



Failing To Love Each One Another

Do you try to love everyone at Western Hills? More than just being acquainted with them, loving them. You may think, “I don’t really know them well enough to actually love them,” or “There are just too many people here to know everyone.” But shouldn’t we try? Jesus said that the defining mark of our Christianity would be our love for one another (John 13.34, 35). Why do you think we are told so many times in scripture to love each other? Certainly, the numerous repetitions of the commandment identifies how important it is to God that we possess such love. Do we have trouble loving others? I believe it has a lot to do with how much we love ourselves. That view could go one of two ways. If you love yourself too much and if you are full of pride and selfishness, very few people will meet up to your expectations and you will be very critical of them. You fail to love them because of all the supposed imperfections you see; thus, they are not worthy of your love. We may not go that far, but we are very good at criticizing others and growing very intolerant of people who are not just like us. The other view of loving self is that we are happy and content with who we are as children of God. We are very loving people. Since I am content with myself, I more readily can see the good in others and share my love with them. What makes the difference? Doesn’t it depend on how close you are to God (James 4.8)? Or how much you have grown to be like Christ (I Peter 2.21)? Therein lies the problem, my love for others depends upon my love for God. How much you love others depends on how much you love God. May our love for God and for one another grow this week as we strive to walk faithfully before our God.

Gary

Do You Know?

I John 5.16, 17

- 1) How important is it that we know who we are?
- 2) Does knowing who we are affect the way we live?
- 3) Does it change how we interact with one another?
- 4) What if you see someone you love committing sin?
- 5) How should you respond?

Do You Know...?

I) Should We _____ For All Christians?

- A) A believer can _____ for a brother (I John 5.16).
 - 1) How does a believer intervene for another?
 - 2) There is a sin that **does not** lead to death.
- B) What is sin that does lead to death?
- C) Who is the _____?

II) What Is _____?

- A) John says, "*All _____ is sin*" (I John 5.17).
 - 1) John defines sin negatively.
 - 2) All God's commands are _____ (Psalm 119.172).
 - 3) Previously, John described sin from a positive perspective (I John 3.4).
- B) Sin consists of:
 - 1) that which is _____ (called sins of _____), and
 - 2) _____ to do what is right (called sins of _____).

III) Do _____ Sin?

- A) Paul wrote to the Christians at Rome, "*None is righteous, no, not one*" (Romans 3.10; 3.23).
 - 1) What is the difference between a Christian who sins and a non-Christian who sins?
 - 2) A Christian does not _____.
- B) Who _____ Christians (I John 5.18)?
- C) Who is the _____? Ephesians 2.1, 2; I Peter 5.8; Ephesians 6.11; Colossians 1.13

IV) We Can _____?

- A) We can know that we are _____ of God (I John 5.18).
- B) We can know that we are _____ God (I John 5.19).
- C) We can know that _____ has come (I John 5.20).
- D) Do you know who you are?

Conclusion: Do you need to come to Jesus today?



YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 2PM Bible bowl**
- 3PM live modern drama**
- 4PM puppets**
- 4:30 PM chorus**
- 6PM speech/signing**

EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA

We are hosting an Egg hunt Saturday, April 9. It will be for ages 2 years -5th grade, and we need your Help! You can volunteer in the following ways: we will need individually wrapped candy appropriate for young children, donations of plastic eggs, candy and/or small toys and place it in the bin in the foyer. Please think about who you will invite. If you have any questions please see Gary Williams.



MANUELITO NAVAHO CHILDREN'S HOME is looking for house parents so that they can expand their services and help more kids. If you know of someone who might be interested, their phone number is (505)863-5530.



WORLD BIBLE SCHOOL

March 20, Bill Colwell, from World Bible School church relations, will teach the auditorium class, preach that mornings worship which will be followed by a congregational potluck. At 12:30 Bill Colwell will present a workshop on World Bible School tools.

Sunday Morning Bible Classes: Life of Christ
Auditorium – Russ Bartee
Young Families – Ben Meyer & Les Keele
Young Adults – Matt Sloan



March 13 is when we set our clocks forward 1 hour.

Wednesday Night Schedule

March 9	Be Generous	Ross Tomlinson
March 16		Tom Pauley



**Reading for Sunday, March 13:
Pages 144-174 in the Life of Christ Commentary.**

**FOOD BANK STATISTICS FOR
February 2022
94– Families Served
\$581.84– Cost to WHCOC
5,965 lbs. – Estimated Weight of Food**

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Grief Recovery - Every 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM in Room 107
Ladies' and Men's Class: Tuesday Mornings, 10:00 AM
Small Groups
Game Night, March 11, 6:00 PM
Easter Extravaganza, April 9

SHEPHERDS

Greg Ball 214-801-7375
 Russ Bartee 817-938-5825
 Jay Crook 817-991-3162
 Dan Kille 817-793-7493
 Chuck Meyer 817-448-0060
 *Tom Pauley 817-370-5515
 Ross Tomlinson 682-429-1983
 John Walton 817-441-0000

**Shepherd of the Month*

MINISTERS

Gary Williams: 662-321-3208
Pulpit Minister
 Les Keele: 817-808-0566
Associate Minister
 James Bowie: 817-944-4492
Youth Minister
 John Boudtaroth: 817-891-2132
Laotian Minister
 Ken Intharansy: 817-501-6838
Laotian Minister

DEACONS

Jon Bartee: 817-889-2686
 James Bowie: 817-944-4492
 Brandon Duncan: 903-603-1059
 Jay Garner: 817-205-2070
 Doug Lowrey: 817-249-0238
 Ben Meyer: 817-673-8557
 Robert Scott: 817-246-0911
 Matt Sloan: 405-471-3404
 Steve Taylor: 817-291-2065
 Buck Thomas: 817-733-2620
 Arthur Torrez: 817-721-2726

MORNING WORSHIP (10 AM)

Welcome - Robert Scott

Song Leader - Johnny Bartee

Song - Let Every Heart Rejoice And Sing

Song - Blessed Assurance

Prayer - Michael Lowrey

Scripture - I John 5.16, 17

Song - My Eyes Are Dry

Communion - Matthew Sloan

Dismiss children 3 years - Kindergarten to Children's Bible Time

Song - Standing On The Promises

Do You Know? - Gary Williams

Song - Tis So Sweet to Trust In Jesus

Prayer for the Contribution - Alex Bartee

Song - This World Is Not My Home

Announcements - Tom Pauley

Shepherd's Prayer & Dismissal - Tom Pauley

***CONTRIBUTION:** No collection plates will be passed during worship service today. Instead we ask that you drop your contribution in one of the white boxes as you enter /exit the auditorium. You may also give online or mail your contributions to the building.*

CHILDREN'S BIBLE TIME: We offer a children's class on Sunday mornings during the sermon for kids ages 3 years through Kindergarten. The song leader will dismiss the children at the appropriate time to be escorted to the Bible Time room in the east hallway. We also have an attended nursery during the entire service for those 2 years & under.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, March 7

Joshua 11-13

Tuesday, March 8

Joshua 14-16

Wednesday, March 9

Joshua 17-19

Thursday, March 10

Joshua 20-22

Friday, March 11

Joshua 23- Judges 1

Saturday, March 12

Judges 2-4

Sunday, March 13

Judges 5-7

LAST WEEK

Bible Class:	107	Wednesday:	73
AM Worship:	148	Contribution:	\$ 10,417.63
PM Worship:	55	Budget:	\$ 14,193.04

Times of Assemblies

Bible Class:	9:00 AM
Sunday Morning Worship:	10:00 AM
Sunday Evening Worship:	5:00 PM
Wednesday Evening:	7:00 PM

PRAYER REQUESTS

Members

March 6, 2021

NAME	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Les Keele	Was in a car accident and is now at home healing. 3900 Carman Dr. Fort Worth, Tx 76116	Complete healing and comfort
Betty Baumann	Fell and cracked her back. 3712 Ben Creek Court, Aledo, TX 76008	Healing, pain relief, and comfort
Chuck King	Suffered a heart attack early Sunday morning. 11621 Wind Creek Ct. Aledo, Tx 76008	Thanksgiving that no surgery was required, and for a full recovery.
Jeff Swan	He slipped on ice and tore a muscle in his hip. He will start therapy soon. 1717 High Ridge Rd. Benbrook, Texas 76126	Quick healing
Jean Cox	Personal. 5134 Ledgestone Dr, Fort Worth, Tx, 76132	Better health and peace of mind
Diann Clark	Was diagnosed with cancer. Her doctors have recommended an oral medication for her treatment. 11432 Northpointe Ct, Aledo, Tx 76008	She asked that we pray her doctors have wisdom in her treatments and that she has peace.
Betty Wilcox	Is dealing with pain. 8313 Estandarte Ct, Benbrook, Tx 76126	Prayers for comfort and relief
Frankie Shelton	On March 11 will have a Cat Scan on her hip for diagnosis. 1200 Winscott Rd. Unit B Benbrook, Tx 76126	Comfort and Relief
Sharon Pippin	Had foot surgery and will be in a boot for 6 weeks. 3601 Madrid Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76133	Healing and comfort
Patricia Neislar	Began physical therapy Monday, February 14, to help with falls, weakness, and pain. 7113 Kermit Avenue, Fort Worth, TX 76116	Improved health and adjustment to the wheelchair
Jimmy and Katelynn Bolt	Are looking to foster to adopt a child. 3242 N. Cardinal Road, Reno, TX 76020	Wisdom and guidance as they begin the process of adoption
Lucille Patterson	Is in Clearfork, Room 129 178 Crown Pointe Blvd., Willow Park 76087 817-386-8829.	Comfort and strength
Jodi Gentry	Is adjusting to new medication dosages. 408 Rim Rock Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76108	Better days and improvement
Cheryl Omer	Is in Colonial Gardens Memory Care of Fort Worth. 6939 River Park Circle, Fort Worth, TX 76116 She may have visitors at this time.	Healing, comfort, and peace for Roger and their children
Joe Gentry	Is dealing with the day to day care and treatment of Jodi. 408 Rim Rock Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76108	Strength, patience, and understanding

PRAYER REQUESTS

Family & Friends

March 6, 2021

NAME	REQUESTED BY	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Shawn Kaba, friend of	Judy Vestal	Cancer has returned and is at stage 4.	God's hand of quick healing and comfort.
Patrick Speak, step-grandson of	Gloria Speak	Patrick died during surgery.	Prayers and comfort for the family.
Marsha Wesley	Monty Bowers sister	Just had back surgery and now she has a blood clot close to her heart.	The doctors can dissolve quickly
Nephew of	Sharon Pippin	His wife is from Ukraine and her father preachers in Kieve, Ukraine.	Safety and peace for all in the country, especially the household of faith
Laurie Akin, cousin to	Pat Molder	Had surgery on Feb. 14 to remove a lump on her kidney.	Prayers are requested for a good report
Jane George, sister-in-law of	Betsy Strother	Is recovering from brain surgery and is experiencing spells of amnesia.	Increase health, recovery, and no more amnesia
Kasey King, friend of	Ellen Bartee and Sharon Pippin	He, his pregnant wife, Ashley, and their 2 young children have safely relocated to Buenas Aires as he will be the Assistant Air Attaché for the US Embassy.	Continued safety and ease of relocation
Sheryl Strother		Recent widow and mother who needs a job that will provide for her family.	Job and financial peace
Bob Stapp, father of	Robert Stapp	Recovering from a sinus infection and he lost his wife this month last year.	Comfort during his continued grief and that he be physically healed and strengthened
George Robles, husband to a friend of	Martha D'Anne Bealle	Has 25% heart function. His wife attends West Freeway.	Increased health
Jeffrey Powe, long time friend of The Beagle Family	Dwayne Beagle	Was diagnosed with cirrhosis of the liver.	Healing and peace
Eldon & Alva McCoy, parents of	Randy McCoy	Have left the hospital and are now living in a facility in Abilene. Alva is now on hospice. Eldon is doing well.	Continued recovery for Eldon and peace for Alva and the family
Gary Stevens, brother-in-law of	Les Keele	Has been placed on hospice and has contracted COVID. His wife has also been diagnosed with COVID and strep.	Wisdom for his doctors as they attend to him and his wife; peace for the family
McKenna Martin, great-niece of	Wayne and Linda Tong	McKenna's scoliosis surgery at Scottish Rite Hospital was on February 4. She has returned home.	Continued improvement and mobility.

Teaching Nicodemus and Jesus' First Ministry in Judea

Looking into the Face of Jesus

The Life of Christ, 1: Pages 129-141

Individual Study Guide: Lesson Plan 15

1. Who was Nicodemus?
2. Of what Jewish sect was Nicodemus a member?
3. What was the Sanhedrin?
4. What was the significance of Nicodemus' going to see Jesus at night?
5. What were Nicodemus' misconceptions of the kingdom?
6. What is the meaning of the Greek word amen?
7. When and how is a person born again?
8. What is the nature of Jesus' kingdom?
9. What is the Greek word for "wind" and "Spirit"?
10. What passage is often called the "golden text of the Bible"?
11. What is the kind of faith that saves?
12. What is the greatest trait in the world?
13. Describe belief as the greatest foundation (Hebrews 11:6).
14. What prompted Jesus to leave Judea and go back to Galilee?

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Jesus and the Samaritan Woman

Looking into the Face of Jesus

The Life of Christ, 1: Pages 141-144

Individual Study Guide: Lesson Plan 16

1. What was the common route taken by most Jews from Judea to Galilee?
2. What was the route Jesus took from Judea to Galilee?
3. Why did Jesus have "to pass through Samaria"?
4. How did the Jews view the Samaritans?
5. Where did Jesus meet the Samaritan woman?
6. What were the results of Jesus' teaching the Samaritan woman?
7. Where did Jesus do His greatest work?

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Jesus Starts His Campaign in Galilee:

Focus on His Miracles

Looking into the Face of Jesus

The Life of Christ, 1: Pages 144-148, 159-174

Individual Study Guide: Lesson Plan 17

1. All the apostles were Galileans except for whom?
- 2 In the Gospel Accounts, what country is presented as Jesus' "own country"?
- 3.What is the unusual order of "repent and believe" found in Mark 1:14, 15?
- 4.How many formal meetings were held in the synagogues on the Sabbath?
- 5.Did Jesus ever teach in the synagogues?
- 6.What days were considered "market days" in many of the towns?
- 7.Were Jewish synagogues ever used for informal meetings?
- 8.What is the literal meaning of the term "royal official"?
- 9.How many known healings did Jesus perform from a distance?
- 10.Where in Galilee did Jesus establish His base of operations?
- 11.Did Jesus ever own a house in Capernaum?
- 12 Why were those who heard Jesus "amazed at His teaching"?
- 13.What is the meaning of the Greek word *daimonion*?
- 14.What are demons?
- 15.Who was referred to as "the ruler of demons" in Matthew 12:24?
- 16.Whom did Jesus heal who was related to Peter?
- 17.How large was the province of Galilee?
- 18.What was one of the most dreaded diseases of ancient times?
- 19.Did Jesus keep the law of Moses?
- 20.Who were self-appointed guardians of the Law and the custodians of traditions?
- 21.What is the meaning of the word "blaspheme"?
- 22 How did Jesus prove His authority over sin?
- 23.What was one of Jesus' favorite spots in the vicinity of Capernaum for teaching?
- 24.What was Matthew's occupation?
- 25.How did the Jews regard tax collectors?

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The Great Catch of Fish
Looking into the Face of Jesus
The Life of Christ, 1: Pages 148-159
Individual Study Guide: Lesson Plan 18

1. What were the three stages in Jesus' call to discipleship?
2. What is another name for the Sea of Galilee?
3. What are the similarities mentioned in the Synoptic Accounts of the call of Jesus' disciples?
4. What were the occupations of the first four men whom Jesus called?
5. What men would become Jesus' special "inner circle"?
6. What is one of the most commonly used terms used for a follower of Jesus?
7. What is the meaning of the Greek word *mathetes*?
8. What is the meaning of the word "disciple"?
9. How does Luke alone use the Greek word *epistates*?
10. What was Peter's response to Jesus after the great catch of fish in Luke 5:8?
11. What did Peter and the other disciples give up in order to follow Jesus?

March Birthdays

1 Stephen Myers
2 John Larson
3 Beverly Forgey
4 Jim Gilbert
5 Johnny Bouapraseth
7 Adriana Torrez
8 Gladys Hendrich
8 Charles Kite
11 Mike Whitacre
13 Maureen Thomas-Traylor
14 Ethan Porter
17 Amy Bartee
18 Bea House
20 Dianne Myers
20 Steve Taylor
21 Mark Musselman
22 Betsy Strother
22 Karen Taylor
23 Glenn Baird
23 Lucian Richardson
23 Lisa Williams
27 Chloe Williams
29 Monty Bowers

Children's Birthdays

16 Bella Gilbert
24 Maddox Duncan
26 Selah Garner
27 Brena Thomas

