



A Prayer for Fathers

Our Heavenly Father
Today, we pray for all the fathers in
our lives
For those who are able to be with their
children and love ones
And the fathers who are separated by
moments and miles
Thank you for teaching us what it
means to be a father
For giving us all the fathers in our lives
who raise their own
And men that support, mentor and are
a role model for others
For the wisdom and strength they
offer when times are tough
For their compassion and patience
when we as children so often fail
For the gentle words and quiet
understanding that brings peace
We know all these things come from
you, Lord
Today may be joyful for some and hard
for others
Father to the fatherless, you have the
power to heal
Bless this day and embrace us in your
mercy

Amen

Superheroes!

Ephesians 6.10-13

1. Happy Father's Day!
2. Have you watched any of the superhero movies lately?
3. Why do we find superheroes so interesting?
4. Dads may not have superhero strength or be able to leap tall buildings in a single bound, but dads are their children's first superhero!

Dads, Are You Superheroes When Your Children Are...

I. _____?

- A. Dads, your children are a _____ (Psalm 127.3-5).
- B. As superheroes, you _____ your children.
 1. Do you little children feel _____ and _____ when you are around?
 2. Are you a giant in your child's life?
- C. Fathers, show your _____ genuine love (Eph. 5.25).
 1. Your wife is not just your wife—she is the mother of your children.
 2. The way you love your wife will have a _____ on your children as your children grow older and hopefully find love on their own.

II. _____?

- A. Dads play a major role in shaping their children's _____ lives.
 1. God has given you the _____ (Ephesians 6.4; Colossians 3.21).
 2. _____ are you to teach your children (Deuteronomy 6.4-7; Proverbs 22.6)?
- B. Dads, your children need your _____.
- C. Dads are to teach their children about _____ (Hebrews 12.7-11; Proverbs 3.11, 12; Proverbs 14.26).

III. _____?

- A. Dads, it is significant that you put on the _____ of God (Ephesians 6.10; Psalm 112.1, 2).
 1. Embrace your God-given _____ and become the _____ you need to be.
 2. Protect your children from....
- B. It is important that you lead by _____ (Titus 2.7, 8; Proverbs 20.7).
- C. Fathers, you must control your actions.
 1. Dr. _____ must control Mr. _____.
 2. No one can spot _____ faster than a teenager.
- D. The Proverb writer says that "**the father of the _____ will greatly _____**" (**Proverbs 23.24**).
- E. Fathers, are you leading your children _____ to _____ (Joshua 24.15)?

Conclusion: Do you need God's forgiveness today?

C O N N E C T I O N

C Good morning church family! Now that summer is here, I think it's more important than ever for us to take note of opportunities to stay connected over the summer months.

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R It is easy to "take off & coast," spiritually speaking, for the summer; what with all the vacations, small groups and men's and ladies' bible classes not meeting, kids' sports and activities galore, etc. We have done such a good job of building up relationships, encouraging one another, and helping one another, and we don't want to lose that momentum and growth. In an increasingly anti-Christian culture, it is imperative that we remain committed to the family of God here and our purpose and mission for Christ. Here are some opportunities and ways to stay connected over the summer. We will do our best to keep you informed of new ways as they set up.

Brown Bag Fellowship every Wednesday night, 6 PM. Bring some food & have a fun time together!

Summer Series every Wednesday, night 7 PM. New speakers each week focus on "How can we 'love one another' better.

Ladies Prayer time every Wednesday night, 6:30 PM in the Library. Ladies join together in prayer with and for each other, for our church, their families, etc.

VBS June 25 – 28, 6-8 PM - classes available for all ages!

Senior Sunday June 25th 11:30 AM Come honor our graduating seniors and enjoy a catered lunch. Tickets are \$15 adults, \$7.50 children. Call office for info.

Going Away/Wedding Shower combo party, July 2nd, following evening worship. We will be honoring Doug & Barbara Lowrey who are moving to Virginia, and their son, Michael and his bride to be, Kristin.

Rangers game July 15th, 1:30 PM Group tickets are \$20, RSVP your ticket with Jeff Swan or the Keele's. Van transportation will be provided.

Teen Summer Mission Trip July 22nd – 29th. See James or Leah Bowie for more info.

If you have to be away, don't forget to keep informed by checking out our website for new information in the bulletins & stream our services so you can still join us in spirit!

¹⁵ " Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, ¹⁶ from whom the whole body, *joined and held together by every joint* with which it is equipped, *when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.*" Ephesians 4.15-16

Les Keele



Make plans now to join us for a trip to the Texas Rangers game on July 15. We will meet at the building at 1:30 PM to load the vans for the 3:00 PM game. Tickets are \$20 each. Please see Jeff Swan or the Keele's to reserve your tickets today.

SHEPHERDS

Greg Ball	214-801-7375
Russ Bartee	817-938-5825
Dan Kille	817-793-7493
Chuck Meyer	682-553-5444
* Ross Tomlinson	682-429-1983
John Walton	817-441-0000

* *Shepherd of the month*

MINISTERS

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

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 - Taj Gray

Song Leaders - Randy McCoy

Song - I Walk With The King

Song - Reach Out To Jesus

Song - Take Time To Be Holy

Prayer - Steve Taylor

Scripture - Ephesians 6:10-13

Song - None Of Self And All Of Thee

Lord's Supper - Les Keele

Prayer for Contribution - Les Keele

Song - This Is My Father's World

Song - Glorify Thy Name

Superheroes! - Gary Williams

Song - All To Jesus I Surrender

Announcements - Ross Tomlinson

Shepherd's Prayer & Dismissal - Ross Tomlinson

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Here is ours:
Thank You!*



For our members and visitors with hearing difficulties, we now provide single side in-ear mono earbuds with a personal receiver for your convenience. Please see the sound booth at the back of the auditorium for one.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, June 19

Psalms 63 - 66

Tuesday, June 20

Psalms 67 - 69

Wednesday, June 21

Psalms 70 - 72

Thursday, June 22

Psalms 73 - 75

Friday, June 23

Psalms 76 - 78

Saturday, June 24

Psalms 79 - 81

Sunday, June 25

Psalms 82 - 85

Last Week

Bible Class:	103	Wednesday:	104
AM Worship:	196	Contribution:	\$ 6,216.94
PM Worship:	NC	Budget:	\$ 12,978.00

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

June 18, 2023

NAME	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
James Yawn 06/18/2023	Will have back surgery on July 10 at Clearfork hospital. 9213 Idaho Street, Joshua, Texas 76058	Successful surgery and recovery
Mindy Markum 06/11/2023	Her father, Wayne Wilson, passed away June 10. 718 P.R. 3650, Paradise, Texas 76073	Peace and comfort
Pam Terrell 06/12/2023	Has injured her back. 1901 Dakar Road West, Fort Worth, Texas 76116	Healing and less pain
Our Youth 06/11/2023	Will be at Camp Blue Haven the next two weeks.	Safety and spiritual growth
Patricia Neisler 06/11/2023	Is having severe pain in her knees that is prohibiting standing and mobility. 7113 Kermit Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas 76116	Comfort as she deals with the pain
Lorenza Fernandez 06/07/2023	Fell and broke her wrist. 232 Lochness Drive, Benbrook, Texas 76126	Complete healing
Angie Kirkpatrick 06/07/2023	Her mother, Beverly Yarbrough, passed away Monday, June 5. 1424 Yorkshire Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76134	Comfort and peace
Nancy Wright 06/05/2023	Fell and cracked several discs in her back. She is bruised and sore. 8600 Vista Royale Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Healing
Bill Baumann 05/04/2023	Has now been sent back to Willow Park Rehabilitation Betty Baumann: Harvest of Aledo: 1043 Bailey Ranch Road, Apartment #129, Aledo, Texas 76008	Better days

All prayer requests will remain on the list for 30 days. Following that time, the request will be removed unless the office is notified differently. Thank you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Family & Friends

June 18, 2023

NAME	REQUESTED BY	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Janet, WBS student of	Linda Tong	Asks for prayers regarding her parole.	That all works out according to God's will <small>06/12/2023</small>
Linda Gillespie, friend of	Debbie Rollins	Has been notified that her cancer treatments are no longer working.	Her spirits to remain high and her numbers to remain low <small>06/12/2023</small>
Taylor Bolt, cousin of	Jimmy Bolt	Was in a severe car accident resulting in the death of her husband on the scene. She is undergoing multiple reconstructive surgeries on her face and arm. They have three sons.	Comfort, peace, complete healing <small>06/12/2023</small>
The Family of Max Aubel, former roommate of	Daniel Bowie	Passed away from cancer Tuesday, June 6.	Peace and comfort <small>06/07/2023</small>
Bill Martensen, brother-in-law of	Wincie Neusse	Has a melanoma under his eye but his heart is not strong enough for the surgery. The doctors will be running tests to see if that changes.	The melanoma to go away and for his heart to gain strength <small>06/06/2023</small>
Justin and Emily Dito, friends of	Leah Bowie	Will begin IVF treatments next week after struggling with infertility for several years.	Strength, patience, and faith <small>06/05/2023</small>
The Family of Mona Gilpin, lifelong friend of	Carol Meyer	Passed away June 8.	Comfort for the family and friends <small>06/05/2023</small>
Lyn and Danny Spain	Larue Bow	Their grandchild, DJ Spain, was born early weighing 1 pound .64 ounces and is 12 inches long.	DJ to continue to develop and meet the benchmarks of childhood <small>06/01/2023</small>
Madden Gore, nephew of	Lindsay Forehand	In need of prayers.	<small>05/17/2023</small>
Paula Hamrick, sister of	Patti Musselman	Is going for a 2nd biopsy; 1st was inconclusive.	Clean bill of health <small>5/15/2023</small>
Alisun McLeroy, daughter-in-law of	Kristie McLeroy	Had her baby boy, Hawk Lee, 7 pounds, 14.3 ounces and 19 inches long. He has joined the family at home.	Continued progress for Hawk and that there are no further complications <small>6/05/2023</small>
Pam, cousin of	Les Keele	Is in need of a kidney transplant.	For a donor and to be moved up on the transplant list <small>12/18/2022</small>

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news,
who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness, who publishes
salvation, who says to Zion, "Your God reigns." Isaiah 52:7

As a new encouragement opportunity, we will be posting an email for one of
our missionaries every two weeks. Please send words of love and support.

This week is:



Samuel Kwaku Gyasi

samuelgyasi86@yahoo.com 07/01/2023



Our youth will be going on their yearly mission trek July 22 - 29 headed to
Mission, Texas to assist in that area. Let's begin praying now for their safety and
success. Thanks to James, Leah, and the moms and dads who make this possible.

VBS sign-ups:

Are on the table in the foyer; or scan our QR code. Make plans to participate in some
capacity.

VBS will be June 25th- 28th.



Senior Sunday: June 25th

Tickets are on sale now. See Rene' Johnston for
your ticket. \$15 per adult and \$7.50 for children
under 12 for Qdoba burrito bowls. Immediate
family members are free but they will need to
pick up a ticket for a head count.

Our seniors are:

Aaron Adkins	Adam Davis
Makayla Johnston	Ben Keller
DJ Keller	Landon Kille
Jayden Clay	Jonathan Price

Senior Sunday

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Updated Statistics for
May, 2023

213 - Families Served
\$770.64 - Cost to WHCOC
7,714 lbs - Estimated
Weight of Food

Attended Nursery: After communion, we have an attended nursery available for ages birth to 3 years. There is also a cry room available if needed.



BYO Brown Bag Suppers continue on Wednesday nights. Please bring your family's meal and we will enjoy a time of fellowship before evening services and classes. The building will be opened at 6:00 PM.

FAMILY MATTERS

LEARNING *HOW* TO LOVE ONE ANOTHER

JUNE 21	JOHN LATHAM	WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS
JUNE 28	CHRIS GRAHAM	FORT WORTH, TEXAS
JULY 5	AARON LEWIS	JACKSBORO, TEXAS
JULY 12	MICHAEL LUMS	WEATHERFORD, TEXAS
JULY 19	DES STEYN	FORT WOTH, TEXAS
JULY 26	LEONARD KEELE	DUNCAN, OKLAHOMA
AUGUST 2	RYAN INLOW	FORT WORTH, TEXAS
AUGUST 9	LARRY KEELE	LAWRENCEBURG, TENNESSEE

Ladies, if you would like to share prayer time and gain strength by coming together with your sisters, come to the Library on Wednesday nights at 6:40 P.M.



A time to weep...and a time to laugh...

A time to mourn...a time to dance

The Congregation is cordially invited to attend a combined celebration of joy and sorrow on July 2 following evening services. We will be having a sandwich and dessert fellowship to mark the following occasions.

Doug and Barbara Lowery will be leaving us as they continue their life journey in Chesapeake, Virginia. We will be sending them off with our love and prayers.



Michael Lowery and Kristin Thomas will begin their life journey together on December 31. We wish to shower them with our love and blessings. They will be registered on Amazon.



If you will not be in town, or unable to attend this event, you may leave your shower gifts in the office. You may use the following website that will take you to the registry:

thenot.com/michaelkristin2023

June

Happy Birthday

1 Khamkhian Bounmany

1 Barbie Dekoker

3 Kathryn Sloan

4 Nancy Moody

4 Polly McCarty

7 Madeline Montanez

7 Skipper Reed

11 Carlos Wallace

12 Noah Johnston

13 Ben Meyer

19 Doris Chin (102)

19 Barbara Howard

20 Sisoupha Vilaysack

24 Delisia Torrez

24 Delores Reeves

29 Trey Markum

30 Jennifer Scott

Children

23 Kayla Moore

23 Alex Barte

HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAYS!

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| 1 | CARL GREEN | 15 | WAYNE LIPHAM |
| 2 | RAY DOSHIER | 17 | PAM STOM |
| 4 | NILATH KIMLINH | 20 | EMILIO FERNANDEZ |
| 5 | DEATRA KEELE | 20 | EVA TORREZ |
| 7 | MARY ANN WAGNER | 25 | AMY BROOKSHIRE |
| 8 | FERN GREEN | 27 | VINCENT EVERETT |
| 9 | WANDA HOUSTON | 29 | WINCIE NEUSSE |
| 11 | BUD WILCOX | 30 | LUTHER CONE |
| 11 | ROGER OMER | 30 | JACKIE JASO |
| 11 | LEAH BOWIE | | |
| 12 | KHAMLA KIMLINH | | |
| 13 | BETTY BENNETT | | CHILDREN |
| 13 | PEGGY BRADLEY | 7 | EMMETT GARNER |
| 13 | EDWARD MANN | 26 | LIONEL MENDOZA |