



# COWBOY CHURCH

## OF ELLIS COUNTY



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PASTOR  
GARY MORGAN

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CHRIS MADDOX

### WHAT'S HAPPENING

#### THIS WEEK ...

#### Sunday, May 20th

- 8:30am - Worship Service
- 10:30am - Worship Service
- 12:15 - CCEC Wranglers Practice
- 12:30pm - Open Ride
- 2:30pm - GriefShare
- 5:00pm - 4H Meeting & Events

#### Monday, May 21st

- 7:00pm - Worship Service
- 7:00pm - Celebrate Recovery
- 8:00pm - Team Roping Practice

#### Tuesday, May 22nd

- 10:00am - The Binding Circle
- 6:00pm - Royal Ambassadors
- 6:00pm - Girls In Action
- 6:30pm - Barrel Racing
- 7:30pm - Not A Fan (for Buck Out Crowd)

#### Wednesday, May 23rd

- 6:00am - Men's Prayer Meeting
- 10:00am - Ladies Bible Study
- 7:00pm - Youth Night (6th - 12th grade)
- 7:00pm - J Walkers (3rd - 5th grade)

#### Thursday, May 24th

- 6:30pm - Buck Out
- 7:00pm - Not a Fan

#### Friday, May 25th

No Events Scheduled

#### Saturday, May 26th

- Trail Blazers Trail Ride
- 8:00am - Women's Prayer Breakfast



## Hearts For Heroes

*Collecting supplies through June 3rd  
to send boxes to the troops ...*

Supply lists will be available at the ministry table. Please leave supplies in the foyer at the ministry table. Postage is \$12.65 each box (we ship approx. 60 boxes) If you would like to add someone to the mailing list, please fill out an info card found at the ministry table and drop it in the church house. If you would like to add your veteran to our board, please drop off a picture with their name & rank written on the back.

**Pack Dates: June 4th at 7:00 pm & June 5th at 9:00am**

For more info or to volunteer contact Peggy Seals (972) 342-3644



## Trail Blazers

"For where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them." Matthew 18:20

### UPCOMING RIDES

#### May 26th - 28th

Cooper Lake  
Paris, Texas

#### June 9th

Wyatt 3 Rivers Ranch  
Glen Rose, TX

For more info, please contact Rick Dawson (972) 825-3150

## Women's Prayer Breakfast

### Saturday - May 26th

8:00am in the Youth Center

Ages 6 and up are welcome to attend and childcare will be available for children under 6.

For more info contact Connie Nash (817) 875-4324

## Cowboy Church Merchandise



ON SALE  
June 10

For more info contact Joyce Fogarty  
[jwf2910@gmail.com](mailto:jwf2910@gmail.com)



4H Meeting & Events  
tonight at 5:00pm  
in the Arena

For more info, contact Chris Taylor (214) 886-1958



Grief Recovery  
Support Group

**Sundays at 2:30pm**

(in the Worship Center - Youth, Inc Room)

**YOUR JOURNEY FROM MOURNING TO JOY**

GriefShare is a special weekly seminar/support group for people grieving the death of someone close. It's a place where you can be around people who understand how you feel and the pain of your loss. At GriefShare you'll learn valuable information that will help you through this difficult time in your life.

For more info contact  
Josh or Annette Messenger (972) 351-4423

**COUNTRY GOSPEL  
SHOWCASE**

(formally known as First Sunday Singing)

**June 3rd at 6:00pm**

Bring your favorite snack or finger food and join us in the Worship Center for Music, Food, Fun & Fellowship!!

**Performers TBA**

**BROADCASTED LIVE ON KBEC (1390 am)**

For more info contact Lendell Petross (469) 358-7352

**Children's Church Mission Project**



**Prize Collection**

Many children at Children's Medical Center undergo invasive procedures, such as spinal taps, blood draws, IV starts..etc. After completing these procedures they get to chose a prize from the prize closet. These prizes serve as important distractions and comfort items for these children during the procedures.

*Donations being accepted until July 1st*

Please pick up a complete list of suggested items at the ministry table or in Children's Church.

**TEAM ROPING**



**May 27th  
2:00pm**

*Practice: Monday nights at 8:00pm*

For more info contact Chris Maddox (214) 455-5023

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY**

**It's never too late!!**

Experience God's healing power through eight recovery principles and the 12 Christ-centered steps to break free of your Hurts, Hang-Ups and Habits.

**Join us Monday nights at 7:00pm in the Worship Center**

*\*childcare available for children 6 yrs and under\**

For more info contact Jim Domingue (972) 979-1708  
or Connie Domingue (214) 906-4866

**2012 BASS TOURNAMENT LAKES**



June 23rd - Richland Chambers

July 28th - Lake Ray Roberts

August 25th - Joe Pool Lake

September 22nd - Classic  
(lake to be announced)

October 13th - Top Ten  
Tournament

(lake to be announced)

October 27th - Banquet

For more info contact Reggie Stewart (214) 325-1606

**Men's Prayer Breakfast**

**Saturday - June 2nd**

8:00am in the Youth Center

**ALL MEN INVITED!!**

For more info Contact James Prater (972) 880-9730

**Volunteer Fellowship**

**June 10th at 12:30pm**

in the Youth Center

*Are you new to Cowboy Church?*

*Are you interested participating  
or volunteering in any of the  
ministries of Cowboy Church?*

If so, then please join us for lunch in the Youth Center for a time of fellowship with our Lay Pastors and Team Leaders!

*All Lay Pastors & Team Leaders  
are encouraged to attend!!*

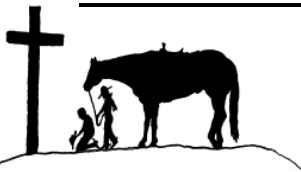


## VBS 2012

June 17th -21st  
6:30pm - 8:30pm  
(dinner included)

Sign up today!

## Buckaroo "U"



June 9th

Sign in at 9:30am

Instructional arena events (Barrels, Goat Sorting, Flying W and more) for children 19 & under. Buckaroo "U" ministries will provide horses for all ages and skill levels or you may bring your own horse with proof of negative coggins.

For more info contact John Larimore (469) 658-6784

## Summer Camps 2012

Teen (Girls & Boys 6th-12th grades)

June 3rd-7th

(\$175.00 per camper)

The Big Country Camp  
Leuders, Texas

For more info contact Chris Taylor (214) 886-1958

Pre-teen (Girls & Boys 2nd-5th grades)

July 1st - 7th

\$200.00 per camper



Parent/Camper  
Meeting

June 3rd at 12:15pm  
ALL money due by  
June 10th

For more info contact Teri Stewart (214) 536-8929

## PASTORAL CARE TEAM:

(Lay Pastors of the week are in bold)

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## Standing On The Promises

Standing on the promises of Christ my King,  
through eternal ages let His praises ring,  
glory in the highest, I will shout and sing,  
standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises I cannot fall,  
listening every moment to the Spirit's call  
resting in my Savior as my all in all,  
standing on the promises of God.

Standing, standing, standing on the promises  
of God my Savior; standing, standing!!  
I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing, standing, standing on the promises  
of God my Savior; standing, standing!!  
I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,  
when the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,  
by the living Word of God I shall prevail,  
standing on the promises of God.



Standing, standing, standing on the promises  
of God my Savior; standing, standing!!  
I'm standing on the promises of God.



## When Morning Comes

Trials dark on every hand, and we cannot  
understand all the ways that God would lead us  
to that blessed promised land; but He'll guide us  
with His eye, and we will follow till we die,  
we will understand it better by and by.

By and by, when the morning comes,  
when the saints of God are gathered home,  
we will tell the story how we've overcome,  
we will understand it better by and by.

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when the saints of God are gathered home,  
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we will understand it better by and by.

Oft our cherished plans have failed  
disappointments have prevailed and we wander  
in the darkness, heavy hearted and alone but  
we're trusting in the Lord and according to His  
Word, we will understand it better by and by.

By and by, when the morning comes,  
when the saints of God are gathered home,  
we will tell the story how we've overcome,  
we will understand it better by and by.

Temptations, hidden snares, often take us  
unawares and our hearts are made to bleed for  
some thoughtless word or deed and we've  
wondered why the test when we try to do our  
best we'll understand it better by and by.

### Sermon Notes:

