

## Announcements – Bulletin News April 22nd, 2018

 Thank you! **Dana Howard**; thank you for your prayers and cards while I was away. I appreciate everything more than you can know.



The church would like to express heartfelt sympathy to Sis. Linda Reed and her family due to the loss of her brother, Eddie Lee Sullivan Jr. The funeral was yesterday.

### April Schedule

**Ladies Baptism:** Natalie Williams, Vicki Forbes

**Bereavement:** Melissa Martinez, Monique Bethea

**Medical Staff:** Kim Clawson

**Brothers;** the Order of Worship is available on line on Fridays after 3pm @ [www.chisholmtrailcofc.org](http://www.chisholmtrailcofc.org)

**Blood Pressure;** First Sunday  
**Open Pantry;** Thursday April 26<sup>th</sup>.

### Membership 2018

Baptized 2

Placed Membership 4



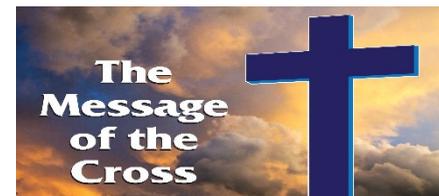
### Continued The Paradox of the Cross

Through the sun refused to shine and God hid His face from Christ, the Cross was the means by which Christ really became “the light of the world” (Jn. 8:12). In the Cross we see man’s hatred for Christ, yet we see Christ’s love for man. There we see human vengeance as they cry for His blood, yet we see divine forgiveness as Jesus prays, “Father forgive them for they know not what they do” (Lk.23:34).

The Cross portrays man’s sinfulness and God’s holiness; human weakness and divine strength. It demonstrates man’s inability to save himself, and God’s ability and power to do this for him. The Cross, from the human standpoint, it’s foolishness; yet it is a revelation of the highest wisdom of God.

Article from House to House-Heart to Heart. Eugene Brinell, Little Rock, Arkansas.

*“For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God”. 1 Corinthians 1:18.*



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### UP COMING EVENTS

The Elders will meet tomorrow at 6pm.

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Fellowship -Next Sunday** -There are sign-up sheets on the table in the foyer for the different countries. The brothers will be over America. Please take a few minutes after service and sign-up. There will be no evening service on April 29<sup>th</sup>.

Ladies Fellowship



**Ladies Fellowship Committee- Presents “Oh Yes it’s Ladies Night”** at the Alley-Date Saturday April 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:30pm.

Escape room, go karting, food & fellowship. Event details and sign-up sheet are on the table in the foyer. Sister’s Shae Webb & Natalie Williams.

**Midwest Regional Singing** October 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> 2018 in Omaha, NE..

**Hotel info-Omaha Marriott, 10220 Regency Circle. \$99 per night +tax. 402-399-9000. Deadline Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Meetings & Classes Evangelism Class,** Thursday April 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

**Authentic Manhood,** Sat. April 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am.

**Ladies Bible Class,** Sat. April 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am.

### Area Wide Events

**Spring Gospel Meeting- “Highlight From Hebrews”-** April 22-25, 2018. Newton KS. Church of Christ, 1701 S Main, Newton, KS.

### Summer Youth Program

Sponsored by the City of Wichita Housing and Community Services. Ages 14-17 by June 1, 2018. Information is on the table in the foyer.

### The Paradox of the Cross



The Cross of Christ is the greatest of all paradoxes. It was the most tragic event in the history of the world, yet the most wonderful thing that ever beheld, yet it was the most stunning defeat Stan ever suffered and the most glorious victory Christ ever won. He won by losing. He conquered by surrendering.

The cross was the greatest exhibition of divine justice in condemning sin, yet the most wonderful demonstration of divine mercy in pardoning sin yet His supreme proof of love for the sinner.

The Cross was the darkest hour in history, yet it was the greatest light.