# **Family News**

## Sympathy

**To Randy and Michele Myrick** and family at the death of Randy's mother, Mae Anne Atwood Myrick. Service was Wednesday in Irving.

**To Tyler and Kelly Wiggains** and family at the death of Kelly's mother, Billie Duncan. Service was Thursday in Katy.

**To Ann Roberts** (for mer member) at the death of her husband, Earl Roberts. Services are pending.

## Announcements

**2016 Bible Reading Plan** – Read through the entire Bible this year with the GCOC Bible Reading Plan. This plan was specially designed to correspond with John's sermon themes in 2016. It is available now in the adult Bible classes and information centers, so pick one up today!

Ten Days of Prayer (Diez Días de **Oración**) are in progress for the growth of the Hispanic Ministry of the Granbury Church of Christ. From January 1 through January 10, a prayer leader has been and will be in Room 30 (the classroom just inside the Parlor entrance to the building and the meeting place of the Iglesia de Cristo) at 6:30pm (except for the two Sundays in the schedule when the prayer meeting is at 4:00pm). You are invited and encouraged to join the prayer leader at that specific place and time to add your presence and prayers to these special prayer meetings. If you choose not to be 'on location,' please join the prayer at the times announced.

The Hispanic Ministry of the Granbury Church of Christ will begin a Bible study for Spanish speakers on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 in Room 30. Fidel Quesada is the teacher for the class. All are welcome.

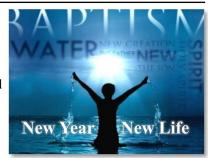
**First Sunday Welcome Lunch** – The Seekers and Victory classes invite visitors and new members who have placed membership since January 2015 to be their guests for lunch in the Dining Hall of the Fellowship Center **today**, immediately following the 10:45 worship service.

Special Sunday - Next Sunday, January 10, GCOC will launch New Year, New Life, the first sermon series of 2016. J. Bailey, preaching minister for the Legacy Church of Christ in North Richland Hills, will teach a combined adult class in the Worship Center at 9:30am and serve as the guest speaker for one morning worship service at 10:45am. His brother, Stephen Bailey, will lead our worship. The congregation will then share a potluck meal together at noon in the Fellowship Center, followed by a second worship service at 1:00pm in the Worship Center. There will be no evening service. Join us for a wonderful day of praise, worship, and fellowship!

**Benefit for Aaron McClelen** – On Sunday, January 17, GCOC will host a spaghetti luncheon at noon and a cappella concert with *His Harmony* at 1:00pm to benefit Aaron McClelen (grandson of Richard and Marla McClelen). A donation of \$10 per plate is suggested to help defray Aaron's medical expenses.

# *New Year, New Life*: Wednesday Night Line-Up

Special thanks goes to David C. Anderson, Doug Dobbins, Harold Durham, John Jones, and John and Jan Knox for serving as teachers for our Wednesday adult classes this past fall. We have been blessed by their preparation and insight.



This new year brings the potential for new life as we make plans and set goals for the future. Our focus on Wednesday nights for the next ten weeks will complement and reinforce the Sunday morning sermon theme of *New Year, New Life.* Beginning this Wednesday, January 6, experience spiritual renewal through one of the following classes:

### ♦ Toward a New Creation: Romans ~ Room 5 ~ David Berryman

This in-depth study of the book of Romans will give insight into a world gone wrong and describe what new life on God's terms looks like.

♦ Transformation: Changed by God (ladies' class) ~ Room 12 ~ Jan Knox

This class will consider the various tools God uses to mold us into His image.

♦ The Domino Effect: Changing Your Life One Decision at a Time ~ Room 8 ~ John Knox

This study will examine the chain reaction effect of our decisions, good or bad, on our spiritual transformation and ultimately our eternal destiny.

## ◆ *Life Group* ~ Room 7 ~ Kirk Woolery

This small group discussion will revolve around a practical application of the previous Sunday's sermon.

## ♦ Bible Study for Spanish Speakers ~ Room 30 ~ Fidel Quesada

This Bible study will be conducted in Spanish. All are welcome.

# January Schedule Changes

- January 3: 10:15am Hospitality, 10:45am Worship NO 8:15am Worship, 9:30am Bible Class, or 5:00pm Worship
- January 10: 9:00am Hospitality, 9:30am Bible Class (adults in the Worship Center), 10:45am Worship, 12:00pm All-Church Potluck Luncheon, 1:00pm Worship NO 8:15am Worship or 5:00pm Worship
- January 17: 9:00am Hospitality, 9:30am Bible Class, 10:45am Worship, 12:00pm Benefit Luncheon, 1:00pm Benefit Concert by *His Harmony* NO 8:15am Worship or 5:00pm Worship



# Bible Reading Plan for January 2016

Mark	Colossians
Acts	1 & 2 Timothy
Romans	Titus
Galatians	Philemon
Ephesians	James
Philippians	

## **Prayer Requests**

### Members, Relatives & Friends in Hospital/ Rehab

Freda Brown – Harbor Lakes Rehab, Frankie Deckard – Trinity Mission Rehab, Evelyn Jamison – Dallas Children's Hospital, Aaron McClelen – Glen Rose Rehab, Don Wiggins – Quail Park

#### Members

Mary Mary Adams, Susan Blevins, Laurie Bodine, Gloria Burba, Don Drake, Alma Gilliam, Jada Green, Glenda Fry, Billy Jack Jones, Arlene McMillan, Mary Beth Moore, Harold Renninger, Bob and Norma Sisk, Bonnie Spies, Sue Stephens, Bonnie Vance, Bobbie Van Liew, Sue Wiggins, David Wims, Max and Evelyn Young

(Note: For a complete list of prayer needs or to submit a prayer request, go to www.granburycoc.net and click on the *Prayer* tab.)

# Attendance Report

Sunday, December 27, 2015

Sunday Bible Class	na
8:15 am Assembly	na
10:45 am Assembly	439
Worship Assembly Total	439
Sunday pm Total	na
Life Groups	na
Sunday pm Total	na

## **Worship Schedule**

Sunday Morning Worship	8:15am & 10:45am
Sunday Morning Bible Class	9:30am
Sunday Evening Worship	5:00pm
Sunday Spanish-speaking Bible Class	4:00pm
Sunday Spanish-speaking Worship	5:00pm
Wednesday Evening	6:30pm

## Elders

David Anderson	Billy Martin
Jeff Berryman	Ronnie Roberts
Mike Blevins	Ike Sawyer
David Casey	Richard Snowbarger
Joe Daugherty	Bob Spies
Mike Gilbert	Ira Wright

## Ministry Staff

Harold Durham Minister of Community Services

John Duty Worship and Body Life Minister

> Michael Grayson Youth Minister

Mark Hackney Administrative Minister

John Knox Preaching Minister

Tyler Wiggains Children's Minister



# Following Christ to the Glory of God

January 3, 2016 Worship Leader – John Duty

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE ...

#144 O Worship the King We Have Come to Worship Him Body Life - Call to Worship I'm Happy Today

Kids' Time

#1014 Jesus Loves Me

### GOD'S PEOPLE DECLARE COMMITMENT...

A New Anointing

#### THE COMMISSIONING OF TYLER WIGGAINS AS AN ORDAINED MINISTER

John Knox Commissioning Prayer The Elders A New Anointing

## GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD ...

Sermon: A New Year's Commissioning for Us All John Knox

> **GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND...** Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God

### *GOD INVITES US TO HIS TABLE...* #366 By Christ Redeemed The Lord's Supper Prayers Van Vernon

### GOD'S PEOPLE BRING OFFERINGS...

Contribution Prayer Van Vernon #557 Rise Up, O Church of God

GOD SENDS US TO LOVE AND SERVE...

Ephesians 3:20-21 Benediction Prayer David Asbill