



*“so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God “ Colossians 1:10*

**No Value in Profanity**

**Matt Clifton**

Horace Porter, a lieutenant colonel and personal secretary to General Ulysses Grant during the American Civil War, wrote about a conversation he had with the famous general one evening while they were sitting by a campfire. Porter commented, “General, it seems singular that you should have gone through all the rough and tumble of army service and frontier life, and have never been provoked into swearing. I have never heard you utter an oath.”

Grant responded, “Well, somehow or other, I never learned to swear. When a boy, I seemed to have an aversion to it, and when I became a man I saw the folly of it. I have always noticed too, that swearing helps to arouse a man’s anger; and when a man flies into a passion, his adversary who keeps cool always gets the better of him. In fact, I could never see the value of swearing. I think it is the case with many people who swear excessively that it is mere habit...they do not always mean to be profane; to say the least, it is a great waste of time.”

How many seconds, minutes, and even days of life have been wasted in profane speech? In Paul’s letter to the Ephesians, we are instructed to **“Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it might impart grace to the hearers”** (Eph. 4:29). Paul follows this up by saying to put away **“evil speaking”** (Eph. 4:31).

Since we will be judged by every idle word that proceeds from our mouths (Matt. 12:36), wouldn’t it be best to follow Jesus’ command to **“let your ‘Yes’ be ‘Yes,’ and your ‘No,’ ‘No’”** (Matt. 5:37)? Anything more is from the evil one, and is therefore a waste of time. Christian, profanity is of no value!



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**When We Assemble**

- Sunday
  - Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
  - Evening Worship
  - Live Stream Only 5:00 p.m.
- Wednesday
  - Bible Study 6:30 p.m.



*Daily Bible Readers.....n/c*  
*Bible Class Lesson .....n/c*

**Isaiah’s Call**

Our item for this effort is:

Vienna Sausage’s

**Worship Leaders**

<p><i>Sunday, February 21st, 2021 A.M.</i>  <i>Lead Singing</i>—David Quillen  <i>Announcements</i>—Ronnie Ray  <i>Read</i>— Matthew Phillips  <i>Opening Prayer</i>—Noel Scott  <i>Closing Prayer</i>—M. DesRuisseaux</p> <p><i>Officiating Lord's Supper</i>                  Stephen Phillips</p> <p><i>Ushers and Security</i>                  Justin Phillips, Heath Allen                  Alan Storie, Jason Bogus</p> <p><i>PowerPoint for this week.</i>                  Wes Ayers, Bobby Roberson</p> <p><i>Sanitizing for the week</i>                  Heath Allen, Harrison Allen                  Maddox Allen</p> <p><i>Wednesday, February 24th 2021</i>  <i>Lead Singing</i>— David Quillen  <i>Announcements</i>— Ronnie Ray  <i>Read</i>— Keeton Hines  <i>Opening Prayer</i>— Gunner Pate  <i>Extend Invitation</i>— Mckinley Pate  <i>Closing Prayer</i>—Teddy Richie</p>	<p><i>Sunday, February 28th, 2021 A.M.</i>  <i>Lead Singing</i>—Jared Hines  <i>Announcements</i>—Alan Storie  <i>Read</i>— Dennis Allen  <i>Opening Prayer</i>—Bengie Hines  <i>Closing Prayer</i>—Brian Smith</p> <p><i>Officiating Lord's Supper</i>                  Teddy Richey</p> <p><i>Ushers and Security</i>                  R.L. Behel, Travis Allen                  Doyle Behel, Mike DesRuisseaux</p> <p><i>PowerPoint for this week.</i>                  Wes Ayers, Heath Allen</p> <p><i>Sanitizing for the week</i>                  Alan Storie, Brian Smith                  Brady Murks</p> <p><i>Wednesday, March 3rd, 2021</i>  <i>Lead Singing</i>— Jared Hines  <i>Announcements</i>— Alan Storie  <i>Read</i>— Harrison Allen  <i>Opening Prayer</i>— Jonah Danley  <i>Extend Invitation</i>— Mckinley Pate  <i>Closing Prayer</i>—Brennan Rook</p>
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**SHILOH FAMILY MEMBERS TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

- Minerva Allen
- Harlon Clemons—broken back
- Shirley Chandler
- Pat Balentine
- Nell White
- Ted & Beverly Short
- Dorothy Matthews
- Clayburn & Marguerite Hines
- Kelly Gooch
- Louise Smith
- Pat Hannah
- Janie Coker
- Darrell Twilley
- Leon Hines
- Brenda Stejskal—in hospital/recent surgery
- Anthony Purser (recent surgery)
- Bill Richardson
- E.L. Richardson
- Steve Murks (Shoulder Surgery)

***Records We Collected***

**Sunday, February 14, 2021**

A.M. Worship—139

Contribution—\$5,726.00

**Wednesday, February 17th, 2021**

Bible Study—N/S

**FRIENDS & FAMILY IN NEED OF PRAYERS**

- Tammy Dial
- Allen Smith (Bill Phillips grandson)
- Cade Allen
- Billy Putman (friend of Johnnie Ruth Dixon— brain tumor)
- Ronnie Rogers (Hospice Care)
- Lonna Hines
- Allie Bond
- Cole Kelley
- Kruz & Paizlee Davenport
- Margaret Dishowngh (Janie Coker's sister— has cancer)
- Megan Klingbell
- Richard Stumpe (friend of Noel & Kathryn Scott—cancer)
- Shirley Robertson-Colon cancer
- Madelyn Littrell- 2 year old with leukemia
- Luke White—(Nell White's grandson)
- Caitlyn Dennis
- Faye Chandler (Carolyn McCluskey and Mary Handley's sister)
- Mitzi Robinson (Nell White's niece)
- Sandra Haygood (Relative of Shirley Chandler)
- Jerry Horton (Friend of Raymond & Brenda Phillips)
- Laura Counts
- Donnie McGee
- Teresa Head (cousin of Kathy Richie)
- Misty Ray Moses—Health Issues
- Tommy Pettus (upcoming test)
- Edna Hunt (Craig Hunt's mother)
- Joyce Nugent (Jimmy Phillips sister—fall and COVID)
- Reigor Branscome (Brenda Phillips great grandson)
- Brenda Reeves (Lois Smith's sister)
- Marjorie Cox
- Jean Valentine (Brenda Phillips sister)
- Jackie Flowers—COVID
- Steve Shelton
- Lisa Boshers (Cancer)

**HOSPITAL, NURSING HOME & ASSISTED LIVING**

◆ *El Reposo*

- Martin Holloway—Rm# 303A
- Elizabeth Bennett (Teddy Richey's Mother) - Rm#205
- Bradley Dupree—Rm#303B
- Verdia Mae Kennedy—Rehab
- Sue Goins—Rehab

*Television Bible Programs We Support*

*Fabric of the Family*

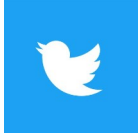
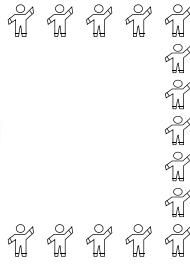
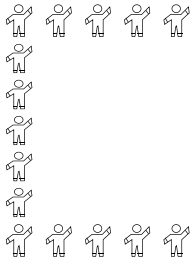
Sunday morning: 8:00 a.m. on CW Network with brother Barry Gilreath of Stutts Road Church of Christ

*In Search of the Lord's Way*

Sunday morning, 7:30 a.m. on Channel 54 with brother Phil Sanders of Edmond, Oklahoma Church of Christ.

*Getting To Know Your Bible*

DIRECT TV 379 Sunday Mornings at 10:30 a.m. and on KTV Channel 264(Dish) Sunday Mornings at 9:30 a.m. CST.



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# weekly ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Happy Birthday

- 23—Margo Simpson
- 25—Danielle Aston
- 25—Jacey Simpson

## Happy Anniversary

### “Notes in the Key of A”

Good Morning and Welcome!  
Thank you for being here with us this morning!

We have a lot in the community who are dealing with this virus, whether they actually have it or are having to quarantine because they were in close contact with someone who has it. Please remember to pray for them everyday!

We continue to publish weekly content.  
Be sure you are checking it out!

Thank you for working! Thank you for loving!  
Thank you for growing!

Encourage someone this week!

I love you,  
Wes

### Youth Event:

There will be a CYC alternative Youth Event hosted by the Highland Park Church of Christ on February 26-28. This will be for 7th—12th grade. Matt Cook will be the speaker for this event. The event is free and you will receive a t-shirt for attending. Please let Wes know your shirt size. Due to COVID we will not be taking the van so if you attend you will have to drive to the event. Mask are required and please let Wes know if you are going to attend no later than today!

### Sympathy:

We extend our deepest sympathy to Seth Pettus and family in the passing of Seth’s grandmother Fredia Faye Ford on Tuesday of this past week. Funeral will be Monday at 2:00 p.m. at Greenhill Funeral Home with visitation being at noon the same day. Sister Ford was a member of the Centerhill Church of Christ. Please keep Seth and his entire family in your daily prayers.

# WORDSEARCH

## When You Fast (Matthew 6:16-18)

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### Bridal Tea:

There will be a bridal tea honoring the upcoming marriage of Darby Gooch and Macy Delano on Sunday February 28th from 2:00—4:00 p.m. at Curtis Restaurant. They are registered at Target and Walmart. Please keep this couple in your daily prayers as they are about to begin their walk as husband and wife!



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## *A Minute with Mac*

Lots of cold and lots of snow and ice this past week. It was nice to see the winter weather, but for me it was nicer to see it go! I am also encouraged by your presence today! If you are visiting with us, please know that you are our honored guest and if you have any questions about what transpires this morning, please feel free to ask.

This morning, we will pick back up on our 2021 theme “into the future,” as we look at a very serious topic and we ask the question “why do some choose hell?” We will look at those outside of Christ and those who are His children. I hope this will be beneficial to all!

This evening during our Sunday evening Worship service at 5:00 p.m. we will look at another lesson in lyrics as we discuss the song titled “Angry Words.” Remember this service will be live streamed on our Facebook page and our YouTube channel. Also you can always go to our website ([www.shilohchurchofchrist.net](http://www.shilohchurchofchrist.net)) and hit the YouTube link and it will take you directly to our page.

Lord willing, we will see you back here at the building on Wednesday night at 6:30 as we will have an in person Bible Study. After taking a week off due to the weather last Wednesday we look forward to seeing you all here. We have classes for all ages and encourage those who attend to wear a mask if possible, especially when in a close setting such as the classroom. In the auditorium class we will pick back up our look at the book of Job.

Remember, Shiloh, to do the things that make us great this week. Check on those who are sick, both physically and spiritually. Shine your light and pray for our Eldership and the brotherhood worldwide. Also remember to pray for the opportunity to share the Gospel with someone this week!