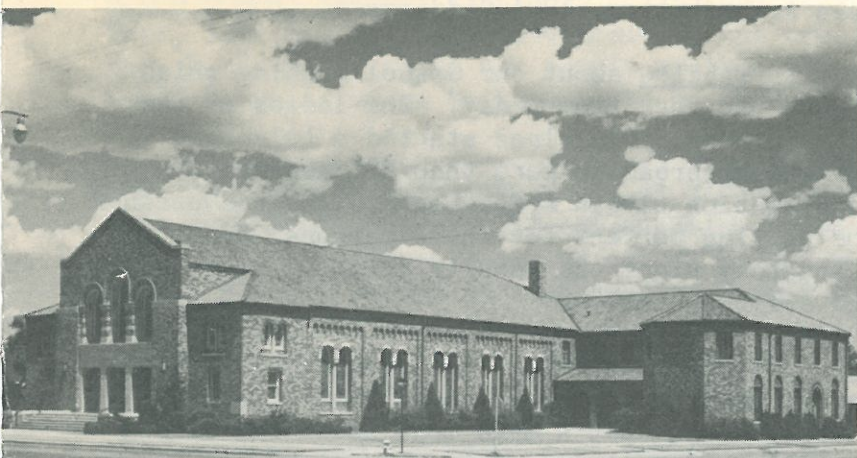


The Messenger

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.
He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved."—Mark 16:15,16



Church of Christ

TENTH AND BROAD, WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Minister: Paul McClung

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CHURCH CALENDAR

Lord's Day

Bible Classes	9:45 A.M.
Communion	10:45 A.M.
Sermon	11:15 A.M.
Herald of Truth, KFDX	1:00 P.M.
Training Classes	6:30 P.M.
Communion	7:30 P.M.
Sermon	7:45 P.M.

Wednesday

Lady's Bible Class	10:00 A.M.
Evening Worship Service	7:30 P.M.

We are happy to welcome into our fellowship the following, who placed membership last Sunday:

Mr. & Mrs. J. G. Lovett, Jr., 2946 Hunter, Ph. 7-5669
Thomas A. Ledbetter, 1701 Giddings

EVERYBODY IS TALKING about our Gospel meeting which starts just one week from today. The ladies of the Wednesday morning Bible class started a telephone campaign which spread to more than 800 members of this congregation within a few hours. The bad weather made the setting perfect for these personal contacts, and by Thursday night the results of these efforts had exceeded all expectations.

ALMOST TWO HUNDRED members of this congregation have promised to come by the church some time this week for an assignment. Let's make that 400! The church offices will be open each evening from 6:30 to 8:30 for those who want to pick up their assignments during those hours.

IMPORTANT! Turn in the names of those whom you think can be persuaded to attend the meeting. Be sure and give addresses, telephone numbers, and other details which might be helpful.

36 ATTENDED the Teachers' Meeting Thursday night, although the streets were covered with sleet and ice. Another meeting of this kind will be held in the very near future.

BIRTHS: Son "Sam Arnold", born to Mr. & Mrs. Chester Morrison, 2312 Kings Highway, January 2nd. Mrs. Morrison belongs to this congregation. Son "John", to Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Wheeler. They are members who live at 3208 Ave T. Son "Joe H., III" born to Mr. & Mrs. Joe H. Davis, Jr., of Salina, Kansas—grandson of our Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Davis. Congratulations to these proud parents and grandparents.

THE SICK: Mrs. Sam Donnell has returned to her home at 2107 Indian Heights, from the hospital. Mrs. W. F. Kirby, 1519 11th St., has a broken shoulder. Mrs. H.R. Hall needed several more blood transfusions during the past week. She is in Bethania.

BLOOD DONORS NEEDED. Please go by the Red Cross Blood Bank, 1404 6th St., and give blood to the credit of Mrs. H. R. Hall, or to the credit of this church. It would be well for us to accumulate an emergency credit supply.

THE CONTRIBUTION LAST SUNDAY was \$1,347.67. The Lord will bountifully bless this congregation if we plan and decide in advance what we can do in his service. If you haven't turned in your "purpose card" for the new year as yet, please do so as soon as possible. If every member will do that, this congregation can do far more than originally planned for 1954.

470 ATTENDED BIBLE CLASSES LAST SUNDAY. We know that holidays and bad weather can make our records look bad, but we believe that the teachers, the parents, and the pupils will take great pride in getting behind a renewed effort to build up our Bible class attendance. NUMBERS, WITHIN THEMSELVES, are not important. We do not want the emphasis placed on some figure, but we are extremely concerned over getting boys and girls, men and women, to come together for the purpose of studying the Bible.

THE FIRST READING of the new church directory is available in several parts of the building for checking. We need your help in proof reading. There are several whose names we missed for lack of information, and possibly we have included some whose names do not belong. We are correcting these mistakes as fast as they are called to our attention. All corrections which you make on any of the copies will be transferred to the master copy kept by the secretary. Or maybe you prefer to call the office, ph. 3-8764, and give the necessary information.

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Dubose Pipes
C. P. Price
J. Morris Robinson
Boyd C. Smith
Lee Stacks
E. C. Stirman
Tex Stirman
Louis Ward

Route 2, Iowa Park
1718½ Elizabeth
Route 5, Box 191
1635 Hawes
2111 Indian Heights
1600 St. John
2217 Princeton
1652 Pearl
1606 Keeler
2107 Joline
1611 Kemp
1814 Woodrow
1823 Wilson
1305 Buchanan
2407 Bullington
1304 24th
Route 1, Box 196A

Clara Brown, Secretary

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Ryan, Oklahoma

COMMITTEES

Lord's Supper:
Seth Cunningham
Boyd Smith
Harl Mansur

Charity:
Louis Ward
Joe Holland

PLAN OF SALVATION

JOHN 8:24—For if you believe not that I am he ye shall die in your sins.

LUKE 13:3—I tell you, Nay; but except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.

MATT. 10:32—Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in Heaven.

ACTS 2:38—Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins.

ROMANS 6:34—Know ye not that so many as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into His death? Therefore we are buried with Him by baptism into death; that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.