

**Love Your Enemies; Matthew 5:43-48**

- I. You Have Heard
  - A. There is a difference between what we have heard and what is \_\_\_\_\_ and correct.
  - B. Leviticus 19:17-18
  - C. God \_\_\_\_\_ said "hate your enemy"
- II. Neighbor
  - A. Who/What is a \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. The \_\_\_\_\_ Covenant idea of a neighbor - Leviticus 19:9-14
  - C. The \_\_\_\_\_ Covenant idea of a neighbor - Luke 10:25-37
  - D. This distinction is only \_\_\_\_\_ so we can begin to understand that the ideas Jesus presents on the Sermon on the Mount are not \_\_\_\_\_
  - E. God always wanted His people to treat everyone with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, even their enemies
- III. Enemy
  - A. Hebrew - an armed \_\_\_\_\_; especially a member of an opposing military force; a personal enemy
  - B. Greek - a person who \_\_\_\_\_ another and wishes him injury
  - C. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ the idea that we have enemies, "But I say love your enemies..."
  - D. The idea of our "enemies" extends from \_\_\_\_\_ right here in Plainview that would seek to do you harm to the foreign armies of countries \_\_\_\_\_ to either America or Christians
  - E. But our task it to present \_\_\_\_\_ to them - Romans 12:20, 17-18; John 2:13-17
  - F. \_\_\_\_\_ do you show love to your enemies? Hot coals on their head?
  - G. Proverbs 24:17-18; 25:21-22; Leviticus 16:12-13; Acts 7:60
- IV. Sons
  - A. This \_\_\_\_\_ is the mark of a Christian
  - B. The Samaritan \_\_\_\_\_ of himself for a man who professed to be his enemy-Luke 10:36-37
  - C. Our love for and enemies (in this text) is \_\_\_\_\_ to be sons of God - 1 Peter 2:9
- V. Love Your Enemies
  - A. Love your \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Love your \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Ephesians 4:31-5:2

*"Building our faith, by sharing the Faith, in love, here and abroad."*



# CHURCH OF CHRIST NINTH AND COLUMBIA

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**For the Record on April 19, 2015**

Sunday Morning Class –	79	Wednesday –	71
Sunday Morning –	108	Offering –	\$5,092.99
Sunday Evening –	42	2015 Budget –	\$2,886.76

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# Welcome!

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**Friends & Visitors: if you are visiting today, you are our honored guest and we are pleased to have you! Please let us have a chance to meet and visit with you after service.**

## "Prayer Requests"

Suanna Bagwell, Pee Wee Baker, Jonell Brannon, Thelma Brock, Ricky Carter, Casandra Gary, Howard Hayes, Oneida Hutto, Ken & Dot Jones, Erica Newton (Eric's daughter), Elena Saenz, Laura Smith, Darryl Surley, Thelma Surley, Virginia Surley, & Calvin White.

## Remember Our Shut-ins

with prayers, cards and visits. Ellen Chiddix, Howard & Faye Hayes, Daisy Law, Willene McElhaney, Zella Powell, Latina Smith, Madeline Stone & Calvin White.

## In Prayer This Week:



**Hayes family & Hernandez family. Let's uplift these families in prayer this week.**

*Samson Weiss will give us an AIM report May 3<sup>d</sup>, after our fellowship meal.*

## April Pantry Items

*This month we are collecting 15 oz. canned beans, corn, & green beans. Please bring these items in at your convenience. Thank you for supporting our Benevolence Program.*

Senior Gift: if you would like to make a donation for the senior gift please bring it to the church office or give to Julie Hodges. Our High School Seniors this year are David Gary III, Dalex Gary and Mario Piñon.



## Big HEART 2015

**YOUR HEART can make a BIG IMPACT. We are collecting Paper Towels for the Children's Home of Lubbock. We will collect for the next several weeks. Please bring in at your convenience.**

## CRAZY4JESUS?

### Youth Devo:

Chris Fuller is hosting the youth devotional, April 26<sup>th</sup>, right after evening service. Girls bring cookies; boys bring chips. It will be in the fellowship hall.

## Prayer Request Cards:

There is an area designated for prayer requests on both the Member Cards and the Visitor Cards. If you have a prayer request, please write it in the space provided and place it in the contribution plate. Please check whether you want a public or private prayer.

## Upcoming Events

**THIS WEEK IS OUR 5<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup>, OUR YOUTH WILL BE LEADING A DEVOTIONAL FOR 5<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY SERVICE. PLEASE PLAN ON BEING HERE; YOUR PRESENCE IS VERY ENCOURAGING TO THEM.**

## Door Knocking

### DOOR KNOCKING IS MAY 2<sup>ND</sup> 2015

Please be praying for this effort that hearts will be touched. We will be knocking 5<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> street & Columbia to Joliet area. If you are going to participate, please be here by 9 AM.



## Friends' Day - May 3rd



**Lasso your friends & bring them in for a day of worship and fellowship at our First Sunday Potluck meal.**

## Order of Worship

### Announcements-

*Jim Reyna*

### Song Service-

*Jim Thompson*

*English*

*162*

*703, 704, 705*

*590*

*350*

*Español*

*53*

*106*

### Communion- Matt 26:36-46

*Ted Porter*

### Offering-

*731*

### Children's Worship-Blue Skies

*722*

*196*

### Prayer & Scripture-Matt 5:43-48

*David Gary II*

*719*

*236*

### Message-"Love Your Enemies"

*Evan Weiss*

### Invitation Song

*911*

### Closing Song

*867*

*249*

### Closing Prayer-

*Eric McClanahan*

## Evening Worship

### Prayer-

*Johnny McDonald*

### Song Service-

*Jim Thompson*

### Message -

*Bear Weiss*

### Closing Prayer-

*Mike Hodges*