

## Prayer List

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Doris Reyes Fernandez, Marc Genua, Ashleigh Green, Eleanor Green, Amanda Hatcher, Gordon Hatcher, Juan Mandujano, Early Phillips, Andrew Ragle, Chris Ragle, Norma Ragle, Verne Ragle, Ronald Russell, Tim Smith, Dolores Snyder, Sheila Sollars, Kevin (Chela Keever's nephew)

## The Numbers

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Attendance	Sunday, November 4	15/16/15
	Wednesday, November 7	14
Offering	Sunday, November 4	\$896.00

## Those Serving

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Prayer Before Sunday Classes Barry Simmons

### Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements & Prayer	Tommy Sanders
Songs	David Snyder
Sermon	Brad Green
Lord's Supper & Contribution	Charles Hatcher
Assistant	Levy Cox
Closing Prayer	Keith Keever

### Sunday Afternoon Worship

First Prayer	David Snyder
Songs	Keith Keever
Sermon	Brad Green
Lord's Supper	Lance Green
Closing Prayer	Tommy Sanders

### Wednesday Night

Songs	Lance Green
First Prayer	Keith Keever
Devotional	Charles Hatcher
Closing Prayer	Barry Simmons

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**November 11, 2012**



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**Meeting Location:**  
130 Mabry Hood Road  
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## Schedule of Services

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### Sunday

Bible Study.....9:30 AM  
Worship.....10:30AM & 1:30 PM

### Wednesday

Bible Study.....7:00 PM



## ***From The Preacher's Pen***

### **“THE BASIC ‘FLAW’”**

*[The following article was written by brother Bill Jackson, and is taken from the August 20, 2012 Beacon, A Publication of The Bellview Church of Christ in Pensacola, Florida]*

Problems of a thousand kinds, in a thousand areas of life, have the researchers poring over plans, systems, procedures, behavior, etc.—looking for the basic flaw causing the malfunction. Current space probes scheduled, and then repeatedly canceled show us that the search goes on for the “flaw.” Science was not the “big thing” in school, but we are not speaking of science; rather, we speak of anything in any area that goes awry. Men then turn to try and find the basic “flaw”.

In the area of major interest for most readers of this bulletin, know what the “flaw” is that causes so many problems in the kingdom. This denotes no brilliance on my part, for many of you know it to be so as well. The basic flaw—causing men to reject the New Testament plea and to seek fellowship with the denominations. The basic flaw—causing men to want to turn the church into a playground, substituting fun and games for the work of the Lord. The basic flaw—causing men to see the church ministering to the whole man, rather than attending to his spiritual needs. The basic flaw—causing men to fault all Gospel preaching that “hews the line,” letting the chips fall where they may.

The basic flaw is feeling that the Gospel is not sufficient! What God has provided just is not good enough! Though the Word is said to furnish us completely (2 Tim. 3:16-17), and though the apostles gave us what they had, completely furnishing us unto life and godliness (2 Pet. 1:3), and though we are warned against turning to

anything else (Gal. 1:6-7 and 2 John 9), it is true that some who wear the name of Christ do not think the Word is sufficient. Again, some have sought “growth” in ways and using means other than that prescribed by the Lord, applying the Word (1 Pet. 2:2)! They think the Word is not enough!

With that basic “flaw,” there is a constant move away from the Word, a constant dislike of some of its teaching, a continual distancing of oneself from study, and finally, becoming sectarian completely. With that basic “flaw,” there is no way that person can be and can do what is pleasing unto the Lord! The basic “advantage” every faithful child of God has is his love of, and devotion to, the Word of the Lord. In that faithfulness is the joy of living one’s life without the “flaw” that robs one completely!

*-- Bill Jackson*

### **The Gospel Plan of Salvation**

- HEAR the word of God; the Bible (Romans 10:17)
- BELIEVE the word of God and that Jesus is Lord (John 8:24; Hebrews 11:6)
- REPENT of sin (Acts 17:30)
- CONFESS that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God (Matthew 10:32-33)
- BE BAPTIZED in order to receive remission of sins (Acts 2:38); in order to have past sins washed away (Acts 22:16); in order to get into the body of Christ, the church (Romans 6:3-4; Acts 2:47); in order to be saved (Mark 16:15-16; 1 Peter 3:21)
- LIVE FAITHFULLY in accordance with God’s word (1 John 1:6-9; Revelation 2:10)

## **Welcome Visitors**

Thank you for visiting with us today. If you have any questions about anything said or done during our worship service, please feel free to ask. Also, please take a moment to fill out one of our visitor's information cards and stick around after services so that we can get to know you better.

## **The church of Christ**

- ✓ Built by Jesus Christ
  - Matthew 16:18
- ✓ Purchased by Jesus Christ
  - Acts 20:28
- ✓ Established on the first Pentecost after the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ
  - Acts 2:38
  - Acts 2:41
  - Acts 2:47
- ✓ Jesus is the Head
  - Colossians 1:18
- ✓ The Bible is her only doctrine
  - 2 Timothy 3:16-17
  - Jude 3
  - 2 Peter 1:3
- ✓ God adds those being saved to the church
  - Acts 2:47
  - Mark 16:16
- ✓ Jesus will present the church to His Father
  - Ephesians 5:27
- ✓ There is only one church
  - Matthew 16:18
  - Ephesians 4:4
  - Ephesians 1:22-23