



NINTH AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Abraham began walking with the Lord many years before he was asked to offer Isaac on the altar. His first step of faith involved leaving his home and going to a land God pledged to show him. But now he was being told to sacrifice his son—the child of promise, through whom God would bring forth a great nation and bless the entire world. Offering Isaac up was the biggest challenge Abraham ever faced, yet he obeyed.

At times, the Lord tests our commitment. These moments are not only opportunities for us but also expressions of His love, designed to help us grow in faith, obedience, and spiritual maturity while increasing our dedication.

Abraham's obedience was shaped by his understanding of God. He believed that the Lord would keep His promise to give him descendants through Isaac, even if it required raising the boy from the dead (Hebrews 11:17-19). That's why Abraham confidently declared to his servants, "We will worship and return to you" (Genesis 22:5, emphasis added). He knew God was faithful.

If you're going through a time of testing, the Lord wants to prove to you that He's faithful to His promises and will greatly bless your obedience. The experience may be painful in the moment, but all the while He'll surround you with His love.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

September

25th- Cierra Lawler

26th- Brian & Patti Fortenberry

27th- Jack Howell

28th- Kayleigh McAlpine

30th- Benton Brimer

Please don't forget to be in prayer for our search for new elders!



Mark 10:27

But Jesus looked at them and said, "With men it is impossible, but not with God; for with God all things are possible."

Weekly Assignments

Announcements- Danny Tedford

Scripture Reading - Ron Harper

Opening Prayer - Josh Wade

Closing Prayer - Kevin Hood

Song Leader - Eric Baker

Sermon - Matthew Balentine

Worship Attendance - 204

Bible Classes- 130

Contribution In Person - \$4,397

Contribution Online - \$835

Communion Prep- Kaleb McCreless

Communion Lead - Brian Fortenberry

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Riley Raper

Bradley Tedford

Alex DeLeon

Bryton Frost

Right

Kelly Rushing

Jimmy Dye

Randy Kilpatrick

Ron Harper

Balcony Tim Hill

*** THE TABLE MEMBERS WILL BE THE SAME FOR THE ENTIRE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER***

Weekly Prayer Needs

Prayers

Tillman Hill, W.C. Dickinson, Evelyn Hicks, Sonny Fell, Linda Howell, Bobbie Hatton, Maddie Bishop, Barry Hill, Linda Cagle, Rhonda Hester, Becky Davis, Glenda Dye, Michael Humphries, Joan Burleson, Jerry Farris, Tim McNutt, Mona Whitt, Judy Postell, Tracy Messer, Sally Gist, Donald Loveless, Sue Scruggs, Jamie Dye

Shut-Ins

Hester Bowley, Becky Davis, W.C. Dickinson, Bobbie Hatton, Mona Whitt, Ara Lou Burleson, Sonny Fell, Betty Dobbs, Michael Humphries, Harold Vickery, Annette Lawler



There will be a **devotional** at the home of Will and Christie Lee Romine at 5pm Sunday night.

Lads to Leaders paperwork is due by October 12th. We will get your payment sheets to you ASAP! The first payment is due in October. Please get these back to Josh or Adriana.

Trunk R Treat/ Chili Cook Off will be on October 29th. Start inviting your friends! There will be more information on this closer to then.

Ninth Avenue Church of Christ

A Church of Christ Caring for its Community

Service Schedule:

Sunday

Bible Study...9:30am

Worship... 10:30am

Evening... 1:00pm

Wednesday

Bible Study ...6:30pm

Elders

Brian Fortenberry

Jamie White

Deacons

David Albright

Haley Dobbs

Tanner Goddard

Bruce Hood

Will Romine

Minister: Matthew Balentine

Youth Minister: Josh Wade



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Via our mobile app

Via text: To set up, text **GIVE** to **205-431-1319**

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