

The Providence of God as Seen in Esther

- I. Examples of God's Providence in Esther
- Chapter 1 - A wicked _____ created a _____ throne.
 - Chapter 2 - Inner and outer _____ won the day for Esther.
 - Chapter 2 - Mordecai heard and understood the _____.
 - Chapter 3 - The pur (lot) landed on the _____ month.
 - Chapter 4 - Esther agreed to _____ her _____.
 - Chapter 5 - Xerxes _____ the _____.
 - Chapter 5 - Haman built Mordecai's _____.
 - Chapter 6 - That very night, Xerxes couldn't _____.
 - Chapter 7 - Haman prostrated himself on _____.
 - Chapter 9 - The Jews _____.
- II. Learn:
- God _____ of His people.
 - God expects me to _____ in my own salvation.
 - My salvation depends upon _____ to save others.

July 16, 2023

Song Leader-DJ Stucky

Welcome

8-Let Every Heart Rejoice and Sing
23-Our God He Is Alive
134-The Lord's My Shepherd

Prayer
Ronnie Hoover

Scripture Reading
Isaiah 49:13
Eddie Morris

155-Highest Place
176-Lamb of God

Lord's Supper and
Contribution
Alfred Meeks

463-I Know Who Holds
Tomorrow

Coins for Christ/Bible Times

1014-Jesus Loves Me

Lesson- Chris Graham
"The Providence of God as
Seen in Ester"

940-Only A Step

Announcements
Shepherd's Prayer
James Herring

Welcome Guests! We are honored that you have joined us today and hope that you will be blessed by your time with us in worship. The following are some helpful tips on making the most of your visit with us this morning.

Register- Our guests, as well as members, are asked to register their attendance as the pads are passed down each pew.

Attended Nursery is available for children up to three years of age in the west wing. (Kid Zone)

Bible Times is for older twos through fourth grade. Two's-K are in the children's wing, room 4, and 1st-4th are in room 6.

Quiet Bags for children are available at the table by the children's wing.

The Welcome Center has details about ministries, classes and more. It is in the main entrance outside the auditorium.

To access internet, connect to West Freeway Guest. No password needed.

Phone:817-246-8000

Website: www.wfcoc.org

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Assemblies:

Sunday

Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening 4:00 p.m.
Communion will be offered at each Sunday meeting.

Wednesday

7:00 p.m.

Minister

Chris Graham
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DJ Stucky
817.706.0170

Elders

James Herring 817.401.1047
Victor Jones 817.584.1300
Ronnie Moore 817.821.4991
John Robertson 817.343.7586
Mike Tinius 817.657.1431

Elder of the month: John Robertson



Have a Great "Second Act"

Are you retired? Are you contemplating retirement soon? Many of you are. Take heart from these retirees:

Othmar Ammann retired at age 60. Afterward, he designed, among other things, The Connecticut and New Jersey Turnpikes, the Pittsburgh Civic Arena, Dulles Airport, the Throgs Neck Bridge, and the Verrazano Narrows Bridge.

Paul Gauguin retired as a successful stockbroker and became a world-famous artist.

Heinrich Schliemann retired from business to look for Homer's legendary city of Troy. He found it.

After Churchill made his mark as a world statesman, he picked up his pen and won the Nobel Prize for Literature at age seventy-nine.

Don't forget that Moses was eighty years old when he started his forty-year career leading Israel (Exodus 7:7).

It is evident that the average age of members in many churches is going up. Even as we reach out to young people to fill our pews, what shall we "seasoned saints" do ourselves? It is heart-warming to watch many of our aging members volunteering for Vacation Bible School, teaching children's classes, worshipping God with their whole hearts and doing a thousand more acts of kindness and service. Some have even turned to volunteering full time service through Sojourners, Gospel Sharing Ministries, HomeMission, and many other good works.

Are you retired or facing retirement soon? Let's resolve together to have a great "second act" for the Lord.

Chris Graham



My Favorite Gospel Song
2023 Summer Series
 West Freeway Church of Christ

- July 19-**Gary Hampton**, Mississippi
"Power in the Blood"
- July 26-**Gary Williams**, Western Hills
"There's A Stirring"
- August 2-**Ronnie Hoover**, West Freeway
"I Know that My Redeemer Lives"
- August 9-**Bruce Martin**, Whitney
"I Am a Sheep"
- August 16-**Les Keele**, Western Hills
"It Is Well with My Soul"
- August 23-**Robert Moss**, Highland
"Because He Lives"
- August 30-**Tommy Haynes**, Moore, OK
"I'll Fly Away"

Each Wednesday night at 7 p.m. Children's Bible classes provided.

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Our heartbeat (7/9/23)
 Bible Class: 73
 AM Worship: 131
 PM: 105
 Wednesday: 49
 Contribution: \$8,218.25
 Weekly Budget: \$8,145.00
 Difference: \$ + 73.25
 Average: \$7,662.69

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July 18
 Summer Family Series at Grandview Church of Christ. The van will leave at 6:00 pm.

July 20
 Summer Youth Series at Briar Church of Christ. The van will leave at 6:15 pm.

July 25
 Summer Family Series at Mesquite Church of Christ. The van will leave at 6:00 pm.

July 27
 Summer Youth Series at Colleyville Church of Christ. The van will leave at 6:15 pm.

Men
 Men's Bible Study, **Tuesdays** at 6:30 p.m.

Men's Breakfast
 Held each Tuesday morning at 7:00 at Westside Café. Come join in the fellowship.

Ladies' Bible Class
Tuesdays in the Fellowship Area 9:30 a.m.

Mission Work Session
 Every Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Area. If you have any questions, please see Ollie Taylor-Brewer.

Praying without ceasing...

Love and sympathy to **John Thompson** and family on the loss of his granddaughter.

Melinda Hay will be having surgery to remove a tumor on the left side of her head on July 31st.

Stephen Smith, Sue Smith's son, was in a motorcycle wreck. He broke several bones, and injured several others. He is also still on dialysis.

Other Members in need of Prayer:
James Blakley, Marie Clark, Bob Durko, Margaret Hamilton, John Johnson, Reba Myers, Frank Piksie, Diana Richardson, Dolores Thatch, Donna Williams.

Family Members:

Rhonda Wherry, Bill Wherry's daughter, sent a letter and said that **Bill** would love to get cards or letters. She said that you can send them to her, and she will take them to him. Her address is 1019 Mustang Trail, Granbury, TX 76049.

HomeMission

Please pick up a copy of "WAYS TO MAKE A VISIT". There will be new issues each week. The HM newsletter will keep you up to date on the latest things happening with HomeMission.



A BIG thank you to everyone that made Vacation Bible School a success this year! So many people played a part. Not all were visible, but all played a huge part! The children and adults both had so much fun! Although the adults may be a bit worn out!



We are in need of pop tarts, vienna sausages, spam, canned chicken, spaghetti-o's and raviolis.

We have several dishes in the back kitchen. If you are missing a dish, please check to see if one of them are yours.