

# Westworth Church of Christ

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Word*



**WELCOME VISITORS!**

**Thank you for joining us today to worship the Lord.**

If you are looking for a supportive, Bible-based church family, we believe you have found it at Westworth. You are always welcome to be a part of the warmth and loving nature that is shown here. We have a place for you!

If this is your first visit here, please honor us by filling out a visitor's card found on the back of each pew. Any prayer requests may also be made on the flip side of the card. You may hand it to any member, place it in the contribution plate when passed, or simply leave it in the pew for us.

During the service we will celebrate communion. Communion is not only about Jesus' death, but his resurrection and triumph over death and sin. His resurrection is our source of hope that God will fulfill his promise of eternal life through Jesus the Christ.



## ***From the Pulpit Today*** **Speaker— Max Pratt**

***Lesson:***

### **Visiting the Mount of Transfiguration**

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**Scripture: Luke 9:28-36**

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- On The Mountain with Jesus**
- Praying on the Mountain**
- Seeing the Lord's Glory**
- A Voice From the Cloud**

# THE DAY GOD MAKES

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For twenty-eight years, every school day I watched the sunrise. One of the blessings of driving the school bus was the beauty of God's earth being reflected by the sunlight. Most days in West Texas few clouds hide the sun. Out on the county roads the countryside was quiet as daybreak began to awaken the wildlife and people. It was a good way to begin my day. I knew that the Lord was providing another day.

Long ago the Psalmist wrote these words:

***"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." (Psalms 118:24)***

If we have faith in God as Creator, if we believe that he gives us life, breath and all things; then we can and will rejoice in another day. Life is precious. Life, even with all the difficulties, trauma and drama, will be worth living. The quality of our life is not based upon the circumstances we have, but rather our attitude and response.

A woman came searching for Jesus. She was ill. She had been ill for twelve years. She had spent everything she had, but nothing the physician did helped. But the day she found Jesus; she came with a hope that if she touched the hem of his garment she would be healed. She did! And she was healed!

Jesus stopped, knowing power had left him. The woman fell at his feet confessing her need for healing.

The Lord said, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace." (Luke 8:48)

Living by faith in the One who set the sun in its place gives us a light of hope for today, all our days and one glorious eternal day.

***Max***

## ... GOOD THINGS CONTINUE ...

- **DONUTS AND DEVO'S (D&D) at 9:00 am in the activity building.**



This weekly study continues. Everyone is encouraged and welcomed to join this weekly gathering for study and brief fellowship prior to morning worship service.

Donuts and coffee etc., are part of this early time together.

- **Food Items for Southside Church of Christ food bank**

Deliveries are made each month and your generosity is greatly appreciated. Please keep this good work in your plans for sharing the bounty we receive from the Lord. Southside never fails to express their gratitude.

- **WORDS-OF-WISDOM**—Signs to “Plant” in your yard are available in the activity bldg. If you have one already, is it time for a new message to passers-by? It’s good to keep the message fresh.



It is always a blessing to fellowship with one another and stay up to date with our Christian family. Be sure and mark your calendar now for some noteworthy dates/events. If you would like to plan a special fellowship event, just dive right in and let it be known. Help is available if needed.

### February Dates to Note:

**Feb 14—Valentine’s Day**



**Feb 16—Third Sunday lunch**



**Feb 17—President’s Day**

**Feb 22—Annual Phil Simco Memorial Chili Cook Off**



**1 John 323-24**

<sup>23</sup> And this is his command: to believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another as he commanded us. <sup>24</sup> The one who keeps God’s commands lives in him, and he in them. And this is how we know that he lives in us: We know it by the Spirit he gave us.

Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. John 5:14



### ***Known Prayer needs and requests:***

**Laurice Reeves, Danny , Lee and Lana and respective families**—Continue to pray for peace and comfort for the family as they face life without Richard.

**Kelsey (Mason) McDowell** - received good news that her cancer was not as severe as previously thought. Less harsh chemo (as a precaution) will begin soon. Please continue to pray for Kelsey.

**Wanda Reynolds' daughter Missy**—Missy is still at her daughter's, although progress has been made, challenges keep creeping in to delay the healing. Please continue praying for Missy's recovery and improved health.

**Emerson Bellucci—Emerson is at home now!** She will be home schooled for the remainder of the year with limited exposure to large groups of people. Thank you for your prayers, and please keep her in your prayers of thanks to God.

**Deborah White Tallant (life-long friend of Tracy Robertson)**—battling Stage 4 Bladder Cancer. Her treatment has begun. Her husband, Tony, is also dealing with his own cancer. Please pray for both Debbie and Tony that treatments will provide positive results. Prayers for her family also as they face this incredible challenge.

**David Keller**— David is better, but not yet back to “full speed”. Please continue your prayers for David's complete recovery.

### **Please continue your prayers for these folks for complete healing and health:**

**Kelly Draper**—recovery from back surgery. Mark reports she is doing really well.

**Bonnie Davis, Maureen Fanta and Kelsey (Mason) McDowell**—Breast Cancer surgery and treatments.

**David Burris** — continued healing from his long ordeal.

**Sharold Ferris**—overall health issues and anticipated back surgery.

**Julie Ferris**— Latest review of nodes revealed no change, (good news) and the next review will be in one year—really good news.

**Kim Turner's daughter and granddaughters**—improved family conditions.

**John & Samantha Jewell**—successful mission efforts in Malawi.

**Andy & Lauren Jewell**— Please keep their young family in your prayers.

**Families of all who have lost loved ones recently.**

**Our “New” Brothers & Sisters**—here and in the Lord's churches everywhere.

**Those in assisted living and unable to meet with us regularly:**

- ♦ Pat Straw
- ♦ Jane Whitley
- ♦ Ernie Brawley

**Known Prayer needs and requests: (continued)**

Please include prayers for:

- **Victims and First Responders affected by the California fires.**
- **RAIN**
- **Teachers , Students and Parents**—for wisdom and patience in training kids
- **Israel and Ukraine**—A cease to the war there and continued return of the prisoners-of-war to their family and loved ones.
- **Church growth and leadership**—worldwide and especially here. Pray for our leaders that God will provide all their needs as they serve, and that we may be an encouragement for them.
- **The new President and all government leadership**—As the new president takes office, pray for strength and wisdom for him and for all who serve in government positions.
- **Young adults/couples** who are beginning their adult walk, pray that they discern the truth and always seek God's will.

**Please make known your prayer needs.**

**An opportunity for a neighbor**

An individual in the neighborhood reached out to us on Monday. The mom of a disabled 8 year-old boy is looking for part time help with his care. The information has been posted on the hallway bulletin board. If you are interested—or think you might be—contact information is included in the info.

**February Birthdays**

<b>Robby Robertson</b>	<b>Feb 1</b>	<b>Connie Heller</b>	<b>Feb 14</b>
<b>Laurice Reeves</b>	<b>Feb 2</b>	<b>Sherry Jones</b>	<b>Feb 15</b>
<b>Hudson Flaherty</b>	<b>Feb 3</b>	<b>Samantha Jewell</b>	<b>Feb 24</b>
<b>Eric Kreger</b>	<b>Feb 4</b>	<b>Jaedon Snell</b>	<b>Feb 28</b>
<b>Sarah (Dunson) Nichols</b>	<b>Feb 7</b>	<b>Tommy Bennett</b>	<b>Feb 29</b>

**February Anniversaries**

**Eric & Christi Kreger**

**Feb 3**



Annual  
Phil Simco  
Memorial  
Chili Cook-off


20 days and counting...  
... Are You Ready??

How much “heat” will you bring to the COOK-OFF?  
Work on your recipes now, and don’t miss out on one of our most anticipated fellowship events.  
Invite your neighbors, family and friends.\*\*  
Can’t wait—oh yes, and we’ll have plenty of anti-acids on hand. (*First Aid Station*)

(\*\*know anyone who would be willing to “Judge”... please enlist them.)

6:00 pm–Saturday  
February 22, 2025

February 2025						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3	4	5	6	7	
9	10	11	12	13	14 <small>Valentine's Day</small>	
16	17 <small>Washington's Birthday</small>	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	



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## www.Hugs4Tomorrow.org

Funds for construction of the Pavillion/Chapel were sent to Snoden recently. Chapel foundation and beginnings of support columns are in place. Pictures were included in today's Welcome Slides.



John will be traveling to Malawi on Tuesday, 2/4 for a 12-day visit to check on the progress. Please keep him in your prayers for safe travels.

Tentative plans are for John and Samantha to be here on Sunday, March 9. He will provide his latest report, following a fellowship meal.

Please continue to pray for the efforts on behalf of the children and those caring for them.



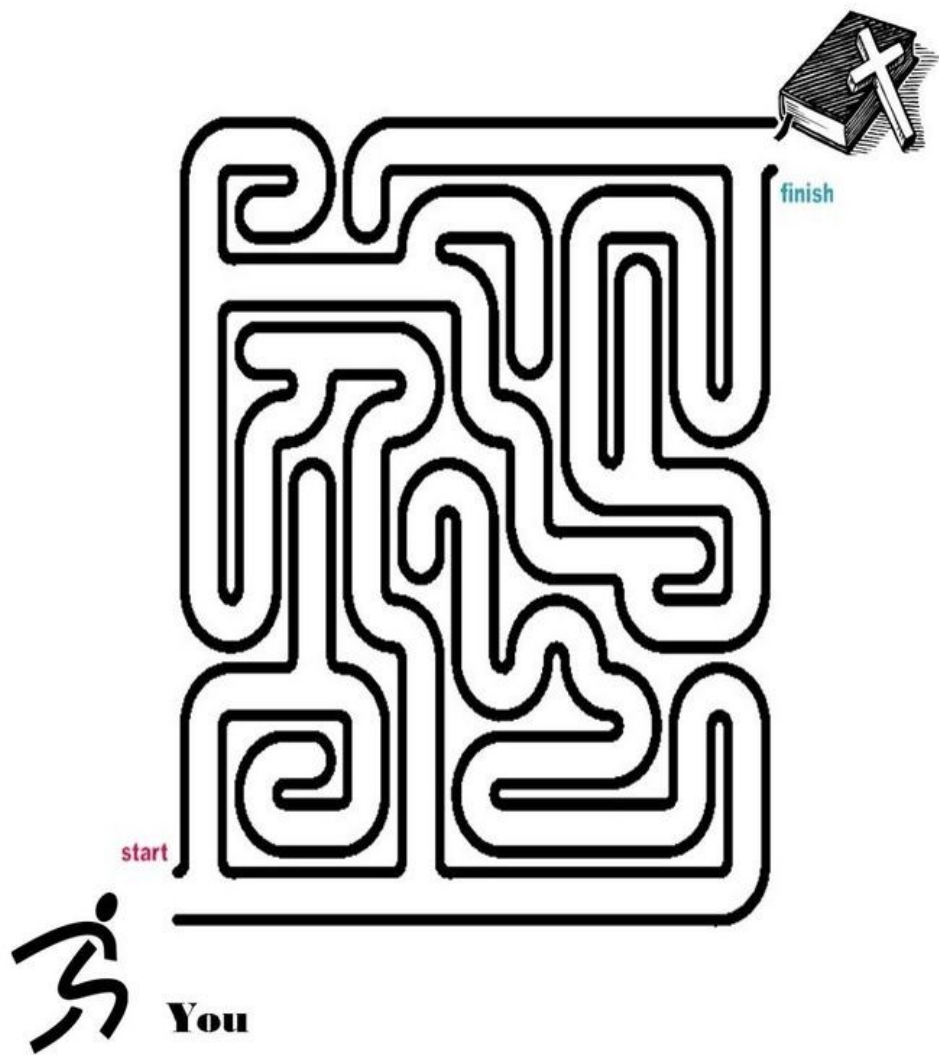
The conditions associated with California wildfires have improved, and—as is usually the case—now rains shift the attention to mudslides and flooding .

**Christian Relief Fund**—headquartered in Amarillo—is collecting funds for these relief efforts (much like what was done for the hurricanes on the east coast).

If you wish to provide assistance to fire victims through CRF, you can do so on line at the CRF website <https://crf.com/disaster>. Alternatively, in the north foyer, there are a few pre-printed envelopes with donation cards for your convenience in forwarding your personal check.

# Kids Pages

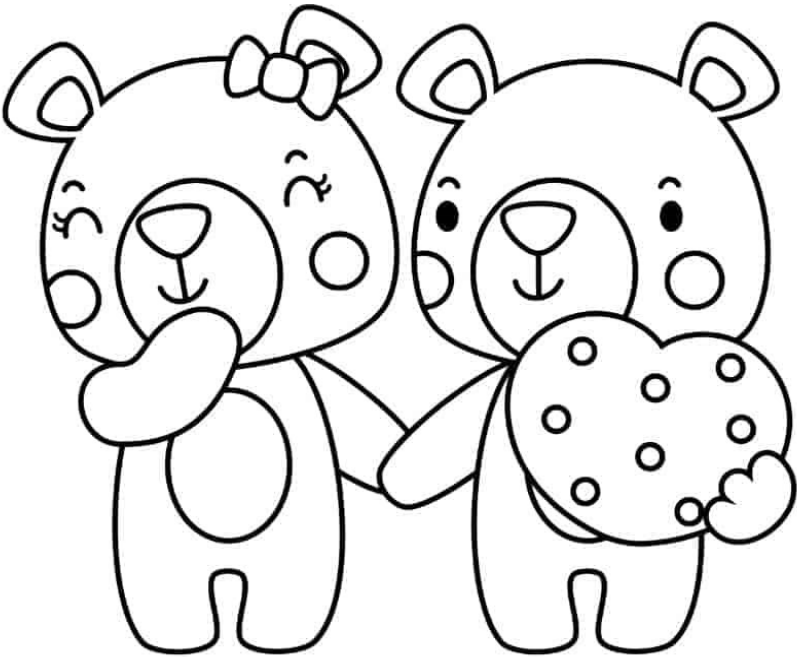
## Follow God's Word Maze





Crayons available in south foyer

# LOVE EACH OTHER



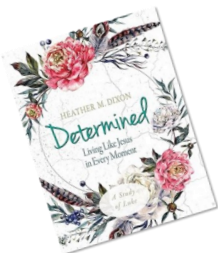
John 13:34: "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you."

**Memory verse:**

**Galatians 6:7** —Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap.

## SCHEDULED STUDIES

### **Monday—Women's Virtual Bible Study** **Weekly — 7:00 pm via Google meet** **New study -**



#### **DETERMINED: Living Like Jesus Every Day**

Next 2 sessions will be on Sunday evening at 6:30 (2/2 and 2/9). Then beginning on Mon, 2/17, the group will return to the Monday evening schedule (7:00 pm)

If you have not been part of this group before but would like to join—AND ALL OUR LADIES ARE WEL-

COMED TO JOIN—please contact Tracy

Robertson for website information and to be

added to the text group. Participants gain so much more than a time of study—the fellowship and support in the group is immeasurable, and something to be treasured. “Christian family time” is priceless and this is a standing invitation.



Tracy Robertson 817-308-0554 or [tracyroberson1966@gmail.com](mailto:tracyroberson1966@gmail.com)

### **Westworth Men's Group (monthly 1st & 3rd Tuesdays )**

Continuing Study: **If** by Mark Batterson.

“Trading Your ‘If Only’ Regrets for  
God’s ‘What If’ Possibilities”

**Next Session: 1:00 pm, February 4, 2025**

The Men's group continues to review and consider the concepts presented in this book. Many good conversations and biblical considerations are provoked when looking at things from someone else's viewpoint.

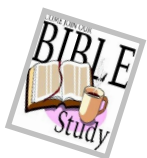
Similar to the ladies group—the additional fellowship and study time serves to bring us closer as family. See Bill Jones or Tom Reynolds for more info.



### **Wednesday Night Bible Study— 7pm —**

Current Study: **2 Kings — Led by Curtis Dunson**

Take advantage of another opportunity to fellowship with your Christian family while you study God's word and its meaning for your life. **The invitation to join in is always open.**



## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Trustee in charge for February: Curtis Dunson

Date	Today—Feb 2
Open	Curtis Dunson
Usher	Curtis Thompson
Songs/Close	Curtis Dunson
Prayer	Max Lisle
Communion	Sharold Ferris
Bible Story Kids Church	David Keller / David & Hettie Keller
Reading	Justin Snell
Lesson	Max Pratt
A/V	Susan Flaherty

## COMING WEEKS

Date	Feb 9	Feb 16	Feb 23
Open	Eric Kreger	Mike Lisle	Curtis Dunson
Usher	Brian Flaherty	Curtis Dunson	Bill Jones
Songs/Close	Eric Kreger	Mike Lisle	Curtis Dunson
Prayer	Curtis Thompson	Sharold Ferris	Max Lisle
Communion	Johnny Box	Max Lisle	David Keller
Bible Story Kids Church	Max Lisle / Sherri Dunson & Tracy & Halleigh R.	Curtis Dunson / Jonathan & Joslyn Dunson	Biran Flaherty / Brian & Susan Flaherty
Reading	John Snell	Harley Boyce	Marty Montgomery
Lesson	Max Pratt	Max Pratt	Max Pratt
A/V	Christi Kreger	Susan Flaherty	Sherry Yates

Communion Preparation February: Janice Stanfield



## What we want you to know about Westworth Church of Christ

We believe the gospel of Jesus Christ is the most important message for everyone in the world. Christ's message of salvation is packed with blessings for individuals, families, and community. Our mission is to share His gospel.

Our message comes from the inspired word of God. We teach that we are all sinners, and need saving from our sins. We are not saved by our own goodness or merit, but by the grace of God through our faith and obedience to the Gospel of Jesus. Jesus came to be our savior.

We believe...

- Jesus is the Son of God (**John 11:27**).
- in the Gospel Invitation (**Matthew 11:28-30**).
- the confession of our faith leads to our salvation (**Romans 10:9-11**).
- Godly sorrow turns a person away from sin to living a righteous life (**Luke 5:32, 2 Corinthians 7:10**).
- Baptism is one's new birth; when we bury the sinful man and rise up into a new spiritual life (**Romans 6:3-5, 1 Peter 3:21-22**).
- by living a faithful life God is glorified (**Hebrews 13:15-16**).

You are always welcome here. If you have any questions, or would like to know more about our beliefs please contact any member, call Max Pratt directly, or call the church office or to arrange time with him.



### Leadership and Logistics



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