

# Greenville Avenue Church of Christ The GACC Gazette

# **Putting Off the Old Nature**

"So you, too, consider yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus."

Romans 6:11 NASB."

A STORY is told of a man in Russia who became a Christian. He had been a member of the brutal police force in his city under the communist regime for many years. There was a troublemaker in the new church to which he belonged. Almost instinctively, he volunteered to "do away with" the agitator and remove him from the way. He said, "We have a way of dealing with these kinds of people."

Actually, the "pest" was also a new brother in Christ. Some people have lived in sin for so long that their hearts have become hardened, and it is difficult for them to change their way of living even after

coming to know Jesus.

This brother, let's call him Ivan, was thinking as he had thought under his old way of life. Walking in the newness of life is a common struggle addressed in Ephesians 4:22. Paul says, "in reference to your former way of life, you are to rid yourselves of the old self, which is being corrupted in accordance with the lusts of deceit." This verse reminds us that our old way of life. characterized by sin and deceit, is to be discarded as we embrace our new identity in Christ. It's a process of transformation that requires us to renew our minds and hearts continually.

Today, let us concentrate on

living with the Spirit of Christ in us. If we are tempted to use language that we formerly used or act as we did before becoming Christians, let's remember that we are new creations in Christ. We can pray for His strength, knowing that He will bless us and help us live in the newness of His grace.



# About Us ... The Leadership















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# **Our Purpose** | Praise | Planned Events

### **GACC's Mission**

To uphold (maintain, endorse, encourage) the sound preaching and teaching of the gospel of Christ, to expose (bring to light, reveal) God's plan for salvation to lost souls, and to assist (help, support) and encourage (reassure, inspire, nurture) individuals to live fully in accordance to the will of God while glorifying Him in all aspects of life, including at home, work, and in the community.

(Matthew 28:19-20/Ephesians 4:12-15)

### **GACC's Vision**

### The Four Gs

Gaining: Each member is to be actively involved in seeking to save the lost through daily examples and behavior, extending invitations to others to worship services, conducting Bible classes and correspondence courses, as well as supporting and participating in other soul-winning efforts.

**Grounding:** Each member is to be an active participant in a ministry according to their interests and abilities.

Additionally, each member should home in on their responsibility to help build up the body of Christ through the development of meaningful, spiritual relationships.

Growing: Each member is to grow in knowledge by continued participation in existing Bible classes and available workshops and seminars to enhance understanding and skill in the teaching and application of God's word.

Glorifying God: Each member should see their efforts and lives as a means of giving glory and honor to God. Every individual should present to God their best effort in worship, ministry, and life. Furthermore, each member should seek to further glorify God by loving, serving, and supporting one another.

# SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE DUE BY TUESDAY AND MUST BE LEADERSHIP APPROVED. TO SUBMIT AN ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE GACC GAZETTE ABOUT YOUR EVENT, PLEASE VISIT THE FOLLOWING PORTAL TO SHARE THE NEWS ELECTRONICALLY.

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# **Order of Worship**

# Unifying

Congregational Singing

### Welcome

Responsive Reading
Prayer

# Honoring

Congregational Singing Scripture Reading Prayer

# Remembering

Congregational Singing
Communion
Congregational Singing

# **Encouraging**

Message
Invitation & Responses
Congregational Song

### Gleaning

Collection
Announcements
Final Song
Final Prayer

# Living Faithfully

# **Upcoming Events**

'25 Summer Series, Connecting Through Song, Service, and Salvation, Wednesdays, 7 pm Education & Worship ministries

Prayer with Purpose, is followed by Did You Know? on Thursdays at 7 pm; Evangelism Outreach

Power Faith into Your HOME on Fridays at 12 pm, as part of the Power4 @
 HOME Facebook Group; watch for the texted link; Family Life ministry

Singles "Luau Brunch", Saturday, 062825, details inside; Singles ministry Registration OPEN

Youth Sunday, 062925,. Guest speaker: Robert Harper II, Youth ministry

Connection Sunday, 071325,. "Connect to One Another"; special 3rd quarter birthday recognition;

**Connect** in **Bible class.** Pick your next class.



# SCHEDULE- Worship, Bible Classes, & Prayer

Sunday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday*
Worship 8 a.m.	Bible Classes 7 p.m.	Bible Class 11 a.m. ZOOM	Power4 @ HOME Facebook Group 12 p.m.
Bible Class 9:30 a.m.		Prayer with Purpose 7 p.m.	Singles Bible Study* 7 p.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m. 4 p.m.		Did You Know? 8 p.m.	*2nd Friday with exceptions

# **Requesting Prayers**

BEREAVED

HOSPITALIZED

RECUPERATING

**CONFINED AT HOME** 

REPENTANCE

REQUESTS

RESTORATION

NEW CONVERT(S)

NEW MEMBER(S)

# Thank You

Thank you for the sympathy card on the death of my brother. Thanks everyone for the cards, texts, phone calls, and social media condolences. God bless.

We are deeply grateful for your kindness and support during this difficult time. Your thoughtful words and prayers mean so much to our family. Sis.

# I'm So Grateful

Dear Familu.

Thank you for your thoughtfulness, your kindness, and your generous heart. Sister-in-Christ,

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# **Among the Churches of Christ**

# PROGRAM DESIGNED FOR:

EVERYONE | MEN | WOMEN

# **EASTSIDE (CORSICANA)**

Ladies' Day Program, Sat., June 28th, 9 am Breakfast and registration; program at 10 am; luncheon follows; "Keeping Your Balance: Walking in Faith, Standing on His Promises"; Speaker: Betty Donaldson (Temple); classes for age 7 and up;

# SATURN ROAD (GARLAND)

5th Sunday Singing June 29th 5:30-7 pm

# PECAN STREET (ROCKDALE)

Ladies' Day Program; "Be Still and Know"; Speaker: Kay Richardson (Rockdale); Sat., July 12th, Breakfast: 8 am; Program: 9 am

# **GRAND AVENUE (SHERMAN)**

903.872.3590

Ladies' Day Program; "Wearing Proper Clothing"; Speaker: Cynthia Cottingham (Grand Rapids, MI); Sat., July 19th, 8:30-Registration & Breakfast; 9:30-Noon-Program; lunch follows

# FORDHAM ROAD (DALLAS)

Ladies Day Program; "Pray Without "Good News in Bad Times' Ceasing"; Presenters: Joyce Spillman (Fordham Rd), Kay Johnson (Warren Ave), Adamarie Crosby (East Dallas); Sat., July 26th; Registration/Hotel Info 8:30 Registration & Breakfast; 9 Program; 12 Lunch

# **CRUSADE FOR CHRIST**

Metropolitan Detroit Southfield Civic Center July 26-30, 2025 ChurchOfChristCrusade.org 248.291.7122









TICKETS: \$35\*

"EVENTBRITE FEES APPLY"

(INCLUDES A 2-HOUR SAIL + LUAU BRUNCH)

**COME READY TO MINGLE AND SAIL INTO SUMMER!** 

PLEASE BE SURE TO READ PARKING/BOARDING INFO ON THE EVENTBRITE DESCRIPTION.



# YOUTH SUNDAY

29th JUNE 8, 10:30 AM | 4 PM

**Robert Harper II,** born and raised in Houston, Texas, by parents Robert & Patsy Harper, is the youngest of five siblings and earned a B.A. in Psychology from the University of Houston.

With 14 years of preaching experience, he has also inspired audiences nationwide as a motivational speaker. He authored "Talk to Yourself," which helps readers overcome self-doubt through godly principles.

Robert currently resides in Long Beach, CA. with his wife, Noelle. He is dedicated to serving others and sharing the good news, committed to helping others discover the beauty and transformative power of the gospel of Jesus Christ. He is a member of the Chino Church of Christ in Chino, CA.



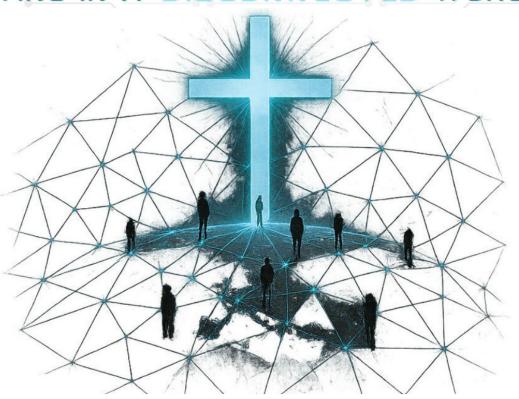






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CONNECTED TO HIS SPIRITUAL NETWORK:
LIVING IN A DISCONNECTED WORLD



FRIDAY, JULY  $25^{TH}$  - SUNDAY, JULY 27TH

GREENVILLE AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST RICHARDSON, TX 75081

A605 18 - 35 Three Day Event Featuring

3 vs 3 Basketball Tournament

Dynamic Discussion Sessions Food & Games & Door Prizes



Register & Info.

# Service Group Locator ZIP Code Table

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11 Fred & Linda Green   972.296.5360	Young at Heart: Members ages 60 and up, all ZIP Codes	14 Jeromé & Erinn Travis   972.835.6955	Children, Adolescents, Teens to age 17, all ZIP Codes	15 Patrick & LaShonda Worthey   469.454.5080	Singles. Unmarried. Widowed Members. all ZIP Codes
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What are Headaches? A headache is a pain in your head or face, often described as a pressure that's throbbing, constant, sharp, or dull. Headaches can differ greatly in terms of pain type, severity, location, and frequency. They occur in adults and children.

What is the main cause of Headaches? Headache pain results from signals interacting among your brain, blood vessels, and surrounding nerves. During a headache, multiple mechanisms activate specific nerves that affect muscles and blood vessels. These nerves send pain signals to your brain, causing a headache. They are the most common form of pain and are a major reason cited for days missed at work or school, as well as visits to healthcare providers. While most headaches aren't dangerous, certain types can be a sign of a more serious condition.

# **Most Common Types of Headaches**

**Primary Headaches**—They are not a symptom of or caused by an underlying medical condition. **Tension**—The most common type of headache; usually mild to moderate and feels like constant pressure on the face, head, or neck. Muscle pain is like a belt being tightened around the head. *Most people feel pain on both sides of the head*.

**Migraines**—A migraine attack is a moderate to severe throbbing pain that usually happens on one side of the head. Often associated with light and noise sensitivity, nausea, and fatigue. Occasionally, one-sided weakness or numbness

Secondary Headaches—They are a symptom of another health condition

- Blood vessel disorders in the brain, including stroke
- Brain tumor
- Brain injury

- High blood pressure
- Seizures
- Substance misuse or withdrawal
- Infection

# What are Headache Triggers?

# **Tension Headaches**

☐ Emotional stress (such as from school activities, moving, or family problems)

family problems)
☐ Weather changes

☐ Changes in eating and sleep patterns

☐ Dehydration☐ Allergies

# **Migraine Headaches**

☐ Aged cheeses ☐ Cured or processed meats (such as deli meats)

☐ Aspartame (sugar substitute) ☐ Nuts, especially salted ones

☐ Caffeine (or caffeine withdrawal) ☐ Wine and other types of alcohol

□ Chocolate

### When to Contact Your Healthcare Provider

- ✓ A sudden, severe headache, possibly with a stiff neck
- ✓ A severe headache with fever, nausea, or vomiting that's not related to another illness
- ✓ A person experiencing their "first" or "worst" headache that also has confusion, weakness, double vision, or loss of consciousness
- ✓ A headache that gets worse over days or weeks or changes in pattern or behavior.
- ✓ Headaches in children that keep coming back
- ✓ A headache after a brain injury
- ✓ A headache with loss of sensation or weakness in any part of the body—this could be a sign of a stroke
- ✓ A headache with convulsions (shaking) or trouble breathing
- ✓ Two or more headaches a week
- ✓ A constant headache in someone who hasn't had headaches before, especially if they're over age 5





# AFTER USING THESE TOOLS, SHARE



This FREE series of course material is tailored for local and national congregations, as well as missions outreach.
Enhance your Bible study experience by diving deeper into the scriptures and acquiring meaningful insights on how to engage with the world while remaining distinct from it.

- If you have any questions or run into any issues, please contact Tyrone Jones, Associate Minister of Evangelism by
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- Phone: 972-677-2437 or 972-677-9133

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# The Prayer with Purpose Call—□There's so much to gain

Whether your week is going swimmingly or you can barely wait to clock out on Friday, inspiration and encouragement are yours

- Engaging in collective prayer will deepen your spiritual growth on the journey.
- Connecting with others in supportive sessions builds and strengthens our community, fostering meaningful relationships.
- You will receive encouragement and spiritual guidance from experienced leaders who direct the sessions.
- Because this is too good to keep to ourselves, welcome visitors to experience the warmth and unity of GACC.
- By establishing a regular practice, your faith is reinforced.

These sessions are a valuable opportunity to enrich your spiritual life and connect with like-minded individuals. We meet with people worldwide.

Please share your texted link with someone you want to see grow.



FULL DAY

Sign your child up for our summer program, which includes fun activities, on-site field trips, splash days, and weekly themes to spark curiosity and foster a love for learning.









Full Day: 7a-5:30p (18mos to 8-years)
Half Day: 9a-1p (4- to 8- years)
DIP: Pick a week, full or half day

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