



**Western Hills**  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

*A Family You Can Call Your Own!*

October 22, 2023

# JOIN US!

## Friends and Family Day

Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>  
9AM Bible Class (all ages)  
10AM Worship  
11AM Luncheon



## Trunk or Treat!

Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup> | 6:30-8PM  
Games | Candy | Bounce House | Free

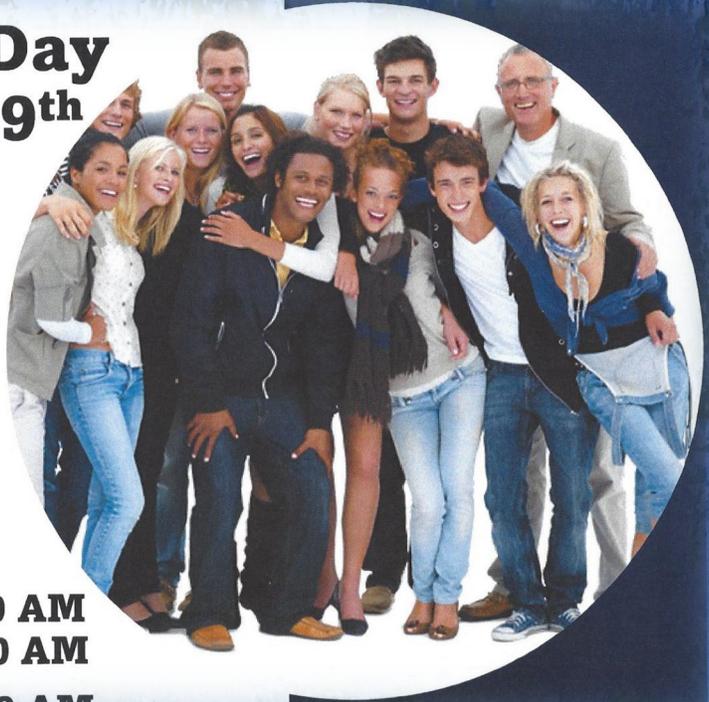


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Fort Worth, TX 76116  
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# Welcome To Western Hills

## Friends & Family Day Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>

**Bring A Friend!**



**Bible Class----- 9:00 AM**  
**Worship----- 10:00 AM**  
**Potluck Meal----- 11:00 AM**

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# The Greatest Work On Earth

## 2 Peter 3.10

1. Have you ever worked hard without results?
2. What drives people to work harder?
3. What about working for the Lord?

### As We Work For The Lord...

#### I. We Cannot \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. \_\_\_\_\_ produces more work.
- B. We need to realize the assurances that God has put in place.
  1. In Isaiah 55.11, God said when His word goes out, it would \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. **"Those who sow in \_\_\_\_\_ shall \_\_\_\_\_ with shouts of joy"** (Psalm 126.5, 6).
  3. We need to be \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ.

#### II. \_\_\_\_\_ Is With Us.

- A. Jesus promised His disciples He would \_\_\_\_\_ (Mt. 28.20).
  1. How could they fail when they knew that Jesus was with them?
  2. The apostle Paul told the Corinthians that **"we are God's \_\_\_\_\_"** (2 Corinthians 3.9).
- B. Do we have the same \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ that God is with us?

#### III. We Are Engaged In The Greatest \_\_\_\_\_ On Earth.

- A. Our work is the greatest because it is related to \_\_\_\_\_.
  1. What did Peter say would happen to all the works upon the face of the earth (2 Peter 3.10)?
  2. Jesus gave only \_\_\_\_\_ for eternity (Matthew 25.46).
- B. Are you actively involved with the work of the Lord?

#### IV. Our Work Will Outlast \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. In the book of Revelation, we learn that \_\_\_\_\_ (Revelation 14.13).
  1. The phrase means that the good deeds of the faithful will be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ by God, and that they will rest from their hard work.
  2. I Corinthians 3.13-15; 2 Corinthians 5.10.
- B. Our works can still \_\_\_\_\_ after we leave this life.
- C. Do you think that \_\_\_\_\_ will cry out after you die?

#### V. There Is A \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. The promise of the reward was even evident in the Old Testament scriptures.
- B. Jesus said He must do the Father's will (John 4.34-36).
- C. What \_\_\_\_\_ in your Christianity and your faithfulness to God?
- D. We are promised \_\_\_\_\_ (John 14.1-3).

### Conclusion: Are you working for the Lord?

# C O N N E C T I O N

## C O R N E R

Good morning WH church family! In today's Connection Corner, we feature one of our newer members that many of you may not have gotten to know yet. This week, we introduce Missy Hall.

Missy already has some strong connections to us at WH, as she is the niece of our own Shirley Bennett and Minnie Collins. This is an important way in which our church family grows, when we reach out to family or friends and encourage them to join us. Thanks, Shirley and Minnie!



Missy was born and raised in the Mid Cities area, graduating from L. D. Bell High School. She was very interested in art; especially in abstract oil painting. Following high school, Missy moved to Arizona, where she was a homemaker, blessed with two sons and one daughter. Currently, Missy has nine grandchildren, but she says that number continues to grow! After her kids were older, she received her Registered Dental Assistant degree from Everest College. She enjoyed 12 years as a dental assistant before returning to Texas. Since her return, she has joined Alcon Labs, now working in the optical product manufacturing industry.

Missy came to us at WH several months ago and rededicated her life to Christ. She is very excited to be a part of the family here and to learn more of God's word and will for her life. She also has rekindled her relationship with her aunts; all living in the same complex and fussing about "who is going to walk whom home to their apartment!" I encourage you to reach out to Missy, welcome her and get to know her. I know you will be blessed.

Les Keele



Please keep Ukwazi International Christian University in your thoughts and prayers. You may send heartening words to them at [brad@africanchristiancollege.org](mailto:brad@africanchristiancollege.org) in order to spur them on in their good works.

*"Pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should." - Colossians 4:3, 4*

## 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>	

## DEACONS

Jon Bartee	817-889-2686
James Bowie	817-944-4492
Brandon Duncan	903-603-1059
Jay Garner	817-205-2070
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** - Ben Meyer

**Song Leader** - Matt Sloan

**Song** - Come Let Us Sing

**Song** - Blessed Be Your Name

**Song** - Precious Lord Take My Hand

**Prayer** - Milt Birmingham

**Scripture** - 2 Peter 3:10

**Song** - Remind Me Dear Lord

**Lord's Supper** - Adam Power

**Prayer for Contribution** - Adam Power

**Song** - Ancient Words

**The Greatest Work On Earth** - Gary Williams

**Song** - Jesus Calls Us

**Song** - Covenant Of Love

**Announcements** - Les Keele

**Shepherd's Prayer & Dismissal** - Dan Kille

*Donate by QR Code?  
Here is ours:  
Thank You!*



**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.

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, October 23

Malachi 1 - 4

### Tuesday, October 24

Matthew 1 - 4

### Wednesday, October 25

Matthew 5 - 9

### Thursday, October 26

Matthew 10 - 13

### Friday, October 27

Matthew 14 - 17

### Saturday, October 28

Matthew 18 - 21

### Sunday, October 29

Matthew 22 - 25

### Last Week

<b>Bible Class:</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>AM Worship:</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>Contribution: \$</b>	<b>9,094.45</b>
<b>PM Worship:</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>Budget:</b>	<b>\$ 12,978.00</b>

### Times of Assemblies

<b>Bible Class:</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>Sunday Morning Worship:</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>
<b>Sunday Evening Worship:</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Wednesday Evening:</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>

# PRAYER REQUESTS

## Members

### October 22, 2023

NAME	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
John and Jane Wright 10/18/2023	Jane's health is failing and John is taking care of her. They would appreciate visitors. 3921 Pershing Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas 76107	Peace, comfort, understanding
Ellie Sloan 10/18/2023	Is in Cook Children's Hospital, Room 5416, with pneumonia. 1028 Long Point Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Healing
Lucille Patterson 10/17/2023	Has had a UTI and elevated cholesterol. 178 Crown Pointe Boulevard, Room 129, Willow Park, Texas 76086	Better health
The Perez Family 10/03/2023	In the tragic death of Alfonso. 5201 Red Bud Lane, Fort Worth, Texas 76114	Understanding, comfort, peace
Paula Pauley 10/05/2023	Has a fractured tibia and high ankle sprain. She will need to stay off her foot for it to heal. 4620 Ocean Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76123	Healing
Linda Tong 10/05/2023	Cousin, Merrill Fish, passed away on Friday, October 6. Bobbye, his wife, is experiencing cancer and treatments for the third time. 709 Royal View Court, Willow Park, Texas 76087	Comfort for the family and prayers for Bobbye as she will face her cancer alone and grieve her husband
Bud and Betty Wilcox 10/04/2023	Bud is having issues with his diabetes and will have some cancer spots burned off. Betty is in a lot of pain. They would love visits, calls, and cards. Water Mark At Broadway Cityview; 5301 Bryant Irvin Road, Apartment #132, Fort Worth, Texas 76132	Better days
Jean Cox 10/04/2023	Is unable to get out but would love calls and visits. 5134 LedgeStone Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76132	Company
Caleb Barteel 10/03/2023	Has a torn ACL and Lateral Meniscus requiring surgery on November 2 to repair the damage. 8629 Vista Royale Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Successful surgery, rehab, and recovery
Nancy Wright 9/29/2023	Is in Stonegate for Rehab, Room 221. 8600 Vista Royale Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108.	Healing and comfort for pain
Intharansy Family 9/28/2023	Ken Intharansy passed away Sunday, September 24. 7137 Bob Hanger Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76179	Peace and comfort for the family
Aubrey and Yvonne Hallum 9/24/2023	Their health is not good. 25 Leonard Trail, Apartment #317, Westworth Village, Texas 76114	Healthier days
Bob Willyerd 9/18/2023	Had surgery on his spine September 22. 3704 Guadalupe Road, Fort Worth, Texas 76116	To recover quickly and everything to work according to plan
Brandon Duncan 9/3/2023	Recovering from knee surgery and prayers for his family as his grandfather slips further into dementia. 9928 Farmington Drive, Benbrook, Texas 76126	For knee to strengthen and heal; comfort and peace for his family

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**  
**October 22, 2023**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>REQUESTED BY</b>	<b>SITUATION</b>	<b>PRAY FOR</b>
David Yarbrough, the father of	Angie Kirkpatrick	Will have surgery on Thursday, October 19 to place a port for dialysis.	Successful placement of the port, for the upcoming dialysis, and better health 10/10/2023
Larry Bennett, son of	Shirley Bennett	Is in Arlington Memorial with an intestinal blockage and possible sepsis.	Healing for Larry and peace for Shirley 10/10/2023
Christopher Lowrey, son of	Doug and Barbara Lowrey	Christopher and his shipmates are in the Mediterranean and are off the coast of Israel.	Their safety and their families at home 10/09/2023
George Milhim, brother of	Betty Kille	Has a brain tumor, broken shoulder, and six cracked ribs.	Successful surgery, physical and spiritual healing 10/08/2023
Dwayne Beagle, son of	Charlie and Louise Beagle	Is suffering from hip neuropathy.	Pain relief 10/03/2023
Melody Roberts and family, sister of	Jeff Swan	Margaret (Maggie) Ocampo passed away on September 22. She was the niece of Jeff Swan.	Comfort and peace 9/26/2023
Bobbye Fish, cousin of	Linda Tong	Bobbye has cancer for the 3rd time and her husband, Merrill, passed away Friday, October 6.	Better health and healing, comfort 9/22/2023
Lola Kelly, friend of	Jim Gilbert	Has a fast spreading cancer.	Healing and comfort 9/22/2023
Bill Harris, brother-in-law of	Nancy Wright	Has cancer.	That the doctors can help him 9/24/2023
Glenda Corley, sister of	Johnie Wright	Has been placed on hospice in her own home.	Peace for her and her family
Kyla Anderson, family member of	Auna Walton	She has been battling leukemia. All treatments have been stopped in an effort to build her up.	For her numbers to be where they need to be so her treatments can continue 08/10/2023
DeAnn Trevino, friend of	Leah Bowie	Has been diagnosed with cancer and will need chemo before they can perform surgery to remove the mass.	Peace, comfort, healing, skilled doctors 08/02/2023

Please Welcome  
**Kennedy Hill**

to the church family

Her address is 3451 River Park Drive, Apartment 2422, Fort Worth, Texas 76116

And her phone number is 817-929-6095.

**Coming Soon**

**October 28 Door Knocking**

**October 29 Friends and Family Day**

**October 31 Trunk or Treat**

**Sunday Morning Fall Quarter Classes**

Young Adults/Young Marrieds: Song Of Solomon: A Book Of Romance: Les Keele  
Auditorium: 2 Corinthians: Gary Williams

**Join Us For Our: Tuesday Morning Bible Classes At 10 AM.**

**Men's Topic: Test The Spirits - Roger Omer**

**Ladies' Topic: First Peter - Paula Pauley**

**Wednesday**

**7 PM**

**Ecclesiastes**

**Les Keele**



**Food Bank Stats for September**

**251 - Families Served**

**\$979.13 - Cost to WHCOG**

**6,959 pounds - Estimated Weight of Food**

**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 PM.**



**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 PM.**



**MAGI PROJECT** Again this year the Western Hills Church of Christ is supporting the Magi Project for our mission work in south Texas. Each year we coordinate with the Church of Christ in Pharr, Texas to provide shoe boxes containing gifts to the children in the local area of Mission, Texas and the nearby Mexican border cities. Boxes need to be brought to the Church office by Sunday (morning service), Nov. 12 so our youth group can organize them for delivery to the Pharr Church of Christ. If you don't have time to shop, our church youth really enjoy doing the shopping. Cash donations can be made to Leah/James Bowie or Vincent/Deanna Everett or placed in an envelope marked "Magi" and put in the church contribution plate. Magi boxes are available from the church office, or drop off items at the church office, and we will box them. Your support is greatly appreciated. Any questions contact Vincent Everett at (817) 726- 4315 or Leah Bowie at (817) 944-4492. For more information on the Magi Project, go to the Healing Hands website [[www.hhi.org](http://www.hhi.org)] and search on Magi Project.

You will find full instructions on the handout in the foyer.

## VBS

### ANNOUNCEMENT

**JUNE 2 - JUNE 5**

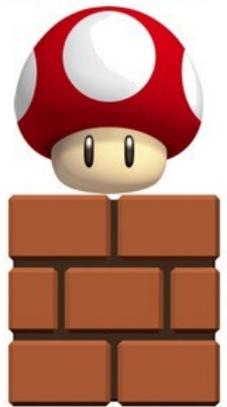
Please look in the foyer and sign up for all the areas in which you wish to work at VBS. Slots are going fast; so, sign up early to get your preferred spot!



## LEVEL UP OUR TRUNK OF TREAT!

Tuesday, October 31st | 6:30-8PM

Sign up in the foyer with your VIDEO GAME themed trunk. Bring candy for our trunk or treat and place in the buckets.



Thanks to all who helped provide food for the funerals over the past few weeks. You may pick up your dishes in the kitchen.



Pillow Ministry will meet next Tuesday, October 24, after Ladies' Bible Class. Bring a sack lunch and join us for service and fellowship.

# Happy Birthday October People!

**1 Bouathong Chansombath**

**1 Les Keele**

**2 Tony Martin**

**2 Pheng Vilaysack**

**6 Sharon Pippin**

**6 Travis Whitacre**

**8 Roxann Whitacre**

**9 Jimmy Bolt**

**10 Betty Baumann**

**10 Jimmy Bolt**

**12 Patti Maynard**

**16 Melinda Markum**

**17 Barbara Adams**

**17 Tom Pauley**

**20 Sabrina Vilaysack**

**20 Tiffany Witherspoon**

**24 Elizabeth Intharansy**

**25 Cass DeKoker**

**25 Courtney Meyer**

**25 Suzan Ward**

**26 Amanda Garner**

**29 Jodi Gentry**

**29 Patricia Neislar**

**30 Bob Riley**

**31 Vickie Bowers**

## Children's Birthdays

**1 Lyndon Watson**

**6 Tahlia Witherspoon**

**11 Layton Meyer**

**16 Caden Cato**

**21 Claire Meyer**

# NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

3 Pam Eubanks

18 Joe Billman

6 Buck Thomas

18 Chuck Meyer

11 Joe Bravenec

18 Sara Stom

11 Joyce Franz

19 Linda Draper

11 Tommy Wade

22 Russ Bartee

12 Holly Thomas

22 Charles Stephan

15 Jim Haas

## Children

17 Lillian Kite

18 Caleb Bartee

17 Ray Meisenhalder

28 Guendee Torrez

18 Faiha Al-Atrash