

March 30, 2014



# CHURCH OF CHRIST AT COMBS STREET

## LEADERSHIP

Bro. Irvine Williams, Minister  
 Bro. Steve West, Assistant Minister  
 Bro. Hershell West, Deacon  
 Bro. James Wilks, Deacon and Youth Minister

## Minister's Corner ARE YOU LUKE WARM?

Rev. 3:2 Be watchful, and strengthen the things which remain, that are ready to die: for I have not found thy works perfect before God.  
 Rev. 3:3 Remember therefore how thou hast received and heard, and hold fast, and repent. If therefore thou shalt not watch, I will come on thee as a thief, and thou shalt not know what hour I will come upon thee. Rev. 3:2 Wake up! You have only a little strength left, and it is almost gone. So try to become stronger. I have found that you are not completely obeying God.  
 Rev. 3:3 Remember the teaching that you were given and that you heard. Hold firmly to it and turn from your sins. If you don't wake up, I will come when you least expect it, just as a thief does.  
 Rev. 3:15 I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot.  
 Rev. 3:16 So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.  
 Rev. 3:15 I know everything you have done, and you are not cold or hot. I wish you were either one or the other.  
 Rev. 3:16 But since you are lukewarm and neither cold nor hot, I will spit you out of my mouth.

### LEFT OUR FIRST LOVE

Rev. 2:4 Nevertheless I have *somewhat* against thee, because thou hast left thy first love.

### FORGOTTEN GOD

Deu. 8:11 Beware that thou forget not the LORD thy God, in not keeping his commandments, and his judgments, and his statutes, which I command thee this day: Deu. 8:12 Lest when thou hast eaten and art full, and hast built goodly houses, and dwelt therein: Deu. 8:13 And when thy herds and thy flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all that thou hast is multiplied: Deu. 8:14 Then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the LORD thy God, which brought thee forth out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage: Deu. 8:11 Make sure that you never forget the LORD or disobey his laws and teachings that I am giving you today. If you always obey them, Deu. 8:12 you will have plenty to eat, and you will build

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good houses to live in. Deu. 8:13 You will get more and more cattle, sheep, silver, gold, and other possessions. Deu. 8:14 But when all this happens, don't be proud! Don't forget that you were once slaves in Egypt and that it was the LORD who set you free.

### STRANGE GOD AND GOD KNOW

Psa. 44:20 If we have forgotten the name of our God, or stretched out our hands to a strange god: Psa. 44:21 Shall not God search this out? for he knoweth the secrets of the heart.  
 Heb. 3:12 Take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in departing from the living God. Heb. 3:13 But exhort one another daily, while it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin. Heb. 3:14 For we are made partakers of Christ, if we hold the beginning of our confidence stedfast unto the end; Heb. 3:15 While it is said, To day if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts, as in the provocation. Heb. 3:12 My friends, watch out! Don't let evil thoughts or doubts make any of you turn from the living God. Heb. 3:13 You must encourage one another each day. And you must keep on while there is still a time that can be called "today." If you don't, then sin may fool some of you and make you stubborn. Heb. 3:14 We were sure about Christ when we first became his people. So let's hold tightly to our faith until the end. Heb. 3:15 The Scriptures say, "If you hear his voice today, don't be stubborn like those who rebelled."

### GRACE OF GOD

Heb. 12:15 Looking diligently lest any man fall of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled; Heb. 12:15 Make sure that no one misses out on God's wonderful kindness. Don't let anyone become bitter and cause trouble for the rest of you.

### THE OLD PATH

KJV Jer. 6:15 Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush: therefore they shall fall among them that fall: at the time that I visit them they shall be cast

down, saith the LORD. Jer. 6:16 Thus saith the LORD, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where *is* the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein. Jer. 6:15 They should be ashamed of their disgusting sins, but they don't even blush. And so, when I punish Judah, they will end up on the ground, dead like everyone else. I, the LORD, have spoken. Jer. 6:16 The LORD said: My people, when you stood at the crossroads, I told you, "Follow the road your ancestors took, and you will find peace." But you refused.

### CONFESS OUR SINS

I.Jn. 1:8 If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. I.Jn. 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us *our* sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. I.Jn. 1:10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

### RETURN TO GOD

Mal. 3:6 For I *am* the LORD, I change not; therefore ye sons of Jacob are not consumed. Mal. 3:7 Even from the days of your fathers ye are gone away from mine ordinances, and have not kept them. Return unto me, and I will return unto you, saith the LORD of hosts. But ye said, Wherein shall we return?

### REPENT

Rev. 2:4 Nevertheless I have *somewhat* against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. Rev. 2:5 Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.

### YE THAT HAVE EAR

Re.v.2:7 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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### Facebook:

Search for Combs Street Church of Christ

## CLASSES AND SERVICES

Sunday Devotion	9:30 am
Sunday Bible Classes	9:45 am
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 am
Sisters Class 2nd and 4th Sundays	3:30 pm
Junior and Teen Girls Class TBA - Sunday	TBA
Sunday Evening Worship	5:00 pm
Choir Rehearsal Sundays	6:00 pm
Brothers Class Mondays	6:45 pm
Wednesday Bible Classes	6:30 pm

### COMBS STREET GOAL

"Do that which is right in the sight of God."

Deuteronomy 12:28

### THEME FOR 2014

"Committing our ways unto the Lord, Trust also in Him."

Psalms 37:5

### PLAN OF SALVATION

1. Hear the Gospel: Romans 10:17 and Mark 12:29
2. Believe the Gospel: Hebrews 11:6
3. Repent: Luke 13:3-5
4. Confess Jesus Christ is the Son of God: Matthew 10:32-33
5. Be Baptized: Acts 2:38 and Mark 16:16
6. Live Faithfully: Revelation 2:10

# ORDER OF SUNDAY WORSHIP

THERE IS TO BE NO MOVING, WALKING, OR TALKING DURING COMMUNION AND THE INVITATION. THESE ARE VERY IMPORTANT TIMES.

**HALL MONITORS  
GREETERS**  
**BRO. LARRY HUFF**  
**SIS. LORIE HUFF**

**USHERS**  
**BRO. WILLIE LEE**  
**BRO. STEVE WEST**

**CONGRATULATIONS!!**  
**2014 Baptisms**

**9:30-9:40 a.m. DEVOTION**

March 30 - Bro. Chris Rector  
April 6 - Bro. Steve West  
April 13 - Bro. Willie Lee  
April 20 - Bro. Rahn McSwain  
April 27 - Bro. Larry Huff

**9:45-10:45 a.m. BIBLE CLASSES**

**Call to Worship (Song Leaders):**

Bro. Coby Davis  
Bro. Chris Rector

**Opening/Welcome:**

Bro. Ivan Lassiter

**2 Songs:**

Song Leaders

**Prayer Request and Prayer:**

Bro. Earvin Young

**Communion and Collection:**

Center - Bro. Kevin McCarter  
Bro. James Wilks  
Bro. Rahn McSwain  
Bro. Devin Young  
Bro. Michael Rodriguez

**Scripture Reading:**

Bro.

**Song:**

Song Leader

**Sermon:**

March 30 - Bro. Steve West  
April 6 - Bro. Irvine Williams  
April 13 - Bro. Irvine Williams  
April 20 - Bro. James Wilks  
April 27 - Bro. Irvine Williams

**Invitation Song:**

Song Leader

**Prayer:**

Sermon Minister

**Acknowledge Visitors/Announcements:**

Bro. Hershell West

**Closing Song:**

Song Leader

**Closing Prayer:**

Bro. Effrence Smith

**5p.m. WORSHIP SERVICE**

**SAME ORDER AND WORKERS AS A.M. WORSHIP SERVICES**

**Sermon:**

March 30 - Bro. Larry Huff  
April 6 - Bro. Irvine Williams  
April 13 - Bro. Steve West  
April 20 - Bro. Kevin McCarter  
April 27 - Bro. Willie Lee

## SPECIAL PRAYER LIST

**Armed Services:**

Bro. Derrick Calhoun II  
Bro. Jeremy James  
Bro. Dieondre Jones  
Jones Dieondre L  
161 Nuchols St. Unit 88669  
Goodfellow AFB TX 76908-3394

**Bereavement:**

**Sick and Shut-In**

Sis. Helen Maxwell  
Bro. Sarge West  
Sis. Shirley West

**Health:**

Sis. Mary Allen  
(Bro. Allen's mother)  
Sis. Tammi Barnwell  
Kaylee Brown  
Sis. Ann Clark  
Bro. Richard Florence  
Sis. Rayma Lee  
Bonnie Reynolds  
(Sis. Kim Wilks' mother)  
Bro. Ivory Simon  
(Sis. Romona West's father)  
Bro. Brandon Smith  
(Sis. Williams' nephew)  
Sis. Lois Smith  
(Sis. Carol Bartholomew's mother)  
Sis. Topsy Thomas  
(Sis. Rhonda Dansby's grandmother)

**Health:**

Claudia West  
(Bro. Hershell West's mother)  
Bro. Sarge West

**Strength:**

Sis. Carol Bartholomew  
Sis. Wendy Bartholomew  
Sis. Dionisha Davis

**Traveling:**

all who are traveling

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

We have three graduating seniors this year (Deje Conley, Destiney Jackson, and Devin Young). We are asking each family to **donate \$60 for their graduation gifts**. Please see Sis. Williams and Sis. Huff.

**Registration for Green Valley Bible Camp** sessions begins March 17. The Overnight Camp is for ages 11 (by Oct. 1) through 2014 HS Graduates.

**TODAY'S EVENTS:**  
**Choir Rehearsal following PM Service**

### **SAVE THE DATE:**

> **April 26 at 3 pm - The wedding of Sis. Marcia James and Bro. Ivan Lassiter at Combs Street Church of Christ. R.S.V.P. is required for the Reception.**

> **May 3 - Songfest**

> **May 4-9 - Gospel Meeting:**  
**Speaker - Bro. Roy Montgomery Minister, Estes Park Church of Christ, Oklahoma City, OK**

> **June 8-14, VBS**

> **June 15-21, Green Valley Bible Camp**

> **August 1-3, Youth Rally**

## YOUTH NEWS



Convention Dates:

April 18-20

[http://www.lads-to-leaders.org/L2L\\_DalConv.shtml](http://www.lads-to-leaders.org/L2L_DalConv.shtml)

April 2 - Wednesday Night Live!

April 20 - All Y'all Youth Day

Lesson: Lads to Leaders and Leaderettes Team

Breakfast: Education Board

## SINGLES NEWS

**Join** the Combs Street Church of Christ Singles Group. Singles Committee: Cathy Cooper, Dionisha Davis, Shonda Brown, and Audrey Conley  
For more information, please contact anyone on the

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### Children's Home Item:

**Toilet Paper**

**Pick-Up Date: TBA**

**\*Please plan to bring each week.**

### USING THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

Anyone who would like to **use the Fellowship Hall** must **reserve it** through Bro. Williams and it must be **cleaned up** after the event.

### Meet the Member Forms

Please email or give completed Meet the Member Forms to Sis. Huff at [ljhuff@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ljhuff@sbcglobal.net).

### CHURCH LIBRARY

We are asking for donations of doctrinally sound books for the **Church Library: bibles, commentaries, concordances, and other religious books - Also, items for children (DVDs, CDs, books)** Only doctrinally sound references will be accepted.

### DONATE TO THE TECHNOLOGY MINISTRY

Anyone who is planning to upgrade their laptops, please consider donating the old laptop to Comb Street. Laptops will be used to support the activities of the congregation as well as education and training.

### CARE GROUPS

**Every member is on a care group.** We need every member to do their part and help to clean up when your group is responsible for cleaning the buildings. If you do not know what care group you are on, please see Bro. Kevin Lee.

### Worship Services

Everyone should **be in services and bible classes**. Only the hall monitors should be in the foyer.

**\*\*If you have not been receiving any phone or email messages from Sis. Huff, please email her your contact information to: [ljhuff@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ljhuff@sbcglobal.net).**

# March 2014

**March**  
**Care Group 2**  
**Clean Buildings**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>April</b> Care Group 3 Clean Buildings	<b>May</b> Care Group 1 Clean Buildings					1 Wedding Shower for Sis. Marcia James, 4 pm
2 Cancelled Service due to hazardous weather conditions	3 Cancelled Brothers Class due to hazardous weather conditions	4 Kiya Seals	5 Cancelled services due to icy parking lot	6	7	8 Daylight Saving Time begins <b>2 am</b> Sunday March 9
9 Family Seminar Lunch Served 2 PM Service  Choir Rehearsal following 2 pm Service No 5 pm Service	10 Brothers Class, 6:45 pm	11	12	13 Irvine and Mary Williams	14	15
16 All Y'all Youth Day!  Sisters Class, 3:30 pm  Choir Rehearsal	17 Brothers Class, 6:45 pm	18	19 Sheerah Davis	20	21	22
23 Choir Rehearsal	24 Brothers Class, 6:45 pm	25	26	27	28 Alicia Mahone	29
30 Willie Lee  Choir Rehearsal	31 Brothers Class, 6:45 pm	4/1	4/2 Wednesday Night Live!	4/3 Mary Carr	4/4 Dieondre Jones	4/5

**SPRING BREAK!**

## MEET THE MEMBER Bro. Michael Rodriguez

**Birthdate:**  
 October 3

**Birth Place:**  
 Fayetteville, AR

**Favorite Scripture:**  
 Ephesians 6:1  
 Children, obey your parents  
 in the Lord, for this is right.

**Favorite Song:**  
 Mansion, Robe, and Crown

**Favorite Food:**  
 steak

**What I want you to know:**  
 I play football and shoot  
 basketball in my free time.

## PUZZLE

LEVITICUS CHAPTER 8

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AARON ALTAR ANOINTING BASKET  
 BONNETS BOTTOM BREAD BULLOCK  
 CROWN CURIOUS EPHOD FINGER  
 FOREFRONT GARMENTS GATHERED  
 GIRDED GIRDLE KILLED LAYER  
 MITRE MOSES PIECES POURED  
 PURIFIED SANCTIFY SHOULDER  
 THEREIN THUMBS TOGETHER THUMMIM  
 URIM VESSELS