

Prayers and Praise      Confidential \_\_\_\_\_

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### Sermon Notes

**Title:** “The Ultimate Prayer”

**Scripture(s):** Ephesians 1:15-16 “For this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all God’s people, I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers.”

**Notes:**

**Application:**



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#### INSTANT CHURCH DIRECTORY

We are on a mission to update the member information in our Directory. If you have the directory app, take a look at your listing. You can update all your family information, as well as your photo in the app. If you don’t have a photo, talk to Ronnie Gilbert. He will take one for you and get it uploaded to your listing. If you need assistance with the app or your listing, contact Phyllis Riley at (806) 674-9639.



**September 14, 2025**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

“I Will Call Upon the Lord”

**Call to Worship/Opening Prayer**

Worship led by Rodney Young

“Wonderful, Merciful Savior”

“My Hope is Built On Nothing Less”

“Unto Thee, O Lord”

“Come, Share the Lord”

**Lord’s Supper**

“When We Meet in Sweet  
Communion”

**Collection**

Dismiss children 3 years old - Kindergarten  
to Children’s Church

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

**Sermon: Bret McCasland**

“The Ultimate Prayer”

**Song of Invitation**

“Jesus is Tenderly Calling”

**Closing Announcements**

**& Shepherd’s Prayer**

*“Be Holy Spirit Filled and Live in Him”*

**Coming Up at the Colonies**  
**TODAY Sunday, September 14**  
9:00 am Coffee Connection  
11:45 am Youth Parent Meeting  
3:00-5:00 pm Swimming Party at WT Indoor Pool Canyon  
**Monday, September 15**  
10:00 am Ladies Bible Study  
**Tuesday, September 16**  
9:00 am Men's Bible Study  
**Wednesday, September 17**  
6:00 pm Meal and a Message  
**Thursday, September 18**  
10:30 am Fair Time for the Ladies!  
**Saturday, October 4th**  
8:30 am Men's Breakfast

**Wednesday Night Meal and a Message**  
6:00 pm Meal—Sloppy Joes (\$5)  
6:30 pm—Message  
Ben Gifford will continue his series entitled “The Church of Christ, Pursuing God’s Goals for His Church”.

  
More Information on the Swimming Party at WT Indoor Pool in Canyon **this afternoon** is available on the bulletin board in front of the Church Office. **The Church bus will leave at 2:40 pm and return at 5:20 pm.**

**NURSERY**  
We have a nursery available during our sermon. There is also a Cry Room in the rear of the auditorium for your convenience.  
**Nursery Volunteer Today**  
**Jess Dempsey**

**Youth Parent Lunch & Meeting**  
Immediately following worship service **TODAY** the youth and their parents are invited to lunch and an important meeting in the Youth Area. This is an informational meeting to discuss upcoming trips, important dates, volunteer/chaperone opportunities and other matters. Parents/Grandparents are an important part of a successful Youth Ministry, and we look forward to working with you this year.


We need help with our Wednesday Night Bus Ministry to The Craig. Our folks there want to attend, but as winter comes on it gets dark earlier and some of them won't feel comfortable driving after dark. We have some volunteers, but it would be great to have a list of **fill in drivers**. If you would be willing to volunteer to drive the van to and from The Craig on Wednesday nights, please let us know. Thank you in advance!


**Mark Your Calendars!**  
Our next Men's Breakfast is scheduled for **Sat. Oct. 4th at 8:30 am**. Breakfast will be \$5.00. You don't want to miss this great time of fellowship. Be sure to bring a friend!

**TRI-STATE FAIR & RODEO** It's that time again Ladies for our annual trip to the Tri-State Fair Thurs. Sept. 18th. The bus will leave the Church at 10:30 am. **Please let Vicki know you will be riding the bus. 806-670-1568**

**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**  
01—Ronnie Gilbert  
02—Bailey Ellsworth  
02—Diane Hanna  
03—Jess Dempsey  
04—Hanna De La Cruz  
05—Preston Mann  
07—Riley Black  
08—Zya Martin  
09—Betty DeArmond  
11—Brenda Flow  
11—Fannie Howell  
**14—Jimmy DeArmond**  
**18—Gloria Carver**  
**19—Vicki Gordon**  
**20—Jeff Gordon**  
21—Tammie Cleeton  
24—Rebecca Cleeton  
25—Glinda Davis  
26—Gwen Goodpasture  
26—Dana Hodge  
27—Jerry Carpenter  
27—Maddie Dempsey

**SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES**  
03—Scott & Brenda Flow  
**16—Ed & Phyllis Riley**  
**16—Jackie & Carolyn Nall**  
28—Eddie & Gayle Brasher


  
**Food Pantry Needs**  
Our next food distribution at North Amarillo Church of Christ will be Friday, Sept. 26th. The list of needed items is on the bulletin board in front of the office. It's time to bring fall clothing donations. In August, we served 101 families (32 families were new) for a total of 334 individuals. Thank you for your generosity!


  
If you are visiting with us today...Thank you. Please fill out the perforated portion of the bulletin and place in the collection basket. Be sure to pick up a visitor's gift in the foyer. We would like to get to know you.

If you wish to receive our weekly e-Newsletter, send your email address to [office@thecolonies.org](mailto:office@thecolonies.org)

For the week of: September 7, 2025  
Attendance: 240  
Contribution: \$13,728.00  
Weekly Budget: \$13,913.46  
Year-to-Date Giving: \$493,450.51  
Year-to-Date Budget: \$500,884.61

**ELDERS**  
Frank Bellizzi      Andrew Reyna  
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**Welcome New Members**  
Teresa Duncan  
Steve & Andi Dragosavac  
Billy & Melody Sisco

**Sunday, September 14, 2025**

Mark all that apply

\_\_\_\_ Guest

\_\_\_\_ Member

\_\_\_\_ Place Membership

\_\_\_\_ Wednesday Night Meal

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Home Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you want a nametag to wear? “ ...Greet the friends there by name.”

First and last name on tag \_\_\_\_\_

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