

## *To Glorify God by . . .*

Presenting God's grace to those in our community and around the world.

Being a positive, Christ-like influence in our community.

Being a community and family.

## *Praying and listening...*

I have a prayer request, an update, a need for . . .

- Shepherds and Ministers only
- Public prayer list
- Bulletin prayer list

## *Calendar of Events*

### **Weekly events**

Monday YAC at 6 pm  
Tuesday CIA at 10 am  
Friday Men's Breakfast at 8am

### **Upcoming events**

November 22 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Singing  
December 5 Adult Christmas Party

## *Worship Times*

### **Sunday**

Bible Study 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Services 5:00 p.m.

### **Wednesday**

Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

## *What to expect in our worship time*

### **Singing**

We spend time singing praises to God as a congregation.

### **Praying**

We are led in prayer by men of the congregation.

### **Communing**

We take time each week to reflect on the death, burial, & resurrection of Jesus.

### **Contributing**

We take up a collection to support the work here in Bastrop and beyond.

### **Preaching**

We are encouraged and challenged by a message from God's word.

### **Encouraging**

We meet together to share our lives and gain strength in our daily walks.

# *Bastrop Church of Christ*

*November 22, 2009*

## Welcome!

We are delighted that you chose to worship with us today. We pray that you will be blessed by being here today, as we are blessed by your presence.

## News

### Country Music in Giddings

The church van is headed to Giddings on Monday, December 7. The van will leave at 6:00 p.m. for the Country Music Monday show. Featured performers are: Jerry Bennett, Sally Carlson, Phil Livengood, and Minnie & Ella Jordan. Plus Randy Bishop, one of our own is in the house band. Please let John Donnell know if you wish to go. It only costs \$3 and they sell delicious hamburgers for \$3.50.

### 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday events

#### No Children's church next week

Next Sunday is the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday. Our young ones will have an opportunity to worship with us for the entire service. We will have Children's Church on December 6.

### Samaritan's Purse

Next Sunday will be our special collection for the needy. This is a great opportunity to reach the needy in our community. Our Samaritan Purse collections take place on the 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays.

### Adult Christmas Party

When: Saturday, December 5 at 6:30 p.m.  
Where: Bastrop Church of Christ  
Who: All adults are invited.  
What: RSVP to Louise Covey, Susan Bowers, or Juanice Isbell  
Bring a Christmas type dessert  
Cost: Donations will help defray the costs but everyone is encouraged to attend.

We really need to get a head count, so let one of the listed ladies know that you want to celebrate Christmas a little early.

## From the Scripture

"Blessed are those who are spiritually needy. The kingdom of heaven belongs to them.

Blessed are those who are sad. They will be comforted.

Blessed are those who are free of pride. They will be given the earth.

Blessed are those who are hungry and thirsty for what is right. They will be filled.

Blessed are those who show mercy. They will be shown mercy.

Blessed are those whose hearts are pure. They will see God.

Blessed are those who make peace. They will be called sons of God.

Blessed are those who suffer for doing what is right. The kingdom of heaven belongs to them."

"Blessed are you when people make fun of you and hurt you because of me. You are also blessed when they tell all kinds of evil lies about you because of me. Be joyful and glad. Your reward in heaven is great. In the same way, people hurt the prophets who lived long ago."

Matthew 5:3-12 (New International's Reader Version)

## During Our Worship Time

### Child Care

Our staffed nursery is available for children- birth to 2 years old.

### Children's church

Children ages 2 to 4 are invited to Children's church during the singing of Jesus Loves Me.

### Quiet Time bags

There are black bags available in the back of the auditorium.

These have activity books and crayons.

### Training room

Can't sit still? A little cranky? Just learning to sit quietly? Our training room has pews, speaker, and windows to allow participation in worship without interrupting those around you.

### Cell Phones

Please silence all cell phones and other electronic devices.

## Attendance Card

November 22, 2009

Member  Guest

Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_

Names & birthdates of spouse

and children living at home:

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I am a guest of: \_\_\_\_\_

### How can we help?

I am . . .

Looking for a church home

New to the area

I would like more information about: