

#### Welcome to the **Granbury Church of Christ**

Sunday, February 18, 2018 Worship Leader - Stan McBroom

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE ....

Doxology/I Sing Praises Medley Rejoice, the Lord Is King Ancient Words No Other Gods Welcome & Call to Worship John Knox

GOD INVITES US TO HIS TABLE ... In Christ Alone

The Lord's Supper Prayers John Webb

GOD'S PEOPLE BRING OFFERINGS...

**Contribution Prayer** John Webb Thou Art the Way

GOD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD ...

Sermon: I Am the Way and the Truth and the Life John Knox

## GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND ...

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

GOD SENDS US TO LOVE AND SERVE ....

Benediction Kirk Woolery

# **Prayer Requests**

Members, Relatives & Friends in Hospital/Rehab

Don Carman - LGMC, Keith Jay -Medical City (formerly known as Medical Plaza), Janie Pieratt – Harbor Lakes

## Members

Sandy Allen, Marjorie Anderson, Terry Brooks, Max Calk, David Casey, Nena Hopper, Bill Hudson, Tim Hunt, Jim Mackey, Debbie Martin, Don McCleskey, Caroline Monday, Mary Beth Moore, Yvonne Nichols, Rudy Rountree, James Royse, Betty Underwood, Don Walker, Jean Wann

## **Relatives/Friends**

Mel Alkire, Cannon Aquillar, Deborah Bain, Ariella Casey, Jennie Dodd, Eve Gardner, Vera Hawkins, Trey Heath, Corbin Hecker, Jennifer Hutchings, Erica McNally, Karen Peevy, George Robison, Marina Rosenquist, Jeana Ross, Mark Sandel, Jim Sullinger

Note: For a complete list of prayer needs, to submit a prayer request or to read thank you notes, go to www.granburycoc.net and click on the Prayer tab.

## Sympathy

To R.F. and Maxine Parkinson and family at the death of R.F.'s brother, Scott Parkinson.

To Billie Lane at the death of her husband, Harold Lane, Memorial service was Friday.

To the family of Joan Heller at her death. Funeral was Saturday.

## Welcome New Members

Curtis and Stacey Willmon and their children - Anysa, Luke, and Brax - live at 5807 Shaw Rd., Tolar, 76476. Their phone numbers are 903-285-0033 (Curtis) and 903-305-2481 (Stacey).

## Announcements

Food Pantry at the Christian Service Center will be closed Monday, February 19.

Ladies' Newcomer Dinner – Tuesday, February 20, at 6:30pm at the home of Heather Blevins, 1302 M and M Ranch Ct. The dinner is for all ladies who have been members for one year or less. Committee members will furnish the food. Come enjoy an evening of visiting and getting to know one another!

Wednesday Night Diner - 5:00-6:15pm, in the Fellowship Center. This week's menu includes Chick Fil A Sandwich, Chips, Soup, Salad Bar, Cookie and Drink for \$5. Chicken nuggets are available for children for \$1. Proceeds go toward scholarships for youth group activities.

Piecemakers Quilting Bee – Monday, February 26, 10:00am to 2:00pm in Room 8 at the church building. We work as a group making quilts for each baby born into the congregation and for each graduating senior at Foster's Home in Stephenville. If you would like to join us, just come to the Bee, and we'll put you to work! For more information, contact Betty Curbo (817-573-7535) or Jamie Skelton (817-279-3724).

Foster's Home Annual Auction -March 2-3. Includes box lots at 6:00pm Friday, and on Saturday an outdoor auction at 9:00am, free BBQ lunch at 11:30am, and live and silent auction at 12:30pm. For more info or to have donations picked up, contact Lacy Barton at lacy@fostershome.org or 254-968-2143, ext. 245.

First Sunday Welcome Lunch – The Challengers and Faith-Builders classes invite guests and new members who have placed membership since March 2017 to be their guests for lunch in the Dining Hall of the Fellowship Center on Sunday, March 4, immediately following the 10:15 worship service.

6:30pm

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**Member Information** 

Date
Last Name
His Name
Her Name
Children Present:
Changes in address, phone, family email (please print)
Address
Phone # Family Email:
I would like to serve in the following ministry:
Prayer Requests:

# **Guest Information**

Date	
Last Name	

His Name \_\_\_\_

Her Name\_\_\_\_

Children's Names \_\_\_\_\_

Family Email (please print):

Address:

Contact Phone #:

I am a:

Errst-time Guest

Regular Guest Out-of-town Guest

Age Groups (Please check all that apply)

🗌 Single	Married
🗆 Teen	🗆 20s
□30s	□ 40s
□50s	□60s+

I would like information on:

 $\Box$  This Church  $\Box$  Membership

## Prayer Requests:

The Great "I AM"

Several years ago, I watched a young man speak on a Christian video. The overall message was good, but I was taken aback when at one point, he casually referred to Jesus as a "dude." His comment immediately brought to mind John 8:58-59 in



which Jesus refers to Himself as "I AM," the personal, most holy name for God. This name captures the essence of God and illustrates His existence before and after time. The name does not proclaim "He was" or "He will be" but rather "He always is."

The Jews hold this name of God in such high regard that they will not say it aloud for fear of blaspheming (Leviticus 24:16), but instead substitute another name for God in its place during the public reading of Scripture. When hand copying the ancient books, Jewish scribes will use only a new, unused pen to write this name and then destroy the pen after writing the name one time.

So when Jesus uses the name, "I AM" in his discussion with the Jews in John 8, they understand exactly what He is declaring – that He is equal to Almighty God Himself. No wonder they pick up rocks to stone Him! But what they fail to realize is that if His claim is true, then in rejecting Him they, rather than Jesus, are the ones in danger of blasphemy.

What about us? In our casual culture today, are we ever in danger of dishonoring the Lord in our references to Him? Jesus is not a buddy, a colleague, or some "dude" on the street. He is the Most High God, deserving our utmost honor and respect.

Let's take a moment today to stop whatever we are doing and bow before the great "I AM."

#### Jan Knox

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Attendance Report Sunday, February 11, 2018		Elders	Ministry Staff
		David Anderson	Harold Durham
Sunday Bible Class 10:15am Assembly	242 382	Mike Blevins	Minister of Community Services
Sunday pm Assembly	36	David Casey	John Duty
Life Groups	27	Joe Daugherty	Body Life Minister
Sunday pm Total	63	Jeff Jeffries	<b>Michael Grayson</b> Youth Minister
Worship Schedule		Billy Martin	Fouri Minister
		Jim Sargent	Mark Hackney Administrative Minister
Sunday Morning Bible Class	9:00am	Ike Sawyer	John Knox
Sunday Morning Worship	10:15am	Bob Spies	Preaching Minister
Sunday Evening Worship	5:00pm	Kirk Woolery	
Wednesday Evening	6:30pm	Ira Wright	

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