

# NEWS & NOTES

## New Adult Sunday Morning Class

The 9 am Sunday morning class has moved to Room D. Lantz Howard is leading a class on *Winning the War in Your Heart*. The class is open to all adults.

## Coffee & Donut Fellowship

Come early on Sunday mornings to enjoy coffee, donuts, and fellowship, starting at 9:15 AM in the Atrium.

## Mary Martha Ladies' Class

The Mary Martha class has resumed and meets every Wednesday at 10 AM. They are studying "Life Lessons from the Books of I and II Samuel."

## Pickle Ball

We have a group meeting up in the ARK on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 for Pickle Ball. Come join us for the fun and exercise. We do have a few extra paddles if you don't have your own. All levels of expertise are welcome!

## Youth Ministry

- **Sunday September 18:** Meet at the gym at 5:30pm for dinner. We will leave at 6pm to go to Parkside for worship, games, and more. We will return by 7:45pm.
- **October 8-9:** Fall Retreat registration is online at [pacoc.net/youth](http://pacoc.net/youth). Please register by September 25.

**Prayer List**—Kim Pendergrass, Mike & Barbara Hardy, Debbie Black, Floyd Clark

**Ongoing Needs**—Chris Reinsch, Shawn Landrum, Larry Long, Corky & Linda Armstrong, Sandra Aynes, Bobby & Peggy Slaughter, Kaile Williams (Norris), Jim Scroggins, Roy Galyon, Ernie & Kathy Sturch, Patrick Mullins, Vicki Ard, Joyce Henshaw

**Homebound**—JD Huffman, Dewey & Joyce Martin

**Expectant Mothers**—Ashley Briscoe, Brittini Calvert, Alissa Cope

**Missions**—Hammer & Dela Afakule (Togo), Mario "Pepe" Torre (Monterrey, Mexico), Jimenez family (Cartagena, Colombia), Cristian & Ana Corrales (Bucaramanga, Colombia)

**Friends of Park Avenue**—Rebekah Taylor (great niece of the Russell's), Becky Sanchez (wife of Gil Sanchez, Director of orphanage in Mexico), Greg Oliver (father of Karee Earnhart), Nan Farmer (friend of Joyce Merworth)

Please notify the church office at [office@parkavenuechurch.com](mailto:office@parkavenuechurch.com) for updates to the prayer list.

## Denison Community Worship & Celebration

Join Denison churches on **Sunday, September 25** as we come together in unity to celebrate the 150th anniversary of Denison. The Celebration will be at Forest Park at 4:30 PM and Worship at Munson Stadium at 6 PM.

Food and Kona Ice will be sold from 4:30-6:00 to raise funds for the Denison Helping Hands, Texoma Shelter, and the Denison Ministerial Alliance. Food can be purchased on site or you can get an advance ticket from the church office. The cost is \$10 which will get you a pulled pork sandwich, chips, and water.

This week we are having **Hamburgers, Hotdogs, Veggie Burgers, Salad, Chips, & Desserts**. The meal will be prepared by **Amyee McAlister** & her team.

**Sign up on your communication card Sunday morning to let us know if you plan to attend so we can plan accordingly! Thank you!**

### For The Record—September 11, 2022

Worship	453
Offering Goal	\$19,461
Received	\$16,883

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# The Messenger

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## Todd's Take

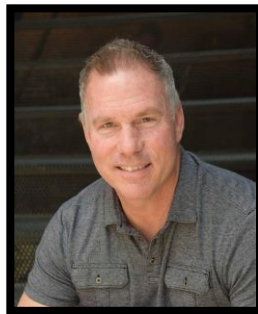
Good morning and welcome to our worship service. A special welcome to our guests. If you have any questions about Park Avenue or Christianity in general, feel free to track one of our

ministers or elders down or contact us any time.

Just a reminder to everyone to get connected in a DMC. We have had a great kickoff to our Fall Wednesday communities but know that there is room for you. Join us at 5:30 for our PAWS meal and stick around for some time in the Word with other believers. Our kids classes are going strong, so bring them along. If Wednesday doesn't work, we have groups meeting other nights of the week. Check out all the offerings on our digital platforms.

We are blessed today to have a guest speaker with us, Dr. Randy Frazee. Randy is leading our **Front Porch Parenting** seminar that will continue this afternoon. He has years of experience with youth and families and presently serves at Lubbock Christian University. Looking forward to his words from The Word today.

Let's worship the Lord!



### Sunday Schedule

#### **Adult Bible Class**

9AM Room D

#### **Worship**

10:00 AM

#### **Children Dismissed to Bible Classes at**

10:45-11:30AM

0 - 3 Year Olds—Nursery Area  
Pre K-6th Grade—Family Life Center

#### **Youth Group Activities**

5:30-7:30PM

#### **Discipleship Making Communities (DMC's)**

Meet at various times and locations. Contact Lantz Howard for more information.

Scan the QR code below for links to the communication card, news, and giving.



## Mark your calendars for **Sunday, October 2.**

On Sunday, October 2 we will have a congregational celebration in recognition of paying off the ARK. All are invited to stay after Sunday worship for a catered lunch to celebrate together, worship, and reflect on this historic moment for Park Avenue! What an amazing ministry tool that building has been and continues to be. That construction project was a bold move by the leadership, but we have been blessed as we were Faithful to the Call!

As this is a catered event we need your

## RSVP TODAY!

You can do that on the app or respond to the email or text you will receive today. We hope all of us can be there to celebrate this milestone.

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