

Sermon

What is Christmas About?

An E-mail

The _____ of Christmas
A "Christianized" _____ Holiday
A Continual _____...The Proper _____

A Choir Performance

_____ Song...Breath of Heaven
Chorus is Song # _____

Chickasha Lights

The _____ and The Christmas _____
So Much More _____ in the _____

What does the Bible Say?

Luke 2:1-20, Matthew 1:18-2:1-12
What about John 1:1-14?

Christmas Lessons for Us?

Jesus was a _____ sent into _____.
Isaiah 9:2, Matt. 4:16, John 8:12, 12:35,
John 3:19

_____ the Light of Jesus.
_____ or _____? John 1:5
_____ to the Light

_____ a _____ for Jesus
Light up the _____—Matt. 5:16

Monthly Schedule

Sunday Bible Class 9:30 am
Sunday Assembly 10:30am & 6:00pm
Wednesday Bible Class..... 7:00pm
Thursday Ladies Class 9:30 am
Elders/Deacons Meeting 1st Sun. afternoon
Kids For Christ Dinner/ Devo..... 1st Wed at 5:45pm
Family Circle Small Groups 2nd Sunday 5:00pm
Men's Prayer Breakfast 3rd Saturday Morning
Monthly Fellowship 3rd Sunday evening
Nursing Home Singing..... 4th Sunday at 4:30pm
Teen Devo 4th Sunday night

Supported Works

Hope Harbor Kermit Webb
Westview Boys Home..... Johnny Baker
Tipton Children's Home World Radio
Prison Correspondence Work Ben Begay
Ada Campus Work Search TV

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Deacons and Ministry Area

Brett Dewberry.....Education
Tim Edwards.....Building/Grounds
Dub Manuel.....Worship / Van Maintenance
Tony Peterson.....Teens
Jim Preslar..Kids For Christ / Audio Visual / Missions
Britt Shannon.....Building/Grounds
Jim Utley.....Adult Education / Missions
Tim Walker.....Benevolence, Involvement
Kerry Wright.....Outreach



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December 25, 2011

Welcome to the Blanchard church of Christ. If you are visiting, you are our honored guest.

We are an undenominational church, and believe that the Bible is God's Word, completely reliable and true from cover to cover. "We believe we are saved by grace through faith." (Eph. 2:8-10).

Salvation cannot be achieved through good works or self-improvement because the death of Jesus Christ on the cross is the only sufficient payment for our sins.

We hope that our services have been acceptable to God and encouraging to you. If you have questions just contact one of our members. We invite you to worship with us any time you are in the Blanchard area.

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Donna Braden, cancer. **Troy Mitchum**, Alzheimer's, **Diana Pettingil's sister, Teri**, has lupas and has heart problems, **Kyle Greenfield**, leukemia, **Joy Lambert**, Benny Lynch's sister, breast cancer. **Charles and Joyce Cormany**, Jack Windle's mother, **Juanita** has cancer. Andrea Thomas' grandma, **Faye Talbert Hinton, Bobby and Gloria Adamson**, Judy Woodard's sister, **Joanne Slate** has lung cancer, Madison LeForce's friend, **Charlsey Braziel**, leukemia **Roger Bowring**, Lavita's brother in law, has bladder cancer. **Lena Williams** kidney and liver troubles. Julia Hopkin's nephew, **Dustin Lamson**, PTSD. **Bennie Lynch's nephew Joel**, in Afghanistan. **Betty Manuel**, diabetes. **Benny Lynch's brother-in-law, Denny** recovering from back surgery. The Lynch's friends, **Josh and Amanda Couch's son Joel** is having seizures that is affecting his development. **Mark Parrish**, friend of Brook Hays, **Judy Lynn**, Amanda Lynn's mother-in-law, has a lot of medical problems. **Marcia Marcum-Tadlock** has cancer. They are friends of the Yarbroughs. **Bob Slate**, brother-in-law of Judy and Woody Woodard, had several heart attacks. **May Curtis**, Jay Thomas' mom has a hole in her heart. **Cheryl Martin** friends of Lloyd and Charlotte, has lung cancer. **Tom Rice**, father of Kelli Rice (Amber Smith's friend) has cancer, **Jim Roberts**, John Roberts' brother, has cancer. **Cheryl Hylton** is in Senior Village room 12. **Barbara Maynard** is still in a lot of pain. **Mandy Creel** has a severe staph infection. **Ricky Woody**, brother-in-law of Amanda Lynn and Tracy James, is not doing well at all. Please pray that he will make it through the holidays with his family. Brett Dewberry's sister, **Jennifer Engles**, has lupus and rheumatoid arthritis. She also has pneumonia. **Gracie Dawn Smith** is now home and doing well. **Fay Harmon**, Sharon Richardson's mother, is not doing well. **Edith Adams**, Angie Sides' grandmother, is in Parcway Rehabilitation Center. **Lea Olinger** is in Wadley Care Center in Purcell in room 5, but is not doing well at all. Nancy Preslar's dad, cancer has returned.

We express our sympathy to Bob and Barbara Maynard and the Wes and Lisa Rogers and Tim and Tammy Clark and their families at the passing of Pam King. Services were Friday afternoon at Eisenhour Funeral Home..

Dec. 25 No Nursing Home Devo or PM Assembly.

Dec. 28 Bible Study Buffet begins at 5:30pm

Dec. 31 New Year's Eve Party at the building

Jan. 1 Preacher Exchange during PM Assembly. Buster will be in Tuttle. Ernie Landry will preach here.

Jan. 1 Elder's/Deacon's Meeting @ 4:00pm

Jan. 4 Kids for Christ @ 5:45pm

Jan. 8 Area Wide Teen Gathering @ Seminole @ 5:00pm

Jan. 8 Family Circle Small Groups following 5:00pm Assembly

Jan. 13-15 Winterquest Retreat at Camp Pettijohn for 6th-12th grades.



Remember to pick up your January Church Calendars from the Information Center in the foyer.

AM	229
PM	105
Contribution	\$4860.73

Thank you for choosing to be here this morning worship and fellowship with your brothers and sisters in Christ.

Please check the mailbox on the table in the foyer to see if you have any cards. It is getting quite full.

Thank you to those who donated money for the Westview Boys. Your generosity was amazing! The teens went shopping last Sunday afternoon and were able to spend \$170 on each of the 6 boys. The presents were delivered last Monday and the folks from Westview were very impressed.

Please see the bulletin board to sign up to serve in various ways for 2012. There is a need for weekly and monthly duties, such as preparing communion trays, KFC signups, devos, etc.

There is construction being done behind the Fellowship Hall where the hall is blocked off. Please keep your children away for their safety.

The church has purchased a CD Audio copy of the ESV Bible. If you would like to have a copy of a book, please let Buster know.