

May 18, 2009

# Summertime Gospel Preaching 2009

Dynamic Guest Preachers teaching from the  
Parables of Jesus Christ  
**Wednesday Evenings**

**Belt Line Road Church  
of Christ**  
**1202 Belt Line Rd. Irving, Tx. 75061**  
**(972-790-8606)**

You are cordially invited to attend our  
special Wednesday Evening Services  
7:30-8:15 PM

List of speakers

June 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Perry Cotham**- Grand Prairie

"The Sower"

Matt. 13:3-23

June 10<sup>th</sup>

**Doug Martin**- Ft. Worth

"Judgment"

Matt 25:31-46

June 17<sup>th</sup>

**Don Hatch**-Irving

Worship (VBS)

Jn 4:24

June 24<sup>th</sup>

**Robert Stapleton**- Bedford

"Tares"

Matt 13:24-30

July 1<sup>st</sup>

**Ken Hope**- Garland

"Laborers"

Mat 20:1-16

July 8th

**Paul O'Rear**-Waxahachie  
"Prodigal Son"  
Lk 15:11-32

July 15th

**Neal Thurman** -Tyler  
"Wedding Feast"  
Lk 14:15-24

July 22<sup>nd</sup>

**David Tarbet**- White Rock  
"Unjust Steward"  
Lk 16:1-13

July 29<sup>th</sup>

**Kenny Gardner**-Plano  
"Talents"  
Mat 25:14-30

August 5<sup>th</sup>

**Richard Stevens III**-Dallas  
"Unmerciful Servant"  
Mat 18:21-35

August 12<sup>th</sup>

**Pat McIntosh**-Cleburne  
"Publican and Pharisee"  
Lk 18:9-14

August 19<sup>th</sup>

**Randal Morris**-Grand Prairie  
"Ten Virgins"  
Mat 25:1-13

August 26<sup>th</sup>

**Henry Seidmeyer** - Irving  
*Final lesson in Series*

## **FAMILY CARE**

### **A Message from Our Shepherds**

Salvation and damnation are two of the most popular and unpopular subjects in the world. Men constantly talk of salvation and shun the subject of damnation as if it doesn't exist, or if it does, then it is far removed from them.

When we reach the age of accountability, all men are alike, we are lost in sin. Unless we make preparation and follow through to change this status we are lost.....without any hope of a better life. In our society of today most would have you to believe that "lost" does not mean "damned or doomed". Brethren, this type of thinking or mental state is so wrong. We must know and follow the commandments. We are to hear, believe, repent, confess, be baptized and remain faithful (keeping and living the commandments).

Jesus said, "For the son of man came to seek and to save that which was lost" (Luke 19:10); and "I came that they may have life, and may have it abundantly" (Jn. 10:10). Jesus placed himself squarely between man and salvation and squarely between man and damnation. Without Jesus Christ there is no hope for eternal life. He is the good Shepherd and leads his sheep into the eternal pastures (Jn. 10:7-29). Jesus Christ is the "the way, the truth and the life" (Jn. 14:6). Just as surely as Jesus brought abundant life to a lost and dying world, so God made him the final judge of mankind (Jn. 5:25-29). He came, He lived, He died and He returned to the Father for the sake of each one of us, (Heb. 2:14-18).

We need to examine ourselves daily to make sure our hearts are right in the sight of God (1 Cor. 15:57-58). Attendance when the saints meet says a lot about how much we are willing to serve God.

Let's keep our sick and those that are shut-in in all our prayers on a daily basis.

Have a great week in the Lord!

~ Dean Webb

**Vacation Bible School 2009**  
Belt Line Road Church of Christ  
1202 N. Belt Line Road  
Irving, Texas 75061  
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All will learn of the Living God of the Bible and how to worship Him. God loves us and wants our love and worship. Children and Adults – Come learn of worshiping in spirit and truth.

June 15-17, 2009 ~ 7 PM-8:15 PM  
Ages: 2 yrs. Through 5th Grade and Adults

**Four P's of a Spectacular VBS**

*Prayer*

*Preparation*

*Planning*

*Participation*

Attend and bring someone with you!

**GREETER ASSIGNMENTS**

**Sunday, May 24, 2009**

***Front foyer:*** Richard & Carolyn Renfro

***Back foyer:*** Henry & Frances Seidmeyer

**Sunday, May 31, 2009**

***Front foyer:*** JC & Dessie Ross; Thomas Rathbun

***Back foyer:*** Stan & Doris Selby

**Family News:**

**MISSION PRINTING**

Mission Printing will meet **Sunday** at 4:00 p.m. in the Jr. Auditorium.

**SINGING SESSION**

The **Sunday afternoon** singing session will meet at 5:15 p.m. in room #116.

### **MENS' GATHERING/DEVOTIONAL**

The **Monday morning** gathering will meet at 6:00 a.m. in the Annex.

### **SUMMERTIME SERIES**

The Summertime Gospel Preaching Series begins on **June 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Brother Perry Cotham of Grand Prairie will be the first of 13 Gospel preachers to teach on "The Parables of Jesus". **Take some handouts from either foyer to share with friends & neighbors.**

### **CONGREGATIONAL FISH FRY/ICE CREAM SUPPER**

Everyone is invited to a fish fry which will be held in the Annex on **Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup>** at 5:00 p.m. If you'd like to bring ice cream, please sign up on the sheet in the front foyer.

### **DAY OF SERVICE**

Everyone, mark your calendar for **Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup>** as a day of service to distribute door hangers advertising our VBS in several locations. Meet at the building at 8:00 a.m. to help with this work.

### **TEENS**

The first meeting of the Summer Youth Series will begin on Tuesday, **June 9<sup>th</sup>** & will be held in Keller. Please meet at the building at 5:30 p.m. if you'd like to go.

### **GRADUATION INVITE**

**Jeremy Hardegree** will be graduating from Irving High School on Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at The Potter's House in Dallas.

### **GLEANNING FOR CHILDREN**

Pick up a green can if you are interested in collecting change for Foster's Children's Home; we have until September.

### **WITH SYMPATHY**

**Anna Lee Pope** passed away last Monday; services and interment were held in Alba, TX last Thursday.

**Lloyd Bryant** (Bear Bryant's brother) passed away last Friday; services are pending.

### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

- Gwen Bingham** has moved to Lone Star Rehab; 1105 Ira E. Woods, #101; Grapevine; 76051.
- Mary Curtis** was able to be with us in worship yesterday.
- Jane Easter** is in Baylor/Irving, room #384 with a viral infection & pneumonia.
- Grady Fowler** is scheduled for surgery at Baylor/Irving on May 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- Billie Gilliam's** surgery has also been rescheduled for May 22<sup>nd</sup> at Baylor/Irving.

- **Everett Newton** had a treatment over the weekend & is doing well.
- **Sophia Bradshaw** (friend of the Fowlers) is 2 mos. old & has cancer on a kidney.
- **Cora Heard** (relative of the Fowlers) has Alzheimer's. Cora's sister, **Annie Mae**, is taking chemo for cancer.
- **David McDaniel** (Elizabeth Garrison's brother) is now home from the hospital & doing better.

**Continuing Prayer Concerns:**

Fauna Garrett, Don & Judy Hancock, Gardean Latham, Tom Prince, Roy Thomas, Thomas West, Brad Anderson (Bill Paschall's friend), Nancy Bauer (Scott Watson' mother), Charlie & Mary DiPalma (missionaries), Glen Elmore (elderly father of a friend of Garl Latham), Frank Garrett (Fauna's husband), Louise Gierling (former member Tom Gierling's mother), Scott Watson (Jeanene Heilman's friend), Linda Woodruff (the Webb's friend), Ilya Yakimenko (missionaries in Russia), & our shut-ins.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Be sure and mark your calendar -**

- May 24: Mission Printing in the Jr. Auditorium at 4:00 p.m.
- May 24: Singing session in room #116 at 5:15 p.m.
- May 30: Congregational fish fry & ice cream supper
- June 3: Summertime Preaching
- June 6: Day of Service
- June 9: Summer Youth Series
- June 15-17: Vacation Bible School
- July 5-9: Jr. Youth Camp
- July 19-24: Sr. Youth Camp

**NURSERY ATTENDANTS**

**Sunday morning:**

- Samantha Harvey

**Sunday evening:**

- Sandy Hall

**LORD'S TABLE/MORNING**

**Front Table**

- Purman Cofer
- Jerry Baker
- Dorris Walker
- Marvin Brown
- Mike Garrison
- Bill Matthews
- Ty Harvey
- John Mayer

**Rear Table**

- JC Ross
- Robert Taylor
- Max Melton
- Keith Vaughn
- Bobby Bowen
- Jeremy Hardegree
- Virgil LaFerney
- Derroll Allen

**SUNDAY A.M. PRAYERS**

- Dean Webb
- Glen Kelly
- Rob Farmer

**A.M. SCRIPTURE READING**

- Bill Matthews  
Jude 1-4

**A.M. SONG LEADER**

- Garl Latham

### **SUNDAY P.M. PRAYERS**

- Stan Selby
- Darrell Allen

### **P.M. SCRIPTURE READING**

- Nathan Allen
- Ephesians 4:17-34

### **P.M. SONG LEADER**

- Jerry Baker (last song, Jerry McKey)

### **LORD'S TABLE/EVENING**

- Glen Kelly
- Bill Matthews

### **COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS**

- Ty Harvey

### **FOR THE RECORD: WEEK ENDING ATTENDANCE & BUDGET**

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>This Week</u>	<u>YTD Avg.</u>	<u>Goal</u>
Sun. Class	100	88	93	125
A.M. Worship	185	151	156	210
P.M. Worship	84	82	87	112
Wed. Class	83	71	81	110
Ladies Bible Class	-	-	30	35
Contribution	\$4450	\$5190	\$5458	\$5474

### ***MISSIONS***

Charlie & Mary DiPalma - India  
Willie Gley – Ghana/Togo, Africa  
Roland & Rose Mohsen – France  
Gary & Nadya Workman – Ukraine  
Glen & KuinTattersall – Australia  
Oleg & Natasha Yakimenko - Russia  
Wil & Telanda Sadler – Military Missions  
Christ's Haven Children's Home - Keller, TX  
Foster's Home for Children – Stephenille, TX  
Bitragunta Church of Christ, Bitragunta, India  
Ian & Mabel McPherson – Tasmania Australia  
Wayne Jackson – Christian Courier on the Web  
Ted Lingren - Sisophon Bible School – Cambodia  
Mission Printing Worldwide Literature Distribution  
Terry & Pam Laurence – Bear Valley School of Preaching  
Dennis & Beth Johnson - Chennai Teacher Training School – India