

**The Golden Rule; Matthew 7:7-12**

- I. The Golden Rule
  - A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of treating others as you wish to be treated
  - B. It appears in some form (positive, negative, or empathetic) in \_\_\_\_\_ religion and ethical tradition
- II. Ask, Seek, Knock - Matthew 7:7-8
  - A. Ask, seek, knock is about us receiving from the Father what we need to be His \_\_\_\_\_ - Mark 9:35
  - B. We are always asking for God to \_\_\_\_\_ on behalf of those who are sick or shut-in (please do not stop)
  - C. We must ask, seek, and knock — petitioning God with an \_\_\_\_\_ attitude that He will give us what we need to \_\_\_\_\_ and mature as servants in His Kingdom
- III. Give Good Gifts - Matthew 7:9-11
  - A. The idea of “\_\_\_\_\_” is the key throughout this text — it appears 5 times - Luke 11:13
  - B. God has \_\_\_\_\_ to give us all we need to become a successful Christians
  - C. Ephesians 4:11-16; Romans 12:6-7; 8:28-29
  - D. We \_\_\_\_\_ these gifts with those around us so that they also may know the love of an All Powerful, All Knowing, All Encompassing God - 1 Timothy 2:3-6
- IV. The Golden Rule - Matthew 7:12; 22:37-40
  - A. Jesus links this teaching on how we treat those around us to the two primary laws of God — Love Him and \_\_\_\_\_ others
  - B. “\_\_\_\_\_ also to them”
- V. Your Gifts
  - A. What are you doing with what God has \_\_\_\_\_ you?
  - B. Are you a \_\_\_\_\_ in the Kingdom?
  - C. Are you giving your \_\_\_\_\_ to others?

**For the Record on November 20, 2016**

Sunday Morning Class –	78	Wednesday –	
Sunday Morning –	117	Offering –	\$2,745.91
Sunday Evening –	NC	2016 Budget –	\$2,905.96

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



# CHURCH OF CHRIST NINTH AND COLUMBIA

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- Elders**  
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Johnny McDonald  
Paul Scott  
Jim Thompson
- Deacon**  
Todd Bissett
- Minister**  
Evan Weiss
- Missions**  
Caribbean Ministries  
Operation Ecuador

**Welcome to our assembly. It is our prayer that your time here is uplifting and encouraging. It is our sincere desire to worship God in Spirit and in Truth (John 4:24). Please enjoy your time with us and know that the churches of Christ greet you (Romans 16:16)**

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# WELCOME

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 Request

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Danni Baker (sister-in-law to Casandra Gary), Joyce Beals, Ricky Carter, Casandra Gary, Charles & Cynthia Grubbs, Rowynn Nash, Deloris Reyna, Elena Saenz, Laura Smith, Curtis & Thelma Surley, and Billy Thornton (brother-in-law to Ted Porter).

### Remember Our Shut-ins

with prayers, cards, and visits. Suanna Bagwell, PeeWee Baker, Faye Hayes, Daisy Law, Zella Powell, Latina Smith, & Laura Smith.

## Families In Prayer

### This Week:



Weiss family & Domingo Ybarra family  
Please keep them in prayer this week.

## Food Drive Contest!!!

For the next several weeks we are having a food drive contest. Our goal is to fully restock our pantry this holiday season. We need canned goods such as; mixed fruit, peaches, pears, corn, canned pinto beans, ranch style beans, chicken noodle soup, beef stew, chunky soup, Vienna sausage, spam, tuna, chicken, and ravioli. Remember the class that collects the most food will have an ice cream party. Bring your canned goods to your classroom.

## Upcoming Events

### 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Devotional

Our youth will lead the 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday devotional, on November 30<sup>th</sup>. Let's be praying for them as they prepare to lead us in service.



### Benefit concert

December 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 7 PM

This will benefit AIM

Opening: LCU's Best Friends

Sunset Church of Christ

3723 34<sup>th</sup> Street, Lubbock TX

\$20 per ticket:

[aimsunset.org/concert](http://aimsunset.org/concert)

or call 806 788-3244

Monthly Fellowship Meal is next Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>. Please bring your favorite dish.

First Sunday Singing will be hosted by Todd & Rachel Bissett, Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, at 5 PM. Everyone is welcome!

### Ladies Ornament Exchange

Hosted by Julie & Allison

December 5, 2016 at 6:30 PM at Julie's  
Please bring your favorite finger foods & a Christmas ornament to exchange.

All ladies are invited.

The Holiday Dinner will be December 8<sup>th</sup>, at 6PM in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up. The sign-up sheets are posted in both foyers.

## Community Christmas Dinner

Christmas dinner for homeless/under privileged - Dec. 25th

\*We will serve from 12:30am-2pm (or until food runs out-whichever comes first)

\*Still need volunteers for: food preparation (need people to bake a turkey or ham-meat will be provided), set up on Dec. 24th and clean up immediately following lunch  
Please see Angie Brush if you would like to help in any of these areas. Any and all help is appreciated.

Even if you plan on being gone Christmas Day or have plans with family on Christmas Day, if you could cook one of the items needed and drop it off at the building that would help tremendously! You may drop off items on the day before.  
Thank you!

## Order of Worship

Announcements-

Mike Hodges

Song Service-

Todd Bissett

English

Español

550

387

155

508

195

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Communion- Mark 14:55-65

Willie Lopez

Offering-

555

Children's Worship-Books of the Bible

Christ the Rock Medley

Prayer & Scripture-Matt 7:7-12

Chris Fuller

570

240

Message-"The Golden Rule"

Evan Weiss

Invitation Song

948

230

Closing Song

795

Closing Prayer-

Doug Buchanan

## Evening Worship

Prayer-

Chris Reyna

Song Service-

Eric Mears

Message -

Evan Weiss

Closing Prayer-

Johnny McDonald