderly relatives)
- Bro. Walford & Sis. Opal Jones (for their son, Jonathan, regarding medical issues he is experiencing)





- Sis. Dorothy Lee (special Prayers for Sis. Lee who is suffering with a great deal of pain.)
- Sis. Florence Runnels (she has been admitted to the hospital. Please pray for her and all her caretakers)



We extend our sincere condolences to Bro. Dwight & Sis. Adriane Backus in the loss of a cousin,

#### Clint Backus

who passed away on May 18<sup>th</sup>.

Services were held this weekend in North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Please keep the family in your prayers.

We extend heartfelt condolences to Bro. Billy Young, our elder, in the loss of his niece,

#### Viola Young

who passed Sat., May 20, 2023.

Memorial Service: Sun., June 4<sup>th</sup>, 3 p.m. Greater Zion Missionary Baptist Church 426 U.S. Highway 190 E. Huntsville, TX 77340

Please keep the family in your prayers.



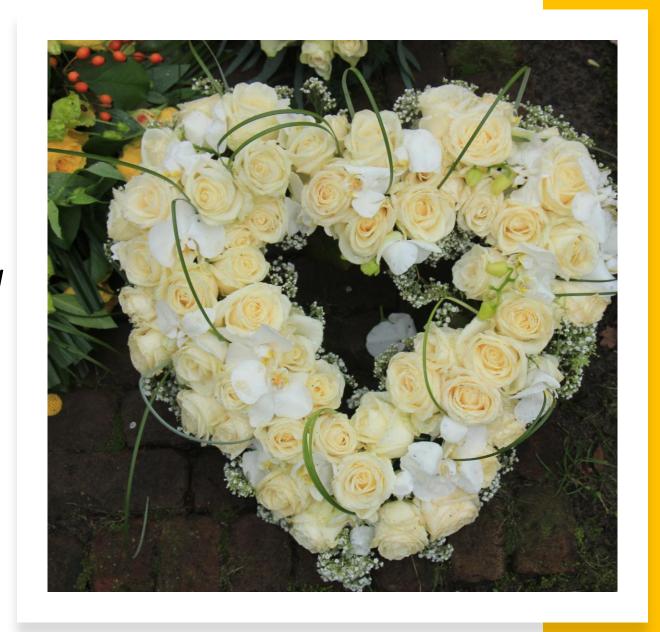
We extend our heartfelt condolences to Sis. Tina Woods and her brother, James Hill, in the loss of her niece and his daughter,

#### Alayah Hill

in a car accident.

Please pray for the 10-year-old daughter who has now lost both parents one week apart.

Please keep the entire family in your prayers.





We extend our heartfelt condolences to Sis. Stacy Johnson and family in the passing of her father,

#### **Travis Johnson**

of Riviera Beach, Florida on Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>

Praise God, he lived to be 90 years old.

Arrangements are to be determined.

Please keep the family in your prayers.



# Children's Worship

Parents of Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade children are cordially invited and encouraged to check their children into our 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday

#### Children's Worship Service

<u>When</u>: Sunday, May 28, 2023

<u>Time</u>: Prior to & during morning worship

Where: Hallway, near the Education Wing

More Info: See Bro. Coyle Allen, Sis. Sherlon Allen or Bro. Jeramie Johnson

# 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).

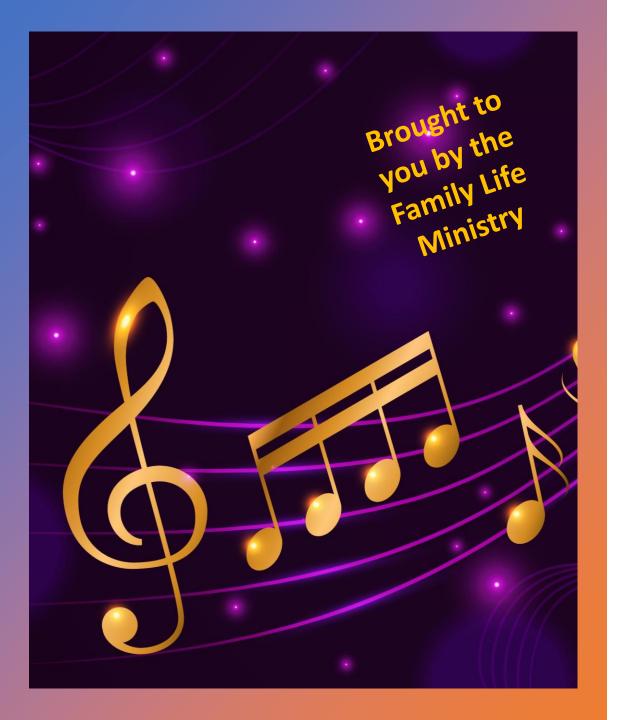
The class is designed to enhance a solid Biblical foundation in our children by reinforcing the stories and books of the Bible for spiritual growth.

Children's Worship meets on 4th Sundays. When Children's Worship meets, we will be closed. **Brought to you by: FHCOC Worship Ministry** 

Note:

**Our Youth Ministry's** 

See Sis. Shanita Widemon for details.



## Forest Hill Singers

Practice held on Sundays
5 p.m.
Conf. Room B

New members welcome.

For more information, please see Bro. Willie Lynch or Sis. Alma Hills





# One Heart Ministry

See Sis. Janie Simmons for more information, or call the church phone at 817-563-7171

# New Members' Luncheon

#### The One Heart Ministry

will host a

New Members' Luncheon

Sunday, May 28, 2023 12:30 p.m.

(After Morning Worship)

Conference Room A

# FHCOC Campaign for Christ 2023



If you are interested, please sign up by emailing Bro. Roscoe Rhodes, Sr. at evangelism.ministry@fhcoc.org or call the church phone at 817-563-7171

When: Saturday, June 3, 2023

Time: 8:30 A.M. to 12 P.M.

• 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

• 9:00 a.m. Devotion Service

• 9:30 a.m. Marching Orders

• 10:00 a.m. Leaving the building to go out into the community

Come and be a part of this exciting event to go out into the community to share the gospel of Jesus Christ.

#### We will need the following personnel:

1. Foot Soldiers 2

2. Clerical Staff

3. Team Captains

4. Van Drivers

5. Teachers

6. Site Coordinator

# Upcoming Fellowship Events!

Plan to attend these fellowship gatherings where we praise God and fellowship with Christians around the Fort Worth area! The Forest Hill Singers are planning to sing at both events.

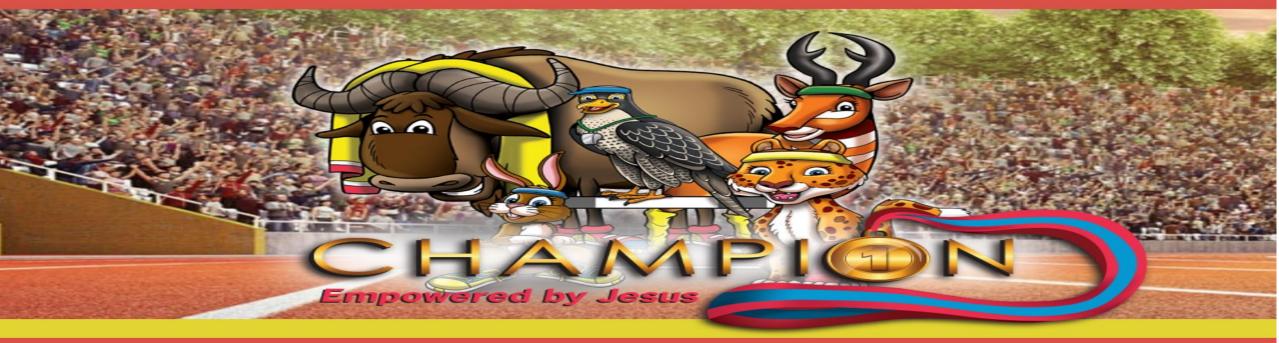
- <u>Sunday, June 4, 2023</u> 1st Sunday Fellowship & Singing
  - Worth Hills Church of Christ
  - 3209 Mckinley Ave, Fort Worth, TX 76106
  - 2:30 p.m.
- Sunday, July 30, 2023 Evening of Worship
  - Southside Church of Christ
  - 2101 Hemphill St, Fort Worth, TX 76110
  - 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.





The Church of Christ in Forest Hill presents:

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



# LET'S BECOME CHAMPIONS TOGETHER!

<u>WHEN:</u>
WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY
JUNE 14TH - 16TH
7:00 - 8:00PM
3916 Forest Hill circle, Forest Hill, TX 76140

FRIDAY NIGHT COOKOUT FOR CHAMPS!!



# VBS Helpers Needed!

If you desire to assist with this year's VBS, please contact Bro. Simmons or call the church phone at 817-563-7171



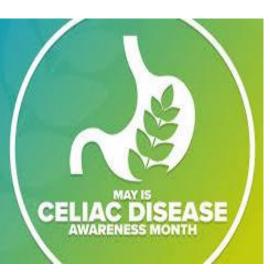
# We Salute our Military Service Men and Women!

Please stop by and see the bulletin board, in the hallway, honoring our service men and women.

Remember to pray for our troops.

Also, if you would like to add a picture of your active-duty family member, please contact **Alice Brown** for more information or call the church phone at 817-563-7171.

## Did you know?



Brought to you by: FHCOC Care Team Ministry

#### **Celiac Disease**

Celiac disease is an autoimmune disease that's triggered by consuming gluten and results in damage to the small intestine. Gluten is a protein naturally found in some grains including wheat, barley, and rye. It acts like a binder, holding food together and adding a "stretchy" quality.

When a person with celiac disease eats gluten, the immune system sees gluten as a threat and mounts an attack. However, it ends up damaging the villi of the intestines, which help to digest food. Damaged villi make it nearly impossible for the body to absorb nutrients, leading to malnourishment and a host of other issues.

Celiac disease is identified with a blood test. If the results are positive for celiac disease, patients usually undergo an upper endoscopy with biopsies as well. An upper endoscopy with biopsies is the gold standard for diagnosing celiac disease.

Currently, the only <u>celiac disease treatment</u> is a strict, lifelong gluten-free diet. A gluten-free diet means avoiding all foods that contain wheat, rye, and barley in all forms.



#### **Attention Brothers**

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

#### **May Servers**

<u>Scripture</u>: Bro. Wallace Hood

Prayer: Bro. William Woods

Giving/Communion: Bro. Lawrence Thorns



### <u>Donate Now!</u> For the upcoming Back-to-School Giveaway

Donate supplies and/or funds for supplies to be given to Forest Hill Church of Christ Pre-K through 12<sup>th</sup>-grade students.

Supplies will be given away in August 2023, but we need your donations now.

To donate, or 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



#### Lecture Series

- <u>When</u>: Sat., June 10, 2023
- <u>Time</u>: 10:00 a.m. − 1:00 p.m.
- <u>Location</u>: Greenville Ave Church of Christ, 1013 South Greenville Ave, Richardson, TX 75081
- **Registration Deadline**: June 3, 2023
- Register at gacoc.org

**Speaker: Jacob Hawk,** Prestoncrest Church of Christ

- <u>Topic</u>: "The Cleansing of the Water by the Word"
  - Ephesians 5:26
- **Speaker: John Hobbs**, Wolfe City Church of Christ
- <u>Topic</u>: "The Gospel That Must Be Heard and Believed"
  - Ephesians 1:13
- **Speaker: Samuel Bailey**, Cedar Valley Church of Christ
  - <u>Topic</u>: "Spread the Gospel, No matter What"
    - Matthew 28:19-20
  - Panel Discussion Following the Last Presentation

#### COVID – 19 Vaccines

Provided by the Tarrant County Public Health Department



Time

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Date

*Friday, June 16, 2023* 

Location

3916 Forest Hill Circle Forest Hill, TX 76140

#### Distribution of Food to the Community

- Family Life Ministry and the FHCOC Food Pantry have partnered with Tarrant Area Food Bank and will be distributing food to the community **every 3rd**Monday of each month beginning July 17th.
- Prior to this grand event we will have SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) representatives here at the building assisting people in applying for the SNAP benefits. **Monday, June 5** will be our kickoff date followed by Monday, **June 19**, and Monday, **July 10th from 10 am until 2 pm**. These services are provided to anyone who is in need. Please spread the word and keep all things in prayer.
- We also need **volunteers starting Monday July 17th** to help make the food pantry a success. We will have a sign-up sheet well in advance prior to our first distribution date for those who are interested. And we want to thank you in advance for volunteering and ask that you pray that God bless our hearts and hands as we do a good work.
- Family Life Ministry/FHCOC Food Pantry
- More information: Contact Bro Henry Johnson or Bro & Sis Cliff and Kim Simril

Remember.... Ephesians 2:10 "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them." NKJV





# Spread the word!

TAFB WILL BE AT

#### **FOREST HILL CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**Every 3rd Monday of Each Month** 

#### TARRANT AREA FOOD BANK

is helping the community sign up for

SNAP, CHIP, TANF, Healthy Texas Woman, Medicaid.

ID required to sign up for benefits.

#### Bring all required documents:

- · Id for all adults in the family
- · Proof of all earned or unearned income
- · Rent or mortgage statements.
- Utility Bills
- Medical Expenses for households with elderly (age 60 or older) or disabled family members
- · Immigration Status

June 5
June 19
July 10
At the FHCOC Building





SCAN THE QR CODE TO MAKE YOUR APPOINTMENT

More information: Contact Bro. Henry **Johnson** or **Bro & Sis** Cliff & Kim Simril

> Brought to you by the Family Life Ministry

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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

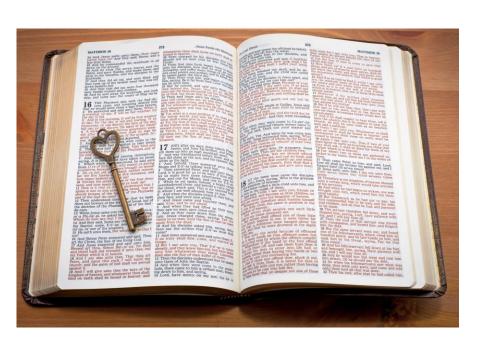
Cost: \$50 per person

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

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

#### Village Creek Church of Christ 2023 Wednesday Night Summer Series



When: Wednesdays, June 7 – August 23

**Time**: 7:30 p.m.

**Theme**: "Death, Judgement and the End of the World"

June lessons will be taught by Gary Workman

June 7<sup>th</sup>: Where do we go when we die?

June 14: The Resurrection

June 21: What About a Thousand Years Reign?

June 28: What about the Signs of Matthew 24?



BREAK THE SILENCE

June 10th

Lake Como Church of Christ

5601 Fletcher

Ft. Worth TX

10:30 AM

## Military Sealift Command is now hiring.





For information about available jobs, go to: https://sealiftcommand.com



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:

Early registration: April 20 - May 31; \$190.00

Regular registration: June 1 - July 31; \$200.00

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>



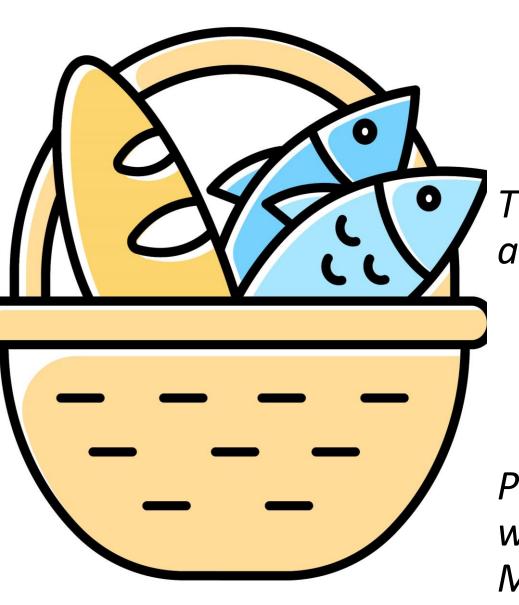
For questions, please email <a href="mailto:gwopconf@gmail.com">gwopconf@gmail.com</a>

#### 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.

100 MEN Enterprise Presents 2023 Empowerment Symposium

Presenters
Veteran Alfred Dixon
Jasmine B. Holiday
Veteran Terry Jenkins

West Dallas Multipurpose Center
2828 Fish Trap Rd.
Dallas, Texas 75212

Empowering Men to be Accountable for their Future!



Saturday

6 | 10 | 2023

10:00AM - 11:30AM

100MEN Enterprises

WORKSHOP

West Dallas Multipurpose Center

2828 Fish Trap Rd. Dallas, Texas 75212

FINISH LINE

@100men.net

YOUTH FOUNDATION

## 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 On Zoom	Sis. Marsha Landrum Sis. Brenda Thomas	
Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study In-Person only	Bro. Henry Johnson	817-563-7171,
*Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	The Tuesday Night Ladies Bible Class On Zoom	Sis. Doris Henderson	public.relations@fhcoc.org
Wednesdays, 6:45 p.m.	Wednesday Bible Study for all ages In-Person Adult Bible Class only is streamed on fhcoc.org, f ,  & Zoom Phone	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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