

"So great a cloud of witnesses... (Hebrews 12:1)

- Consider Ezra -

"For Ezra had set his heart to study the law of the Lord and to practice it, and to teach His statutes and ordinances in Israel."

- Ezra 7:10^{NASB}

Serving Today

**Please let Allen know if you are unable to serve*

Greeters: Tony and Kelly Carter

(Next Week: Gary and Marilyn Carter)

Announcements and Opening Prayer:

Gary Carter

Song Leader: Garrett Jackson

Lead Communion: Rod Jackson

Assist: Mac Milam

Mike Thompson

Chris Smith

Scripture Reading: Jim Cunningham

(Ecclesiastes 12:1-7)

Speaker: Aaron Baker

Closing Prayer: Allen Hedge

Serving Wednesday

Announcements & Prayer: Jerry Johnson

Song Leader: Brandon Jackson

Devotional: Gary Carter

Attendance Last Week

AM Worship: 61

PM Worship: 28

Contribution: \$2148

Wednesday: 40

Our Meeting Times

SUNDAY

Bible Study - 9:00am

Morning Worship - 10:00am

Evening Worship - 5:00pm

(1st Sunday of the month - 1:00pm)

WEDNESDAY

Dinner served at 6:00pm

Bible Study 7:00-8:00pm

Happy Birthday
in February to...

14th - Marilyn Carter
21st - Tracy Ehlmann
27th - Kay Shepard

Happy Anniversary
in February to...

9th - Jerry and Kim
30th - Gary and Marilyn
31st - Rod and Leann

For updates or additions to the announcements or prayer list, contact Cindy Baker ---

Welcome TO THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

@ FORISTELL

Loving the Lord with all our soul... (Mark 12:30)



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Gospel Meeting - Part 2

By: Aaron Baker

Questions we must ask if we want our upcoming Gospel Meeting to succeed:

- 1) Are we prepared? Have you made contact with the people on your list? Have you committed yourself to attend? Are our facilities ready to host the crowd we hope & pray will come? Song leaders, are you ready? Are the songs chosen?
- 2) Are we ready to participate? Don't make the preacher "Amen" himself. Are you ready to sing...and mean it? Don't get upset if a visitor sits, "in your spot." Sit up front and make room for visitors in the back, where they would prefer to sit.
- 3) Be ready to meet & greet people at each meeting time and make them all feel welcome. Go out of your way to let people know you appreciate their attendance.

Consider the poem on the back of the Lesson Sheet.

It is entitled "Little Barefoot Buford"

*God is calling you. But not on your cell phone.
Don't forget to silence your phone during worship!*

**TODAY BEGINS A NEW QUARTER!
OUR CONGREGATIONAL FOCUS IN THE COMING WEEKS WILL BE:
"LOVE THE LORD WITH ALL YOUR SOUL"**

"Be devoted to prayer..." (Romans 12:12)

- * **Mac Milam** had to have a heart cath and stint put in on Tuesday this past week. Praise God that the procedure went well and Mac was back among us the very next day!
- * Please remember to pray for Willadean's brother, **Carl Wright**. His hemoglobin test had good results, however, he will come back here for a mass reviewing on March 12th.
- * Leann's dad, **Mierlan Payne**, will be having cataract surgery on March 7th. Pray that all goes well with that procedure and his recovery.
- * Pray for **Andy Warren** who will be travelling to Nepal and Bangladesh for a four week mission trip.
- * **Don and Diane Johnson** (Jerry Johnson's brother and sister-in-law) are on a medical mission to Madagascar for the next two weeks. Please pray for their safe travels and success of their mission.
- * **Mary Beth Dietz** (Cindy Baker's mother) will be going to an eye specialist on March 14 to see if there is anything they can do to help her vision. Please pray they find a solution to her eyesight problems.
- * Please keep Jason Volgelsang's mother, **Sandy Foster**, in your prayers. She fell on the ice and broke her ankle badly. She will be recovering at Jason and Kim's house for about the next three months.

"I love You, O Lord, my strength." - Psalm 18:1

Please continue to pray for: Larry Morrow (traveling for work), Tracy Ehlmann, Kay Shepard (health), Harold Fitzjerrell (Alzheimers), Carl Wright (health), Brandon Holst (recovering from surgery), Kim Vogelsang (health), Caleb Sams (cancer), Judy Wicker (back pain), Stacy Hagar and her Mom and Grandparents, Greg Haney (chemo), Marvin Hedden (heart attack recovery), James Hansel (heart problems), Harold Hogard (back surgery), Wayne Hogard (prostate cancer), Eulis Green (pneumonia and CHF)



Highlight on Missions

Check out the new Missions bulletin board in the foyer!

Honduras: Elias Roque Sr. reports that they are now working on a project to get new chairs for the building. They anticipate the project to be completed by December 2013.

Vanuatu: If you have ever been curious how to build your own outhouse in the village, be sure to check out Eric's step-by-step commentary on building theirs!
www.missionvanuatu.blogspot.com It's very informative and good for a laugh!

Take Note!

Potluck Meal today! Visitors are welcome! Plenty of food and great fellowship!

- * **Men's Prayer Devotional at Denny's in LSL. Friday mornings at 6:30am. Start your morning off right!**
- * **Women's Bible Study at the building is weekly on Monday at 7:00pm. Grow your faith as we journey through an Overview of the Old Testament.**
- * **VOLUNTEERS FOR VACUUMING ARE STILL NEEDED!** March has arrived, but only two names have appeared on the list. Can you carve out an hour to help accomplish this task? Come anytime - before services, after services, any day, or any night during the week to get the job done. Sign up in the foyer.
- * **The area wide singing for the month of March will be hosted by...US - the Foristell congregation! Make plans to attend on Friday, March 22nd.**
- * **IT'S CRUNCH TIME!** Our Gospel Meeting is right around the corner - March 17 (Sun) thru March 20th (Wed). The topic is: **BURNED.** Make plans to come and invite someone you know. Let's support this good work of sharing the gospel of Christ!

Gospel Meeting Weekly Checklist

This week: Invite someone to come to the Gospel Meeting.

Let's have a heart for the work!

How Can I Help?

There are many children in our communities who do not have enough food to eat throughout the weekend. The Warrenton and Wright City school districts have put together a means of helping those young kids with their needs.

If you would like to donate **NON-PERISHABLE** foods for these children, please pick up a shopping list and grocery sack in the foyer. Any questions? See Marilyn Carter.

"Remember also your Creator in the days of your youth, before the evil days come and the years draw near when you will say, 'I have no delight in them.'... The conclusion, when all has been heard, is: fear God and keep His commandments, because this applies to every person."
- Ecclesiastes 12:1, 13

*Turning Point Women's and Children's Shelter Needs:
Toilet Paper and Paper Towels*