

Weekly Newsletter December 24, 2023



Goal: \$225,000

Pledged or Given-\$191,654

Pledges or donations may be given in Realm, on the church website, at the church office, or in a contribution box in the gym.

Holiday Schedule

Sunday, December 24 - 10:15am Worship only (NO Bible Classes)

<u>Sunday, December 24</u> - 5:00pm Christmas Candlelight Service

Wednesday, December 27 - All activities canceled

Sunday, December 31 - Regular Schedule

Wednesday, January 3 - 6:30pm New Year Prayer Service (NO Diner)

Church Office & CSC Closed Dec. 25—Jan. 1

Announcements

Ladies' Bible Class has been dismissed for the holidays and will resume January 10.

Wednesday Night Diner is closed for the holidays and will reopen January 10.

Piecemakers Quilting Bee will not meet in December due to the holidays.

You're invited to celebrate with Bill and Isabelle Hunn their 70th Wedding Anniversary on Saturday, December 30, 2:00-5:00pm, in the parlor. No gifts, please.

You're invited to the Lake Granbury Art of Faith Show at the Shanley House (224 N. Travis St.), which features faith-based art by local artists, including a couple of our members. The gallery is open Monday–Saturday 10:00am-4:00pm and Sunday 1:00-4:00pm from now until the end of December.

Year-End Giving – If you plan to give a yearend contribution to GCOC, checks must be received in the church office by Sunday, December 24. You may give online through December 31. Please be sure to designate the fund you are giving to (General Offering, Mission Fund, Renovate '23, etc.).

Thank You

Dear Church Family, This past month has been difficult for Jerry. He must drive to Weatherford 5 days a week for radiation treatments for prostate cancer. The last treatment will be January 3, 2024. The men of our congregation have been so kind in volunteering to drive him to his treatments. In fact, so many volunteered that he couldn't use them all! Thank you so much to each of you! God bless you! June & Jerry Griffin

Food Pantry Totals

274 served this past week10,626 served so far in 2023

Weekend Food Bags for Kids

3,095 provided this school year

1st Responders Lunch Totals

66 served this past week2,649 served so far in 2023

Attendance Report

Sunday, December 17

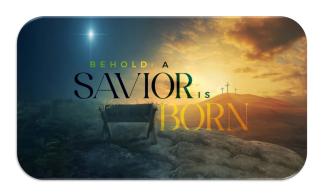
Sunday Bible Class—273
Sunday Bible Class Online—31
Sunday Worship Assembly—490
Sunday Worship Online—146
Youth—23
Life Groups—na

Wednesday, December 20

Wednesday Night Class—75

Worship Schedule

Sunday Bible Class—9:00am
Sunday Worship—10:15am
Wednesday Night Class—6:30pm



Sympathy

To Bob Lewis at the death of his wife, Delores Lewis. Visitation will be Tuesday, December 26, 6:00-8:00pm at Wiley Funeral Home. Funeral will be Wednesday, December 27, 11:00am at Granbury Church of Christ, followed by burial at Holly Hills Cemetery.

Prayer Requests

Members & Friends in Rehab/Hospital

David C. Anderson – Medical City in Dallas, James Richey – MD Anderson

Members

Barbara Adams, Nita Benge, Jan Blattman, Kay Bodden, Joy Buchanan, Jo Lynn Bullock, Elva Bustillos, Barbara Chrane, Ron Coonrod, Harold Durham, Bobbie Gauntt, Bob Hecker, Willie Dean Hunter, Ann & Keith Jay, Billie Lane, Diane Lindsey, Jack Little, Carolyn Mastick, Mary Beth Moore, Carol Morrison, Melaine Mullin, Perri Parker, Janie Pieratt, Russ Qualls, Loyd Randolph, Lynda Robinson, James & Joyce Royse, Bonnie Spies, Patti Woolard, Doris Woolery

Relatives/Friends

Leslie Anderson, Nancy Barnard, Bethany Barns, Casey Click, Pat & Gail Collins, Ed Connally, Wade Cothrum, , Carolyn Craig, Diane Dove, Glenda Fisher, Richard Gibson, Jerry Griffin, Richie Haught, Debbie Culp Hook, Jim Humphries, Henry Johnson, Charlie Mae Jones, Jim Kennedy, Ellen Kirk, Dave Lang, Brant Lundberg, Terran McBryde, Joe McCright, Amelia McCroskie, James McDowell, Lynn Merritt, Linda Banks Miller, Sharon Mireles, Billy Mullins, Justine Perkins, Glen Redman, Brandi Rice, Leon Robinson, Anna Rust, Gil & Becky Sanchez, James & Donna Shelton, Steve Smith, Erma Spurlin, Bill Swann, Duane Thomas, Johnny True, Billy Weems, Ellah Willis