

<b>Weekly Services:</b> <u>SUNDAY</u> Bible Class— 9:30 AM Worship—10:30 AM Evening— 6:00 PM <u>WEDNESDAY</u> Bible Study— 7:00 PM	<b>Elders:</b> Kim Alexander Paul Johnson Randall Smith  <b>Minister:</b> Phil Stroud	<b>Deacons:</b> Sean Cain Wade Carper Ronnie Helm Don Martin Shane Parker Allen Pharis Shane Summerlin	<b>Weekly Records:</b> Bible Class.....57 Worship.....145 Contribution.....\$4,569 Budget.....\$3,900
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<b>SERVICE ROSTER:</b> <b>Song Leader:</b> Cheyenne Smith* <b>AV Operator:</b> Joe Brad McVey <b>Opening Prayer:</b> Kim Alexander <b>Table Reading:</b> Paul Johnson <b>Communion:</b> Shane Parker Roddy Alexander Brent Allen Justin Hesterly	*Denotes AM&PM <b>Announcements:</b> Wade Carper* <b>Pew Cards:</b> Jaxton Fullwood Jetten Fullwood <b>Closing Prayer:</b> Kelton White <b>Greeter:</b> Jason Freeman <b>PM:</b> <b>Opening Prayer:</b> Allen Pharis <b>Closing Prayer:</b> Shane Parker
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## April

### Birthdays:

1st—Ramona Helm	17th—Chelle Rich
7th—Johnnie Kingston	24th—Debbie Martin
9th—Hannah Hyde	28th—Bonnie Alexander
11th—Rode Merryman	28th—Hope Fullwood
14th—Joel Green	29th—Wade Carper
15th—Cheyenne Smith	30th—Ronda White

### Anniversaries:

11th—Johnnie and Joyce Kingston  
17th—Randall and Coilla Smith  
22nd—Brian and Lisa Butler

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**Sunday Morning:** Phil Stroud **Sunday Evening:** 6:00pm Evening Service

🌸 **April 7th, 2024** 🌸



*"While He was in one of the cities, behold, there was a man covered with leprosy; and when he saw Jesus, he fell on his face and implored Him, saying, "Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean." And He stretched out His hand and touched him, saying, "I am willing; be cleansed." And immediately the leprosy left him.*

~ Luke 5:12-13

It would be beyond foolish for me to claim to know the mind of God, or to think that I could speak for Him beyond what He has set forth in the written Word. I'm reminded of the beautiful passage in Isaiah that says: *"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the Lord. "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts"* (Isaiah 55:8-9).

So, a man covered with leprosy comes to Jesus, falling on his face, begging Him with all his heart for healing. Yet, the first words out of his mouth are not, "Lord heal me..." but *"Lord, if You are willing..."* He doesn't claim any rights or privileges, or act like anyone owes him anything. He portends no sense of entitlement. He doesn't plead his case or make any demands of any kind. His need is obvious; no elaboration is necessary. The only tentative factor yet to be resolved, as far as he could see, was simply whether or not Jesus was willing. I believe that's faith... and I need more of it!

Why was Jesus so willing to heal him? What made this man more worthy of healing than anyone else? And why doesn't God just heal everybody I love and do every good thing for me that I ask Him to? I've been asked that question, and I myself have asked that question, on more than one occasion.

Is it okay to say, "I don't know because I'm not God," or must I always try to find the reason or offer some viable explanation? Is it really up to me to justify my Lord's decisions? I know the day is coming when, for those who have surrendered their hearts and their lives to Him, *"He will wipe every tear from their eyes..."* (Revelation 21:4). Until that day, is it not enough for me to simply keep faith and walk humbly with Him?

*By His grace and as He wills ~ Phil*

**Prayers of Need and Praise:**

**Nursing Care/Shut-ins:**

**Zelma Mauldin** (Tammy Carper's mom), **Anna Griffin, Doris Teel, Nelva Jones** (Carla Sandusky's mom), **Willo Dean Ellis** (Linda Freeman's mom), and **Glynn & Elva Compton** (Parents of Coilla Smith).

**Friends and Family:**

**LaTonne Rodgers** (Mother of Jonna Herrera) is home and on hospice. Please pray for LaTonne, Jonna, Mia, John Ruben, Layla, Jonna's Father (John), Jonna's sister and family, and all who love LaTonne.

**Shaundra Parker** is heading to Phoenix on Monday, April 8th, for a two week evaluation. We are calling all prayer warriors to please pray hard that Phoenix will accept her!!!

**Praise for New Life:**

**Audrey Mae Summerlin** was born to Amber and Mason Summerlin on March 27th, 2024. She weighed 8lb. 6oz. and measured 21". Mom and baby are doing great! A link to their meal train has been emailed and posted!

**Expectant Mothers:**

**Amber Hesterly** due June 15th, and **Amy Rico** due August 3rd.

**Those Battling Cancer:**

**Amy Gleaton, Faith Boren** (Thyroid Cancer), **Danny Butler, Taylor Epperson, Jimmie Joy, Willis Hughes, Tim & Belinda Ince, Ina Beth McCoy** (of Abilene), **Amber Appleby, Charles Speer, Charlette Moss, Tad Perkin, Walt Richburg, Sandy Bryant, Linda Sneed, and Koti Lindsey**

**Missionaries:**

**Edward & Elsie Nkosi** in South Africa, **Alfred Habashy** in Egypt, **Byron Benitez & Hawatthia Jones** in Guatemala, **Grayling Church of Christ** in Grayling, Michigan, and **Cade Pharis** and Disciple Trips' work at the St. John's Church in Antigua.

**WE CAN'T WAIT! MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR:**

**CAMP ROSCOE VBS**



**JULY 8-11TH**

**LET BRITT KNOW IF YOU'D LIKE TO VOLUNTEER!**

**Roscoe Church of Christ**

*Church Family Ladies Retreat*

May 31<sup>st</sup>-  
June 1<sup>st</sup>



Bronte, TX

Ladies of all ages, please mark your calendars for this special event! God has recently blessed our church family with many new faces, and this is a great opportunity to connect with God and your sisters in Christ!

THIS SECOND WEDNESDAY 4/10:

**LIFE GROUP 2**

[Randall & Coilla Smith]



WILL PROVIDE & SERVE THE MEAL FOR OUR

**VAN PASSENGERS**

6:30 PM IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

*Every  
Second  
Saturday*



*Next Meeting:  
April 13<sup>th</sup>*

**TAM MEN'S  
BREAKFAST  
& FELLOWSHIP**

**HUDDLE**

**6th-12th Grade Student Ministry**

Upcoming Events:

**April 10th**—Small Groups

**April 17th**—Small Groups

**April 24**—Last Small Group Gatherings of the year!

**May 1st**—Ice Cream Supper honoring Senior Class  
7:00pm @ the church building.

Small Group Information:

6th-8th—Downtown 801 E Broadway

9th & 10th—@Randall & Coilla's 1530 W Broadway

11th & 12th—@Caden & Britt's 4010 CR 111



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Contact: Caden Smith (325) 669.3625

Coming up  
on April 28<sup>th</sup>: *Senior Sunday*  
+  
**POTLUCK**

Honoring:  
Cutter Dent  
Paola Howell  
Ronni Parker



**Ice Cream Social Honoring the  
Class of 2024**



**Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024  
7:00pm Roscoe Church of Christ  
(Sign-up sheets will be available soon!)**

**April BUNCO**  
Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>  
6:30pm @ Iris Boyd's House  
2709 N. FM 644 Loraine, TX  
Gift: **Summertime Fun!**  
(beach, picnics, vacation, etc.)

*class of*  
**2024**

This year we are excited to honor the following seniors:

**Cutter Dent  
Paola Howell  
Ronni Parker**

Senior Sunday is tentatively scheduled for **April 28<sup>th</sup>!**  
Seniors, please send Brittany a senior bio, 8x10 framed senior portrait, and one digital senior picture to:  
[RoscoeChurchofChrist@gmail.com](mailto:RoscoeChurchofChrist@gmail.com) by April 14<sup>th</sup>! ☺



Welcome to the  
family, Audrey!  
3.27.2024  
8lb 2oz 21"

**Congratulations to Amber and Mason Summerlin!  
Audrey Mae is so loved by our church family already!**