

**Sunset Times**

Sat, December 24 – 5:27 PM

Fri, December 30 – 5:31 PM

**SHERMAN TX 10:30 AM**

**Song Leader**

Daniel Pierce

**Pianist**

None

**Split Sermon**

Phil Dick

**Announcements**

John Lusk

**Split Sermon**

John Lusk

**DALLAS TX 2:00 PM**

**Song Leader**

Dale Bynum

**Pianist**

Faith Dullum

**Split Sermon**

Al Garrett

**Announcements**

Al Garrett

**Split Sermon**

Phil Dick

**Translators**

Manuel Iturra

Hector Beltran

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**Announcement Bulletin**

**Sabbath December 24, 2016**

**SABBATH SCHOOL SCHEDULE**

We invite all children from PreK through 6th grade to join us from 1:30-2:30 PM for us to meet in the downstairs classroom. Following are the remaining dates for 2016-2017:

	JAN 7 & 21
FEB 4 & 18	MAR 4 & 25
APR 1 & 22	MAY 6 (presentation during services)

**Dallas Teen Speech Club – January 7th**

Future club dates are as follows:

January 7	February 4	March 4
April 1	May 13	

Contact Neal Hogberg at 469-236-7204 or [nhogberg@sbcglobal.net](mailto:nhogberg@sbcglobal.net).

**FOUNDATION INSTITUTE CONTINUING EDUCATION SEMINARS 2017**

Foundation Institute, Center for Biblical Education, is pleased to announce two weeklong seminars will be held in the Church’s office in Allen, Texas, next summer. The dates will be June 26-30 and July 17-21, 2017. An exciting and varied program of classes will be offered, taught by FI instructors David Johnson and Ralph Levy and other ministers from the headquarters office. More details will be forthcoming as summer plans firm up.

Spaces will be limited, so if your plans are certain, please reserve your space early. You may send an email to Mr. Johnson, at [david.johnson@coqwa.org](mailto:david.johnson@coqwa.org), to indicate your interest, but your place will be reserved only when your tuition is received. Tuition will be \$75 per individual, or \$125 per couple, and will include the cost of a light lunch each day.

The class offerings in each seminar will be similar, with most of the content repeated, so please sign up for one seminar only.

Those who have come in previous summers have stayed in motels or with friends. Some FI apartment housing is likely to be available; more details will be made known at a later date.

**MEN’S CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP – JANUARY 14TH**

The next club meeting has been moved from January 7 to January 14<sup>th</sup> fifteen minutes after the conclusion of services in the Assembly Room downstairs.

## **Church Elders**

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[donation.help@cogwa.org](mailto:donation.help@cogwa.org)

**Church of God, AWA**  
**P.O. Box 731480**  
**Dallas, TX 75373-1480**

**CONGREGATION DONATIONS**  
- FOR LOCAL ACTIVITIES  
Please mail donations for local  
activities such as socials, sports  
activities, picnics, and etc., to:

**Church of God, AWA – Dallas**  
**P.O. Box 940164**  
**Plano, TX 75094-0164**

**CHURCH MAILING ADDRESS**  
- FOR CORRESPONDENCE

**Church of God, AWA, and  
Foundation Institute**  
**P.O. Box 1009**  
**Allen, TX 75013-0017**

**CLICKABLE WEBSITES...**  
**COGWA:** [cogwa.org](http://cogwa.org)  
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**FNL:** [members.cogwa.org/fnl](http://members.cogwa.org/fnl)  
**LH&T:** [lifehopeandtruth.com](http://lifehopeandtruth.com)

**Dallas:** [www.coqwadallas.org](http://www.coqwadallas.org)  
**Calendar:** [www.coqwadallas.org](http://www.coqwadallas.org)

**Webcasts:** [cogwa.tv](http://cogwa.tv)

## **FI APPLICATIONS FOR 2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR**

Foundation Institute, Center for Biblical Education, is pleased to announce that we are now accepting applications for our sixth academic year, August 2017 through May 2018. The Foundation Institute website provides helpful answers to most questions about attending FI.

Those who are interested in attending next year should go to the Foundation Institute website and click on the "Apply Now" tab. You may print an application and fill it out by hand, or you may fill it out online and then print out the completed application. Completed applications may be mailed to the address on the application or emailed as a PDF attachment to [apply@foundationinstitute.org](mailto:apply@foundationinstitute.org).

Our facility is at capacity this year, and we anticipate similar interest next year, so we encourage those who are interested to submit their applications as soon as possible. The deadline for applications for next year will be May 31, but it is possible we will reach capacity prior to that date. We plan to accept our first group of incoming students just prior to Passover.

## **BOOT SCOOT FUNDRAISER FOR CYC - FEBRUARY 11, 2017**

It's time to dust your boots off and get ready for the 2017 Boot Scoot BBQ Dinner & Silent Auction benefiting COGWA Youth camps. Join us on FEBRUARY 11 at the Grapevine Convention Center. Register online at [bootscoot.org](http://bootscoot.org).

Remember, you must register in advance to attend! Tickets will not be sold at the door. The deadline for registration is January 22. Register by December 22 and receive 5 raffle tickets to spend at Boot Scoot (limit 5 per family)! "Like" our Facebook page to receive updates and get a scoop on the silent auction: [facebook.com/bootscootfundraiser](http://facebook.com/bootscootfundraiser).

Traveling from outside of DFW? We have rooms reserved at the Grapevine Courtyard Marriott for \$69 per night. Go to <http://ow.ly/YYOL30769ha> to reserve your room today. The deadline to reserve a hotel room is January 19th. Contact Brenda or Kelli Hogg with any questions at [brenda.hogg@gmail.com](mailto:brenda.hogg@gmail.com) and [kellihogg@gmail.com](mailto:kellihogg@gmail.com).

## **CHURCH CAMPOUT 2017 - SAVE THE DATE!!!**

The Dallas/Sherman church campout will be Mar 17<sup>th</sup> – Mar 19<sup>th</sup>, at the same location (Lake Murray). There are currently no other events taking place at Lake Murray on these dates so there are plenty of lodge rooms and cabins available at this time. However, we encourage anyone who wants a lodge room or cabin at Lake Murray to make reservations as soon as possible just in case an event gets booked between now and our campout. To make reservations call Lake Murray Lodge Room & Cabin reservations at 800-257-0322 or 580-223-6600. More information about the campout will be posted and registrations forms will be sent out closer to the campout date.

## **SPRING DINNER-DANCE 2017 – SAVE THE DATE!!!**

Fort Worth is hosting a Sabbath service and dinner-dance on April 15<sup>th</sup> during the Days of Unleavened Bread. Once again, they have secured the beautiful Marriott Solana in Westlake for the event. We will not be holding a Sabbath service in Dallas that Sabbath. We'll send you the details in January.

## **LOCATIONS FOR WEEKLY SABBATH SERVICES**

**SHERMAN:** 10:30 a.m., Days Inn, 3605 Hwy 75 (Northeast corner).

The hotel is located on the corner of FM 1417 and Hwy 75 (Exit 56).

**DALLAS:** 2:00 p.m., Unity Church, 6525 Forest Lane, Dallas 75230.

**ANNOUNCEMENT SUBMISSIONS**

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Email announcements by Thursday evening to [bulletin@cogwadallas.org](mailto:bulletin@cogwadallas.org). Please include an announcement header line and the number of weeks to be posted.

**VERBAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Please email announcements by Friday evening to [verbal@cogwadallas.org](mailto:verbal@cogwadallas.org). For last minute verbal announcements, please stop by the Information Table prior to church services.

**BRETHREN RECORD UPDATE - CHURCH OF GOD, AWA**

If you are new to the Dallas/Sherman area or for recent updates to your contact information, please fill out a Member Record Update Form at the Information Table or contact Rick and Diane Bennis: [rdbennis@yahoo.com](mailto:rdbennis@yahoo.com) or 2147-291-7335 to update your local congregation contact information. Please clearly PRINT your information. **Please take note:** You will also need to contact the Home Office to update your contact information with them.

**DALLAS SERMON ONLINE POSTINGS**

Sermons given in the Dallas congregation are generally posted on the <https://www.youtube.com/user/COGWADallas> website within one to weeks of when they were given.