

## Affirming the Faith

Affirming the Faith is an annual seminar and lectureship put on by churches of Christ in the Oklahoma City area. Each year, almost a thousand Christians gather together on Friday and Saturday to fellowship, sing, hear various speakers, and grow stronger in the faith. The elders and deacons of Hillcrest originally started attending this teaching event several years ago when new deacons had just been appointed at Hillcrest, and there was a particular teaching track held at the seminar regarding deacons and leadership. The years following, this annual pilgrimage resembled more of a men's retreat, with elders, deacons, and preachers all enjoying each other's company and fellowship.

It didn't take long for the wives of these men, after hearing from their husbands about how great this spiritual weekend really was, to want in on the action as well. The next two or three years saw more of the wives of the elders and deacons attend the seminar and come away with a deep appreciation for the great work being done there. A few years ago, the elders decided to open up the invitation to all members of Hillcrest to attend this spiritual feast.

We will leave on Friday afternoon, March 4, have supper in OKC, and then attend the first Keynote address and singing session of the seminar. We will stay overnight at one of the area hotels, and then get up Saturday morning to attend the rest of the sessions at the event, including breakfast and lunch, before wrapping up the lectureship early in the afternoon. We will then head towards Neosho, typically stopping for supper in Tulsa, before arriving home late Saturday evening.

To encourage participation in this spiritual event, the elders have graciously offered to help cover costs of the hotel rooms. One adult from each family can have a room free of charge (meaning individuals willing to share a room with someone else can have a room at no cost). Individuals who desire a private room will only have to pay \$60 for half of the room cost. Couples are asked to pay \$60 for a room as well.

This year's Theme is "Surviving the Tough Stuff," and will be packed full of great gospel teachers, including Donnie Bates, Jeremie Beller, Jeff Jenkins, and many others! For more information, please visit [www.affirmingthefaitbok.com](http://www.affirmingthefaitbok.com) and there you will find a full list of speakers, class schedules, and links to recordings of previous sessions. There are also some brochures available in the office and one is posted on the bulletin board,

If you wish to attend, please let me know ASAP so that I can reserve enough hotel rooms.

*Casey Flint*

### Elders

John Deffenbaugh  
Benny Haught  
Tim Murray  
Bill Reiboldt

### Deacons

Jason Bryan  
Carl Cobb  
Charles Collinworth  
Barry Flint  
Casey Flint  
Jason Giebler  
Josh King  
Mike Kidwell  
Darren Pierce  
Bryan Reiboldt  
Jim Scott  
Peter Wald

### Preacher

Danny Boggs

### Youth & Family Minister

Caleb Boggs

### Worship Assemblies

10 a.m. Sunday  
6 p.m. Sunday

### Bible Classes

9 a.m. Sunday  
7 p.m. Wednesday

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# In Our Thoughts & Prayers



Kay Anderson, Travis Bell, Carol Bessman, Fred Bukowich, Kim Cable, Becky Cobb, Vera Cornell, Lee Crabtree, Tammy Crawford, Lisa Daniels, Joe and Teresa Freund, Pete Griffin, Coral Haggard, Gaele Jackson, Molly Jackson, Beth Johnson, Millie Lyons, Pam McMahan, Sherry Merrill, Lyn Pendergraft, Charlie Phillips, Mebyl Privett, Tina Rasbury, Murray Riley, Lawrence Sanders, Rylee Schroeder, Harold Speir, Edith Toney.

Coral Haggard's surgery had to be postponed.

Our sympathy to Troy Risley and his family. His wife, Sara, passed away on Saturday.

Welcome to **Wendy Bertram**, Bethany Boggs's sister. She was baptized in November and is now living with Caleb and Bethany. She is already a part of the youth group. Reach out and make her feel welcome.



**Every "One" Counts:** When you give an extra dollar each Sunday, it goes to help someone in need. This week we helped a church member who needed some financial support. If you know someone who needs help, contact Jennifer Daniels or Natalie McInturff.

**Devo and Donuts** is for students of all ages. Join us in the activities center at 7:00 Tuesday mornings. Bring a friend. 

Thursday **Ladies' class** will meet this week at 10:00.

## Today's Sermons



A.M. *"Mark This"*  
(Psalm 50, Danny Boggs)

P.M. *You've Got a Friend in Me*  
(2 Tim. 4:9-12, Caleb Boggs)

When you can't be here when we **worship**, visit our website, Facebook page or YouTube channel to join us live or to catch up on what you missed.

**Men's Breakfast** will be Thursday at 7:00 at Braum's. The snow delayed this the first time; lectureship the second. They say that the third time is a charm. Let's take this opportunity to meet with your brothers this week.

There will be a **wedding shower** for Madison Deree and Jackson Collinsworth today at 1:30 in the activities center. They are registered on Amazon and at Target. Their wedding is May 28 in Centerville, TN. Their invitation is on the board.

**Wednesday Family Meal** will be this Wednesday. The hostess groups of Jennifer Daniels/Natalie McInturff and Heather Reiboldt/Ginger Murray will be providing a baked potato bar. Please sign up in the foyer today so they can make preparations.

Tucker and Abigail Anderson are expecting a **baby boy** soon. There is a basket set up in the foyer if you would like to leave them a gift. They could use baby wipes, Huggies diapers and baby laundry detergent.

**Ladies' Seminar** is March 11 - 12. There are flyers and postcards you can give or send to friends at the welcome desk. Ladies, please plan to attend and invite others. We are looking forward to hearing a wonderful message from our speaker, Rebekah Colley and enjoying fellowship with each other.

**H,O,P,E. Group** will meet Thursday at 6:00 at Bethany Boggs's home. This group of teenage girls meet once a month. If you would like to **host** the girls one month, please see Bethany or Madelaine.

**New Devo** will be next Sunday at Bryan and Heather Reiboldt's home. Guys are asked to bring chips and girls can bring desserts.

Keep on your calendar:

- **Ruth Rally** in Batesville, AR on April 1-2. S
- **Horizons** at Freed Hardeman University on July 3-8.
- **NCS's Benefit Banquet** on Saturday, April 30.

### WORSHIP LEADERS

#### Today

#### This Wednesday

AM Opening Prayer: Benny Haight  
AM Closing Prayer: Don Deffenbaugh  
Communion Prayers: Bill Reiboldt  
PM Opening: Eli Giebler  
PM Closing Prayer: Harold Speir

Announcements: Mike Kidwell  
Singing: Charles Collinsworth  
Invitation: Joe McLain  
Opening Prayer: Trace Wilson  
Closing Prayer: Tony Flint

### RECORDS

#### 2-6-22

#### 2-7-21

Bible Study	136	102
AM Worship	172	154
PM Worship	113	63
Wednesday	115	110
Contribution	\$9,692.08	\$7,917.91
Budget	\$8,250.00	\$8,000.00