

For the Record

425 Sunday Morning

200 Sunday Classes

N/A Sunday Evening

92 Life Groups

212 Wednesday Evening

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He Meets us Here: Jesus’ Table

Luke 9:10-17

The question surrounding the feeding of the 5000 was: “Who is \_\_\_\_\_?”

Jesus is someone who...

- \_\_\_\_\_ us into his presence.
- Like Moses, he feeds his people in the \_\_\_\_\_.
- He provides a meal characterized by \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.

Luke 22:14-20

What things are accomplished through Passover and the Lord’s Supper?

- \_\_\_\_\_ the event
- \_\_\_\_\_ the community
- \_\_\_\_\_ lives

Luke 24:28-35

The table transforms death into \_\_\_\_\_ and despair into \_\_\_\_\_!

In the breaking of bread Jesus is “\_\_\_\_\_ – \_\_\_\_\_” to his disciples!

REGULAR WEEKLY MINISTRIES

DivorceCare -Sundays at 4:00 pm

Life Group - Sundays at different times

Granddad’s Devo - Tuesdays at 10:00 am in Room R5

Ladies Bible Class - Tuesdays at 10:00 am in Small Fellowship

Single and Parenting Class- Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm

GriefShare - New Session will start in the fall

DC4K (DivorceCare for Kids)-Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm

Financial Peace - Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room R5

Celebrate Recovery - Thursdays at 6:30 pm (Meal at 6:00 pm)

Robinson Avenue this week

The Days of Youth

An investment in our young people is an investment in the Kingdom

Keith Kilmer - As a parent of two teenagers (and another who thinks she’s a teenager) I’m grateful for the love and support that this congregation shows to our young people. I’m thankful for every opportunity that they have to grow, to learn, to serve, to fellowship, and to worship. We have godly and conscientious ministers, ministry interns, parents, and volunteers who truly love working with our teens.

If anyone doubts the great potential of youth just consider some examples from the Bible. Joseph rose to power in Egypt when he was just 17, David was only a boy when he killed a giant, Josiah was only 8 years old when he became king in Jerusalem, Mary was just a young woman when gave birth to Jesus. These are but a

few examples, but they show that our kids are capable of great things now and in the future. It is important that we continue to invest in them.

For the past year and a half we have been blessed to have Grayson and Amanda Taylor at Robinson Avenue working with our youth. Sadly, this is the Taylor’s last Sunday. Next week they will be relocating to Jonesboro to receive additional training for campus ministry – a true passion of theirs. While we are sad to see them go, we are honored to have had a part in their spiritual formation and grateful for the time they have invested in our youth. Grayson and Amanda have made a lasting mark on our youth by sharing the Word, sowing seeds of faith, and sharing Jesus. Taylors, our prayers are with you as

you take the next step in your journey! Thank you for all that you have done here at Robinson Avenue.

Even though today is the Taylors last Sunday, they will still be in town through the middle of next week. There will be a reception in their honor this Wednesday night, Oct. 25, after mid-week Bible classes in the Multi-purpose building. Be sure and express your gratitude to the Taylors for their service – they’ll be missed!

The Bible in a Year

Daily Reading Schedule

☐ Monday 23

☐ Tuesday 24

☐ Wednesday 25

☐ Thursday 26

Malachi 1-4

Matthew 1-4

Matthew 5-9

Matthew 10-13

☐ Friday 27

☐ Saturday 28

☐ Sunday 29

Matthew 14-17

Matthew 18-21

Matthew 22-25

DO NOT MERELY LISTEN TO THE WORD, AND SO DECEIVE YOURSELVES.. DO WHAT IT SAYS. JAMES 1:22



Adult Education

## Adult Bible Classes

**Sunday Morning Adult Classes:**  
**Adult Classes** - Book of Ephesians  
**The Transitions Class** - Book of John  
**Wednesday Evening Bible Study:**  
**FUEL** - Men's class - Book of Philippians  
**WPW** - Women's Class - Life with God: Living in Communion with Him  
**Auditorium Class** - II Corinthians, taught by Ron Dowdy, Nick Poulos and Harry Fitzgerald

Golden Eagles

## Annual Salute to Veterans

Our Annual Salute to Veterans will be Friday, November 17 at 10:00 am at the church building. Watch for sign up sheets in the foyer. Our speaker will be Sabino Rodriquez presenting “The Color of War.”

You're Invited

## Central Junior High Veterans' Day

Everyone is invited to Central Junior High School's 22nd annual Veteran's Day Assembly on Friday, November 10. The program will begin at 9:00 am in the CJHS gymnasium (the gym is air-conditioned). Guest speaker will be Derl Horn, US Marine Corp 1966-68 Vietnam Ware and Purple Heart Recipient. A Reception will follow.

Children's Ministry

## Fall Festival

The Fall Festival is Saturday, October 28 in the Multi-purpose Room from 4:00 - 7:00 pm. There are sign up sheets in the foyer for the Chili Cook-off and for people to provide games (Bible Theme games requested, but not required) for the kids to play. We need candy donations also! Please contact Meagan Cooke if you need suggestions for games or any other questions.

Outreach Ministry

## Clothing Drive

We are now receiving clothes for the clothing drive. Please designate whether it is Men, Women or Kids' clothing. Clothing can be placed in the glass atrium by the gym. The annual clothing drive will take place on **Saturday, November 11**, from 8:00 am until 11:00 am. The workday for the clothing drive will be on Saturday, November 4, 9:00 am until noon. We need volunteers to help with both the workday and clothing drive. Contact Scott Ware at 479-200-5708 if you can help.



Youth Ministry

## Youth Activities

**October 25** - Halloween Theme Mid-Week

Adoption

## Exciting additions to our church family!

DJ and Megan Johnson, a young couple in our Transitions class, have begun the process of adopting three little girls, ages 3 years, 2 years, and 5 months. It is likely that the girls will be placed in the Johnson's home within the next few weeks. On Sunday night, October 29th, after the 5th Sunday singing service, we will have a Celebration Shower to rejoice with the Johnsons and help them prepare their home and hearts for these three precious baby girls. The girls wear sizes 2T-3T, 24 months, and 6 months. There will also be a money/gift card tree available at the shower, if you would like to donate to get larger items that the girls will need. DJ and Megan also request prayers for patience and guidance as they begin this new journey. They ask for wisdom as they raise these girls in a home where they know God's love and grace. They want to be an example of loving, Christian parents to these sweet girls. If you have any questions regarding the Celebration Shower, please contact Julia Simkins or Michele Kilmer.

Going Away Reception

## Saying Goodbye to the Taylors

Today is Grayson and Amanda Taylors last Sunday to worship with us as a youth minister. We will miss the Taylors and we wish them the very best as they start a new chapter in their life. We will have a going away reception this Wednesday following class in the Multi-Purpose room.

Outreach

## Celebrate Recovery for Kids!

We will offer a Celebrate Recovery for Kids during our regular Celebrate Recovery meetings on Thursdays at 6:30 pm. This is for kids ages 5 through 13. Please contact Trent Arnold if you have any questions.

Live Stream

## Dave Ramsey - Smart Money

On November 7, from 7:00 pm, to 10:00 pm in the auditorium, Dave Ramsey and Rachel Cruze's most popular event, Smart Money will be live stream. Everyone is invited to come watch this presentation. If you have any questions, please contact Jimmy Allen.



Family Time			
SUNDAY		WEDNESDAY	
9:30 AM	Bible Study	7:00 PM	Bible Study
10:30 AM	Worship		
6:00 PM	Worship		

Family

## Illness and Recovery

**Doug Dunbar** is at Westwood Health and Rehab in room 202.  
**Cheryl Roberts** is at HealthSouth in room 202  
**Michael and Kathryn Purdum** and Silas, former members of RACOC were attacked and robbed at their home this past weekend. Prayers for healing.

For Our Members

## Daily Emails

Any member wanting to be added to the daily email with Family Updates, please email Julia Simkins at julia@racoc.net to request being added. This is a good way to receive updates on prayer request and to be informed on upcoming activities.

Contribution and Payments

## Make Your Contribution Using Your Debit or Credit Card

You have the option to make your contribution or payment to Robinson Avenue Church of Christ using your debit or credit card when and wherever you choose! It is through an online giving website called Tithe.ly designed by former and current ministers specifically for churches. All transfers are encrypted and secure. You can make your contribution or payment anywhere at any time. Instructions on how to get started are on the table in the foyer.

Military Ministry

## Care Packages for the Troops

Do you know someone in the military who is deployed? Family, friend, friend of a friend, or someone you just met -- share their name, address and length of deployment with us and we will be happy to send them care packages. Turn in the address to either the office or Cathy Hudson.

Opportunity to Serve

## Nursery Attendants for today

Infant Nursery - Jennifer Stafford/Caroline McCullough  
Toddler Nursery - Ashley Allen/Hannah Jones

*We request only assigned attendants and helpers stay in the nursery during worship with the exception if the child's parent needs to stay in there with him or her. Please, no siblings without parental supervision.*



Our

## Prayer List

*Names will be printed on this list for up to 4 weeks at a time unless further updates are received in the church office.*

**Trey Cooke - eye surgery**  
Son of David and Jana Cooke  
**Curtis Doak**  
Father of Debbie Johnson  
**Janet Elkins - cancer**  
Daughter of Pat Elkins

**Bria Fuller - fell and fractured skull**  
- 6mth old great grandchild of Pat Elkins  
**Garren Jay - Leg amputated**  
Cousin of Brenda Waugh  
**Roger Kernes - cancer**  
Father of Robert Kernes

**Debbie Langstaff -Cancer**  
Cousin of Beth Pettay  
**Tina Moore - expecting twins**  
Friend of Sara Tumlison  
**Ashley Morris - Cancer**  
Great Niece of Helen Gillmore  
**Jimmy McIntosh**  
Son of Wilma McIntosh  
**Brenda McCord - Cancer**  
Friends of Ashbys, Holroyds, Nicholsons, and Simkins  
**Linda Patterson - Brain tumor**  
**Sister of Brenda Waugh**

**Don Pipkin - prostate cancer**  
Father of Eric Pipkin and Sherrie Hankins  
**Robert Ramsey**  
**Brother of Pat Elkins**  
**Laedyn Kay Sprague - AML**  
Friend of Rachel Emerson  
**Hilda Starrs - bypass surgery**  
Cousin of Mechele Gonzalez  
**Pam Thrower - Lung Cancer**  
Daughter of the Sisemores  
**Charles Venable - The Maples**  
Grandfather of Megan Rojo  
**David Williams Kidney Transplant,**  
cousin of the Kilpatricks  
**Denny Woodward - Cancer**  
Son of JoAnn Woodward



Those

## Shut In

**Dee Dearman**  
**Doug Dunbar**  
**Bonita Duncan**  
**Gladys Dutton**  
**Don & Marie Edwards**  
**Dan Hash**  
**Carolyn Howard**  
**Don McClane**  
**James Price**  
**Verna Tacket**  
**Linda Taggart**  
**Elsie White**

Continue to

## Remember

**Lucy Allen**  
**Beth Clem**  
**Carl Gilliam**  
**Herman Sisemore**

Those With Ongoing

## Health Issues

**Barkley Bullard**  
**Cleo Drevs**  
**Cecil Cook**  
**Lyman Ferguson**  
**Donna Gaston**  
**Donna Martin**  
**Scott Phillips**  
**Rebecca Reichlein**  
**Cheryl Roberts**  
**Melissa Yeager**

Those

## Battling Cancer

**Charlie Brown**  
**Freida Hughes**  
**Robert Kernes**  
**Seth Mohorn**  
**Dick Pate**  
**Edna Porter**  
**Al Simpson**  
**Charles Shumate**  
**Salina Wilson**