

Invitation

Welcome everyone. We pray you will be strengthened by your visit with the Brighton Church of Christ. You are not just our guest, but you are welcome and wanted right here. Join our family of imperfect people perfected in by the blood of Jesus. Restrooms are located across the foyer near the front of the auditorium on the upper floor. If you need assistance in any way, ask any member for help.

Mission

The Brighton Church of Christ is a spiritual family with a focus on going to heaven. We are determined to honor God, to strictly follow the teachings of the New Testament, and effectively make that teaching available to the city of Brighton and the surrounding areas.

Leadership

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Attendance last week:

Sunday am - 90
Sunday pm - 47
Wednesday - 34
Contribution-\$3,966.00

Sunday Schedule Morning

Song Leader.....Ron Jensen
Opening Prayer.....Marcos Celaya
Lord’s Supper Leader.....Kevin Dunham
Assistant.....KD Derbigny
AssistantChris Warner
Assistant.....Marc Moran
Assistant.....Kayden Derbigny
Scripture Reading.....James Slagle

Psalms 119:33-40

Lesson.....Cory Pierce
Closing Prayer.....Jeff Oaks

Sunday Evening

Song Leader.....Ron Jensen
Opening Prayer.....Ernest Kite
Lord’s Supper Leader.....Kevin Dunham
Lesson.....Jeff Oaks
Closing Prayer.....Paul Nikolai

Wednesday Evening Schedule

Class.....Brett Reitmair

Service Times

Sundays:
Morning classes 9:30 am
Worship 10:30 am
Evening worship 6:00 pm
Wednesdays:
Evening Bible Study 6:30 pm



June 4, 2023

Gopher Holes

A couple of weeks ago, I looked out the front door and saw a small mound of dirt toward the front of the yard. I thought it was a new ant mound and said to myself, “I’ll put some ant killer on that thing tomorrow.” Well, as it would be, I forgot about it for a couple of days and the next time I looked it was now three mounds of dirt. “That’s a gopher run and he’s heading straight toward Ms. Janet’s daylily bed!” Funny thing about those gophers, they make their advancements incrementally instead of one straight shot. They move toward their goal a little at a time and before you know it they’re in your garden or flower bed.

There’s another pest that uses incremental steps to achieve his goals, the old devil himself, Satan. He places small temptations in front of us like bread crumbs on a lost man’s trail. Just little indiscretions, nothing terribly noticeable, like an advancing gopher hole.



It may be a wanting glance at the pretty girl, excusing the curse words we hear on our favorite TV series or movie. It could begin with missing a church service or not reading our bibles daily. The thing is, Satan is most successful when he works slowly and gradually. As we get used to these “little sins”, we become desensitized and as 1 Timothy 4:2 says, we’ll have our conscience seared with a hot iron so that sin no longer bothers us. We must be constantly on guard of Satan’s devises (2 Cor. 2:11) and the tricks he uses to fool us into complacency (Eph. 6:11).

So when you see one of those gopher holes Satan is putting in your way, remember the words of James, “Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.” (James 4:7)

Jay Launius – 2023
Maud church of Christ
Maud, Texas

Announcements

Prayers

Ronn Eudaley had a very rough week. He had his foot amputated because sepsis set in and another surgery is to be done. He is in ICU in St. Lukes Hospital on 19th Street. Visitors are appreciated.

Diana Oaks’ friend’s daughter, Danielle, is very young, yet going through long-term illness. She almost lost her life on several occasions. Prayers for her situation are appreciated.

Please be praying for **Chris Welsby**, as his myopathy is flaring up, causing a great deal of leg pain.

Jennifer Sandstede’s Aunt JoAnn Berdahl’s kidney is failing and the future is unclear. Prayers for her and her family are requested.

Our **Elders** are actively searching for a full time preacher. Pray that the search will be successful.

Prayers for the work in **India**. Pray for the health and strength of the fellow Christian workers who spread the Gospel.

Continued Prayers

Harold Price, Sherry Derbigny’s Dad-health challenges

Eleanor Jatko– health problems

Jane Hanavan-heart issues

Chris Jatko’s Uncle Ralph Holso-chemo treatment

Tim Parker– headaches from concussion

News and Notes

Senior Graduate Celebration

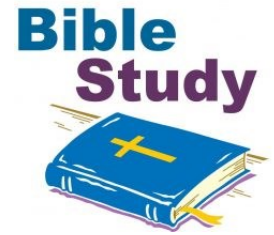
The congregation is having a celebration for Mackenzy Fox and Kayden Derbigny **today** right after service. Sandwiches, three salads, a fruit platter, chips, and a vegetable platter will be provided. Stay and be a part of the festivities.



Social Studies Bible Study

Friday, June 9th

6:00 pm potluck, 7:00 pm study
Dunham home, 885 Rose Ct Brighton
Food theme: Mexican All are welcome! Childcare provided.



Teen/Young Adult Devo

Saturday, June 17 6:00 pm potluck, 7:00 pm devo
Dunham Home, 885 Rose Ct, Brighton
Pizza and drinks will be provided
Please bring a side or dessert Friends Welcome!

Funeral Service

Betty Boyd, former member of the Brighton Church of Christ, passed away on May 14th. Betty’s services will be held at Ft. Logan National Cemetery in Area A on Tuesday, June 13th at 11:00. If anyone wants to send flowers, the flowers have to be at Tabor Funeral Home on Monday, June 12th. If one desires, a gift to any charity in Betty’s name would be appreciated.



Vacation Bible School

This year VBS is on Wednesday, August 2nd—Friday, August 4th. It seems like a ways away but it will come up quick. If you are able to help Mark out with this effort, please let him know. There are different positions available to fill.

Birthdays and Anniversaries		
June 5	Mindy Fox	Birthday
June 7	Jayden Peterson	Birthday
June 8	Hugo Romero	Birthday
June 9	Margie Stewart	Birthday