



Bryant Tribute

The Bryant family is beloved and they have been an integral part of the Northwest church family since 1992. We honor Marvin, Gail, their adult children Hannah and Jonathan & their families; and we cherish our relationships with them and the memories we share together. Marvin's primary responsibilities at NW have been preaching and personal evangelism, adult spiritual formation, and worship planning. We have come to appreciate his dry wit, self deprecating sense of humor and, of course, Gail's expressiveness and creative spirit. Marvin has a love of music and he has occasionally written psalms that we have learned and sung together. He has contributed greatly as a teacher and leader; and to the development of the NW statements of faith, Discovering NW program, and his personal Heart for the Harvest training. He has often been the face and voice of NW to our community of faith.

Marvin will now begin a new phase in his spiritual journey as he embarks upon a ministry to train and equip others in discipleship and living life in the image of Christ. We look forward to receiving periodic reports/updates on his progress in the months ahead! Please join us outside on the porch for their appreciation reception following our worship assembly.

Prayer Requests:

- ◆ John Long—Please be praying as he continues his radiation treatments.
- ◆ John Ashinhurst—Admitted to University Hospital Monday morning. Prayers that the doctors can finally figure out what's going on with him so that he can be well again.
- ◆ Jeremiah—(Tito's son) Has been diagnosed with Covid and is currently in the hospital.
- ◆ Johnnie Mae McGee—Please continue to pray for her as she continues with her long recovery from her burns. It is a very painful process of daily treatments. Praises to God! It appears that the doctors have cured her super bug UTI.
- ◆ Martha Stone—They removed the tube and he is breathing on her own and talking. The plan is to move her to hospice care in Fredericksburg. Continued prayers are requested.
- ◆ Quinn Britt—Continue to pray for his recovery in rehab, his state of mind with the long road ahead, and for the wound to heal.
- ◆ Evie McCollum—Todd & Judy Burton's grand-daughter, had an MRI Thursday and found out she's had more strokes and is not doing well. For those that do not know, she is a sweet little girl that urgently needs our prayers.



We need your help with our annual Trunk or Treat event. This year we have moved the event to October 31st to provide our community with a safer trick or treating experience. We are anticipating a larger crowd since this will be a safer option than the traditional method. We need TONS of candy donations. Place your candy in the baskets in the front foyer. So next time you go or order groceries, pick up a few bags.

We also need people to host trunks! Sign up @ nwchurch.us or click below.

[Hosting a Trunk](#)

Wednesday Bible Classes are now back in session on Wednesday evenings at 7pm.

Youth and Children's classes are meeting in their appropriate locations.

Marvin is continuing his zoom class. Casey's class is meeting in Room 104.

NorthWest Church of Christ Newsletter

A Note from Charlotte Dugan

Most of you know that my husband, Randy, passed away this last January. In order to help me manage (and to keep my oncologists and my health insurance CEO in business) we sold my house and my kids are building a smaller house for me. When I say they're building it, I mean that they are actually doing the work. My daughters, Amanda & Sarah, and my son-in-law, Grant along with a very small group of volunteers who have generously given their time, muscle and some truly expert advice. It's been a pretty tough eighteen months but blessings such as these have been continuous between the low points.

After various hold-ups and rain almost every Saturday of the wettest summer I've ever seen, the foundation is now in, and framing begins next weekend.

This is where you, Dear Ones, come in: I would like to have a House Blessing, with your help. My original plan was to have people come in person to write a blessing directly on the framing. Because of Covid and geographical distance, that plan has been modified.

You are requested to write a blessing paper, which we can attach to the framing of my house. I'm asking for a Bible verse, a prayer, a quote, a note, or whatever you feel moved to contribute. I've already received a couple of very sweet notes in the mail, simply handwritten on index card or paper. I don't ask or expect anything fancy. I'm inviting everyone to participate and I sincerely hope you will.

Please mail it to:
Charlotte Dugan
2445 Timbercreek Rd.
Pipe Creek, TX 78063

Santa Pictures

Each year our own Santa (Sid Dowell) along with the talented photographer Jake Fortenberry donate their time and talents to bless our church family with free pictures with Santa!

November 7th 3-5pm

Location TBD

This will be our only Santa picture opportunity this year due to COVID. So mark your calendar and start planning your Santa picture outfits!

Fall Back

SUNDAY, November 1, 2020



Audio Visual Help Needed

Are you interested in Audio-Visual work? Do you have a passion for serving? Are you a team player? Are you responsible and trainable? We need to train some people to help Bob Beavers and Ron Reinhard with our video production. If you are interested, contact them, any minister, or the church office.