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BSISD board recognizes Goliad, Washington faculty for performance score improvement The Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees honored



Members of the Goliad Elementary and Washington Elementary role in improving faculties were honored at Thursday's Big Spring Independent student School District board meeting for their role in improving student performance and lifting their respective campuses out of the the 2017-2018 school Texas Education Agency's "Improvement Required" status during the 2017-2018 school year. The two schools had languished "Improvement Reon the "IR" list for six years, and would have been subject to TEA quired" status levied by the Texas Edutakeover had they remained on the list last year.

faculty members from two of the district's elementary schools at its meet-The Big Spring
Symphony Orchestra
Presents ing Thursday afternoon. Teachers from Go-

liad and Washington elemenschools were invited to the meeting, held in the board room at Big Spring High School, to be rec-HERALD photo/Roger Cline ognized for their mance results in year, boosting the cation Agency. Both schools had been on the "IR" list for six years; and, had scores remained low last year, they would have been subject to TEA takeover or other consequences.

"I felt like all those staff members at Goliad and Washington needed to be recognized in front of the school board for their outstanding accomplishments last school year," said BSISD Superintendent Jay McWilliams. "Those accomplishments led to both Washington and Goliad coming out of IR status. They've been

Tickets Available At The Door IR for six years. They were under pressure. We were all under pressure from TEA.

See BSISD, Page 3

September 15, 7:30pm

Municipal Auditorium

BSSO kicks off season with dinner Cancer Crushers



HERALD photo/Tyler Schellie

Couples got on their feet and began dancing when Jody Nix began their performance. A series of outstanding performances and speeches from Symphony participants and board members left the crowd more than thrilled about the upcoming concert "B is for Bernstein", scheduled to take place Saturday, September 15, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at the Municipal Auditorium located at 310 E. 3rd St.

Deaf Awareness Week



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SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf (SWCID) is proud to promote Deaf Awareness week in our community. The Awareness week starts Monday, September 24, and carries on to the 28. Over the course of the week, SWCID staff will set up numerous events raising awareness of what the college not only does for Big Spring and Howard County, but what the college does for people nationwide. This college that started in 1979

has made a tremendous impact and continues to do more of the same, as SWCID remains the only HERALD photo/Tyler Schellie community

Starbucks decorated their mes- college sage board that sits in their the nation lobby to help spread news and a i m e d raise awareness on the upcoming Deaf Awareness events they, and event partners SWCID, have See WEEK, coming up in the near future.

Garage Sale



HERALD file photo

The photo above shows participants one of the many events previously hosted by Relay for Life Cancer Crushers. The "Dark Maze of Nightmares," was put on to bring the community together using Halloween spirit while also bringing awareness of October being breast cancer awareness month. Events like the haunted house and the Garage Sale serve as fundraisers for Relay for Life.

By AMBER MANSFIELD

Staff Writer

The American Cancer Society is committed to saving lives from cancer, but it can't be done without people who host events that raise donations to be put towards it. Donations help fight all types of cancer, for all types of people, in all types of communities around the globe. Each person who joins Relay For Life can take pride in knowing that they are working towards creating a world free from the pain and suffering of this dis-

A local organization, the Cancer Crushers, is a part of those who help raise money that go toward benefitting Relay for Life and the American Caner Society. You can help too.

On Saturday, Sept. 15 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Relay for Life Cancer Crushers will be hosting a garage sale to the public of Howard County.

"We will have a little bit of everything for everyone, and all the proceeds will go

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Obituaries

Bryan Carr



Bryan Carr, 90, of Big Spring, died Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2018. Memorial services will be noon Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018, at the Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park.

He was born Nov. 4, 1927, in Dawson County, Texas, and married Cozette Greenfield Dec. 29, 1976, in Coahoma. Bryan lived most of his life in Big Spring. He retired from civil service in 1989 after working at Webb Air Force Base, Big Spring and Sheppard Air

Force Base in Wichita Falls, Texas. He was a United States Army veteran and a mem-

ber of Trinity Baptist Church.

Survivors include four step-daughters, Romona

Greenfield Wall all of San Antonio, Lovonda Greenfield Graham and husband, Jim of Fate, and Peggy Greenfield Rhea and husband, Don of Amarillo; a sister-in-law, Barbara Carr of Big Spring; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Cozette; his parents. R. F. and Lillio Carr, two sisters. Ma

Greenfield Pierce and husband, R. Ford and Patsy

his parents, B. F. and Lillie Carr; two sisters, Marie and Louise; three brothers, Dalton, Billy and Jackie Carr.

In lieu of Flowers, the family requests donations

be made to the American Cancer Society, % Vicki Stewart, 6 Coachmans Circle, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

Arrangements for cremation are under the direc-

tion of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory with graveside rites and interment at Trinity Memorial Park.

Paid Obituary

Cindy Parrish Klaus Cindy Parrish Klaus, 63, of



Condy Parrish Klaus, 63, of Coahoma, died Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2018, at her residence. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018, at the First Baptist Church in Big Spring with Mark Strickland and Rev. Elwin Collom officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

She was born Sept. 23, 1954,

in Big Spring to Charley and Jo Parrish. She graduated from Coahoma High School in 1973 and had worked for Whiting Oil and Gas and Legacy Reserves for many years. Cindy was an avid Coahoma Bulldog fan, enjoyed NASCAR and fishing, and loved anything Harley-Davidson.

Survivors include her husband, Randy Klaus of Coahoma; two sons, Justun Lloyd and wife, Mandi Towner and Jeremy Klaus and wife, Katrice all of Big Spring; two daughters, Ka'Lee Lloyd of Coahoma and Staci Lloyd of Big Spring; four grandchildren, Kevin, Kade, Breanna and Willis; four siblings, Charles Parrish and wife, Bettye of Coahoma, Bobbie Nell Smith of Cleburne, Jake Parrish and wife, Janie of Coahoma and Gary Parrish and wife, Debbie of Big Spring; numerous nieces and nephews; and her 10 fur babies.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a grandson, Michael Klaus; and siblings, Ken Parrish, Marie Hazelwood and Barb Parrish.

If you ride a motorcycle, the family encourages you to join them for one last ride with Cindy.

The family suggests memorials to Happy Days

The family suggests memorials to Happy Days Humane Society, P. O. Box 2009, Big Spring, Texas 79721-2009.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid Obituary

Joan "Jody" Jenkins Miller



Joan "Jody" Jenkins Miller passed from this life and on to her final chapter on Sept. 10, 2018. Joan was born March 22,

1933, in Abilene, Texas, to Melville and Manny Jenkins, the youngest of seven siblings and for many years called Big Spring, Texas, home, finally ending up for the last 40 years in Houston, Texas. She spent much of the 1970s in Scotland and the Middle East where

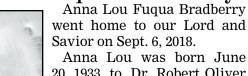
her husband, Willard Miller, Sr. worked. Settling in Houston in 1980, Joan, also called Jody, began working in Property Management of apartment complexes as well as other jobs until she retired in 2013. Joan was the mother of three children – Rita Dykes of Big Spring, Texas (deceased), Gina Miller of Houston, Texas, and Willard (Skipper) Miller, Jr. of San Antonio, Texas. She was very close to her oldest grandson, Stuart Shane Dietz of Melrose, New Mexico and called herself the mother of her beloved Schnauzer, Trey who preceded her in death by one month.

Jody enjoyed life and had many friends throughout her life. She loved her family and friends, Jesus, John Wayne, country music, dancing, cold beer and Coca-Cola.

She was preceded in death by her parents; three brothers; three sisters; her husband; and eldest daughter. Joan/Jody/Mother/Mamaw will be missed by her remaining two children, four grand-children, six great-grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews, friends and former co-workers. We wish her fair winds, following seas and Godspeed.

Paid Obituary

Anna Lou Fuqua Bradberry



20, 1933, to, Dr. Robert Oliver Fuqua and Clara "Sugar" Pauline (Pierson) Fuqua.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Big Spring.

Anna Lou was a "perpetual student", earning her Bachelor's degree from Hardin Simmons University in 1953, a Master's from North Texas

State in 1955 and a Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in 1973, from North Texas State University. Anna Lou held teaching positions at Hardin Simmons University and Howard College.

Anna Lou Bradberry lived in Big Spring, Texas, where she cared for her husband, "Bob" who preceded her in death on March 25, 1986. In 2010, she joined her son, Benjamin, in Wesley Chapel, Florida where she remained the rest of her life.

Survivors include her son, Benjamin Mark (Kari Lea) Bradberry; of Wesley Chapel, Florida; son Thomas Oliver Bradberry of Big Spring; sister Roberta (Duane) McQueen of Lubbock; nieces Clarissa (Keith) Bell and Tara (Michael) Williams both of Lubbock; several great nieces and nephews as well as many cousins.

Graveside services will be held at Gentry's Mill cemetery at 2 p.m., on Sept. 17, 2018.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to Gulfside Hospice, 2061 Collier Parkway, Land O' Lakes, Florida, 34639 for without them caring for Anna Lou would not have been possible.

Paid Obituary

Sheriff Reports

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 71 inmates at the time of this report.

• MICHAEL RAY BURCHAM, 42, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of assault class c.

• **DOMINGO CASTILLO**, 47, was arrested by BSPD on a war-

rant of bail jumping and failure to appear.

• ERICK SHERROD FRANKS, 43, was arrested by HCSO on a warrant of assault causes bodily

• AUSTIN MICHAEL HEN-SON, 20, was arrested by DPS on a charge of possession of controlled substance less than one gram.

• JOHNNY LEE JUAREZ, 36,

was arrested by HCSO on a warrant of possession of marijuana less than two ounces.

• CAMERON EDWARD MORRELLI, 28, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• THOMAS JACOB NE-GRETE, 34, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

Fire, EMS Reports

Big Spring Fire Department/ EMS reported the following activity:
• MEDICAL CALL was report-

- ed in the 500 block of Owens. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 5200 block of Dawson. One person was transported to
- Scenic Mountain Medical Center
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 300 block of E St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 2500 block of Langlet.
 No one was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1800 block of N HWY 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 4200 block of Birch. No one was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Dan Newsom

Dan Newsom, 68, of Big Spring, died Thursday, Sept. 13, 2018, at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mary Grace Jackson

Mary Grace Jackson, 47, of Big Spring, died Thursday, Sept. 13, 2018. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Norma Perkins



Norma Perkins died Tuesday, Sept. 12, 2018, at the age of 94. Graveside services will be 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018, at Mt. Olive Memorial Park with Rev. Billy Guy officiating.

The family will receive friends from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14, 2018, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She was born Dec. 13, 1923, in Agra, Oklahoma, to Lewis She married Noah Perkins Jan.

and Gladys Brock. She married Noah Perkins Jan. 14, 1942, in Pawnee, Oklahoma. Norma was a loving wife, mother and homemaker, and has resided in Big Spring since 1952.

She volunteered with Big Spring RSVP for 21 years, and especially enjoyed delivering lunches to the homebound on the North side of town. She felt blessed to be called by some as "Little Miss Sunshine"; that phrase described her life very well. She was a member of East Fourth Street Baptist Church from 1952 until they recently closed, and currently attended Big Spring Full Gospel Fellowship Church. Through her years she had occasion to teach Sunday school and VBS, and lived a life of strong faith in our God and Savior.

Norma is survived by her three sons, Elton Perkins and wife, Hanne, William Perkins, and Dwight Perkins and wife, Debbie; seven grandchildren, Dani Willett and husband, Rick, Suzy Keller and husband, John, Jayden Perkins and wife, Sandra, Angelina Oncken, Emily Malone and husband, Matthew, Claire Watson and husband, Jim, and Audrey Bellomo and husband, Tony; 12 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild; a sister, Danna Walker and husband, Jim; a brother, Leon Brock and wife, Marti; brothers-inlaw, Charles Anderson and wife, Judy and Jesse Ray Perkins and wife, Betty; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; four sisters; and two brothers.

Norma was richly favored throughout her life with wonderful health, family and faith. Welcome home, Norma.

The family suggests memorials to Guide Dog Foundation, 371 E. Jericho Turnpike, Smithtown, New York 11787

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

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Support Groups

FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faithbased addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m.- 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

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Everyone knew that, if either one of those schools or both had not met standards, TEA would have been involved with our school district. So I am so excited and so proud of those people who put in the time and the effort to make sure that our schools came out of IR, and did a great job for our kids.'

In other business, the school board accepted donations from groups.

In other business, the school board accepted donations from SM Energy and Big Spring's First Christian Church. For the past couple of

years, SM Energy has been a supporter of robotics programs in Big Spring schools. At the meeting, the company presented BSISD with a check for \$10,000 to help expand the robotics program into fifth and sixth grade classes at Big Spring Intermediate School.

Following the presentation from SM Energy, members of First Christian Church donated \$4,000 to the district to help provide supplementary food for students involved in school or extracurricuThe school board also:

 Heard a report from Howard County Elec-Administrator Jodi Duck regarding planned changes to local elections procedures, including the establishment of voting centers which would do away with assigned precinct voting locations and allow voters to cast ballots at any of four centers countywide; and new electronic voting machines being put in place that will also print a paper ballot as a failsafe mea-

- Approved expedited and general staff waiv-
- Approved an adjunct faculty agreement with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service; Discussed and ap-
- proved a corrective action plan for the district's results on the Performance-Based Monitoring Analysis System (PBMAS) with regards to TEA's monitoring visit to the dis-
- Held a closed executive session discussion on IT Director Corey employment Wood's

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helping deaf and hard-of-hearing students. A few of the planned events are still waiting on the offiicial "ok" before they can confirm the rest of the events.

"Its a very busy time of year, and the staff and I are working hard to make sure all of these events go as planned. We are still waiting to hear back about a few of the activities we are planning,"Assistant to Administrative Dean and interpreter, Shannon Creswell said.

Although not all of the details have been released on some of the activities, Shannon Creswell did explain a bit about the American Sign Language (ASL)/Deaf Night Out at Starbucks on September 27. From 6 to 8 p.m

" Folks are more than welcome to come out. There is typically a lot of hearing impaired there that can teach a bit of sign language and help you understand a little more about their culture. SW-CID Alumnus, and Starbucks Barista Heather Trojan will be our barista for the night. It is going to be a wonderful opportunity to meet some really great people and enjoy drinks at Starbucks," Creswell

With approximately 1 million deaf people across all age groups and people continuing to struggle, SWCID is a very important and special school that keeps doing a job that isn't found in many locations around the world, which is what makes these

events so important. "This event is nationwide, although it is something that takes place on different weeks in different areas, it is something that a lot of people really put a ton of effort in when it comes to raising

awareness," Creswell added. For more information on SWCID's Deaf Awareness Week celebration, please contact the school at 432-264-3700.

turn in for previous events that help

bring the community together while

raising donations. It would be a bless-

ing for an even better turnout to benefit

Alvarez has been apart of The Relay

for Life Team for over ten years. Al-

varez and her two co-captains, Jessica

DeLosSantos and Andrea Galvan, work

together with numerous volunteers to

make this event come together and hap-

"Your donations to Relay For Life help the American Cancer Society fund

groundbreaking cancer research, criti-

those in the Cancer Society."

Big Spring band throws down for competition's final show



HERALD photo/Tyler Schellie

The band Big Spring gave an exciting performance to a packed venue at the Train Car for the final week of Downtown Throwdown, a battle of the bands competition that has taken place every Thursday night for the last six weeks. The winner will open for Diamond Rio and Tracy Byrd at Country on the Rocks.

10 Things to Know for Today

Your daily look at latebreaking news, upcoming events and the stories that will be talked about today:

FLORENCE MAKES LANDFALL IN NORTH CAROLINA WITH 90 MPH WINDS

The storm has already inundated coastal streets with water from the Atlantic and left tens of thousands without pow-

AP EXPLAINS HOW HURRICANES **POWERFUL** WINDS RAISE THE SEA

Storm surges are more like domes of high waocean spreads inland.

Mangkhut to evacuate. retained its ferocious populated coastal provinces in the Philippines, where a massive evacuation was underway.

4. WHERE CIVIL WAR HAS CREATED A POCKET OF FAMINE

Many families with starving children in northern Yemen have nothing to eat but the leaves of a local vine, boiled into a sour, acidic green paste, The AP finds.

5. FOR PRESIDENT, THE NUMBERS DON'T ADD UP

Donald Trump is disputing the official death count from Hurricane Maria and falsely accusing Democrats of inflating the Puerto Rican toll to make him "look as bad as possible."

6. GAS BLASTS WREAK DEADLY HAVOC IN **NEW ENGLAND**

Explosions an official described as "Armageddon" killed a teenager, injured at least 10 other people and ignited fires in at least 39 homes in three communities north of Boston.

7. WHO DEFEATED A FORMER STAR OF



Crews work to knock down a fire in Lawrence, Mass., Thursday, Sept. 13, 2018. The company that owns Columbia Gas says ter is destructive waves its crews are performing safety checks on top that form as the after a series of fires and explosions erupted in three communities north of Boston. can unit says it will end 3. SOUTHEAST ASIA Authorities are blaming over-pressurized global production of the ALSO HIT BY CATA- gas lines and previously told all residents third-generation Beetle STROPHIC WEATHER with Columbia Gas service in those areas in July 2019 after offer-

'SEX AND THE CITY"

Seeking a third term, New York Gov. Andrew Cuomo has easily beaten back a primary challenge from activist and actress Cynthia Nixon.

8. POSSIBLE SUM-MIT SEQUEL IN THE

Donald Trump wants to meet with Kim Jong Un again, and the North Korean leader has told the White House he'd like more face-to-face talks with the American president, but can it be in New

York? 9. WHICH ICONIC VEHICLE IS BEING **SQUASHED**

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strength and slightly shifted toward more densely 10. AWARDS DISTINGUISH WACKY SCI-

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ers & Smith Chapel.

Mary Grace Jackson, 47, died Thursday. Services

prevention initiatives, and so much Expires 9-30-18 pending. more," said Alvarez. "We encourage Continued from Page 1 the community to get out and see what Need a Lift? to the American Cancer Society," said we have in store. Not only may you find Julie Alvarez. "We had a really good something you love, but it will be help-



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Psalm 91: 14-16



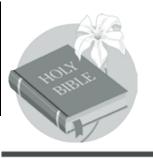
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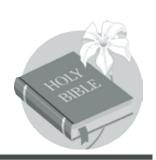
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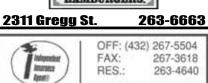
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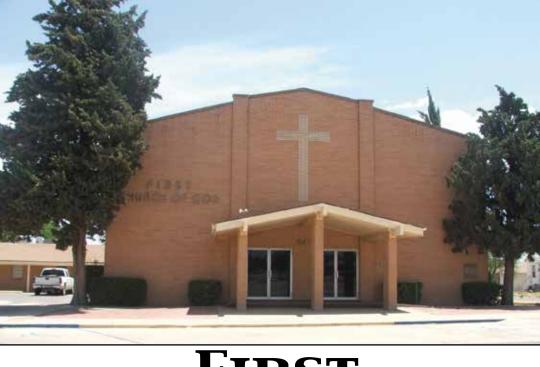
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Reflections: Handling Rejection

Everyone has felt rejection. For many it is first encountered on the playground. Children choosing their friends or choosing teams until one remains, unchosen, unwanted, rejected.

We discover life can be like musical chairs. When the music stops there is no place to sit. All the included places are taken.

Sometimes it comes with our first applications for college. For a few, colleges and universities line up with scholarships and offers, but most must deal with rejection. Most of us have known the uncertainty of a job search. The series of rejections from interviews can be devastating to our ego. Forced into a situation where self-confidence is essential, we become anything but. Door-to-door salesmen are familiar

with rejection. It is part of the job. So are politicians and would be writers. How many ways can we be turned down and

Perhaps most devastating of all is a rejection

by those who are close to us. The rejection of a mother or father, son or daughter, or spouse. These can cause wounds that last a lifetime. It might help to realize we have company.

When we are rejected we are not alone. When Herman Melville wrote Moby Dick, his

work was turned down by multiple publishers. It was finally accepted by Bently & Son who asked, "Does it have to be a whale?" Nevertheless they published the classic on the condition that Melville pay for the typesetting and plating himself. When 25-year-old Hemmingway wrote The Sun also Rises one publisher responded, "I find your work both tedious and offensive."

Joseph was rejection by his brothers and sold into slavery in Egypt. Paul was rejected often, stoned and left for dead, driven from city to city and imprisoned. Jesus' own brothers refused

to believe in Him and His closest disciples abandoned Him. He was "despised and rejected, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief." (Isaiah 53:3). But, when we experience rejection by

family, friend or the world, we can rest knowing that there is One who will not abandon us. "Can a woman forget her nursing child, and have no compassion on the son of her womb? Even these may forget, but I will not forget you. Be- $\mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{ILL}}$ hold I have inscribed you on the palms of my hands." (Isaiah 49:15-16). Jesus constantly included those who

were rejected: the Samaritan woman, Zacchaeus, the blind beggar, the woman caught in the act of adultery, lepers

and the Gadarene demoniac. Though others might reject you, Jesus will by no means turn you away. If we come to Him in simple faith and confession, He will receive us. We can say with the Apostle Paul, "Having

predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved." (Ephesians 1:5-6)

Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. This week's column is written in response to a reader's request. To suggest a subject email bill@tinsleycenter.com.



By DR. LILLIAN **BOHANNAN**

I remember as a child of nine years old, lying in bed beside my older sister on the front screened in porch in the late summer. We had just gone to bed, and in my mind's eye, I could see Jesus, God, and the universe all in one thought. I knew they had something to do with each other. I wasn't sure what, and my nineyear old mind couldn't understand it all. I was frightened and started crying.

My sister asked me, "Why are you crying?"

I told her what had happened. She said, "You just got saved." Well, I didn't have any idea what she was talking about as she hurried me into Mom's room and declared I had just gotten saved. Mom was really excited because she thought my sister had just led me to the Lord.

I went along with everything they said and even told the pastor of our little church. He asked me if I believed in Jesus, if I knew He died for me, and did I want to be baptized. Of course I said yes.

At twelve I was baptized and spent most of my days down at the church. I went to Sunday School, Training Union, three church services every week, vacation Bible school, and every revival that came to town. When I was 17, I went to a

Christian College in Southern California, Minored in Bible, and majored in Social Work. I even married a preacher boy. So I was very saturated with God's people and church.

I tell you all this to let you know, none of this was going to get me to Heaven.

When I was twenty-four, that was fifty years ago, in

January 1969, I was the social chairman of our women's group at church. I had asked a young man from my college to speak on the Christian coffee houses he ran in our town.

He came that night and I

heard nothing about the coffee houses. His first question was all I could think about. "Are you 100% sure you are going to Heaven when you die?"

The more I



thought about that question, the more unsure I was. I just couldn't get it out of my mind. So after the meeting I went back to my apartment, got down on my knees, and told God, "If I am not a Christian, please

That night I became very Corinthians 15) I became 100% sure I am going to Heaven when I die.

When I asked my pastor to baptize me the next Sunday morning, he almost refused to believe I had just gotten saved because I was a great fake. I lived for church. And he tried to talk me out of being baptized, thinking I was

Now my life is meant to live for Jesus, in the best possible way. He is my Help, because there is no other. Try Him you might just like it as much as I do! Maybe even more!!! Remember, "...every knee shall bow, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord."(Philippians 2 9-11)



sure that "...Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures: and that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures:..." (I

make me one, right now."

a little bit crazy.

Alive in Christ Lutheran Church

Church News

Alive in Christ Lutheran Church LCMS Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost September 16, 2018 'Celebrating and Sharing God's Love and Grace in We are located at 2805 Lynn Drive in the Kent-

wood Neighborhood in Big Spring. If you would like to reach Pastor Lamb or the church office, please call (432) 264-7818, or e-mail us at aliveinchristtx@gmail.com.

Bible Study and Sunday School begin at 9:30 a.m. and our Sunday Service begins at 10:30 a.m. If you are new to the area or haven't been to church before or in a while, please accept this as an invitation to join us this Sunday.

Our Wednesday Evening Bible Study has started again.. We have a meal from 5:30-6:30pm and Bible Study begins at 6:30pm. Please come and join us.

Bill Dorey will present the scripture readings this week.

Tune in to KBYG every morning for a devotional sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Tune in to 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 and 6:50 each morning for these wonderful devotions: "Morning Meditation Thoughts". Also tune in every Sunday morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church

St. Mary's Episcopal Church welcomes all to participate in our services. We are located North of the High School on Goliad Street (1001 S. Goliad), and would love to have you

visit. Sunday services begin at 10:30 a.m. followed by brunch in the Parish Hall. On Wednesday's we have Bible study and coffee in the morning at 10:30 a.m. and evening we have Evening prayer, dinner, and book study starting at 5:30 p.m. What a great opportunity to have meaningful fellowship and develop relationships with people who have a common interest, following the steps of Christ. Please come and join us for a time of worship and fellowship in a place that welcomes all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

First Presbyterian Church On Wednesday the Lection-

ary Bible Study, led by Tom

Koger and Mike Robinson, meets at 5 p.m. in the church library. The Chancel Choir rehearses on Wednesday at 6 p.m. The Sunday afternoon Handbell Choir and Children's Choir sessions begin this Children's Sunday School resume September 16.

During the first Sundays, the children will begin work on the box that will be used for the Advent season - "A Living Advent Calendar." They will gather materials needed to present the Sunday Children's Moments during Advent. The Service Committee showed the movie Won-

der, starring Julia Roberts, Owen Wilson, and Jacob Tremblay, at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 11, in the theater room. Popcorn and drinks were furnished during the movie, and the Committee provided pizza afterward. People of all ages were welcomed.

Presbyterian Women will begin their new season with a Kick-Off Brunch at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, Sept. 25, in the church parlor. A short business meeting

will follow the meal; then the group will move to the theater room to watch the first lesson in the DVD study God's Promise: I Am with You by Amy Poling Sutherlun. The regular Stated Session Meeting is set

for Monday, September 17 at 6 p.m. in the church library. All session members are urged to attend.

Paula Farquhar will provide refreshments for Take Ten this week. Helen Glass is Lector for September Ushers last week were Vicki McLean, Louise Hitch, Danny Kennemur, and Jim Little

The lectionary passages for the Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost (or Twentyfourth Sunday in Ordinary Time) are Proverbs 1:20-33; Psalm 19; James 3:1-2; Mark 8:27-38. Bob Alexander, Commissioned Ruling Elder, will deliver the sermon. The Chancel Choir opens worship with the introit, "We All Believe in One True God," by Tobias Clausnitzer. The Choir will present "The Servant Song" as the anthem and "God Is

Here!" as the offertory anthem.

Please note that our worship service begins at 10:50 a.m. for announcements and parish concerns before our radio broadcast starts at 11.

If you cannot attend worship, you may listen in on KBST 1490 AM, beginning at 11 a.m. If you wish to have a printed bulletin for Sunday services, please call the church office at 263-4211. You may also see what's happening at the church by visitat 6:00pm with our Fellowship Meal in our Misfits lounge. Praise & Worship will start promptly at 7 p.m. in the Main Sanctuary followed by our Breakout sessions @7:20 p.m. Breakout session schedules can be picked up at the Front Office or Kiosk station.

Starfish Program- Our STARFISH program is a tutoring program that assists 3rd grade children by offering Christian character building principles; academic tutoring; and remedial & reinforcement

assistance. We meet at Washington Elementary each

Tuesday & Thursday from 4-5 p.m. We are still needing volunteers. If you are interested in being a part and are willing and available to serve in this powerful ministry to our community we would love to hear from you. Contact Kathryn Lane 512-577-0132 or Stacey Munsell 432-935-1151

Monday, Oct. 8th - Let's hear it for the girls! Join us for our Women's Far Above Rubies night. We will be gathering at Debbie Reiger's home from 6-8pm. We welcome women of all ages to join us for an evening of laughter, fun and fellowship with sisters in Christ. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share, meat will be provided. If you need more in-

formation, contact Debbie Reiger @432-935-1257 Van transportation- We have an active Van Min-

istry that picks-up on Sundays for our 11 a.m. Worship Service. If you are needing a ride please contact the church offices. Cornerstone Covenant Church (CCC) is a uni-

fied, spirit-led, purpose-driven church, which cultivates an atmosphere of faith so that lives can be transformed by Jesus Christ. Please join us every Sunday at 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for worship services. CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office

hours or other questions please contact our Administrative Office at 432.264.0015 or email us at info@ cccbigspring.org. You can also find us at facebook. com/CCCBigSpring or visit us at www.cccbigspring.org if you would like more information.



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Cornerstone Covenant Church We at Cornerstone Covenant Church would love

the opportunity to Connect with YOU! Please join us this week at one of the following events: Sunday, September 16th- Join us this Sunday at

our 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship service. Come on out as you can expect biblical teaching & preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit filled praise & worship. We would love the opportunity this Sunday to share what God has for you, and get to know you better.

Sunday, Sept. 30th- Join us 5th Sunday for our CHOSEN GENERATION YOUTH TAKE OVER. Youth will be serving in multiple areas in ministry so come on out as we encourage & empower the next generation.

Fall Breakout Session- Join us each Wednesday See CHURCH, Page 6 for our Mid-Week Breakout Sessions. We will start



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College Baptist Church

College Baptist Church would love to meet with you as our visitors and friends on the corner of 11th Place and Birdwell Lane, Sunday Morning at 9:15 for Sunday School, 10:45 for Worship, R.A.'s and G.A.'s meet at 5 p.m., then again at 6 p.m. for Sunday night service. Wednesday, Youth meetings, King's Kids, Wee singers, and prayer and Bible study for Adults all meet at 7 p.m. Thanking the Lord for the area-wide revival that happened this week in area Baptist Churches of Howard County. We met at College Baptist with Bro. Michael Seay of Midway Baptist Church on Sunday night. He preached on 2 Chronicles 7:14 and the Recipe for Revival. Monday night Bro. Mark Lindsey from First Baptist Church Big Spring, preached on the Seed of Revival from James 4:17, and Joel 2:12. Tuesday night at Midway Baptist Church, Bro. Jonathan Brinlee, of Salem Baptist Church, preached on the Fruits of a Christian, from Matthew 7:13-23, and Galatians 5:13-26. His sermon on being a 'Christian in Name Only' hit home to the hearts of the people in attendance. Wednesday evening our own Bro. Ken McMeans from College Baptist preached at First Baptist Church on: I Timothy 6 entitled "Contentment through Submission." The Sermon topics have been uplifting and the attendance at each meeting was phenomenal for Howard County. Please continue in prayer so we can reach our "Jerusalem" for Jesus. Come join us in worship as we praise the Mighty God we serve. Please call: 432-267-7429, for more information about this great

First United Methodist Church

Church.

First United Methodist Church is located just off Gregg Street at the corner of Fourth and Scurry in downtown Big Spring. The usual Sunday Morning Schedule includes the 9 a.m. Traditions Service featuring the pipe organ, Choir, trumpet, and hymns, followed by Sunday School, and then The Bridge service at 11 a.m., which features contemporary music led by a wonderful praise

On Sunday September 16 Pastor Derrell's message entitled "Discipleship Takes Time" is from Mark 4:30-34. Jesus knew how to mentor and teach His disciples 2,000 years ago and He knows

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how to help us mentor and teach His disciples today. What was the key to His plan to build leaders? Church members will continue to share memories of the church's past, current ministries that are changing lives, and hopes for the future of the congregation. The Youth will gather at the Parsonage Sunday at 6 p.m. for games, food, and fellowship. Worship services are broadcast live each Sunday

GOD'S DESIGN FOR MARRIAGE

How do you determine whether something is genuine or fake? Do you have to discover and learn every detail of every fake item in order to figure out if one thing is real or fake? You may have heard or read the illustration of this principle. A Treasury Department counterfeit specialist was asked how she was able so quickly to identify a fake bill. Her reply was not that she had spent so many countless hours study-

ing every known counterfeit but, that she and her coworkers had studied what real, paper currency was like in every detail so that, when presented with a fake piece of money, they quickly knew it was not genuine. When it comes to false teaching, or

teaching that is not genuine, you first must have a standard by which you may determine whether something is the real thing or not. The standard for truth that we must look to is the Bible. Even when

Jesus' teachings were attacked, he would go back to the Scriptures as the foundation. How well do we know the Bible? Do we know it well enough to be able to identify false teaching when it is presented as truth?

Matthew 19:1-6, Now when Jesus had finished these sayings, he went away from Galilee and entered the region of Judea beyond the Jordan. And large crowds followed him, and he healed them there. And Pharisees came up to him and tested him by asking, "Is it lawful to divorce one's wife for any cause?" He answered, "Have you not read that he who created them from the beginning made them male and female, and said, "Therefore a man shall leave his father

and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh'? So they are no longer two but one flesh. "What therefore God has joined together, let no man separate." (ESV)

Jesus didn't use their traditions as the standard. Jesus didn't tell them to follow their hearts and their feelings. Jesus didn't try to reassure them that ultimately God just wanted them to be

> happy. No, Jesus quoted from the Scriptures, because they were (and still are) the standard by which we must do things. Our first consideration Jesus goes back to the very beginning, to creation itself. According to God's design, marriage should be between one man and one woman. In other words, Biblical marriage is hetero-

Jesus again quotes from Genesis and Surles explains that marriage is the foundation for the family. This model is then reproduced as a man (being the product of one

family) comes of age and leaves that home while

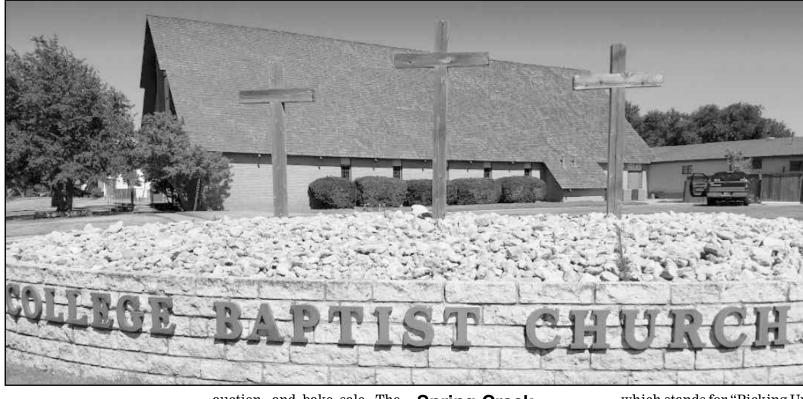
a woman (being the product of another family)

comes of age and leaves her family, and they are joined together by a bond which God states is intended to be permanent. We can sum it up and say that God's design for marriage is one man and one woman for life. Instead of immediately saying, "I don't think that

is right," let's remember that God's word is the

Greg Surles Preacher Birdwell Lane church of Christ

standard and not what we think or feel.



at 11 a.m. on radio station KXCS-105.5 FM. You can also find the service live streamed on our Facebook page at First United Methodist Church Big Spring. You can watch previous worship service videos on that Facebook page including recordings of our Christmas program, "Our Savior."

The Wednesday Noon Bible Study meets for lunch and a study in Garrett Hall on Wednesdays. The meal is served at 11:50 a.m. for \$5. The group is currently studying the Book of Acts.

Real Life Wednesday night sessions resume this week. Jr. High Youth meet at 6 p.m. on Wednesdays, and Sr. High Youth meet at 7:30 p.m.; both groups meet in the Partee Building. Choir rehearsal is on Wednesdays at 6:00 PM. Rehearsal for "Our Savior"

is from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. "Our Savior", the Christmas program, is scheduled performances December 1st and 2nd. The Praise Team rehearses at 7

"Lord's Acre" is set for Sunday, Sept. 30. Every two years the "Lord's Acre" raises extra funds missions and ministries through a steak meal, a silent auction, a live

auction, and bake sale. The community is invited to all the "Lord's Acre" activities. Tickets for the Steak Meal are currently on sale.

A new class of "Financial Peace University" began on Monday, Sept. 10. Dave Ramsey's FPU has changed the lives of many families as they find freedom from debt and learn how to handle money God's way.

In Jan. 2019 "Celebrate Recovery" will be offered to the community for individuals and families who seek relief and healing from hurts, habits, and hang-ups. More details will be given in the coming months.

For more information on any activity, please visit the website at www.fumcbs.com or phone the church office at 432-267-6394.

Spring Creek Fellowship

KID CONNECT/GOSPEL PROJECT FOR KIDS

This Sunday, Sept. 16, 2018, Sin Entered the World, Gen-

Children's Church is a great place for your child to learn and play while you enjoy Worship! We are excited about this new ministry for children ages K through 4th grade! We will be building on our Kid Connect lessons. Please bring your children for the fun and learning!

All men are invited to the weekly Men's Prayer Breakfast on Saturdays at 7:30 a.m. at Evita's Restaurant in the mall. Then they head to the church for prayer. Please join us!

There is a new sisterhood for widows in our community. This group is called "PUP"

which stands for "Picking Up Pieces." All widows in Big Spring and the surrounding areas are welcome! Meetings will be held the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at 6 p.m. and dinner will be served. We would love to see you there! For address or more info, please contact the

church office. The Taylor School of Ministry will begin a new session soon. This session will address "How to Study the Bible". If you are interested, please contact Derrick Loo-

ney or the church office. **Operation Christmas Child** is already in full swing! If you would like more information about how to help with this ministry, contact Sue Smith.

The Pain Management Class meets Tuesdays at

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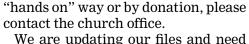
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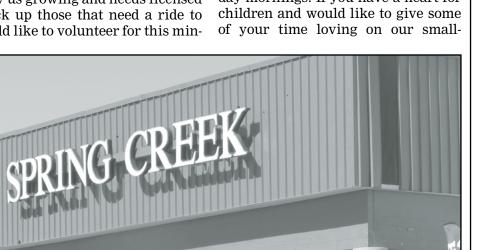
6 p.m. If you have chronic pain and would like to learn how to manage it, please attend this class. It meets in Room 4 of the Adult Connections Classrooms in the Mall.

Our Van Ministry us growing and needs licensed drivers to help pick up those that need a ride to church. If you would like to volunteer for this min-



your help to make sure we have the correct information for you and your family. Please contact the church of-

Our Nursery needs workers on Sunday mornings. If you have a heart for



istry, contact the church office.

Volunteers are needed for "Our Daily Bread" Food Pantry to unload trucks on Wednesdays before they are open on the weekend. Hours are on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. If you are in need of food, please come see us! We are in the mall. Go in the door where the movie theater is located and we are in the first spot on the left! If you are interested in volunteering with the "Blessing Box" ministry or the "Our Daily Bread Food Pantry" ministry, please contact Kay Elder.

Donations are needed for our Blessing Box placed outside in front of the church. This ministry is separate from "Our Daily Bread" and is supported completely by donations of nonperishable foods. Please consider donating nonperishable food items on a regular basis if you are able! Everyone is welcome to take what they need and donations are greatly appreciated.

"People Caring for People" is a ministry serving widows in our area with small projects and "honey do" kinds of things. This ministry has no operating budget, so repairs are made with donations. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, either in a

est members, please contact Lauren Bratcher.

We have an "App" for your convenience. It is easy to work with and has many applications. Go to your App Store, search for "The Church App" and download. Then search for "Spring Creek Fellowship Texas." That should take you to our Home

Weekly Happenings:

Sunday-9:15-10:15 a.m.-Sunday School/Connection Groups

10:15 a.m.-10:45 a.m.- "Holy Grounds Café" is open with coffee, drinks and fellowship.

10:45 a.m.-noon-Worship Service 10:45 a.m.-noon-Children's Church 5 p.m. Prayer Meeting

6 p.m.- Pain Management Class-Room 4

7 p.m.-Women's Bible Study-Beautiful Outlaw Wednesday-Community Groups-various times and places

Chief Of Sinners

1 Timothy 1:15 "This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am

Someone asked me what I would consider myself to be - a missionary, a conference speaker, a pastor? Yes, I do partake in these religious activities and obligations, but I don't find my identity in

Broken, distressed, indebted and discontented – these are the words that would best describe me.

I say these things about myself because purity, faithfulness and obedience are not my forte. I say these things because my identity is God's scandalous, all-encompassing grace. I readily identify with what one pastor says - I'm so fake, I can hardly stand myself. I know, ministers are not supposed to confess intimate stuff about their personal

But let me tell you why I do

I do it because I am a beggar telling other beggars where I

> found bread. I am an intense sinner telling other sinners where I find forgiveness, rest, mercy, grace and peace. I cannot teach you how to be a good spouse to your mate, or a good parent to your child. Neither can I teach you how to stop sinning, be more faithful or loving. What I can tell you is this - Christ receiveth sinful men

even me with all my sin. And if He has received me with all my sin, He can, will and has received you because He said - all those that come to me, I will in no wise cast out. So yes, while I may occasion-

ally wear the religious robes of missionary, pastor or conference speaker, the truth of the matter is that I am chief of sinners. But He loves me and gave Himself for me.

7 p.m.-Men's Bible Study-Kingdom Disciples

7:30 a.m.-Men's Prayer Breakfast. Breakfast at Evita's Restaurant in the mall and prayer at the If you would like any further information regard-

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I will choose God over country faster than you can say treason

It seems people are more concerned about a football player kneeling during the national anthem than standing for Biblical truth. It also seems people are more worried about a business decision to use a person

who has peacefully protested practices he believes are immoral and unethical than they are about standing for God. I've seen recent social

media posts by friends and family showing disdain for Colin Kaepernick's decision to begin kneeling during the anthem in protest of the the oppression of people of color in the United States and ongoing issues with police brutality. Though he sought the approval from many veterans, people despise his protest, which on the national stage has been seen as being disrespectful to the military and the nation. So they protest the NFL and a sports

brand.

If we saw aggressive

compassion for Jesus rather than a divisive issue, we might worry less about such issues because they most likely would not exist.

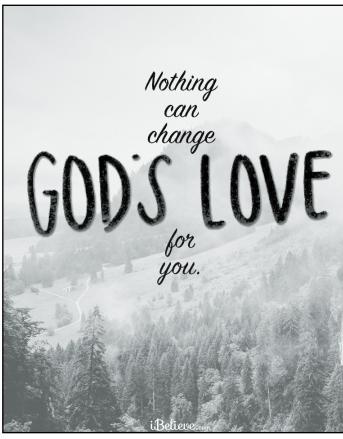
How many have made this Nike campaign into a bigger deal than it should be, but say nothing about the Catholic church's sex

Yet as members of the Catholic church are protesting across the United States, speaking out against sexual abuse by church leadership, crickets chirp on social media. There's an eerie

silence, aside from angry posts about Kaepernick kneeling and the occasional Tasty recipe.

for survivor justice, transparency, accountability and civil recourse," according to Washington's Top News regarding the

"The campaign is pushing in Christ, the righ-



allegations against the Catholic

"Lorenz says they are also calling out leaders within the church, including Cardinal Donald Wuerl and Cardinal Theodore McCarrick."

It seems people have forgotten we are "one nation under God." They have forgotten that God comes before country. "Indeed, I count everything as

loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suf-

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> teousness from God that depends faith — that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death." Philippians 3:8-10.

We should care more about God than we do about one guy upset with social injustice. That does not mean we should not care about righting injustice. It means we should look at the situation the way God does.

No brand, sports star or country should be shipped as an idol. Remember, God has

told us idoltry is a sin.

Patriotism is love for one's country and there is nothing wrong with loving your country.

I love the USA and am ecstatic about the freedoms we all share. However, if it comes between God and my country, I'll choose God faster than you can say treason. Trent Reed is a staff writer

for The Paris News. He may be reached at trent.reed@theparisnews.com.

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Local Christian writer creates new study group

Kathleen Maxwell-Rambie wants to help people find a way to bring God into their everyday lives.

It's the first time she has hosted a Bible study since leaving the Christian Women's Job Corps. "A lot of my former cli-

going to teach," she said. "It's been in my heart to do, but in 2015, I was praying one morning, and I saw things in my heart that were desires restoring people's

dignity, helping people restore their value — as I was writing in my journal, I stopped and asked what it looked like — a community Bible study." Since then, Maxwell-

Rambie said she's been waiting for the right time and researching how to put a Bible study together. "I think I teach in a

very transparent and simplistic way," she said. Called The Gathering, the Bible study will start on Sept. 18 and will continue for six to eight weeks.

"My heart is to draw people of different denominations together

and help them understand we serve a fun-loving God who wants a relationship with us," she said. "It's not about reading 50 scriptures a day or saying 20 prayers — it's a relationship."

The study, grew out of columns she ents asked me when I was writes for local papers (including the Kerrville Daily Times), has several goals, including providing practical application of walking with God daily, equipping people to handle life's challenges and encouraging people to understand God's love

> for them. "I think people are looking for practical tools, here's a scripture, but what does that look like?" she said. Maxwell-Rambie, who has also spoken at conferences and in churches, said she feels called to host the Bible study.

> "I want to use the gifts and talents God has given me to reach people and help people," she said. "I love helping people."

So far, 30 people have signed up for the Bible study, which will take place at the Kroc Center chapel.

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No 4 Ohio State's last game minus Meyer a test vs No 15 TCU

By STEPHEN HAWKINS

AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON, Texas — Ohio State has made it through two games fine without Urban Meyer. Now the No. 4 Buckeyes face their toughest test on the last Saturday before their suspended coach can return to the side-

No. 15 TCU (2-0) hasn't faced a disruptive defensive front like Ohio State. But the Buckeyes (2-0), with their very accurate new starting quarterback Dwayne Haskins, also haven't been challenged the way they will be by coach Gary Patterson's 4-2-5 de-

"They have all the answers. Any time a defense has been together that long, they have seen so many different things come their way," Buckeyes acting head coach Ryan Day said. "They make quick adjustments. They know exactly how you're trying to attack them."

Four seasons after Ohio State



TCU head coach Gary Patterson stands with his team before play- everybody knows that TCU is going ing Southern University in an NCAA college football game in to play hard regardless of who we're jumped over Big 12 co-champions Fort Worth, Texas. No. 15 TCU gets another chance for the Big 12 TCU and Baylor for the fourth and against No. 4 Ohio State. The Horned Frogs and Buckeyes will play Saturday night at the home stadium of the NFL's Dallas Cowboys.

final spot in the inaugural College Football Playoff, the Horned Frogs get their shot against the Buckeyes in the same stadium where Meyer led them to a national title.

There has been a building buzz around the TCU campus, only about 20 minutes from AT&T Stadium, but the Frogs don't need this as any kind of measuring stick.

TCU and Ohio State are among only five teams (Alabama, Clemson and Oklahoma are the others) who have finished in the Top 10 in the final AP poll at least three times in the past four years. The Frogs played in the Big 12 championship game last season.

"Everybody that you know of that's come from this program has put TCU where we are, and I don't think any specific game will let you know that we deserve to be at a certain place," senior center Niko Small said. "I think AP photo we've already put the tradition in and

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Texas A&M gets ULM before trip to No. 1 Alabama

By KRISTIE RIEKEN

AP Sports Writer

COLLEGE STATION, Texas — Texas A&M doesn't have a lot of time to worry about its loss to No. 2 Clemson with just one game before the Aggies travel to face top-ranked Alabama.

First, they host Louisiana-Monroe on Saturday with a chance to work on some things before that Sept. 22 trip to with that's gone," coach Jimbo Fisher said. "You can't worry about it. The past's in the past. You learn from it. You move on and you get ready to play Louisiana-Monroe."

The Warhawks, who play in the Sun Belt Conference, enter the game 2-0 after beating Southern Mississippi 21-20 last week. Coach Matt Viator knows his team is facing a huge challenge, and he shared a simple mes-

K-State looks to show toughness against Texas-San Antonio

By DAVE SKRETTA

AP Sports Writer

MANHATTAN, Kan. — The modus operandi of Kansas State over twoplus decades under Bill Snyder has been toughness, a certain physicality not only representative of the Big 12 but of the old-school Big Eight.

The last two weeks? Soft is a better description.

defensive line. We were a little soft in our pass protection. Our quarterbacks, they got people up in their face and they ended up short-arming the ball and consequently throwing bad balls. We have to be firmer up front."

The first opportunity for that comes Saturday against UTSA.

The Roadrunners (0-2) were routed by Arizona State in their opener be-



Texas A&M quarterback Kellen Mond (11) passes down field against Clemson during the first half of an NCAA college football game, in College Station, Texas. Mond turned heads by throwing for a career-high 430 yards as the Aggies came just short of knocking off Clemson last week.

Tuscaloosa.

Texas A&M gave the Tigers a scare last week, losing 28-26 in a game that would likely have gone to overtime had Kellen Mond's 2-point conversion attempt with less than a minute left not been intercepted.

"You have some disappointment and some things you wish you would have done better, but once this film's over sage with his players this week.

"At the least we've got to leave there a better football team and that's at the least," he said. "The only way to do that is you do what you do."

Viator is impressed with how Fisher has already changed the Aggies in his first season there.

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UTSA football takes the field last year in the Chick-fil-A bowl.

The Wildcats struggled to use their size and strength to their advantage in a tight-as-piano wire win over South Dakota to open the season. Then, their veteran offensive line and stout defensive front were pushed around at home by Mississippi State as if the Bulldogs were simply big bullies from the SEC.

"It's not like we got knocked all over the place," Snyder said, "but we didn't get as much push as I would have liked and movement in their fore getting spanked by Baylor last week. They're trying to replace a slew of starters on both sides of the ball. and that has been a work in progress for third-year coach Frank Wilson.

In that respect, Wilson is taking their trip to Manhattan in context.

"It'll test us tremendously. It'll prepare us tremendously," he said. "The key is unscathed, to get out of this non-conference schedule with good health."

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Texas and USC in early-season fight for survival

By JIM VERTUNO

AP Sports Writer

AUSTIN, Texas — A Southern California-Texas rematch was supposed to be an early-season blockbuster. With both programs struggling, it feels more like a fight for survival, and the pressure is mounting to find a win to keep their seasons from spinning off course.

The No. 22 Trojans (1-1) and Longhorns (1-1) meet Saturday night with both teams facing questions about their quarterbacks and how nervous fans would react will react to another loss.

There's little question about the talent in the Trojans' J.T. Daniels, USC's first true freshman starting quarterback in a decade. It's more about how he handles the team in another pressure cooker in front of a loud crowd that will likely approach

Daniels won his debut against UNLV but the offense struggled badly and managed just a field goal in a loss last week at Stanford. Now he faces a Texas defense that harassed and hurried Sam Darnold for most of four quarters last season before the Trojans won in double overtime.

"You just keep playing football," Daniels said. "Just because it hasn't gone good to that point doesn't mean it can't go good at any point. It takes



Texas running back Keaontay Ingram (26) tries to get away from Tulsa linebacker Grant Sawyer (19) during the first half of an NCAA college football game Saturday, Sept. 8, 2018, in Austin, Texas.

one big play and the whole momentum shifts."

Count Texas defensive coordinator Todd Orlando among those impressed by what he's seen of Dan-

"Some of the balls that he throws are better than Sam Darnold did," Orlando said. "I mean, he throws a ball and it's got a tail of smoke coming off of it. He's going to be a special, special player."

At Texas, the problem has been cleaning up a pattern of mistakes by quarterback Sam Ehlinger mostly turnovers — that have been costly.

Ehlinger's turnover issues started against USC last season when he had two, including a fumble in the second overtime that doomed the Longhorns in a 27-24 loss, and it would prove to be a season-long

He worked to clean up the mistakes in the offseason, then threw two fourth-quarter interceptions in a season-opening loss to Maryland. He had a second-half fumble against Tulsa in a game Texas led 21-0 and held on to win 28-21. Ehlinger had a stellar fourth quarter against Tulsa, directing a timechewing drive to the Longhorns' final touchdown.

Second-year Texas coach Tom Herman saw a huge victory slip away in overtime in Southern California last season.

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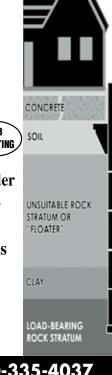
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PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted WITHOUT A HEARING if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848. If you have

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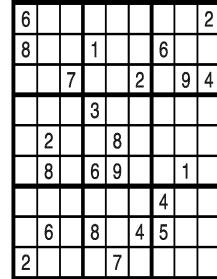
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Contract

By Steve Becker

Test your play

1. You are declarer with the West hand at Three Notrump. North leads the four of spades, and you win South's ten with the king. How would you play the hand? **EAST** WEST

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hand at Six Hearts. North leads the ace of diamonds. How would you play the hand? WEST

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1. The initial question is whether to tackle clubs or diamonds, but it shouldn't take long to recognize the futility of trying to establish clubs. If, say, you led a club at trick two, a spade would come back, and when you led another club, the defenders would cash enough spades to set you. You therefore turn your attention

to diamonds, where you have to decide the best way to tackle the suit. Oddly enough, the correct approach is not to lead a heart to dummy first, which would force you to cash the remaining top hearts prematurely before trying a diamond finesse. Instead, you should lead a low diamond from your hand at trick two, **Tomorrow:** A trap for the unwary.

postponing the diamond finesse until the second round of the suit. After winning the spade return at

trick three, you cash the A-K-Q of hearts and then take the diamond finesse. If South started with two or three diamonds including the king - which is essentially your only chance — you are home.

2. It is impossible to go down unless you lose a spade trick (because South has the king) and a trump trick (because one opponent has all three missing trumps). The problem is to make the slam even if both of these conditions exist.

Ruff the diamond ace and lead a low heart to the king. If both defenders follow, your troubles are over, as you can't lose more than a spade. Now let's assume one defender

shows out on the first trump lead. If it's South, you can pick up North's queen with a finesse. If instead North shows out, you will eventually lose a trump trick, but you will still make the contract by playing the king of diamonds and ace of hearts followed by four rounds of clubs.

If South ruffs a club at any point, he will be forced to make a losing return, while if he does not ruff, you next throw him on lead with a trump to accomplish the same result.

Note that if you play the heart ace rather than the king at trick two, the contract fails if South has the king of spades and no hearts.

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Tolerance Moon

There are those who fear of diversity. The good news is that this condition, which is a sign of insecurity and immaturity, can be outgrown through positive experiences and understanding. The Sagittarius moon encourages us to trust ourselves to react well to the unknown -- a confidence that translates to tolerance of one another's differences. **ARIES (March**

21-April 19). While it's unnerving to lose personal items, it's also an opportunity to put better organizational systems in place. To assign a single resting place for the keys, etc. is to save hours a year searching for things.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20).

Going on a tangent means you're creative and it also (SET ITAL) makes (END ITAL) you creative. Maybe it will require patience from the more linear-minded audience trying to keep up with you, but don't let that deter you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You have what it takes,

By Holiday Mathis

now the trick is

knowing when and how exactly to use it. Timing can make or break this deal, but the good news is, you'll learn either way, and the next deal will come along almost immediately.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Even the interests you are most passionate about can

lose their appeal at times. Daily exposure will do that, but it's not a signal to move on so much as an indication that a zigzag may be in order just to keep it fresh.

LEO (July **23-Aug. 22).** Today will present a case in which sincerity and accuracy will not exactly match up. Nobody's fault, and you're all in the story together. You may

just have to work

out one that can be agreed upon.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Embrace where you're at on the optimism scale, which is determined by both genetics and experience. While obvious benefits befall optimists, there are powerful advantages that go to the trou-

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). To see and deal in objective reality will save you time and money. When presented with a good-looking front, a positive spin or a distracting dance, take it for the red flag that it is.

ble-seers, too.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).

You know who doesn't worry, talk or fuss about being a "good person"? Good people. They know their intentions are benevolent and they don't have to talk about it. Be wary of anyone obsessed with the moral high ground. **SAGITTAR-**

IUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). While it may be scientifically unclear whether satisfied people move more, or movement produces

feelings of satisfac-

tion, the link between

activity and happiness is undeniable. Move and smile.

Tomorrow's Horoscope

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You'll be surrounded by intelligent people. In fact, your presence seems to awaken the intelligence inside others and they'll show you their brightest insights and

moods.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Deep in your heart you feel happy to help. So you don't need the gold star to tell you that people appreciate you. In fact, you might even get greater satisfaction from being invisible in the exchange. **PISCES**

(Feb. 19-March 20). There's an influx of fresh excitement this afternoon that will energize your creativity for weeks to come. Don't worry about keeping anything about this, as trying to hold on to it will be like grasping at water. Just enjoy. TODAY'S

BIRTHDAY (Sept.

14). Take on more than you think you can handle, because you'll grow into responsibilities. Besides, you've been underestimating your talent and luck. A peaceful close

of 2018 allows for

self-education, solo experience and soul searching. The next turn is in a direction vou wouldn't have guessed. Gemini and Sagittarius adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 5, 30, 16, 33 and

WEEKEND **LOVE FORECAST:** ARIES: Maybe you

and a loved one do not fight about money, and yet when you clear the static around your finances, the relationship will get better by extension. TAURUS: Love, like food, is best used for sustenance not entertainment. GEM-INI: Some people's definitions of you have confined you, and others have expanded you. CAN-CER: Because you believe your loved ones can do better, they will. LEO: You'll

be showered with gifts, praise or invitations. Double up the pleasure when you share them. VIR-GO: Even in love it's important to be mind-

ful of your partner's time and protective of your own. LIBRA: You've a great deal of curiosity to satisfy. The adventure begins

SCORPIO: Get your

must-do work out of

the way so you can

devote yourself to

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naturally.

RICORN: A partner needs to listen to you more closely and more often. Do not impart a communication until you have a pers! on's full attention. AQUARIUS: The rules of love, social discourse and even common courtesy will be broken. And that's when the fun starts. PISCES: You'll visit your former life in

love. SAGITTARIUS:

for your relationships

Time for new rules

and yourself. CAP-

some way. COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND: As Sagittarius and Virgo share the same cosmic light this weekend (the Virgo sun bouncing from the archer's moon) there's a kinship that either develops or deepens. For this couple, it's friendship first, an alliance based in refreshing honesty. As a realist, (and perhaps the realist of the zodiac) Virgo is uniquely equipped to both challenge and accept the Sagittarian spirit, as wild as it is

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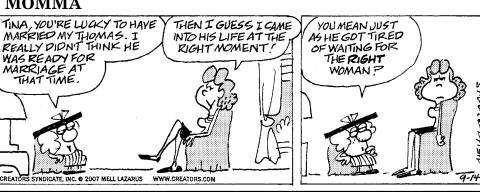


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This Date In History

Today is Friday, Sept. 14, the 257th day of 2018. There are 108 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 14, 1901, President William McKinley died in Buffalo, New York, of gunshot wounds inflicted by an assassin; Vice President Theodore Roosevelt succeeded him.

On this date:

In 1814, Francis Scott Key was inspired to write the poem "Defence of Fort McHenry" (later "The Star-Spangled Banner") after witnessing the American flag flying over the Maryland fort following a night of British naval bombardment during the War of 1812.

In 1861, the first naval engagement of the Civil War took place as the USS Colorado attacked and sank the Confederate private schooner Judah off Pensacola, Florida.

In 1927, modern dance pioneer Isadora Duncan died in Nice (nees), France, when her scarf became entangled in a wheel of the sports car she was riding in.

In 1954, the Soviet Union detonated a 40-kiloton atomic test

weapon. In 1972, the family drama

series "The Waltons" premiered on CBS. In 1975, Pope Paul VI declared

Mother Elizabeth Ann Bayley Seton the first U.S.-born saint.

In 1982, Princess Grace of Monaco, formerly actress Grace Kelly, died at age 52 of injuries from a car crash the day before; Lebanon's president-elect, Bashir Gemayel (bah-SHEER' jeh-MAY'-el), was killed by a bomb.

In 1985, Shiite (SHEE'-eyet) Muslim kidnappers in Lebanon released the Rev. Benjamin Weir (weer) after holding him captive for 16 months.

In 1991, the government of South Africa, the African National Congress and the Inkatha (in-KAH'-tah) Freedom Party signed a national peace pact.

In 1994, on the 34th day of a strike by players, Acting Baseball Commissioner Bud Selig announced the 1994 season was over.

In 2001, Americans packed churches and clogged public squares on a day of remembrance for the victims of the Sept. 11 attacks. President George W. Bush prayed with his Cabinet and attended services at Washington National Cathedral, then flew to New York, where he waded into the ruins of the World Trade Center and addressed rescue workers in a flag-waving, bullhorn-wielding show of resolve.

In 2012, fury over an anti-Muslim film ridiculing the Prophet Muhammad spread across the Muslim world, with deadly clashes near Western embassies in Tunisia and Sudan, an American fast-food restaurant set ablaze in Lebanon, and international peacekeepers attacked in the

Ten years ago: Losing its devastating punch as a major hurricane, Ike nevertheless drubbed the Midwest with powerful winds and floodwaters. Carlos Zambrano pitched the first no-hitter for the Chicago Cubs in 36 years, striking out 10 in a 5-0 win over Houston in a game relocated to Milwaukee because of Hurricane Ike.

Five years ago: A diplomatic breakthrough on securing and destroying Syria's chemical weapons stockpile, negotiated by the U.S. and Russia, averted the threat of U.S. military action. One year ago: CIA Director

Mike Pompeo canceled a planned appearance at Harvard University over the school's decision to name Chelsea Manning a visiting fellow. Former CIA deputy director Mike Morell resigned from his post at Harvard's John F. Kennedy School Government, saying he couldn't be part of an organization that "honors a convicted felon and leaker of classified information." More than 80 people were killed in an attack in southern Iraq targeting a restaurant frequented by Shiite Muslim pilgrims; the Islamic State group claimed responsi-

Today's Birthdays: Actress Zoe Caldwell is 85. Actor Walter Koenig (KAY'-nihg) is 82. Basketball Hall of Fame coach Larry Brown is 78. Singeractress Joey Heatherton is 74. Actor Sam Neill is 71. Singer Jon "Bowzer" Bauman (Sha Na Na) is 71. Actor Robert Wisdom is 65. Rock musician Steve Berlin (Los Lobos) is 63. Country singer-songwriter Beth Nielsen Chapman is 62. Actress Mary Crosby is 59. Singer Morten Harket (a-ha) is 59. Country singer John Berry is 59. Actress Melissa Leo is 58. Actress Faith Ford is 54. Actor Jamie Kaler is 54. Actress

Answer to previous puzzle

Michelle Stafford is 53. Russian Minister Dmitry Medvedev is 53. Rock musician Mike Cooley (Drive-By Truckers) is 52. Actor Dan Cortese is 51. Contemporary Christian singer Mark Hall is Actor-writer-directorproducer Tyler Perry is 49. Actor Ben Garant is 48. Rock musician Craig Montoya (Tri Polar) is 48. Actress Kimberly Williams-Paisley is 47. Actor

Andrew Lincoln is 45. Rapper Nas is 45. Actor Austin Basis is 42. Country singer Danielle Peck is 40. Pop singer Ayo is 38. Actor Sebastian Sozzi is 36. Actor Adam Lamberg is 34. Singer Alex Clare is 33. Actor Chad Duell (TV: "General Hospital") is 31. Actress Jessica Brown Findlay is 31. Actorsinger Logan Henderson is 29. Actress Emma Kenney is 19.

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"Civilizations die from philosophical calm, irony, and the sense of fair play quite as surely as they die of debauchery." Joseph Wood Krutch, American author, critic and educator (1893-1970).

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ACROSS

- 1 Rubberneck
- 5 Wizard of Oz sound
- 8 "You're not the only one"
- 13 Spring month in Mexico
- **14** It's akin to Hindi 15 Food truck fare
- 16 With 57 Across,
- Brit lit classic
- 19 No nickname for Satchmo
- 20 Sends regrets,
- perhaps
- 21 Rachel on Glee 24 Rode with rude
- remarks 26 Poky, in brand
- **29** What many beachgoers

names

- walk on 31 Enter gradually
- 33 Compulsion
- 34 Waste time
- **37** Draw __ in the sand
- 38 Author of 16/57 Across
- 41 Language that gave us "reindeer"
- 42 Pies, in
- slapstick films
- 43 Really move
- 45 Am cover **47** Not shaken or
- stirred 49 Inserted, with "in"
- 50 Trade blockage
- 53 Mule's father
- **54** Strong suit 55 Hot state
- 57 See 16 Across
- 64 Mindful
- **65** Tiger weapon 66 Off-the-cuff

NOTABLE NOVEL by Mark McClain

- 12 Philosophy
- **14** More often than not
- 17 Tiniest bit
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- Cousteau Lord of the Rings 21 Pelican State
 - sch. 22 Football helmet
 - feature
 - 23 Anagram of
 - 'enraged"
 - 25 "Good old" land 26 Dutch
 - philosopher
 - 27 Specialized
 - vocabularies
- 7 Brats and knocks 28 Unnamed

 - individual
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 - Cockney

 - heroine
 - 35 Intent
 - 36 Bone to the knee

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 - for instance: Abbr.
- 46 Austen novel
- 48 Dodge brothers' contemporary 51 Show-biz
- superlative
- 52 Thundering
- **54** Sleek, for short
- **56** Failing that
- 57 Unsettle
- 58 Be short
- 59 "Power" break
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Dalton throws 4 TD passes, leads Bengals over Ravens 34-23

By JOE KAY

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CINCINNATI — Andy Dalton has turned into a big pain for the Baltimore Ravens.

He threw four touchdown passes on Thursday night — three of them to A.J. Green — as the Cincinnati Bengals got ahead big and held on for a 34-23 victory that left them alone atop the AFC North.

It's an unaccustomed spot for Cincinnati, which is off to its first 2-0 start since it won the division

Coach Marvin Lewis received a contract extension in part because of Dalton's 49-yard touchdown pass to Tyler Boyd in the closing seconds of the final game at Baltimore last season, which gave the Bengals a victory and knocked the Ravens out of playoff contention. Dalton made the big plays again on Thursday, leaving the Ravens (1-1) too far behind to catch up.

"We came out hot," Dalton said. "That's exactly how we wanted to start the game. That's a big one - puts us 2-0 to start the year and gives us a leg up in the division."

Down by 21 points, the Ravens made a run at it behind Joe Flacco, who threw a pair of touchdown passes. Flacco fumbled with 2:42 to go - Shawn Williams stripped the ball from behind — setting up a field goal by Randy Bullock that closed it out.

Flacco finished 32 of 55 for 376 yards with two



Cincinnati Bengals wide receiver A.J. Green, right, celebrates with quarterback Andy Dalton (14) after scoring a touchdown in the first half of an NFL football game, Thursday, Sept. 13, 47-3 victory over Buffalo on Sunday. Flacco was 2018, in Cincinnati.

touchdowns, two interceptions, a fumble and four

"You better bounce back quick on a Thursday night and we didn't do it quick enough tonight," Flacco said.

Some takeaways from Cincinnati's win:

SEEING GREEN: Green set a career high with his touchdown catches of 4, 32 and 7 yards. He became the fourth Bengals receiver to catch three TD passes in a half, joining Marvin Jones (2013), Chad Johnson (2003) and Isaac Curtis (1973). Green was upset with himself after fumbling twice in a 34-23 win at Indianapolis on Sunday, and he caught everything thrown his way early on. "It just happened to fall that way," Green said.

"We were clicking on all cylinders. We were in a

DALTON'S DAY: Heading into the game, Dalton had thrown more interceptions (17) than touchdowns (15) against the Ravens, including a fourinterception performance at Paul Brown Stadium last year. He finished 24 of 42 for 265 yards with no interceptions and no sacks. It was the fourth time he's thrown four touchdown passes in a game. His career high is five against the Jets in 2013.

NOT THE BILLS: The Ravens were coming off their third-most lopsided win in club history, a sharp in two-plus quarters, throwing touchdown passes to three different receivers. But the Bengals gave him a tough time early, sacking him on each of Baltimore's first three possessions and forcing a pass that was picked off.

"It was tough sledding early on, and we weren't very precise," Flacco said.

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He's now 8-7 after 15 games, and Longhorns fans are getting antsy for a big turnaround at a program that hasn't contended for the Big 12 title since 2013.

Another 1-2 start with a team he promised is better than last season could be ugly in Austin.

"I love our fans," Herman said. "Mack Brown told me when I got the job that this can be the greatest job in America because there's tens of millions of people that care very passionately about what happens with their Longhorn football team."

Some things to watch when the Trojans and Longhorns play:

TESTING THE SAFETIES: Injuries

"He's taken a football team and to-

tally transformed it into a football

team where they can line up toe to toe

and really run the football better than

Clemson ran the football against that

front and hold Clemson to barely over

Despite the meeting with Alabama

looming, the Aggies are being careful

this week to concentrate on the task

at hand and not take Saturday's game

"We have to prepare every single

week the same it doesn't matter who

you're playing," Mond said. "So that's

the mindset that we're taking. Make

adjustments, correct things from the

Viator has been a visiting coach at

Kyle Field before, bringing McNeese

State to face the Aggies when he was

the team's offensive coordinator in

2001. He has fond memories of that

trip and is looking forward to another

"I've been fortunate to go to a lot of

places and play and I can't think of one

I've enjoyed more than Texas A&M,"

Clemson tape and get better."

100 yards rushing," he said.

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and attrition have depleted the USC secondary, most notably at safety. Texas will try to exploit that with deep routes to Collin Johnson, Lil'Jordan Humphrey and speedy Devin Duvernay. Johnson had a career game against USC last season with 191 yards receiving. Humphrey has a 40-yard touchdown this season and Duvernay has a 39-yarder.

"I'm expecting speed, I'm expecting size, I'm expecting a bunch of guys that are athletes out there," Trojans defensive back C.J. Pollard said. "And they like to go deep, so we're going to have to match their speed."

CHASING DANIELS: A Texas pass rush that was supposed to be a strength is yet to appear. Senior ends Breckyn Hager and Charles Omenihu don't have a sack or a quarterback hurry in the first two games. If USC can quickly read Texas blitzes and

he said. "Their crowd, of course I like the tradition, the pageantry, the whole deal, it's just a fantastic place to play football."

PILING UP YARDS Before 2018 the Aggies had never had a 500-yard rushing game and a 400-yard passing game in the same decade. Now just two games into this season they've accomplished both. Texas A&M had 503 yards rushing against Northwestern State in the opener and Mond threw for a careerhigh 430 yards last week against Clemson. Texas A&M ranks third in the nation, averaging 629.5 yards of

offense a game. **DEFENSIVE STAR**

Louisiana-Monroe is led on defense by lineman Donald Louis Jr. who had three tackles for losses and two sacks both career highs — last week. The

defense had a lot of big plays and finished with five sacks, two interceptions and two fumble recoveries.

SERIES HISTORY

The Aggies have won all three meetings against Louisiana-Monroe. outscoring the Warhawks 106-47. However, the last time these teams met it was a close game with the Aggies escaping with a 21-16 victory on Nov. 1, 2014.

the Longhorns can't pressure Daniels from the edge, the freshman could have a big night.

DANIELS' HAND: Daniels sat out a series against Stanford after bruising his throwing hand in the first quarter when he hit another player's helmet. USC coach Clay Helton said all seemed OK by midweek. "I didn't see any hesitation, didn't see any wincing," Helton said.

MISSING BIG FOOT: Texas clearly misses the booming, coffin-corner kicks of former punter Michael Dickson, who is now in the NFL. His cousin, Ryan Bujcevski, has struggled a bit as his replacement. The Longhorns defense realizes what a luxury it had last season when teams were often pinned inside their own 10. Texas also gave up a blocked punt last week against Tulsa.

FIELD GOALS: USC's Chase Mc-Grath kicked the game-winning field goal in the second overtime to beat Texas last season. He's already made six of seven attempts this season, with a long kick of 47 yards, and accounted for the only points against Stanford. Field goals were an adventure for Texas last season and freshman Cameron Dicker hasn't attempted one yet.

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The Wildcats (1-1) are hoping to show enough physicality that such a key is impossible, especially considering it's their last test before a trip to No. 17 West Virginia opens league play.

"Coach is right," Wildcats offensive lineman Dalton Risner said. "Whenever we says we're being soft, that's a Hall of Fame coach and our offensive line coach is telling us — that's not just the O-line, that's the entire offense. The whole offense isn't doing what we need to do. We take everything that coach says, and we work on it. What else can you do?"

SETTLED SIGNAL-CALLER

The Wildcats have alternated between Skylar Thompson and Alex Delton under center this season, but Snyder said he'll try to stick with a clear-cut starter on Saturday. That means Thompson will not only start the game but won't have to worry about looking over his shoulder.

"It's not that cut and dry," Snyder said. "When you're not playing well, that's true for everybody."

DEFENSIVE DUMPS

Led by first-round pick Marcus Davenport, the Roadrunners finished last season eighth nationally in scoring defense (19.0 points per game) and held eight of its 11 opponents to 300 yards of fewer in total offense. This season, they've allowed an average of 43 points and 498.5 yards to a pair of Power Five opponents with another on deck.

SULLIVAN TO PLAY

Talented linebacker Elijah Sullivan is expected to play for Kansas State. He dealt with an unspecified injury that limited him against the Bulldogs.

"Elijah made some mistakes in the game," Snyder said, "but one thing is that he is a pretty athletic young guy. He runs quite well, and he is a good lateral player from sideline to sideline. He made some plays on the boundary coming from the middle of the field that were pretty big for us."

TOUGH TUNE-UP

The Roadrunners still have another game before Conference USA play, but that's the I-35 Showdown with Texas State. This is most certainly the most challenging game left on the schedule, and a final opportunity for UTSA to get a statement win.

RESPECT

Wilson spoke glowingly this week of Snyder, who began his career in Manhattan while the Roadrunners' coach was still in high school.

"A living legend. A guy that has done it 25-plus years in a very volatile profession," he said. "A guy that has done it steadily, consistently, the right way. When you think of Bill Snyder, you think of someone of tremendous class, that is well-prepared, and you'd better play well — you'd better be prepared — because you know they will."

NICE DIGS

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Meyer will wrap up his three-game suspension for mismanaging domestic-abuse allegations and other misconduct by former assistant Zach Smith, though the head coach has been able to take part in Ohio State practices since after the season opener.

Another person who will be nowhere nearby Saturday night is Gordon Gee, the man who gets a lot of credit for this Top 25 matchup coming together. Gee's "Little Sisters of the Poor" remark as Ohio

State's president nearly eight years ago came before the Frogs finished their undefeated 2010 season with a Rose Bowl victory, and before they were in the Big 12. When the athletic directors from TCU and Ohio State were at the same meeting in early 2011, they went from chatting to deciding to play each other in the future. "I was privileged to serve as president of The Ohio

State University for 14 years and I love the Buckeyes! I am also now privileged to be in the Big 12 and serve as chairman of the conference, and I have great admiration for TCU and its football program," said Gee, now president at West Virginia. "In deference to both teams, I will be watching the WVU women's soccer game on Saturday."

Some other things to know when Ohio State plays TCU for the first time since 1973, and first time ever away from Columbus, Ohio:

DISRUPTIVE BOSA

As expected, Ohio State's All-American defensive end Nick Bosa has been hard to stop. He already has five tackles for loss and three sacks among his nine tackles in two games. Defensive coordinator

Greg Schiano said Bosa is "playing at a very high level" even while teams use multiple players to try to slow him down. "We are going to have to be aware of that because I think it will get more and more creative every week because he is such a special player," Schiano said.

SPECIAL SCORES

TCU has had punt returns for touchdowns in its past three games, by three different players. The Horned Frogs are the only FBS school since 1996 to do that. KaVontae Turpin had a 78-yard punt return for a TD last week against SMU. Turpin's four career punt returns for a TD are a school record, as are his five special teams touchdowns.

CONTAINING ROBINSON Containing TCUs dual-threat quarterback Shawn

Robinson will be a different challenge for Ohio State. The sophomore passed for 146 yards, a touchdown and an interception, and also rushed for 67 yards and another score in TCU's 42-12 rain-soaked win over SMU. Schiano said a running quarterback "changes all the math" because a defender has to account for him at all times. BACK TO JERRY WORLD



Both teams played at AT&T Stadium last December: TCU lost to Oklahoma in the Big 12 title game, and Ohio State beat USC 24-7 in the Cotton Bowl. The Buckeyes' only other game there was that CFP tile game in January 2015. TCU is 2-2 in the home stadium of the NFL's Dallas Cowboys.

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