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Welcome/Announcements	Welcome/Announcements
Call To Worship/Prayer	Call To Worship/Prayer
To God Be The Glory Gratitude The Greatest Commands	House Of The Lord The King Is Coming
Communion/Offering	Communion/Offering
You Are My King	What A Beautiful Name
Check-In	Check-In
Elder Ordination	Elder Ordination
Kids Praise (3 yrs to 1st grade)	Kids Praise (3 yrs to 1st grade)
"The Purpose In The Pain" Craig Parker	"The Purpose In The Pain" Craig Parker
Sing To Me Of Heaven	Graves Into Gardens


SERMON NOTES

"The Purpose In The Pain"
Craig Parker




"THE PURPOSE
IN THE PAIN"


SUNDAY MORNING CHECK IN



Guests: We would love to know that you were here! Scan the QR code to fill out a brief form so we can better connect with you! If you have our app, please check in via the app. Check the paragraph below for instructions on downloading the app.




CONNECTING WITH WEST HOUSTON CHURCH



The West Houston Church App is available to download! Simply scan the QR code and search for "West Houston Church of Christ". Please be sure to allow the app to be aware of your presence and to send you notifications. Download it today! You can also go to www.westhoustonchurch.org & click on the "download the app" link on our homepage. Please let us know if we can be of any assistance during this process. We are happy to help.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES


SUNDAY
First Service • 8:30 am Second Service • 10:45 am
Bible Classes • 9:45 am

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Hope
Healing
Home



WELCOME TO WEST HOUSTON



Welcome to the West Houston Church of Christ! We are so glad you're here. Our mission is helping people find hope, healing and home. Hope means that redemption is now possible in our lives. Healing means that brokenness has been restored and Home means that we have found a place to belong. It is my prayer that you find our worship uplifting and encouraging. Thank you for worshiping with us!

Brian Offutt
Senior Minister

STUDENT MINISTRY NEWS



Aug. 3 - Come celebrate the summer & say goodbye to our intern, Buckley, starting at 9:30am in the student center. We will have donuts & juice before class begins. FOR CLASS: HS will meet in the living room. MS will meet in the middle school room. Club 56 will meet in their classroom down in the student center.

Aug. 3 - NextGen Family Worship Night - 6:00-7:30pm: All NextGen families are welcome to join us for a night of worship led by our WHSM worship team in the student center. We will also enjoy a sweet treat of ice cream afterwards. Please eat before you come. *If you would like to join the WHSM worship team please reach out to Ashleigh! All are welcome.*

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NEXTGEN NEWS



Aug. 10 - Promotion Sunday - Time to move on up to the next grade level!

Aug. 17 - Back To School Brunch, 9:45am-10:30am. NO Bible classes. Food provided.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Bible Classes: We would love for your child to join us on Sunday mornings for Bible class. They will learn stories from the Bible & engage in age appropriate activities to help develop & grow their relationship with Jesus. Classes are as follows, 9:45-10:30am.

Downstairs Preschool Wing: 0-18 months, Room 122; 18 months-2 years, Room 125; 3-4 year olds, Room 123.

Upstairs Elementary Wing: K-4th grade, Room 224

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OTHER NEWS

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES (9:45-10:30AM)

Young Adult Class (Open to married and single young adults): Faith Foundations - 10 Essential Christian Truths (taught by Craig Parker): Whether you've been a Christian for years, discovered faith in Jesus recently, or are still wondering what it's all about, we all share similar questions about why & how to live out our faith. Join us in this ten-session video series by author & pastor David Platt as we examine foundational truths for becoming confident & mature disciples of Christ.

Adult Class (Open to all): Romans (taught by Bobby Squire, Mike Arnold, and Keith Hawes): Join us for a 16-lesson study of one of the most influential books of the entire Bible: the epistle to the Romans. The first half of Romans contains the most extensive presentation of the fundamental doctrine of the Christian faith in all of Scripture. The last half of the epistle describes practical ways that our faith is to be lived out by Christ-followers in any age.

Adult Class (Open to all): "Testify" (taught by Javier Tapia): The main objective of this class is to understand the power behind testimony. In the Bible the word "testify" is found roughly 180 times, & it mostly refers to expressing what we see & hear from Christ. This class will explore the model of Jesus & the Apostle Paul, as well as the role of the Holy Spirit in the process of becoming a witness who testifies.

Ladies Class: "The Fear of the LORD" (taught by Vicki White). What is missing in your prayers and/or your personal life? What will build a deeper intimacy in your relationship with God? What can make your life more purposeful & focused? What will transform you into a truly Spirit-led child of God? Answer: The Fear of the LORD!

BAPTISM/NEW MEMBERS



Hayde Espinoza was baptized on 7.27.25 by Brian Offutt

- Hayde Espinoza, Abel Hernandez, & Jose Ramos

PRAYER LIST

- Nora Yanez
 - Mickey Payne
 - Sara Toles' husband, David
 - Tamie Okpara
 - Melanie Offutt's mom, Phyllis
 - Tina Johnson
 - Nancy Hines & Family
 - Christina Jay's mom, Jessie
 - Danny Allen's wife, Kim
- Danny Allen's dad, Michael
 - Linda Wilson's mom, Noemi
 - Bob Folser's co-worker, Kelly
 - Betty Keeten
 - Penny Schild
 - Judy Shaver
 - Martha Spell
 - Sam Burt

CHURCH STATS FOR WEEK OF JULY 27, 2025

IN PERSON	ONLINE	CONTRIBUTION ...\$31,335
1st Service.....123	1st31	TARGETED WKLY
2nd Service.....267	2nd.....33	BUDGET AMT.....\$38,635
Nursery & KP.....39		YTD AVG.....\$33,795
Total Attendance...429	Total.....64	

UPCOMING EVENTS

CONGRATULATIONS



CONGRATULATIONS to Adam & Mallory Cervas on the birth of River David Cervas. River was born on July 28 & weighed 8 lbs., 3 oz. Proud siblings are Zoey, Mackenzie, Charley, & Maverick. Proud grandparents are Chuck & Cindi Cervas. Welcome to the family, River!

FREEDOM PRAYER WORKSHOP



FREEDOM PRAYER BASIC TRAINING WORKSHOP: If you want to learn how to have a more mature & fulfilling prayer life, join us for this workshop. When? Friday, Aug. 8, 6:30pm-9:00pm & Saturday, Aug. 9, 8:30am-4:30pm, here at West Houston. Cost is \$15 per person to cover the cost of training manuals, snacks & lunch on Saturday. For more information about Freedom Prayer Ministry, please go to www.freedomprayer.org.

ANGELS AMONG US MINISTRY



Please join us Sunday, Aug. 10 at 1:00pm upstairs in the adult education wing for our next meeting. This ministry is open to all who wish to work & serve in sharing the Lord with special needs people. Please contact Peggy Gardner, peggygardner3@gmail.com for more info.

STORY PROJECT/FOSTER - ADOPTION



STORY PROJECT, our foster/adoption ministry at West Houston, will meet Friday, Aug. 15, 6:30pm in the dining room. We will share a potluck meal. Childcare will be provided, but please RSVP to acgunter@sbcglobal.net with ages of kiddos so that we have sufficient caregivers.

BACK TO SCHOOL BRUNCH



BTS BRUNCH is on Aug. 17 from 9:45am-10:30am. There will be NO Bible classes that day so that we can celebrate the beginning of the new school year. Come join us for breakfast, fellowship & prayer. Food provided.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!



Men! Get ready for an action-packed 2-day Pheasant Hunting trip on Jan. 23-25, 2026 in Glen Elder, Kansas! This is YOUR chance to bond with other men & create memories that will last a lifetime, not to mention enjoying some delicious food. Cost for Hunt Lodging & food is \$900, & licensing fee is \$25. Contact Tim Applewhite, tapplewhitecpa@gmail.com for more information. You can sign up online under "sign-ups". Don't miss out!