

MEN WHO SERVE

	SERVICE	OCTOBER 16	OCTOBER 23
MORNING	Song Leader	Jimmy Snow	Eddie Nuckols
	Announcements	Eddie Nuckols	Tom Davenport
	Opening Prayer	Rick Brown	Eddie Nuckols
	Scripture Reading	Daniel Forrest	Matthew Forrest
	Sermon	Claude Pharr	Claude Pharr
	Closing Prayer	Scott Tesh	Jerry Stanley
EVENING	Opening Prayer	Matthew Brown	Rick Brown
	Sermon	Claude Pharr	Claude Pharr
	Closing Prayer	Oscar Koontz	Matthew Forrest
	Lord's Table	Jimmy Snow	Eddie Nuckols
	Wed Song Leader	Gary Dull	Eddie Nuckols

LORD'S SUPPER

Center	Ortie Boyd
Servers	Jered Markman Scott Tesh Rick Brown Matthew Brown
Prepare/Cleanup Bread	The Boyds Patsy Boyd

CHURCH LEADERS

ELDERS

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How Do I Answer?

It is fortunate that we live in a community in which much of the citizenry holds to the basic tenets of Christianity. But at the same time we often hear well-meaning statements with which we do not agree. Sometime ago one such statement was made to me. It went something like this: "It really doesn't matter what church you go to so long as you have a commitment to Jesus." So what are we to make of such a statement? Can we give a hardy, "Amen" or does it contain a fundamental flaw?

First, let me say that it is a wonderful thing when anyone anywhere has a commitment to Jesus. But then let me hasten to add that that is just the starting point. Real commitment to Jesus will spend a life time searching the scriptures to know the way of the Lord more perfectly. Furthermore, as we come to a better understanding of God's word, we make changes in our personal life in order to conform more perfectly to it. This is generally understood and accepted with regard to one's personal life.

But the same is also true of our church life. Since churches do differ in both doctrine and practice, it is inevitable that some people as they study the scriptures will find that the church of their forefathers or the church that first introduced them to Jesus is not adhering as closely as they should to God's word. What then should one do? Certainly we should always have the courage to step out and be a part of the church that most closely adheres to the teaching of Jesus.

Claude

WELCOME

Visitors, you are our honored guests! Please fill out a visitor card and place it in the collection plate.

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 18 Tuesday JCM Bible Study

October 20 Thursday Mommy & Me Devo

October 22 Saturday Fall Fellowship and Chicken Stew
will be hosted by Russ and Kelly LaChapelle. More details to follow.

October 29 Saturday Muffin and a Mug from 9-11am

December 3 Saturday Elders Workshop 8:30-3:00pm For
elders and those wishing to become elders. Lunch will
be provided. See the sign-up sheet to help with food.

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

(See flyers on bulletin board for details)

October 22 Ladies Day at Highland Acres church of Christ

November 4-6 East Coast Evangelism Conference
at the Charlotte Avenue church of Christ

November 13-16 Eternal Answers to Modern Day Questions
by Don Blackwell at Abilene church of Christ

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Jessica Midgett Monday October 17

PRAYER LIST

Estelle Clutz has requested prayers.

Brooke's cousin
Penny Austin
Robert Cole

Logan Condra
Connor Gaddy
Edwina Gaddy

Tom Hare
Joe Koontz
Frank Shephard

SHUT-INS

Vergie Farmer
Sadie Rice

Wanda Scott
Dorothy Smith

Larry Warner

CONGRATULATIONS

Kim Kinder is a grandmother again. Colby had a baby girl weighing 7 lbs 4 ozs. Both are doing well.

CHANGE for CHILDREN

Remember to return the **Change For Children** cans. If you did not take one of the cans but would like to give something for the orphans please give your gift to Phil.

CANDY

Candy is needed for the Halloween outreach bags. 1,000 bags will be assembled to give away on Halloween. If you would like to help, you can purchase bags of candy or give money to purchase candy to Brooke. Thank you in advance for helping with this community outreach effort.