



BAKER HEIGHTS ON TEXAS AVE CHURCH of CHRIST



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“Children are a heritage from the Lord ...” Psalms 127:3
Happy Father’s Day

Good Morning

At camp this summer, I was sitting outside with my son and he started asking everyone who walked by if they had a “taco tan”. Confused by the question, I asked him to explain what a “taco tan” was. He said, “Dad, you know, a taco tan,” pointing to the zigzag pattern on my wife’s feet. I realized that he was not talking about a tasty Mexican treat, but that he had gotten the words taco and “Chaco” mixed up. “Chaco” are a trendy brand of sandals that have a unique zigzag pattern to its straps.

People do a lot of activities outside during the summer . Whether you are on vacation or at church camp, spending so much time outside means a lot of exposure to the sun. You can tell who has been out in the sun because they turn shades of brown, or unfortunately, sometimes shades of red.

You can also tell who has spent time in the presence of the Son this summer. It may not be as visible as tan lines and sun burns, but you can tell. The signs of time spent in the presence of the Son are not physical, but spiritual. You will notice a greater love for God and a greater love for others. With that exposure to the Son, we all will develop a closer relationship with our heavenly Father.

Many of us work very hard to look like we spent time out in the sun. We lay outside, go to tanning beds, and even use spray and lotion in order to achieve that “time-spent-in-the-sun” look. As Christians, we need to pursue the results of “spending time” in the presence of God’s Son. There is no instant tanning lotion – instead “the look” comes from time spent in prayer, the Scriptures, and Christian fellowship. So let us not work so hard on our suntans and instead work on our **Son-tans** and being reflections of Jesus Christ.

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.” -John 8:12

Luke Bower

ORDER OF SERVICE

KIDS’ TIME

#810 – Jesus Loves Me

#542 – Purer in Heart, O God

PRAYER

#975 – Thank You, Lord!

In Christ Alone

COMMUNION

#234 – Higher Ground

SCRIPTURE READING – 1 Thessalonians 2:9-12

SERMON – **“Glory Days”**

#231 – Hilltops of Glory

ELDERS PRAYER

TIMES OF SERVICES

9:30 a.m. – Group Bible Class – Auditorium

(No Children’s Bible classes in this phase)

10:00 a.m. – Worship Service – Auditorium

(Special seating areas reserved for those “At Risk”)

(No Sunday p.m. worship in this phase)

(No Feeding the Flock meals in this phase)

(No Wednesday classes or Devo in this phase)

(Pantry open by appointment only – see next page)

***** PRAY, PRAY, PRAY *** CALL & ENCOURAGE A FRIEND*** PRAY, PRAY, PRAY *****

Prayer List

BHCC MEMBERS:

Leroy Mason – released to Wisteria Place
Jena Madeley – new chemo treatment
Minnie Woody – health
Matthew Tholl – baptized on 06/12/20 at WRYC

FRIENDS AND FAMILY:

Peggy Tiner (mother of **Stuart Tiner**) – placed on hospice
Jason Mahoney (cousin of **Roxanne Hello**) – health concerns

All Missionaries:

Chipata Bible College and all the preachers in the field.
 All Military & First Responders

SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF:

Delmer Lee "Bud" Ivy (father of **Shelly Goodnight**) who died 06/17
Penelope Perry (niece of **Chris Lana**) who died 06/09
Stephanie Perry (niece of **Chris Lana**) who died 06/15

THOSE BATTLING CANCER:

Jena Madeley, Lewis Maness, Kay Procter, Larry Taylor, Jesse Thomas, Minnie Woody

All our family members & friends dealing with cancer & treatments.

OUR HOMEBOUND MEMBERS:

Brenda Amonett, Eldon Amonett, Phyllis Bonner, Janet Bruns, Mamie Crane, Norma Dotson, Jo Potter, Leroy & Mary Mason, Frances Pruett, Melinda Simmons, Dean & Nelda Stewart, Laveta Youngquist.

Be sure and look at **Larry Sullivan's** online videos for Sunday evening sermons and Wednesday devotional thoughts. On FaceBook or on YouTube search for "Baker Heights Church of Christ". Scroll down until you see the picture of Larry and play the wanted videos.

Contribution Statistics

<u>Month</u>	<u>Monthly Totals</u>	<u>(per week) Average</u>	<u>(per week) Goal</u>
March	\$42,39	\$8,479	\$9,600
April	\$34,787	\$8,696	\$9,600
May	\$38,174	\$7,635	\$9,600
June	\$19,780	\$9,890	\$9,600

2020 Budget Update

The elders adopted the Baker Heights 2020-21 fiscal year budget in March. A budget presentation was planned to present to the congregation, but the COVID-19 restrictions were implemented at that time.

Since that time, the elders have made several changes to limit expenditures, these changes include reducing our office hours, reducing our building cleaning service, turning over support for Cuenca Ecuador to the Oldham Lane congregation, and applying for governmental funds through the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP). This allowed us to meet our ongoing expenses at a time when our weekly contribution is approximately \$1,400 a week below the budgeted amount.

As Texas and Abilene continue to reopen and we resume our normal meeting schedule, we expect the contribution to increase and provide some relief to the budget. With James Sanderson's departure to Waxahachie, the eldership plans to move those budgeted salary funds into the Building fund (for emergency and planned repairs and maintenance).

On the right is a summary of the 2020-21 budget by ministry, if you would like a copy of the full detailed budget, copies will be available at the back of the auditorium or from the office.

Richard Oller (for the eldership)

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

23 – June Luke Bower, David Walker
 25 – June Fran Henley
 27 – June Mavis Crane, Leroy Mason

THIS WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

22 – June Kenneth & Charlotte Longley
 27 – June Neil & Kay Brown

PANTRY HOURS

PLEASE NOTE: Until further notice the PANTRY is by appointment only on Wednesdays from 5:30 – 6 p.m. IF you need to utilize the pantry, please call the office for an appointment – 325-692-6974 – (Mon – Fri, 9 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.)

2020/2021 BHCC BUDGET

Evangelism	\$130,100
Education	\$ 4,700
Youth	\$ 76,176
Benevolence	\$ 24,400
Missions	\$ 54,500
Fellowship	\$ 16,200
Building and Grounds	\$119,750
Administration	\$ 59,200
Assembly	\$ 1,200
Information Technology	\$ 11,950
Dyess	\$ 500
Widows Care	\$ 250
New Member	\$ 250
TOTAL	\$499,176
Weekly Budget	\$9,600
2020 Average Weekly Contribution	\$8,264

ELDERSHIP: Richard Bower; Ed Cowart; Robert Dennis; Charles Goodnight; Richard Oller ***; Larry Taylor; Stuart Tiner.

MINISTERS: Larry Sullivan (Preaching) Luke Bower (Youth & Family)