



Worshipping

Serving

Fellowshipping

Westworth Church of Christ

WELCOME VISITORS! Thank you for joining us today to worship the Lord.

If you are looking for a supportive, Bible-based church family, we believe you have found it at Westworth. You are always welcome to be a part of the warmth and loving nature that is shown here. We have a place for you!

If this is your first visit here, please honor us by filling out a visitor's card found on the back of each pew. Any prayer requests may also be made on the flip side of the card. You may hand it to any member, place it in the contribution plate when passed, or simply leave it in the pew for us.

During the service we will celebrate communion. Communion is not only about Jesus' death, but his resurrection and triumph over death and sin. His resurrection is our source of hope that God will fulfill his promise of eternal life through Jesus the Christ.

Today's Message

Speaker— Max Pratt

Scripture Reading: Romans 15:5-7

Lesson: Fellowship With One Another



- THE FOUNDATION OF THE CHURCH
- UNITY
- A DIVERSE UNITY
- FELLOWSHIP PROVIDES...

A WIFE OF NOBLE CHARACTER

The Book of Proverbs is full of statements that contain great truth along with warnings to prevent trouble in this life. Advice from these ancient writings holds blessings to those who seek wisdom as a companion. Living life with blessings not just for oneself, but for others has great rewards.



The final chapter contains what is called an epilogue. It describes the wife of noble character. It has been read for families mourning the loss of a wife and mother. I have no idea how many times I have used it and have been asked to use this passage in memorial services. Only God would have any idea the number of times comfort has been shared in its message.

I feel that has more to offer than just the blessing of comfort in times of loss. It gives direction to any woman who seeks to live with a servant's heart, giving all she has to give for her family and others. It also provides for husbands and children the recognition of wives and mothers who, because of her upright character, bless us.

How blessed to have lived in the care of a mother who, like the Noble Wife, provides such wonderful care for her children. I had a mother of such a nature. I have known so many Christian woman within the congregations of God's people who have become the 'Noble Wife'. Perhaps because (as I am writing) this is the date of our fifty-second wedding anniversary, this Scriptures speaks to me of my own personal blessing.

Wives and Mothers have not always been honored for their faithful family duties. The world will often set other goals and priorities ahead of what God honors. I believe with all my heart this Scripture has been included in the sacred writings to stamp upon the hearts of righteous men and women that value of a God-fearing woman and show the flow of blessings that come from her choices in life.

I am praising God today for His blessings in my life and so many others from the women whose character has been shaped by God's sacrificial love.

Max

...ONGOING...

DONUTS AND DEVO'S (D&D) weekly at 9:00 am in the activity building.



Each week Max leads a brief bible study prior to morning worship services. Material is provided to support the discussion, help us remember the information and put it into practice.

This time also includes coffee and donuts. Everyone is encouraged to invite guests and join the study. Additional fellowship and study time is always a blessing. If you've not yet joined this study...hope you can make it soon.

Any time is the perfect time to join in this weekly additional study and fellowship time with brothers and sisters in Christ.

- **Food Items for Southside Church of Christ food bank** - Next delivery will be in June. Please keep this good work in your plans for sharing the bounty we receive from the Lord. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. This is definitely a blessing to both giver and receiver.
- **WORDS-OF-WISDOM**—A number of signs are available. Bring back the one you currently display and swap for a different one, giving someone else the opportunity to use the one you return. Signs are in the activity bldg.



• **Upcoming** - - - Lots to enjoy

June 16—Fathers Day next Sunday (Eph. 6:2)

June 22—Spaghetti Dinner—served by our youth. Plan to join this event and support our youngsters. (more info on page 6)

June 30—5th Sunday—Let's do a Salad lunch. Everyone bring your favorite salads—and desserts, of course—and let's keep it cool. Fellowship time and good food... what could be better?

July 4—Independence Day (Thursday). If you are traveling or celebrating, please be safe.

July—We received an invitation from Southside Church of Christ for anyone who might like to join their Vacation Bible School scheduled for July 8—11, 8:45am—3pm, for Pre-K to 5th Graders. Lunch is provided. If interested registration is required by June 25 at the following site:

SSCOFC.ORG/VBS (flyer on hallway bulletin board)

July 21—3rd Sunday— Fellowship lunch.

Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. John 5:14



Known Prayer needs and requests:

Terry Mullen—following the loss of her father, W. E. (Bill) Bradford on May 25, at the age of 96. Funeral was Saturday, June 8, at Lewisville Church of Christ.

Wanda Reynolds— Wanda is ‘on the mend’, having completed her regimen of antibiotics earlier this week. It was a great blessing to see her in services last week, and pray her health returns and remains.

Cheyenne Vickers—Our new sister reported for Army Basic Training in South Carolina. She will return in late August in time to go back to school for her senior year. Please pray for Cheyanne’s safety and well-being as well as a strong faith while away from home and family.

Our “New” Brothers & Sisters—Please keep those recently baptized, in your prayers for strength and growth in the faith.

The Flaherty Family—Continued prayers for all the family for peace and comfort as they deal with life without our dear Samuel.

Betty Lane— Please continue prayers for Betty and the family as they adjust to life without Bob.

David Burris — David reports in a recent conversation with his doctor that a new CT scan must be scheduled during which needed measurements will be taken for making a new plate for his forehead. Consults with the plastic surgeon and team to carefully assess David’s condition before the next steps. Please continue prayers on his behalf, as well as Tracy and the whole family.

Sharold and Julie Ferris—**Sharold** continues preparation for back surgery. He is doing well. Please pray for his overall health. **Julie** is still waiting on results and more information about the unwelcomed news regarding her latest cancer screening. Please keep Julie in your prayers also.

Kim Turner—please continue prayers for her daughter, Sara and granddaughters Blakely and Emma, for improved family situation/circumstances as well as prayers for herself and her role in their lives. Kim has expressed her appreciation for your prayers on their behalf.

Ernie Brawley—It is a blessing to have Ernie back in services with us and pray he will continue to improve and be with us.

Joyce Gray—Joyce’s overall condition is deteriorating rapidly. She is very weak and often in pain. Please continue to pray for Joyce and all those caring for her

Max, Juan and Ann—As they deal with Joyce’s swiftly deteriorating condition.

Max - his knee replacement surgery went well. Recovery is progressing slowly, but—according to his physical therapist—pretty much as would be expected. Please continue to pray for Max’s healing and comfort.

Known Prayer needs and requests: (continued)

John and Samantha Jewell et al—as they prepare to move to Central America and remotely expand their work for the children in Malawi. Construction has recently started on a 5th grade classroom at the school, and John and Samantha are joining a special mission to learn how to help prevent trafficking of children for application at the school.

Andy and Lauren Jewell—Lauren is expecting. Please pray for their young family.

Those in assisted living and unable to meet with us:

- ◆ Pat Straw
- ◆ Jane Whitley
- ◆ Joyce Bennett

Please include prayers for:

- **Israel and Ukraine**—A cease to the war there and safety of Christian brothers and sisters and innocent civilians.
- **Church growth and leadership**—worldwide and especially here. Pray for the wisdom needed by our leaders to help us be the beacon of light for the world.
- **Storm Victims**—All who have been in the path of recent severe storms.
- **Civil leadership**—pray for upright leaders at all levels of government worldwide.
- **Parents**—pray for God’s guidance and blessing for parents as families strive to navigate these turbulent times.
- **Young adults/couples** who are beginning their adult walk, pray that they discern the truth and always seek God’s will.
- **Children who may be food insecure as the school year ends.**

Please make known your prayer needs.

Jim Allen	9 June	Ruston Kirby	24 June
Oslo Lisle	10 June	Janice Stanfield	26 June
Wayne Kreger	12 June	Doug Robertson	27 June
Donna Simco	13 June	Sherri Dunson	28 June
Dean Corder	22 June		



Max & Juan Pratt	June 3
Curtis & Sherry Dunson	June 4
John & Samantha Jewell	June 8
Tony & Carla Kerske	June 10
Tom & Wanda Reynolds	June 12
Marty & Blair Montgomery	June 17



What's next for our Youth Program?



Saturday, June 22, 5:00 PM

\$PAGHETTI DINNER / FUND RAISER

Menu: Spaghetti and Meatballs, Salad, Garlic Bread and dessert.

Price: Donation of your choosing to the Youth fund*

Our youth will prepare and serve your dinner.

*The group wants to go play miniature golf, and the funds raised here will help pay for that outing.

Mark your calendars now to support our youth in the first of—what promises to be - many summer activities.

So we will be sure to have enough, please sign up on the list in the North Foyer.

If you would like to serve as an adult 'advisor' for this project, please contact Susan Flaherty or Kaylie Campbell.

There's still time...

To host a fellowship event this summer. June is pretty well filled, but that still leaves July and August

If you have an idea for a fun fellowship event...whether here at the building, or at a location of your choosing...just set a date and ask for help if needed. Let's increase the opportunities to enjoy some time together with our "Family".

July							August						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6					1	2	3
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Bits & Pieces

If you missed John and Samantha Jewell's update on the plans and current activities at the Malawi Mission, please visit the HUGS for Tomorrow website at

Hugs4Tomorrow.org



Samantha posted a new blog "*Leaving York*" on Wednesday at the website above. In her usual fashion, Samantha paints a clear picture of recent events, with an upbeat outlook for the future. Just look for "Blog" at the top of the webpage.



Brief inspirational programs by Max, available 24/7 at the following link:

<https://momentsofinspiration.org>

Potluck Dinner



- **TODAY—"Third"** Sunday Lunch. Because June's 3rd Sunday is also Father's Day, we will have our monthly fellowship lunch today. Hope everyone can stay and enjoy this time of good food and relaxation with church family. Everyone is welcome.

Titus 3:3-7

³ At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another. ⁴ But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, ⁵ he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, ⁶ whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, ⁷ so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life.



Kids Pages

Paul the Apostle

List the thirteen letters that Paul wrote in the New Testament, and then color the page.



Paul wrote these letters:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____

For more free Bible resources and Teacher Packs including coloring pages, worksheets, quizzes and more visit our website at: www.biblepathwayadventures.com



Romans, 1 Corinthians, 2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 Thessalonians, 2 Thessalonians, 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon



Memory verse:

Proverbs 30:5 — Every word of God proves true.

SCHEDULED STUDIES

Monday–Women’s Virtual Bible Study

Weekly – 7:30 pm via Google meet

Current Study: Personal testimonies of faith—
"Aha" moments to share and how those moments tested and strengthened our Christian walk.

All ladies are encouraged to join this weekly study, any time is a perfect time. Participants gain so much more than a time of study. As with most of our activities, the fellowship and support in the group is immeasurable, and something to be treasured.

For information regarding materials and access (web-site and passcode) contact: Tracy Robertson at 817-308-0554— or—tracyrobertson1966@gmail.com

Tuesday–Westworth Men’s Group (1st & 3rd Tuesdays)

Current Study: **If** by Mark Batterson.
"Trading Your 'If Only' Regrets for God's 'What If' Possibilities"



Next Men’s Group → 7pm, June 18, 2024 ←

The Men’s group continues to review and consider the concepts presented in this book.

Many good conversations and biblical considerations are provoked when looking at things from someone else’s viewpoint.

Join this group for additional insight and a time of fellowship.

Wednesday Night Bible Study—Weekly @ 7pm—

Wednesday Night Bible Study returned to the book of Hebrews led by David Keller. Take advantage of another opportunity to study God’s word and get thoughts on how to more effectively apply the word to your life.

Hope you will join soon.



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Trustee in charge for June: Brian Flaherty

Date	Today—June 9
Open	Curtis Thompson
Usher	Bill Jones
Songs/Close	Eric Kreger
Prayer	Wayne Kreger
Communion	Max Lisle
Bible Story Kids Church	Brian Flaherty / Susan Flaherty & Sherry Jones
Reading	Jaedon Snell
Lesson	Max Pratt
A/V	Christi Kreger

COMING WEEKS

Date	June 16	June 23	June 30
Open	Brian Flaherty	Curtis Dunson	Eric Kreger
Usher	Curtis Thompson	Brian Flaherty	John Snell
Songs/Close	Mike Lisle	Curtis Dunson	Eric Kreger
Prayer	David Keller	Johnny Box	Bill Jones
Communion	Tom Reynolds	Sharold Ferris	Johnny Box
Bible Story Kids Church	Max Lisle / Sherri Dunson & Tracy Robertson	David Keller / David & Hettie Keller	No Children's Church on 5th Sunday
Reading	Marty Montgomery	Justin Snell	Harley Boyce
Lesson	Max Pratt	Max Pratt	Max Pratt
A/V	Sherry Yates	Susan Flaherty	Christi Kreger

Communion Preparation June: Ann Gray

What we want you to know about Westworth Church of Christ

We believe the gospel of Jesus Christ is the most important message for everyone in the world. Christ's message of salvation is packed with blessings for individuals, families, and community. Our mission is to share His gospel.

Our message comes from the inspired word of God. We teach that we are all sinners, and need saving from our sins. We are not saved by our own goodness or merit, but by the grace of God through our faith and obedience to the Gospel of Jesus. Jesus came to be our savior.

We believe...

- Jesus is the Son of God (*John 11:27*).
- in the Gospel Invitation (*Matthew 11:28-30*).
- the confession of our faith leads to our salvation (*Romans 10:9-11*).
- Godly sorrow turns a person away from sin to living a righteous life (*Luke 5:32, 2 Corinthians 7:10*).
- Baptism is one's new birth; when we bury the sinful man and rise up into a new spiritual life (*Romans 6:3-5, 1 Peter 3:21-22*).
- by living a faithful life God is glorified (*Hebrews 13:15-16*).

You are always welcome here. If you have any questions, or would like to know more about our beliefs please contact any member, call Max Pratt directly, or call the church office or to arrange time with him.



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