News Around the Brotherhood

- APRIL 3 7:15pm The United Ladies of Houston 51st Annual National Dinner Day
 South Union COC, 7427 Ardmore St., Houston, TX 77054 Dinner will be served at 7:30pm. Donation: \$50.00 Proceeds to benefit Southwestern Christian College. See Menie Williams for tickets and more information.
- ◆ April 12—16 61st Annual West Texas Lectureship

 Lee Street Church of Christ, 101 North Lee St., Midland, TX 79701 •

 Theme: "The Challenge of the Great Commission", Acts 1:8 For more information, please visit website: westtxlectureship.com
- ◆ April 26 9:30am Family & Friends Day Bryan Church of Christ 1701 West Hwy. Bryan, Texas 77808 Guest Speaker: Bro. Jon W. Morrison, Cedar Crest COC, Dallas TX
- ◆ June 25-28 <u>Texas State Youth Conference</u> DoubleTree by Hilton Houston Int'l Airport 15747 JFK Blvd., Houston, TX 77032 Theme: *I Am The Reason* 1 Timothy 1:15 Registration \$220.00/pp based on 4 to a room. For additional information, please contact Bobby Allen, Sr.

Safety Policy on Responding to Disruptive Behavior

The Sugar Land Church of Christ congregation is proactive regarding the safety and well-being of its members and guest. This living document is in place to continuously evaluate the safety needs of our congregation.

Our focus on the whole congregation, must be given priority over the privileges and inclusion of the individual. To the degree the disruptive behavior compromises the health of the congregation, our actions as people of faith must reflect this emphasis on security. While openness is one of the prime values held by our congregation and expressed in our vision, we affirm the belief that our congregation must maintain a secure atmosphere where such openness can exist. When any person's physical and/or emotional well-being or freedom to safely worship is threatened, the source of this threat is best addressed firmly and promptly, even if this ultimately requires the expulsion of the offending person or persons. Therefore, if an immediate response is required, this will be undertaken by the Elder (s), Minister, or Deacon (s) and/or the leader of the group involved. This may include asking the offending person or persons to leave, or suspend the meeting or activity until such time that it may be safely resumed. If further assistance is required the Police Department may be called. Anytime any of these actions are undertaken without the Elder (s), Minister, or Deacon - Security, they must be immediately notified.



The Visitation Ministry is available for worship with anyone who is hospitalized or homebound.

Children's Bulletins

Bulletins for children ages 7-12 are available in the foyer.



DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN GIVE TO SLCOC ONLINE? VISIT OUR WEBSITE: WWW.SLCOC.ORG AND CLICK ON "GIVE NOW"

Sunday Class Topics

Main Auditorium

"Peter In ACTS"

T-Building (Side A)

"Evangelism"



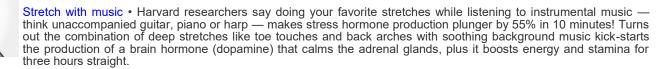
Wednesday Night Topics

Main Auditorium

'A Chronological Study of the Life of Jesus"

T-Building (Side A)
"Hermeneutics"

NATURAL WAYS TO FEEL GREAT!



Snack on licorice • Nibble on two or three pieces daily of candy that contains real licorice root (Panda, Darrell Lea and Kookaburra are quality brands) and you could feel calmer, more upbeat and more energetic in as little as 72 hours. Explains James L. Wilson, Ph.D., author of *Adrenal Fatigue*, licorice root heals overworked adrenals, plus it revs the production of the energizing hormone cortisone.

Fill up on fish and greens • Enjoy three checkbook-sized servings of fish weekly — plus one heaping cup of leafy greens daily — and your focus could soar by 52% in five days, plus your risk of chronic stress and tiredness could plunge y 75%. That's the word from British researchers, who say fish's omega-3 fats and the carotenoids in leafy greens switch on healing enzymes inside your adrenals, jump-starting the repair of these overworked glands.

Boost your C • if you're feeling weary and stressed, research in the Journal of Clinical and Diagnostic Research says taking 1000 mg. of Vitamin C daily could restore your vigor in 10 days plus cut your risk of anxiety by 55%. Study says vitamin C is a key building block of energy-regulating adrenal gland hormones. *Note: Check with your doctor before taking supplements*.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 30.07, TEXAS PENAL CODE, OPEN CARRY OF HANDGUNS IS PROHIBITED FROM ALL SUGAR LAND CHURCH OF CHRIST PROPERTY.



OPEN OUR EARS TO THE SPIRIT'S PROMISE

<u>DEVOTION</u>: [In his revelation to John, Jesus said,] "Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who is victorious, I will give some of the hidden manna. I will also give that person a white stone with a new name written on it, known only to the one who receives it." Revelation 2:17 (NIV)

The Spirit speaks to Jesus' church/ kingdom. The Spirit reminds us that no matter how difficult our challenges may be, we will be sustained through struggles, affirmed as innocent, proven victorious, and given a new name. We live in a world of disease, destruction, decay, and death. Because of Jesus, however, the Holy Spirit assures us of new beginnings and everlasting life and eternal victory. This assurance is especially important when we face trials, temptations, and persecutions. And living in a broken world, we know these difficulties will come to all of us at one time or another. So isn't it powerful that the Spirit promises us a better future and lives in us to guarantee that better future? -Phil Ware

MEMORY VERSE: "He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. He who overcomes shall not be hurt by the second death." ~Revelation 2:11 (NKJV)

<u>PRAY WITH US:</u> Almighty God, my Abba Father, thank You for Your promises! Thank You for the Living Promise, the Holy Spirit, who dwells within me. I want to hear the Spirit's voice of hope and respond with faithfulness as I await the unfolding glory that is guaranteed by the Spirit's presence. In Jesus' name, I pray. Amen.

QUOTE: "Do not fear any of those things which you are about to suffer. Indeed, the devil is about to throw some of you into prison, that you may be tested, and you will have tribulation ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life." ~Revelation 2:10 (NKJV)

Our Vision: To create unity in the body of Christ (Ephesians 4:1-16) • Our Mission: To go and make disciples of all nations (Matthews 28:18)

Our Challenge: To develop spiritually mature members of Christ's church (Romans 12:1-8)

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Office Hours: 10:30AM - 6:30 PM • Tuesday - Friday | Email: info@slcoc.org | Website: www.slcoc.org
Facebook: https://www.facebook.SugarLandChurchOfChrist

Elders Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday • 11 AM - 1 PM

~ To Our Guests ~



We are glad you came to join with us in our worship time today. We hope that you will feel God's love in a new and refreshing way. You are so special to the Lord and special to us, too. We hope you'll come again soon to join with us in fellowship. You are never a stranger at the Sugar Land Church of Christ!

Let us Know You Are Here... Please fill out a Guest Card

February 23, 2020			
ORDER OF SERVICE	10 AM	5 PM	
Welcome & Opening Prayer	Charles Smith	Charles Smith	
Song Leader	W. Hart	J. Isaac	
Scripture	C. Dunn		
Prayer	B. Wilmore	R. Phillips	
Sermon	Lewis Parker, IV AM Series Theme: ReVision 2020 Sermon Topic: "The Sinful Woman: Forgiven" Luke 7:36-50	Lewis Parker, IV "Who Is Called To Preach?" 1 Timothy 2:11-12 1 Corinthians 14:34-35	
Lord's Supper	T. Talley	L. Bradley	
Collection	V. Creswell	K. Hunter	
Announcements	J. Slatton	E. Anderson	
Closing Prayer	R. Payne	J. Jones	



	10 AM	5 PM
FRONT	Thomas & Auian Ward	Arthurene Walker
EAST	Deborah Coleman	Thomas Turner
WEST	Matilda Johnson	Eric Anderson

NURSERY - 0—K 10:00am







February 24 • Charles Dunn

February 27 • Hannah Golightly February 28 • Sherida Lynn Henry

Jimmy Isaac



Baptismal Workers
January—February

P. Harden • E. Talley S. Richardson



Baptized

Placed Membership

2/9/20 • Sis. Vera Deajon



June 25-28

Texas State Youth Conference

Double Tree by Hilton Intercontinental Airport

For additional information, please see Bobby R. Allen, Sr.

Lewis Parker, IV ● Minister Wendell Hart ● Family Care Minister

Elders: Bobby R. Allen, Sr. | Rodney Anderson | LeRoy Hall | Robert Harden, Jr. | Roy Johnson, Jr. | Charles Smith

Deacons: Ricardo Cisco | Tony Duckett | Michael Harris | Wendell Hart | Jimmy Holman | Reginald Phillips | Tony Talley

Paul Taylor | George Walker



OUR RECORD • 2/16/2020

SUNDAY

9:00 AM 49
10:00 AM 193
5:00 PM 80
TUESDAY Seniors 31
WEDNESDAY 78

2020 RESPONSES

Baptisms 1
Prison Ministry Baptisms
Placed Membership 4



Marie Camp • Clarence Adams
Clyde Adams • Vera Golightly
Debra Isaac • Loretta Holloway
Valerie Phillips • Francine Taylor
Birdie Freeney • Jennie Blanton
LaVerne Catlett • Connie Bolden
Abraham Davis • Lisa Kiser-Cook
Arthur Camp • Diane Howard
Glen Bolden • Trevis Bonnett
Sherida Lynn Henry • Antoinette Polk
Eddie Brinkley, Sr.



Elder On Call Charles Smith 832-384-6195

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Classes: 9:00 AM

Morning Worship: 10:00 AM

Evening Worship: 5:00 PM

TUESDAY

Seniors' Bible Class: 10:30 AM

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes: 7:00 PM



Transportation Ministry

Need A Ride? - Call By Saturday Morning Paul Taylor • 281-687-0487

News & Events

News At Sugar Land

- ◆ THANK YOU to all who volunteered their time and talent to help ensure that our Black History Month program (including the meal) was a huge success. We had a great time in the Lord and look forward to same level of enthusiastic participation next year!
- **TODAY First Responder's Appreciation Day** Refreshments immediately following 10:00am worship
- ◆ TODAY MEN's RETREAT Payments for monthly & quarterly payment plans are due today. Please make checks payable to "Sugar Land Church of Christ", write 2020 Men's Retreat" on the memo line and give to Mike Harris or Wendell Hart for Accounting & Record Keeping purposes.
- ◆ TODAY 2:30pm Ladies Bible Class Guest teacher, Sis. Dunman, Missouri City COC. Theme: "Having A Servant's Heart". There will be a *Meet and Greet* from 3:30-4:00. Sisters, please plan to attend.
 - 3:00pm Men's Training Class
 - 4:00pm Congregational Song Practice
- FEBRUARY 28 6:30pm Young Adult Ministry Friday Night Fellowship Hosted at the home of Rodney & Brenda Anderson. This will be a potluck fellowship, bring your favorite dish. Please see Rodney, Brenda or Eric Anderson for directions. We look forward to having a wonderful fellowship!
- FEBRUARY 28 Volunteers for the East Fort Bend Human Needs Ministry and Fellow-ship, please wear a Sugar Land shirt to the event. If you don't have one, please wear the Crusade for Christ t-shirt. For more info, please contact Janet Allen. (jpa2003@yahoocom)

LADIES RETREAT PAYMENT PLAN

For 4 payments — March 1 • March 29th • April 26th • May 31st For 2 payments — March 29th • May 31st

- ◆ MARCH 1 The Connect Ministry will host a New Members Fellowship following the 10am worship service for all individuals who were baptized and/or placed membership in 2019 through February 2020. Please join us
- ◆ MARCH 7 Security Town Hall Forum. More info in upcoming weeks......

Bulletin Announcements Are Due No Later Than WEDNESDAY Noon

MONTHLY EVENTS

MEN'S Bus RAYER 1st Sati FAKFAST

Business Meeting
1st Saturday @ 8:00 AM



Ladies Bible Class 4th Sunday @ 3:00 PM



Men's Leadership Class 4th Sunday @ 3:00 PM