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Sunday Bible Study 9:45am  
Morning Worship 10:45 am  
Evening Worship 6:00 pm  
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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THE KEYS  
OF THE  
Kingdom  
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Heaven**



Matthew 16:19



**We offer FREE: 4 Bible correspondence course series by mail:**  
an 8 lesson series by Hurt, a 6 lesson series “Acts Of The Apostles”  
by Pharr, the “Studies In The Bible” 30 lesson series, and the  
20 lesson series “Getting To Know Jesus” by Pharr. Let everyone know!

## Christ: Whose Son Is He?

The various religious sects peppered Jesus with controversial questions to trip Him up, but He masterfully responded to each, driving home the truth and foiling His enemies' schemes (Matthew 22). Then Jesus asked, "What think ye of Christ? whose son is he?" (Matthew 22:42). When Jesus went on the offensive, they were not prepared to answer His questions. They thought Jesus was the son of David, but Jesus' follow up question revealed more.

He saith unto them, How then doth David in spirit call him Lord, saying, The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand, till I make thine enemies thy footstool? If David then call him Lord, how is he his son? And no man was able to answer him a word, neither durst any *man* from that day forth ask him any more *questions*. (Matthew 22:43-46.)

Jesus quotes Psalm 110, saying "David in spirit" to indicate that David, inspired by the Holy Spirit, wrote this prophecy of Christ (cf. 2 Peter 1:21). In regard to the Psalms, David asserted that the Holy Spirit spoke by him, giving words to his tongue (2 Samuel 23:1-2).

Unlike the attitude of many today, the first-century Jews held the conviction that one who came earlier in a genealogy was thought to be greater. On one occasion Jesus was asked, "Art thou greater than our father Abraham, which is dead? and the prophets are dead: whom makest thou thyself?" (John 8:53). Even the Samaritans held this ideal. The Samaritan woman at the well asked Jesus, "Art thou greater than our father Jacob, which gave us the well, and drank thereof himself, and his children, and his cattle?" (John 4:12). Jesus correctly interprets the prophecy of Psalm 110 and applies it to Himself. David, by inspiration, called Jesus "Lord" when "the Lord" (God the Father) "said to my Lord" (the Son) "Sit thou on my right hand..." (Psalm 110:1). Jesus was the physical descendant of David (Matthew 1:1). But He was David's Lord because He is divine. He is the Son of God.

This truth is the foundation of the church (Matthew 16:16-19). It is the basis of salvation (John 8:24; 20:31). By Jesus' question, the Pharisees, Sadducees and Herodians were brought face to face with this truth. They would not answer the question because they rejected anything that would not give them power. When we answer this question rightly, we lose all power. If Jesus really is Lord, as David, by inspiration, wrote, then His word reigns supreme in my life. It does no good to call Him Lord and not do His will (Matthew 7:21-23; Luke 6:46). You are confronted with this question every day. You may push it from your mind or refuse to answer it, but by doing that you actually have given your answer. By how you live your life you answer this question. Will you proclaim Jesus as Lord by doing His will? Will you follow the Son of God?

-Mark Day

# News & Notes



## Sermons This Week

AM- "How To Keep The Faith"

PM- "Redeemers in Ruth"

Scripture Reading: Ruth 4:13-17

## Elders, Deacons, Preachers Meeting

This month, the group will meet next Sunday, November 19th, at 4:30pm in the annex large classroom.

## 2017 Dates to Remember

Nov 14- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

Nov 17- Ladies Monthly Luncheon- 12:30p  
Texas Roadhouse

Nov 19- elders/deacons/preachers meet- 4:30p

Nov 21- Prime-timers- **cancelled** for holiday

Nov 28- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

Dec 2- Scotts' Pancake Breakfast- annex- 8a

Dec 5- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

Dec 9- Kathy Hall's Ladies Holiday Party- 6p

Dec 12- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

Dec 17- elders/deacons/preachers meet- 4:30p

Dec 19- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

Dec 31- New Year's Eve watch- 9pm

## Condolences

Our deep sympathy goes to the family of John Fouts, Amanda Scott's uncle who passed away last week. Please, keep Amanda and her family in your prayers upon their loss.

## 2018 Book Reading Challenge

Jerry Sturgill is coordinating another book reading challenge into the new year. You must sign up on the foyer bulletin board then read 6 books in 5 months. The book list, with the basic rules, will be available on the round table. See Jerry Sturgill for the bonus gift book for participating. The reading challenge runs from November 8, 2017, to April 8, 2018.

## Ladies November Luncheon

Due to the holidays, this month's get-together will be Friday, November 17th, rather than the last Friday of the month. The group will meet at the Texas Roadhouse at 12:30pm. All ladies are invited to attend.

## Save the December Dates

**December 2nd:** The Scotts' will have their annual pancake breakfast at 8am in the annex. Bring your own syrup, toppings and drinks.

**December 9th:** Ladies, on Saturday, Dec. 9th, Kathy Hall will host her annual ladies holiday party in her home. There will be an optional gift exchange with a limit of \$10 for a gift, but only if you choose to participate. The church van will be taken due to limited parking around Kathy's home, leaving the building at 5:30pm.

—There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board for each event.

Have you contacted  
a shut-in lately?  
Why not  
today?



## Gauging Our Faith

	11/05/17	Goal	11/06/16
<b>Bible Study</b>	104	110	116
<b>AM Worship</b>	188	160	156
<b>PM Worship</b>	80	110	76
<b>Mid Week</b>	85	110	nc
<b>Contribution:</b>	\$6262.00	\$5600.00	\$5693.36

## ☞ Today's Servants ☜

### **WELCOME:**

**AM/PM:** Mark Parks

### **SONG LEADER:**

**AM:** Steve Wallace

**PM:** Jeremiah Smith

### **FIRST PRAYER:**

**AM:** Jordan Conley

**PM:** Denny Deskins

### **LORD'S TABLE:**

**Presiding AM:** David Trimble

**Assisting:** John Gambill,  
Jeremiah Smith, J.C. Hughes,  
Dan Stone, Shelby Steele,  
Ernie Perry, Mark Gullett

**Presiding PM:** Nathan Parks

**Assisting:** David Smith

### **CLOSING PRAYER:**

**AM:** Ben Poling

**PM:** Greg Conley

## ☞ Wednesday Servants ☜

**WELCOME:** Greg Hall

**SONG LEADER:** Will Scott

**PRAYER:** Jordan Conley

**DEVOTIONAL:** Daniel Goshorn

## ☞ Weekly Servants ☜

**POWER POINT:** David Castle

**BLDG. ATTENDANT:** Steve Wallace

**ATTENDANCE:** Michael Perry

**COORDINATOR:** Brad Morris

## Welcome, Visitor!

We are so pleased to have you as our guest today.

If you are a **first-time visitor** with us, please, fill out a 'visitor card' that you find on the back of the pew. Please, put it in the collection plate or hand it to one of the men at the auditorium doors as you exit.

We have tract racks on the wall in the foyer with **free tracts and literature**. We offer **free Bible correspondence courses** you can receive by mail at no cost to you. Let our preacher know if you would like to set up an **in-home Bible study**. Thank you for attending. Come back anytime!

## ★★★ Youth Notes ★★★

★★ Every Sunday ★★

### Pew Packers

at 5:45pm

in front of the auditorium

-geared to age 12 & under,  
but everyone is welcomed.

Boys: have a song ready to lead



★★ Dec. 2 ★★

### Pancake Breakfast

Come have breakfast in the annex at 8:00am with Chris & Amanda Scott making everything. Just bring your own syrup and drinks!

