WELCOME VISITOR!

February 6th, 2022

We are very glad you worshipped with us today. We would like a record of your visit, so please take a few minutes and fill in the information below, tear this part off, and drop it in the offering plate.

(Please circle) Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss

Name:_____
Adress:_____
City:_____State:_____
Zip:_____

Phone:( )_____
Email:
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Help us to know your better:

◊ First time visitor

◊ New in the community

◊ Would like more information

◊ Would like personal visit

◊ I am looking for a church home

I am attending as a guest of:
_____

Are you a member of a church?
Yes No

Name of church:_____
_____
_____

them. These temptations can come in the form of shirking our principles for social favor from our peers, prioritizing comfort or entertainment over church attendance, or just flat out caving in to that which tempts us at every turn. We cannot expect to be judged to our liking by God if we are not willing to make sacrifices and remain steadfast in our time on earth. Sin is designed to be tempting to trick us into committing such acts.

As we see in 1 Corinthians 10:13, it is guaranteed that we will face such battles throughout our existence, and we have a loving God to lean on in such times. Additionally, 1 Peter 5:8 reads "be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour." With that, we must meet Him halfway, so to speak, by exercising a strengthened will to resist Satan and keep ourselves as free of sin as we can be. A faithful christian is a strong-willed christian.

Our Mission

University Church of Christ
San Marcos, TX
Marlon & Jacky Retana

Memphis School of Preaching
Bobby Lidell
David Jimenez M.

Far East/World Evangelism
Four Seas Singapore
Peter Chin
Senatobia, MS

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Barry Hatcher
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Tri-City School of Preaching
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Southaven Church Of Christ

Children's Home
Latin American Mission
& Panama
Valdosta, GA

Domingo Perez Montejo
Mexico, Palenque

Mark Lance
Chalmette Church of Christ

Berean Children's Home
Brookhaven, MS

De Gaulle Drive Church of Christ
Joey & Tammy Treat
Micronesia

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The GONZALES Messenger

GONZALES CHURCH OF CHRIST

February 6th, 2022

On Christian Willpower

By Colin Schmidt

"No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it." – 1 Corinthians 10:13

The christian walk of life is an exercise in willpower just as it is an exercise in faith. Aside from hearing, believing, confessing, repenting, and baptism required for salvation, often overlooked is the 'living in accordance to the Gospel' aspect of the lifelong christian walk. The greatest obstacle to followers of Christ is the temptation to give in to human desires.

It is natural that we are drawn in by that which gratifies us, but if these things separate us from God, we have a duty to resist

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Our Schedule

Sunday
Bible Class 9 AM
AM Worship 10 AM
PM Worship 1 PM

Wednesday
Bible Class 7 PM

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Ronald DeShazo
Michael Krieger

Deacons
Patrick Adkins
Roberto Benitez
Tracy Boone
Harold Douget
Ed Hackler
Tim Schmidt
Ben Vallery

Ministers
James Eaves
Carlos Barrientos

Attendance Record
Sunday
AM- 98
PM- 73
Wed- 73

LESSONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday:

Bible Class: Revelation 19
Scripture Reading: John 4:24

AM Sermon: The Nature of Worship in the Church
PM Sermon : The Value of Faith

Wednesday:

Bible Class: Nehemiah Chapter 8

2022 Spring Gospel Meeting: Guest Speaker: Aaron Cozart from Collierville, TN.

A Better Life Begins With You

February 11th-13th:

Friday and Saturday at 7pm

Sunday at 9am, 10am and 1pm

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

February Birthdays:

- 6th Anthony Eaves
- 6th Alicia Mars
- 9th Elizabeth Floyd
- 11th Chris Meek
- 12th Joel Watson, Jr
- 12th Bobbie Lovett

Bible Bowl Practice Schedule:

(Sunday Practice, After PM Service)

Feb. 6th

Feb. 20th

Saturday Practice:

March 12th 10am-4pm

Friday Practice/Set-up

March 18th 7pm-9:30pm

Bible Bowl:

March 19th

Privileged to Serve 02-06-2022

AM & PM Assembly
Song Leader…… J Deslatte
Lord's Table…… T Schmidt
AV Room…… McWilliams
Announcements…….. D Kyle

AM Assembly
Greeters…….. GCoC
Opening Prayer…… H Douget
Scripture…….. Peyton Adkins
Closing Prayer…….. Blake Adkins

PM Assembly
Opening Prayer…… T Boone
Closing Prayer…….. B Stephens

Wed Assembly
Song Leader…….. Blake Adkins
Invitation…….. Colin Schmidt
Closing Prayer……. T King

Privileged to Serve 2-13-2022

AM & PM Assembly
Song Leader…… T King
Lord's Table…… B Cook
AV Room…… McWilliams
Announcements…….. D Kyle

AM Assembly
Greeters…….. GCoC
Opening Prayer…… D Esmon
Scripture…….. H Boone
Closing Prayer…….. B Cook

PM Assembly
Opening Prayer…… R Deshazo
Closing Prayer…….. F Dudley

Wed Assembly
Song Leader…….. Anthony Eaves
Invitation…….. D Esmon
Closing Prayer……. W Pace

ATTENTION:

If you need to make a change to the online church directory please contact Amanda Eaves (225-931-4040). You may also use this slip to write down directory corrections and give them directly to her.

Your Name:_____

Prayer Requests: _____

Alternatively, you may text Patrick Adkins any updates to the prayer list. 225-205-7109