

## SERMON NOTES



- Long line of \_\_\_\_\_ women in the Bible
- Mary's pregnancy is much \_\_\_\_\_
- A meeting of the \_\_\_\_\_ (Luke 1:39-56)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (vss. 42-45)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (vss. 46-55)  
- Something \_\_\_\_\_ is happening, but it's connected to something very \_\_\_\_\_
- God is bringing to \_\_\_\_\_ His plan
  - Genesis 3:15
  - Genesis 12:3
  - Genesis 49:10
  - 2 Samuel 7:16
- Let the story of Jesus define \_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY UPDATES

**Members with health issues:** LaFerne Caldwell, Kathleen Corns, Ernest Dean, Harlon and Maerene Hawkins, Alyssa Layman, Cristin Martin, Sherry Meadors, Fran Olden, Glenna Pickel, Michael Robison, Cathy Sharpe.

### Prayer Requests

**Charlotte Cook:** waiting on results from biopsy of tumor found at surgery.  
**Ernest Dean:** staying at The Cottages, 2552 E 21st #212B, Tulsa, OK 74114 for rehab on his knee.  
**Kathleen Holt:** on hospice.  
**Sue Martin:** Recovering from shoulder joint replacement surgery.

### Prayers for Family & Friends

**Hayley Plaster:** My friend Emily found out her father has terminal cancer. Please pray for her family and the doctors caring over her father.

### Address Updates:

**Harlon Hawkins:** Moved to Room 46 at Baptist Village of Owasso.  
**Charles Holt:** 8814 E 62nd Ct. Tulsa, OK 74133. Phone: 918- 853-7231  
**Helen Troy:** 3800 SW Mt. Carmel Drive Apt 317, Bentonville, AR 72712

### Thank You:

Thank you Crosstown for all your prayers, cards, and visits during my recent surgery. **Melva Foreman**

### Please Continue to Pray for Our Missionaries:

**Lopez Family** —Bogota, Colombia  
**Austin Family**—Phoenix, Arizona  
**Saint-Amour Family**—Milot, Haiti  
**Pabillon Family**—Talisay, Philippines



TODAY >

**December 17, 2017**

## Attention Members: End of Year Statements



### Giving Statements

Internal Revenue Service regulations require that contributions must be received or postmarked no later than Dec. 31, 2017 for them to be considered deductible donations for the 2017 tax year. If your donations were made by check or cash (made within an envelope with your name upon it) you will receive a statement from the church office shortly after the first of the year. Please wait to file your 2017 income tax return until after you have received this statement, if you are claiming charitable contributions. Statements can also be provided upon request reflecting contributions made to that date.

## Area-Wide End of Year Service

**December 31st at 4pm**  
**At 10th & Rockford**  
**Church of Christ**

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**MINISTRY UPDATES**



**Children's:**

**Bible Hour** — available for 2&3-year olds and 4,5,&6-year olds in our east wing. Children will be dismissed prior to the sermon.  
**Bible Basics** — offered to students in grades 2-6 on 1st & 2nd Sundays of each month. Room 128. Dismissed prior to the sermon.  
**Today's Volunteers** — Nursery: **Tomi Sue B. and Kay I.**  
 2&3s Bible Hour: **Brandy S. and Makenzie Farmer**  
 4&5s Bible Hour: **Maggie P., Cecilia M., and Ashton B.**  
 Bible Basics (2nd-6th grade): **will meet Jan 7 and Jan 14.**



**Food Pantry:**

You may make a donation by using the 'Food Pantry' envelopes in the back of the pew and placing them in the contribution plate. Or you can donate online from our website and specify your donation is to go to the Food Pantry. We need **PAPER SACKS**. We use at least 60 bags a week.



**Singles:**

**Monthly Activity** — January 13 at 4pm. Business meeting, bring your own brown bag dinner and ideas to plan for the next year.



**Small Groups:**

**Group Bible Study** — Led by **Keenan Meadors**. Sundays at 4pm at the church building.

**Life Groups** — Connect / Grow / Serve. Contact an elder, a minister, or **Chris Clayton** to join a group. **Starting in January**, on the 4th Sunday of each month, all life groups will meet at the building at 5:00pm. We will start with a period of singing and prayer, then move on to study time, in which we will be discussing questions related to the topic of that morning's sermon. **All members and visitors are welcome and encouraged to attend.**

**Monday Night for the Master** — will not meet again until Jan. 8.



**Security:**

**Class ~ Louis R. Worship ~ Lowell Plaster and Louis Robison**



**Women's:**

**Women's Bible Study** — **Walking In the Light Daily**. Thursdays at 9:30am in Room 122. Will not meet 12/21 and 12/28 due to holidays.

**Women's Exercise Group** — Meets Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 9:00am in the Activity Center.



**Miscellaneous:**

**Holiday Mail:** Please check mail at the box tree in the foyer. You can find mail based on the letter of your last name.

**Welcome Visitors**

You are our honored guests. Please complete a visitor's sheet, located inside the Connection Books that will be passed out during our worship service. We would also love to meet you at our Information Desk in the foyer where we can answer any questions you might have. Nursery facilities are available in the east wing of our building, and a cry room/training room with private nursing area is located in the back of the auditorium.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**December:**

- 12/25-12/29 Church office will be closed.
- 12/27 All-Church Devotional. 7pm in the Auditorium. Guest song leader.
- 12/31 Area Wide Worship Service. 4pm at 10th & Rockford Church of Christ (829 S. Rockford Ave. Tulsa, OK 74120).



**BIRTHDAYS**

**Upcoming:**

- 12/17 Susan Spears
- 12/18 Keenan Meadors
- 12/19 Savanah Schultz
- 12/19 Sarah McGill
- 12/20 Diana Walker
- 12/21 Robert Walker
- 12/21 Sarah Beard
- 12/23 Dave Durand
- 12/23 Ann Thurman
- 12/24 Eve Beard
- 12/24 Pat Wells

**Student Movement (6th - 12th Grade)**

**Wed. Night Hang Outs:** Wednesday nights at 6pm. Bible Class will follow at 7pm. A meal will be provided the 1st Wednesday of every month. Snacks provided on the 3rd and 5th Wednesday of every month.

**Devotional:** TONIGHT at the church building. From 5:00- 7:00pm. Bring your own dinner.

**Girls Cookie Night:** Dec. 21 at Sean's house. Van leaves at 5:45pm and returns at 9:30pm. Bring your favorite cookie dough mix. Sugar Cookie dough and frosting will be provided.

**Special Area Wide Event:** Dec. 27 following all-church devotional, nerf war and zombies. At 10:00pm we will leave for the new skate rink in Owasso that has skating and laser tag. Cost for this portion is \$15.

**Area Wide:** Jan. 7 at 29th and Yale Church of Christ. Van leaves at 4:15pm and returns at 7:15pm. This month's theme is adoption.

**MEETING SCHEDULE**

**Sunday**  
 Bible Class . . . . . 9:15 am  
 Worship . . . . . 10:15 am  
**Wednesday**  
 Bible Class . . . . . 7:00 pm

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- Info on events & ministries
  - Our roster of elders & staff
  - Sermon audio & other resources

**CHURCH INFORMATION**

3400 East Admiral Place  
 Tulsa, OK 74115-8227  
 Phone: 918-834-1395

**CHURCH STATS**

**Sunday, December 10**

Bible Class Total 110  
 Worship Total 210

**Wednesday, December 13**

Bible Class Total 87

**Statistics: Week of December 10**

Weekly Budget \$9,100  
 Contribution \$9,228  
 Contribution YTD \$433,901  
 Budget YTD \$455,000  
 Under YTD (\$21,099)

-- **Your friend,**  
**Robert**