

## THE OBSERVER/ENTERPRISE

Published Weekly, except for Christmas  
 707 Austin (325) 453-2433 (325) 453-4643 Fax  
 o-e@wcc.net www.ObserverEnterprise.com  
 Periodical Rate Postage paid at Robert Lee, Texas

POSTMASTER: Please send address changes to  
 Observer/Enterprise  
 PO Box 1329, Robert Lee, Texas 76945

### STAFF

Melinda McCutchen, Publisher/Editor  
 Aja Chandler and Amber Sawyer

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Per Year in Coke County ... \$30.00  
 Per Year Elsewhere in Texas ... \$35.00  
 Per Year Outside of Texas ... \$37.00

## Obituaries

Online condolences may be made at [www.shafferpioneer.com](http://www.shafferpioneer.com).

06-1tc

### Vision with a Purpose holds monthly meeting

Vision With A Purpose met Aug. 4 at 6:30 at Victory Assembly of God. The meeting opened with prayer led by Debbie Childers.

Grace Todacheeny read the minutes from the last meeting in July and the membership approved. Jeffie Roberts presented the Treasurer's Report; it was approved.

President Marshall Millican presented visitor Doug Stalker from Culpepper & Merriweather Circus. He explained the circus was aimed toward children with animals, acrobats, clowns, etc.; there would be no midway with carnival booths. It was approved by VP to have the circus come to Robert Lee in March, 2017.

John Rainweldt, the new administrator of Robert Lee Care Center, was introduced. He presented new ideas to bring better health care to Robert Lee.



### Lara

Mrs. Doris Lara, 86, of Robert Lee, Texas, went to be with the Lord August 7, 2016, in Midland, Texas, after a brief illness. Visitation was all day Thursday, August 18, 2016, at the Funeral Home. Funeral services are at 3 pm, Friday August 19, 2016, in Robert Lee Cemetery. She will be laid to rest along side of her parents and brothers, Robert and Sam. Reverend Jody Rodriguez will officiate. Services are under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home in Robert Lee.

Doris was born in Goldthwaite, Texas, to Robert (Shorty) and Lilly Powell.

She retired from the restaurant business where she loved working alongside of her parents and siblings for many years. After her retirement, she enjoyed travelling and being a housewife. She loved spending her past time watching sports especially her Dallas Cowboys. She liked to read romance novels, and working on puzzles daily.

She is preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Robert and Sam and great-grandson, Garrett Hall.

She leaves behind her husband of forty one years, Ynes Lara; daughters, Rhonda Turner of Wichita Falls, Texas, Suzann Gooch and husband Bobby of Odessa, Texas, Sharon Rollins of Snyder, Texas, one son, Ricki Watson of Bangs, Texas, seven grandchildren, Scott Watson, Justin Hall, Brandon Rollins, Zach Rollins, Ginger Turner, Kris Hall, and Raelee Watson. She also leaves ten great-grandchildren; one brother, Alvin Powell; two sisters, Raphina Hopson and Mildred Sweaza and many others dear to her heart.



EMs Training! Seth Seaton and Jose Morales practice during a recent EMS class while Sherrie from Sterling County EMS monitors their progress. Morgan from Sterling County is the patient.

Todd Smith presented an update on the Austin St. headquarters. The building has been inspected by an engineer and his recommendations were presented.

The Hunters Bar-B-Q is set for Nov. 12 with set-up on the 11th.

Sons of Pitches softball tournament has been moved

from August to Oct. 7th & 8th. The Methodist Church youth will be handling the concessions.

Several large donations have been made by individuals and

businesses to be used toward the building restoration. We are hoping to receive additional funds for this project. Letters are

(Continued on page 7)

## Area Churches

### Invite You to Worship

#### Bronte

**Bronte Church of Christ**  
 PO Box 346 • 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte  
 (325) 473-3291

Preacher John V. Driggers  
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

**Central Baptist Church**  
 324 S. Franklin • Bronte  
 (325) 473-4811

Dale Patterson, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School  
 11 am & 5 pm Worship

**First Baptist Church**  
 424 S. Washington • Bronte  
 (325) 473-2331

Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,  
 10:55 am Worship,  
 5 pm Worship  
 6 pm Youth

Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting  
**First United Methodist Church**  
 Corner of Washington & Holmes  
 Bronte

(325) 473-3281  
 Rev. Everette Boyce, Pastor  
 Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School  
 11:00 am Worship

**Forgiven Ministries**  
 117 W. Main, Bronte  
 Russ Frasier, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am

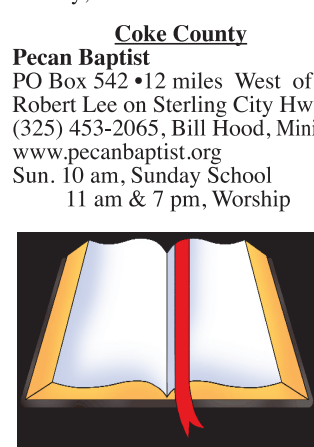
Tuesday 6 pm Table Time  
**St. James Catholic Church**  
 215 N. Washington, Bronte  
 (325) 365-2687

Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor  
 Sun. 5 pm

**4C Cowboy Church**  
 Texas Theater, Downtown Bronte  
 Pastor James Brunson  
 Sunday, 10:30 am

#### Coke County

**Pecan Baptist**  
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of  
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy  
 (325) 453-2065, Bill Hood, Minister  
[www.pecanbaptist.org](http://www.pecanbaptist.org)  
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School  
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship



#### Robert Lee

**Bible Baptist Church**  
 PO Box 938 • 9th & Austin  
 Robert Lee, Joe Hodges, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School,  
 11 am & 6 pm Worship,

**Emmanuel Pentecostal**  
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy  
 Pastor Tim Wood (325) 453-2360  
 Sundays 2 pm, Thursdays 7 pm

**First United Methodist Church**  
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne  
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417

Cyndi Weidner, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School  
 11 am Worship, 5 pm Choir Practice

**Iglesia Bautista Betel**  
 101 Houston • Robert Lee  
 Sun. 9:45 am • Sunday School  
 11 am Service • Bible Study Wed. 6 pm

**Southside Church of Christ**  
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston  
 Robert Lee (325) 453-2176  
 Jordan Arnold, Preacher  
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School  
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 6 pm, Worship

**Northside Church of Christ**  
 PO Box 508  
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee  
 (325) 453-2685, (806) 543-2118 or  
 (325) 473-1053  
 Services: Sun. 10 am

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church**  
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee  
 (325) 365-2687  
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor  
 Sat. 6 pm

**Robert Lee Baptist Church**  
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th  
 (325) 453-2724  
 Danny White, Pastor  
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

**Victory Assembly of God**  
 (325) 453-2208, PO Box 638  
 6th & Houston, Robert Lee  
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor  
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study

**Tennyson**  
**Tennyson Baptist Church**  
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson  
 (325) 473-2040  
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

## Come As You Are

Sunday Mornings • 10 am

Table Time • Tuesday evening

## FORGIVEN MINISTRIES

Downtown Bronte • Across from Grocery Store  
 Russ Frasier, Preacher

**TEXAS FARM BUREAU INSURANCE**  
ALIFE / HOME / LIFE

**Russell Davis**  
 Agent

611 Austin Street  
 PO Box 1079  
 Robert Lee, Texas 76945  
 (325) 453-4505 office  
 (325) 453-4524 fax  
 (325) 650-1904 mobile  
[TXFB-INS.COM](http://TXFB-INS.COM)

## Finding Solutions for Your Financial Needs



**Tommy E. Neal, AAMS®**  
 Financial Advisor

2412 College Hills Boulevard  
 Suite 102  
 San Angelo, TX 76904  
 325-223-8244  
[www.edwardjones.com](http://www.edwardjones.com)

**Edward Jones**  
 MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING