



Welcome To Western Hills!



If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guests. We appreciate you taking the time to come and worship God with us. Our focus at Western Hills is to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ and the love of God into our community and all the world. Jesus said, ***“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age” (Matthew 28.18-20).*** We boldly teach and preach the gospel by the authority of Jesus Christ our Lord. He has promised to never leave us to do it on our own. Jesus is always with us (Hebrews 13.5).

Jesus came to earth with a specific mission. His charge was to save man. Jesus said in **Luke 19.10**, ***“For the Son of man came to seek and to save the lost.”*** Man is totally lost when he is away from God. Jesus came to show us what we must do to restore our relationship with Him. At Western Hills, we strive to follow Jesus and do all in the name of the Lord, using the Bible as our only standard of authority (Colossians 3.17).

One of the most amazing things about Jesus our Lord was His willingness to die for the sins of mankind. As Jesus prayed in the garden of Gethsemane, He knew the horrific torture and death that laid ahead. He even asked God if there was any way possible to save man other than His death on the cross, then let it be. Jesus said, ***“Nevertheless, not as I will, but as You will” (Matthew 26.39).*** He went to the cross in total submission to the Father’s will. But tremendous joy came when He arose from the dead on the first day of the week. Today, we celebrate His resurrection! Let us praise Jesus from our hearts and give glory and honor to His name!

If you are looking for a church home, please consider us here. We are a family filled with love for one another, and we encourage and build one another up to walk faithfully before God. Our goal is spending eternity in heaven above with God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. If you have any questions about our worship, or desire to study the Bible further, please let us know because we want to take as many people as possible to heaven with us. Let me leave you with the blessing Aaron bestowed upon the children of Israel, may ***“The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace” (Numbers 6.24-26).***

Gary

The Resurrection of Jesus

John 20.1-10

- 1) Do you believe a person can be raised from the dead?
- 2) What if the person you admired the most told you that after they died, they would come back to life. Would you believe them?
- 3) The disciples did not understand that Jesus would arise from the dead.

I) _____ **At The Tomb (John 20.1-10)?**

- A) It is important to note that it is the _____ day of the week (John 20.1).
 - 1) It is Sunday.
 - 2) Sunday is the gathering day for God's people.
- B) Who was the first person to come to the tomb?
 - 1) John says _____ came to the tomb early, while it was still dark.
 - (a) Why had Mary come?
 - (b) What did Mary see?
 - 2) Alarmed that the stone had been rolled away from the tomb, Mary ran to find _____ and _____.
- C) How did Peter and John respond?
 - 1) Peter and John _____ to the tomb.
 - 2) What did they see once they arrived?
 - 3) What made John _____?
- D) What will it take for you to believe?

II) **To Whom Did Jesus _____ (John 20.11-18)?**

- A) Jesus first appeared to Mary Magdalene, from whom He had cast out _____ (Mark 16.9).
 - 1) Mary Magdalene's experience serves as a testament to the transformative power of Jesus's ministry.
 - 2) Her life was profoundly impacted by His healing and deliverance, and she became a _____ follower and _____ to His resurrection.
- B) Why did Mary not _____ Jesus?
 - 1) Mary _____ to see Jesus.
 - 2) But then, Mary heard Jesus' _____.
 - 3) What was Mary's immediate reaction?
- C) If Jesus loved Mary so much with her horrific past, then Jesus can love _____.
 - 1) There is nothing in your _____ or in your _____ that Jesus will not _____ (I Corinthians 6.9-11).
 - 2) With the resurrection of Jesus, we are given the right to become _____ of _____.

Conclusion: Are you ready to come to Jesus today?

CONNECTION

C Welcome and good morning WH family! I am taking a little detour from our usual individual member spotlights to focus on a special group here for our Connection Corner this week.

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R This week I want to feature our young people who are participating in the Leadership Training for Christ program this weekend. The past few Wednesday nights we have been blessed by some of our young men leading singing and delivering talks for our devotionals. On Sunday, we witnessed one of our youth doing sign language during one of our worship songs. This past Wednesday evening, the young girls had a special time with the women of the church where they led the women in songs, read scriptures, signed during songs and readings, and gave talks. These are just some of the activities our youth are learning and participating in. They study the Bible for the Bible Bowl, put on puppet skits, drama skits, complete a video, develop various Christian art projects, sing in choruses and so much more.

You have a special opportunity at tonight's service to witness our youth in action, putting on our devotional service showcasing what they had prepared for LTC. There will also be a video that presents a portion of the process of what our youth do to prepare for and what took place during LTC. I know that past LTC presentations, the LTC presentation service have inspired us so that many adults had tears of joy and pride in our young people. James & Leah Bowie, as well as many parents and other adults, have given so much time to help these kids during this process, and the results speak for themselves. Our youth have grown in the Lord and have learned how to serve Him in so many ways. They have demonstrated unequivocally that they are not just our hope for the church of the future, they are an important part of our church family *right now!*

As I have mentioned before, for protection purposes, I do not name minor children in these articles. However, I encourage you to not only be here tonight in person, if possible, but to find ways to encourage our youth in this growth experience, talk to them, send cards of thanks & encouragement for their efforts. Get to know them and their families and let them know how thankful we are to have them in our WH family. You will be blessed, I promise!

Les Keele



Please welcome our newest member, Leah Savage. Her address is: 2464 Indian Cove, Fort Worth, Texas 76108, phone number (903) 330-2955. Please add her to your directory.

On March 21st, Isaiah Torrez was baptized into Christ. Please welcome our new brother.

We would like to begin celebrating anniversaries as we do birthdays. Please add your name and date to the list in the foyer.

SHEPHERDS

Greg Ball	214-801-7375
*Russ Bartee	817-938-5825
Dan Kille	817-793-7439
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

MORNING WORSHIP (10 AM)

Welcome - Layton Garner

Song Leader - Les Keele

Song - Oh Listen To This Wondrous Story

Song - I Know That My Redeemer Lives

Prayer - Steve Taylor

Scripture - John 20 . 1-10

Song - Low In The Grave

Lord's Supper - Adam Powers

Prayer for Contribution - Adam Powers

Song - There Is A God

The Resurrection Of Jesus - Gary Williams

Song - Bring Christ Your Broken Life

Announcements - Les Keele

Shepherd's Prayer & Dismissal - Russ Bartee

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Here is
ours:
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Attended Nursery: After communion, we have an attended nursery available for ages birth to 3 years, a mother's nursing room, and Children's Bible Hour for children ages 3 years old up through second grade.

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, April 1

2 Samuel 8 - 10

Tuesday, April 2

2 Samuel 11 - 13

Wednesday, April 3

2 Samuel 14 - 16

Thursday, April 4

2 Samuel 17 - 19

Friday, April 5

2 Samuel 20 - 22

Saturday, April 6

2 Samuel 23 - 1 Kings 1

Sunday, April 7

1 Kings 2 - 4

Last Week

Bible Class:	136	Wednesday:	114
AM Worship:	211	Contribution:	\$13,965.06
PM Worship:	85	Budget:	\$13,802.88

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

Friends and Family
Day
April 28th,
Potluck after
Worship service.

Family Game Night At The
Building: April 12, 6pm.
Potluck

Sundays:

Auditorium: Gary Williams: 1 and 2 Thessalonians

Young Adults: Les Keele: Uncovering
Why We Do What We Do

Wednesdays:

Combined Auditorium Class

Les Keele: Taking It To The Streets: A Study Of
James

It's A Boy



BABY Ezio Lezama
SHOWER

There is a table set up in the middle west foyer for Delisia Torrez's baby boy. So if you can, please bring a gift to help celebrate this blessing from God. (He wears 3-6 months)

LADIES' RETREAT

WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF PLANNING A SPIRITUAL RETREAT FOR OUR LADIES. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE FILL OUT THE SHORT QUESTIONNAIRE IN THE FOYER SO WE MAY HAVE A MORE ACCURATE ACCOUNT OF THOSE INTERESTED. THIS IS NOT A COMMITMENT TO DEFINITELY ATTEND, WE ARE SIMPLY TRYING TO GET A NUMBER IN MIND. YOU MAY PLACE THESE IN THE ATTENDANCE BASKETS. THIS WILL ALLOW US TO CHOOSE A SUITABLE LOCATION EARLY ON. THANK YOU.



Sympathy

Joseph Fred Billman, age 83, of Whitesboro, Texas passed away on Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

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

Men's Topic: Philippians - Milt Birmingham
Ladies' Topic: Zephaniah - Paula Pauley

VBS : JUNE 2 - JUNE 5



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.

Small Groups

Small groups meet on Sundays with the exception of the 1st and the 5th Sunday of the month.

Congratulations!



Susie Muongnamvong's daughter, Jessica Mills, had her baby, Luke Mills. Born march 19th, 6lb. 2oz. 19 inches. He was in the Nic U but has now gone home.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Members

March 31, 2024

NAME	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Carlene Reeves 3/11/24	She is in Spring Town Park Rehab Room 410. 1306 Warden St., Benbrook, Texas 76126	Quick healing
Louise Beagle 3/14/24	She is in Ridgmar Medical Lodge for rehab. 3916 Reagan Dr. Fort Worth, Texas 76116	To get stronger
Bob Riley 3/3/2024	He is now home but being monitored for fluid build up. 6208 White Tail Trl., Fort Worth, Texas 76132	That the treatment was a success
Tom Pauley 3/3/2024	He has shingles. 3409 Muleshoe Lane, Fort Worth, Texas 76179	Quick healing
Alex Bartee 3/3/2024	Needs prayers in his walk with God. 8629 Vista Royale Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Guidance and nudging by God
Wanda Houston 03/29/2024	She has moved to Bethesda Gardens room 165. 5417 Altamesa Blvd. Room 165, Fort Worth, TX 76123	Thanksgiving that the fall was not any worse and prayers for a speedy recover
Brandon Duncan 03/12/2024	Needs God's guidance as he looks for a new job. 9928 Farmington Drive, Benbrook, Texas 76126	God will open doors and point him in the right direction
Kitty Davis 03/12/2024	Is troubled by Parkinson's and other health issues. 812 Ala Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Healing
Mary Jo Winters 02/04/2024	Has spiritual needs for which she request prayers. 9908 Caravelle Court, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	God knows what she needs
Angie Kirkpatrick 3/14/24	Is having neck pain. Will see a rheumatologist. 1424 Yorkshire Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76134	Relief of pain and healing
Chandra Mann 1/12/24	Abdominal cancer is getting smaller. 106 Langham Drive, Aledo, Texas 76008	Healing and good news
Nancy Wright 12/11/2023	Is in Stonegate Rehab, Room 115. 8600 Vista Royale Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Successful rehab and healing

PRAYER REQUESTS
Friends and Family
March 31, 2024

NAME	REQUESTED BY	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Elaine Lawrence, friend of (former member)	Chuck and Sherry King	She was hit by a pickup in a parking lot. She had hip surgery and will begin rehab.	Successful rehab and healing
Annika Cline, niece of	Michelle Glenn	She had foot surgery on March 25th, while in officer training camp.	Quick healing 3/27/24
David Yarbrough, father of	Angie Kirkpatrick	He is getting better and stronger.	Continue to get stronger 02/25/2024
Braelyn Joos, grandchild of cousin to	Beverly Lipham	Was in a side-by-side rollover accident. She is in Fort Worth Children's Hospital.	Recovery 02/26/2024
Nelda Wagoner, sister of	Wayne Lipham	Stomach cancer.	Treatments and healing 02/26/2028
Debbie Lipham, niece of	Wayne Lipham	She is in Baylor and has a weak heart, and 2 arteries are 100% blocked. The surgeons think the heart is too weak for surgery.	Guidance for the doctors and healing 3/18/24
Celest Thomas, daughter of	Louise Beagle	Her cancer has come back really bad.	Healing and strength for her and her family 3/14/24
Ethel Melendy, mother of	Chandra Mann	She has Parkinson's Disease.	Prayers for Ethel and the family 3/14/24
Jeff Kirkpatrick, husband of	Angie Kirkpatrick	Had surgery to remove kidney stones, but is still having pain.	Quick healing 3/14/24
John and Elaine Winfield	Chuck Meyer	Are long term visitors with us. John had a heart attack last December and is now on hospice; although, he is up and around but has no energy. Elaine has pain walking due to a Sciatic Nerve flareup. 4301 Tamworth Road, Fort Worth, Texas 76116	Their health to improve and for John to have a good day that coincides with a Sunday so that they will be able to attend worship 02/27/2024
Bert Peterka, cousin of	Paula Pauley	He had a hemorrhagic stroke, has started rehab.	Quick healing 3/7/2024

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.

Happy Birthday

April Birthday

People!

1 Kham Intharansy

2 Lili Kimlinh

2 Karen King

2 Matt Sloan

3 James Yawn

3 Sheryl Willyerd

4 John Walton

6 Jenny Chakrathouk

7 Katelynn Bolt

11 Deanna Everett

13 Joe Tomme

15 Chandra Mann

15 Barbara Meisenhalder

15 Judy McDonald

17 Vernon Hamilton

20 Carolyn Williams

25 Betty Kille

28 Linda Tong

30 Taj Gray

Children's Birthdays

1 Colt Tedford

10 Layton Garner

16 Emori Durrett

20 Liam Scott

22 Levi Sloan

MARCH

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

1 STEPHAN MYERS

2 JOHN LARSON

3 BEVERLY FORGEY

4 JIM GILBERT

8 CHARLES KITE

11 MIKE WHITACRE

15 JANELLE BALL

17 AMY BARTEE

18 BEA HOUSE

20 STEVE TAYLOR

21 MARK MUSSELMAN

22 KAREN TAYLOR

22 BETSY STROTHER

23 GLENN BAIRD

29 MONTY BOWERS

CHILDREN

10 BOYCE MILLER

16 BELLA GILBERT

24 MADDOX DUNCAN

26 SELAH GARNER

27 BRENA THOMAS