

The Lemoore Caller

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Schedule of Services

Sunday Bible Study.....	9:30 a.m.
Sunday A.M. Worship.....	10:30 a.m.
Sunday P.M. Worship.....	5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Bible Classes/Devotional.....	7:00 p.m.

How Long Has it Been?

The days seem to begin much earlier today than they used to, and they don't seem to last quite as long as I remember from my childhood. From early morning until late at night, it seems that there is never enough time to do all that needs to be done. Americans are the busiest people in the world. Our schedules have become so tight that necessity has taught us to "multitask"—a word that didn't even exist a generation ago. Because there isn't enough time to do everything we would like to do, we have also learned to prioritize (whether we think consciously about our priorities or not). Where do the most important things rank among our priorities? How long has it been since you studied from the pages of God's Word? We know we cannot please God without faith (Hebrews 11:6), and Paul says that faith comes from hearing the Word (Romans 10:17). How long has it been since you prayed to the Father. Perhaps you feel separated from God. If there is sin in your life, you *are* separated, Peter says that God will not hear the prayers of those who are living ungodly lives (1 Peter 3:12).

How long has it been since you felt close to God? Do you know that your heart is right in God's sight? As you think about the year to come and what lies in store, think about the things that really matter, and make the decision to give priority to the things that really matter. God should come first.

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January 14, 2018

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Classes

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Bible Classes

Members scheduled to serve for January:

Communion Prep. and Greeters:

Taylor and Bailey Radcliff

Men Leading Services for January 14th:

WELCOME /CALL TO WORSHIP: Frank Baldwin

SONG LEADER: Taylor Radcliff

OPENING PRAYER: Craig Case

PRAYER LIST: Gary Cole

LORD'S TABLE: LEAD: Craig Case

Randy McCord, Gary Rice, Brandon Hodgson

SCRIPTURE READING: Gary Rice

ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: Garth Radcliff

ALTERNATES: Rich Rhoads, Cofas Case,

Herminio Gutierrez, Richard Bullough

P.M. SONG LEADER: Taylor Radcliff

Men to Lead Wednesday, January 17th:

SONGS: Taylor Radcliff

SPEAKER: Craig Case

ANNOUNCEMENTS/PRAYER: Frank Baldwin

Upcoming Events!

Jan. 21st- Birthday Fellowship

Jan. 24th – Bible Bowl, Esther 5&6

Jan. 31st. – 5th Wednesday Singing – Lemoore

March 3rd – Lemoore Ladies Day

Visitor's Lunch – We are so glad you are visiting with us today! Please join us for lunch in the fellowship hall right after service. A meal has been prepared and we would love to visit with you. Also, for anyone who is interested in hosting future lunches, a signup sheet in on the bulletin board.

Psalm 85:11

*Faithfulness springs forth from the earth, and
righteousness looks down from heaven.*

Birthday Fellowship for January: Please join us as we get together for a potluck style meal and fellowship in honor of our brothers and sisters with birthdays and anniversaries in January. The date will be January 21st, after evening worship. The theme for the meal is "Baked Potato Bar" and Craig and Donna Case will be hosts. A sign up sheet will be on the bulletin board with a list of suggested items.

Bible Bowl – join us Wednesday for the adult class, as we will sing songs of worship, hear a portion of The Word and pray. We will also test our skills in Bible knowledge with a quiz on the book of Esther, chapters 5 & 6.

5th Wednesday Singing: On January 31st, Lemoore will host the singing, and we will welcome the Riverdale and Caruthers congregations. Refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall directly after the singing. If you would like to help provide refreshments, any finger foods and desserts have been suggested. Thank you.

The previous plan for the January Ladies' Luncheon and Program scheduled at Linda Atkinson's home has been postponed until further notice due to the health issues going on within her household.

Psalm 57:3

*He sends from heaven and saves me, rebuking
those who hotly pursue me— God sends forth
his love and his faithfulness.*

Psalm 57:10

*For great is your love, reaching to the heavens;
your faithfulness reaches to the skies.*

*"Faith sees the invisible, believes the
unbelievable, and receives the
impossible." ~ Corrie Ten Boom (A Dutch
Christian who helped many Jews escape the
Nazi Holocaust*

Prayer List

Phillip Garretson – concerns of a cardiac problem. He is under the care of a cardiologist.

Lucille Chamberlain, in the hospital due to pneumonia that is getting worse and possibly had another TIA.

Cleta Sisk, Eula Rhoads sister, fell last week and injured her back. She is under doctor's care.

Lynn Atkinson, Recovering from surgery and received good news about the biopsy. However might need additional surgery.

Isabel Gutierrez will have a biopsy done on a spot in her mouth that the dentist discovered.

June Evans, Mary Fall's mother, in the hospital due to a blood clot.

Jordan Willis, as he has been deployed with the Navy. He will be gone for several months.

Jim Coxey, formerly of Hanford church of Christ, has been in the hospital with complications of Diabetes.

The Family of Mary Keam, a friend of Darlene Wilson, as she passed away last week.

The Family of Jeri Watson, former member of Hanford church of Christ, as she passed away.

The Family of Katherine Dupree, former member of Lemoore, passed away.

Mike Virden will have a consultation with a specialist at UCSF January 12th, to determine when he will qualify to be on the lung transplant list. He has been approved for an experimental medication currently.

Ginko Reinhart, a friend of Darlene Wilson has been seriously ill due to a lung infection. Her condition has gotten worse.

Terry Pugsley's father, a friend of Calvin Yee, was diagnosed with Stage 4 Cancer.

Paula Ali, Betty Standridge's niece, has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer in both lungs that is believed metastasized from cervical cancer she had 2 years ago. She will meet with specialists to discuss her treatment options.

Alexis Raygoza, Gutierrez's nephew, as he is in the hospital down South. He is suffering a heart infection and also a blood clot has caused 2 strokes. He is recovering and expected to stay in the hospital for an undetermined amount of time.

Lora Virden's niece, JeanAnne Emmins, as she has been diagnosed with cancer.

John Whited, brother-in-law of Whitney Broaddus, has spent time intermittently in the hospital, rehab hospital and home with medical care.

Waylon Witty, great nephew of Wilma Cole – return of brain cancer. He is undergoing an experimental treatment program, but is suffering with adverse effects.

Glen Fraley - He continues to do well regarding his heart transplant and will continue ongoing checkups with doctors.

Doug Standridge- doing well, continuing with dialysis.

Hannah Detlefsen, baby daughter of friends of Lisa Butts, is suffering the effects of major birth defects, including blindness.

Dennis Thomas, nephew of Jeanne and Clofas Case, as he continues treatment for a recurrence of cancer.

Dorma Atkinson- under the care of medical specialists, after experiencing numerous TIA's and struggles with blood pressure issues.

Casey Case, Jr., under ongoing care of oncologists.

Alana Pfeiffer, Jack Otto's granddaughter, as she struggles with issues of domestic violence.

First Responders

Military and their families

Our Mission Work

*Our Preachers in Nicaragua

*Agape Village

*Crossover Ministry

*City of Children

*Manuelito Children's Home

*church of Christ in Branson, MO

*church of Christ Disaster Relief Fund

*World Christian Broadcasting

Nothing Is Impossible

Nothing is impossible with the Lord in our lives,
He causes doors to open so we can walk inside

To brand new opportunities we never knew before,
To a new exciting level in our walk with the Lord

With faith in our hearts and our hand in His hand,
We can cross any canyon and through seas on dry land

For He will make a way as in faith our walk begins
What seems to us impossible, is possible with Him

When feeling like it's all too much, remember in the
past How God had made a way for you
When you came to Him and asked

He again will answer you and show you so much more
As you keep on trusting Him and walking with the Lord.

By M.S.Lowndes

Sleep Soundly When the Wind Blows

Years ago a farmer owned land along the Atlantic seacoast. He constantly advertised for hired hands. Most people were reluctant to work on farms along the Atlantic. They dreaded the awful storms that raged across the Atlantic, wreaking havoc on the buildings and crops.

As the farmer interviewed applicants for the job, he received a steady stream of refusals. Finally, a short, thin man, well past middle age, approached the farmer.

"Are you a good farm hand?" the farmer asked him.

"Well, I can sleep when the wind blows," answered the little man.

Although puzzled by this answer, the farmer, desperate for help, hired him.

The little man worked well around the farm, busy from dawn to dusk, and the farmer felt satisfied with the man's work. Then one night the wind howled loudly in from offshore.

Jumping out of bed, the farmer grabbed a lantern and rushed next door to the hired hand's sleeping quarters.

He shook the little man and yelled, "Get up! A storm is coming! Tie things down before they blow away!"

The little man rolled over in bed and said firmly, "No sir. I told you, I can sleep when the wind blows."

Enraged by the response, the farmer was tempted to fire him on the spot.

Instead, he hurried outside to prepare for the storm. To his amazement, he discovered that all of the haystacks had been covered with tarpaulins. The cows were in the barn, the chickens were in the coops, and the doors were barred. The shutters were tightly secured.

Everything was tied down. Nothing could blow away.

The farmer then understood what his hired hand meant, so he returned to his bed to also sleep while the wind blew.

Can you sleep when the wind blows? When you're prepared, spiritually, mentally, and physically, you have nothing to fear.

2 Timothy 4:2 (NIV)

Preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.