

WELCOME VISITORS

The presence of Jesus in the gathering of His people is the sweetest blessing we enjoy when we meet. We pray that you will find peace, comfort, and power for living today.

A visitor's card is provided in the book rack, to give us a record of your visit.

SUNDAY		ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY	
Bible Study	10:00 AM	Morning Worship	23
Worship	11:00 AM	Evening Worship	10
Evening	6:00 PM	Wednesday	7
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY	6:30 PM	Contribution	\$770.00
Fellowship Meal (Every 1 st Sunday)	12:30 PM		
Men's Meeting Last Sunday of every month)	5:00 PM		

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TO OUR FRIENDS:

MESSENGER FOR CHRIST



BRUNSWICK CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Walk This Way
by Steve Ridgell

I recently watched two very different people walking. One was Nik Wallenda. I viewed his walk on a video clip, not in person. He walked on a tightrope between two buildings in downtown Chicago, the windy city. The tightrope was even slanted upward at an angle. It was courageous, amazing, and inspiring. It was a feat that simply would not be attempted by almost anyone else. He had trained for it. He worked at it. I know it helped that he grew up with a family heritage of tightrope walking, but still...

The other walk I witnessed was an older man crossing the street in a mid-size West Texas town. He had to use a walker and he could not move very quickly. Each step seemed to take a great deal of effort. It was courageous, amazing, and inspiring. Cars waiting at the light, impatient drivers drumming their fingers on the steering wheel. It seemed to take forever. Just stepping up and down on the curb was a major undertaking.

One of these made me think about my life as a Christian, and it may not be the one you think it is. Christians often refer to our life in Christ as a walk. What we mean is that our life on this earth is a journey with the ultimate purpose of living forever with God. What Nik Wallenda did is not really how Christians live. We do not walk above the clouds. We are not on a journey that is impossible for the average person.

Our walk is more like the gentlemen I watched crossing the street. Life is hard. We live as believers in a world full of unbelief. Evil abounds and Satan has made this life dangerous. There are excuses and objections to overcome if you want to follow Jesus. But we walk on with purpose. We have a destination ahead of us. We overcome the obstacles. We walk through the danger. We do not stop till we reach the other side. We are following Jesus right to the throne of God

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“...The Churches of Christ salute you.” Romans 16:16

We will have our fellowship meal next Sunday. At that time we will celebrate the December birthdays and anniversaries. Bring you favorite food dish and invite a friend.



**When Childhood's Gone
By Barbara Cagle Ray**

This neatly polished, peaceful home
Is filled with love and happiness.
Yet with all this sweet contentment,
There are so many things I miss.

There are no smudges on my windows,
No fingerprints to clean, it seems.
The floors glisten at the end of day,
And the furniture so brightly gleams.

There are no toys strewn on the floor,
No small child with huge fears to ease,
No tears to lovingly wipe away,
Or storm doors slamming in the breeze.

There aren't constant questions being asked,
Like, "Mama, where did God come from?"
Bedtime stories are not needed now,
Goodnight lullabies are no longer sung.

Never take for granted God's greatest gift—
The laughter of a small, innocent child.
Soon childhood's flown and they're grown,
But the memories still bring back a smile.

When they're grown, we love just as much;
We never thought we'd one day miss
The fingerprints, toys, and slamming doors,
That we exchanged for all this cleanliness.

Bulletin Gold

**God's Plan for Man
Hear God's Word
Heb. 11:6; Rom. 10:17
Believe in Jesus
Jn. 8:24
Repent of Sins
Lk. 13:3; 2 Cor. 7:10
Confess Jesus' Name
Mt. 10:32-33; Rom. 10:9-10; Mt. 16:15-16
Be Baptized
Mk. 16:15-16; Mt. 28:18-19; Acts 2:38, 41; Acts 22:16; Rom. 6:3-4
Live Faithful until Death
Mt. 10:22; Rev. 2:10**

**The Bible study topic for Wednesday night: A Study of the Book of Romans
Bible study starts at 6:30 PM.**



The men's meeting will be held today at 5:00 pm. You are encouraged to attend.



Opportunities to Serve		
Welcome	Today	12/07/14
Song Leader	Albert Sturdivant	Dick Phillips
Opening Prayer	John Bowling	Willie Gore
Communion	Ed Williams	Ed Williams
	*John Lloyd	*John Bowling
	Bill Bartlow	Lynn Means
	Willie Gore	Josiah Garner
Scripture Reading	Lynn Means	John Lloyd
Speaker	Rick Massey	Rick Massey
Closing Prayer	Dick Phillips	Albert Sturdivant
Evening	Albert Sturdivant	Devotion
Nursery	Sharon Means	Gloria Coldwell
The Nursery will be open to receive children under the <u>age of 3 years</u> following the Communion.		

Please remember to pray for the sick, lonely, and especially anyone outside Christ.

Health
Melissa Pike-Miles Ed Williams
James Hargroves Dwight Hewett

Traveling
Means Family Gloria Coldwell
Stanford Family John Lloyd
Lockey Family

The complete prayer list is on the bulletin board.



Ladies Bible Study
The ladies bible study will be held Tuesday, at 10:00 am in the fellowship room. Our study is about " God's Promises". Our time together will include prayer and songs of praise. You are welcome to join us.

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FYI
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