



# Llano Church of Christ

*“Growing with God...  
Serving One Another”*

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*Jacob Hawk  
Pulpit Minister*

*Gary Howell  
Elder*

*Curtis Osbourn  
Elder*

*Dennis Raesener  
Elder*

***Deacons***

*Dan Eaton Warren Groff Mike McIntosh Travis Milhollon Jamie Osbourn Weldon Osbourn*

***Meeting Times***

***Sunday:***  
*9:30 a.m. Class  
10:30 a.m. Worship*

***Sunday Evening:***  
*6:00 p.m. Worship*

***Wednesday:***  
*6:30 p.m. Worship  
Ladies Bible Class: 9:30 a.m.*

# *"From the Hawk's Nest"*

## Guidance from Gary

If you've ever wanted to witness an "Answered Prayer," you will witness one today! For some time, the Llano Church of Christ has fervently prayed that God would raise up leaders to lead His church in Llano. We have been blessed with exceptional elders in Dennis Raesener and Curtis Osbourn, but it's very difficult for two men to handle every challenge of leadership. Today, August the 29th, 2010, **Gary Howell** will be installed as a new Elder at the Llano Church of Christ!

To accept the position of an Elder in the Lord's church is beyond admirable. The Apostle Paul would say, *"If anyone sets his heart on being an overseer, he desires a noble task."* (1 Timothy 3:1) He also wrote, *"The elders who direct the affairs of the church well are worthy of double honor..."* (1 Peter 5:17) Not every man desires the "noble task", and not every man is qualified to hold the office. **Gary Howell** houses the nobility to lead, and he meets all the Biblical qualifications to do so! We want to thank Gary for his courage, but we also want to thank his wife **Joni** for her support and Godliness as well. Gary has a strong encouragement and assistance in Joni, and we have full confidence that she will make him a better Elder! Gary and Joni raised Godly children, and we know that if they can lead their children in this way, they can adequately help lead this good church!

There are many ways to diagnose a growing church. Growth can be measured in new buildings, new programs, new endeavors, and growing numerical statistics. However, a **NEW ELDER** is one of the **BEST** ways to see growth from God! We thank God for everything He's giving the Llano Church of Christ, and we also thank Him for men like Gary Howell who want to contribute to this progress!

Jacob Hawk

# "TRUNK or TREAT"

## 2010!

Can you believe it's already  
*that time of year* again?

Last year was a tremendous success,  
and we want to start planning early  
to make it even **BIGGER** this year!

Be thinking about creative ideas,  
and stay tuned for a planning meeting  
in the near future!

# September

| Sunday  | Monday   | Tuesday             | Wednesday                       | Thursday               | Friday                         | Saturday                           |
|---|--|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|   |  |                     | LBC-Cherokee 1                  | 2                      | 3                              | 4                                  |
| EPM = Elders' Prayer Mtg.<br>MPB = Men's Prayer Brkfst<br>YAC = Young Adult Class<br>VTM = Visitation Team Mtg. | LBC = Ladies' Bible Class<br>MBM = Men's Business Mtg<br>LBL = Ladies' B'Day Lunch<br>* Birthday # Anniversary |                     | # Troy & Joy Howard             | *Dianne Eaton          |                                |                                    |
| 5   | 6  | 7                   | LBC -9:30 8                     | 9                      | 10                             | 11                                 |
| Visitation Team Mtg.  |  |                     |                                 | *Carey Schilling       |                                |                                    |
| 12  | 13   | 14                  | 15<br>LBC 9:30                  | 16                     | 17                             | 18                                 |
| POTLUCK<br>Men's Business Mtg-4:30  | Elder's Prayer Mtg 4 pm<br>#Bradley & Amanda Denton  |                     | *Marilyn Hale<br>* Carol Taylor | Ladies' Birthday Lunch |                                | # Pleasant & Helen Mitchell        |
| 19  | 20   | 21                  | 22<br>LBC 9:30                  | 23                     | 24                             | 25                                 |
| Walden's Court 4:30 p.m.<br>*Andrea Benavides   | Ladies' Devo - 6:30 pm.  |                     |                                 |                        | *Malcom Osbourn<br>*Lane Doyle | *Noma O'Neal<br>*Emma Faye Osbourn |
| 26  | 27   | 28                  | 29<br>LBC 9:30                  | 30                     |                                |                                    |
| HARDING Lectureship   | HARDING Lectureship<br>* Riley Smith   | HARDING Lectureship | HARDING Lectureship             |                        |                                |                                    |

## Sept. Birthdays - Cherokee Kids

| Date: | Name:  | Age: |
|-------|--------|------|
| 9/2   | Aaron  | 13   |
| 9/16  | Thomas | 17   |
| 9/17  | Summer | 16   |

(child's name)  
% Cherokee Home For Children  
PO Box 295 Cherokee, TX 76832

## Sept. Birthdays Fosters' Home Kids

| Date: | Name:           | Age: |
|-------|-----------------|------|
| 9/3   | A.J. M.....     | 17   |
| 9/8   | Brandon A.....  | 16   |
| 9/17  | Savannah S..... | 16   |
| 9/17  | Katy W.....     | 17   |
| 9/29  | James V.....    | 13   |

(child's name)  
% Fosters Home For Children  
P. O. Box 978  
Stephenville, TX 76401

## Sept. Birthdays Medina Kids

| Date: | Name:          | Age: |
|-------|----------------|------|
| 9/2   | Skylar B.....  | 2    |
| 9/12  | Shawndy B..... | 18   |
| 9/20  | Cora A.....    | 16   |
| 9/27  | Codi M.....    | 8    |

(child's name)  
% Medina Children's Home  
21300 State Hwy 16 N  
Medina, TX 78055-3808

## Sept. Birthdays Sunny Glen Kids

| Date: | Name:       | Age: |
|-------|-------------|------|
| 9/10  | Jennifer S. | 15   |
| 9/14  | Alexis      | 14   |
| 9/27  | Kern        | 10   |

(child's name)  
% Sunny Glen Children's Home  
P. O. Box 1373  
San Benito, TX 78586

## Benevolence:

**Communion/Nursing Homes:** Gary Howell  
**Food Committee:** Helen Mitchell/Linnie Osbourn  
**Hospital Tray Favors:** Neita Pruet  
**Ladies' Devo:** Sept 20th  
Hostess: Jean A. Devo: Linda Groff  
**New Parent Outreach:** Linda Carta  
**Potluck:** David Smith Adult Class  
**Young Adult & Youth Grp:** To Be Announced



**August 29<sup>th</sup>, 2010**  
**Order of Worship**

*Anywhere with Jesus*.....414  
*As the Deer*.....71

**Intercessory Prayer**

*Hold to God's Unchanging Hand*.....613  
*Ten Thousand Angels*.....349

**Lord's Supper**  
**Contribution**

**1 Timothy 3: 1-7**

*He Leadeth Me*.....410

***A Shepherd for the Sheep!* - Jacob Hawk**

*I Am Resolved*.....948

**Appointment of Gary Howell**  
**Dennis Raesener/Curtis Osbourn**

**Announcements**

*There is a Habitation*.....860

**Closing Prayer**

**Afternoon Devotional - Dawson Smith**