Prayer Concerns

Health:

Bill Allen ~ Eloyda Bridgewater ~ Vickie Brown ~ Gene Chapin ~ Diana Cochran ~ Rosa Lee Cundiff ~ Harmony Driver ~ Dennis Foutz ~ Evelyn Grannell ~ Al Greening ~ Kathleen Hammond ~ Laurie Johnson ~ Mary Elizabeth Jones ~ Dave Jordan ~ JoAnn Lacy ~ Bino Martinez ~ Brantley Parrish ~ Bob Turner ~ Anna Upton

Other:

- Prayers and Sympathies to Al Greening and Family in the passing of Dot Greening
- Shooting in Nashville
- Tornadoes in Mississippi
- Russia & Ukraine

Missions:

- Albuquerque Christian Children's Home
- Anameti Akpan & Family, Nigeria
- C.A.O. Essien Bible College (Emmanuel Essien)
- Eastern European Ministry
- Magi Boxes
- Manuelito Navajo Children's Home (Gallup, NM)
- New Mexico Christian Children's Home (Portales, NM)
- · Northside church of Christ
- White Fields World Ministries Orphan Girls in India
- Mark Collins, planting church in Provo, UT

To Activate Prayer Chain:

Sandy Allred ~ <u>sandyallred47@gmail.com</u> Holly Shinsky ~ <u>hollygs53@gmail.com</u>

Email Prayer Requests to:

northsidecocfarmington@gmail.com

April Hospitality Team:

Amy Bridgewater 505-609-1835

Please call for meals needed for funerals, illness, etc.

Meeting Times

Sunday Worship	9:30am
Sunday Bible Study	10:45am
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00pm

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Deacons

Vernon Bridgewater – Missions Dennis Foutz – Worship Vern Gay – Grounds Lynn Shinsky – Building Scott Tubb – Finance

Our Record (4.09.23)

Weekly Budget	\$3,461.54
Offering	\$2,128.73
YTD Wkly Avg	
Attendance	73

Men Serving in Assembly						
	Today	April 23	April 30	May 7	May 14	
Song Leader	Tim	Kyle	Kyle	Tim	Darrel	
1st Prayer	Jerry	Chuck	Lynn S	Buck		
Communion	Tim	Kyle	Lynn T	Lynn S		
Closing Prayer	Aaron	Steve	Dennis	Walter		



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Be At Peace Here

I was glad when they said to me, "Let's go to the house of the LORD." For the sake of my brothers and my friends, I will now say, "May peace be within you." For the sake of the house of the LORD our God, I will seek your good (Psalm 122:1, 8-9 NASB).

WORSHIP ASSEMBLY

296 We Have Come into His House

PRAYER

477 There Is a Place of Quiet Rest (dotted vs)
478 Nearer, Still Nearer (dotted vs)
479 Peace, Perfect Peace (dotted vs)
480 Blessed Assurance (dotted vs)
*How Deep the Father's Love

COMMUNION

OFFERING

*The Time To Be Happy 1015 Jesus Loves the Little Children 822 Sweet Will of God

MESSAGE

*10,000 Reasons

PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

808 Abide with Me (vs. 1&4)

(* Not in Songbook)

Activities

- Sunday Bible Classes 10:45am
- Wednesday Bible Study 7:00pm
- Ladies' Bible Class Tuesday 9:30am Library
- Men's Bible Reading Thursday 9:30am at Darrel Clark's, 325-3721
- Potluck Lunch 1st Sunday
- 3rd Sunday Combined Worship May 16th

Potluck Lunch Today at 12:30pm

All family and friends are welcome to join us for potluck lunch with Dot's family. Let's celebrate her love for cooking and sharing a meal together.

Fifth Sunday Area-Wide Singing

April 30, 2023 @ 5:00pm Northside church of Christ Ask J'Lea how you can help

Dress A Girl-San Juan County

10 Year Anniversary Celebration April 22 1pm -3pm at Aztec Church of Christ Speakers, refreshments, door prizes and more!

Interest Survey

- Sunday, March 19 Handout Survey
- Sunday, April 16 Return Survey
- Sunday, May 7 Congregation Meeting

Daily Bible Reading April 17- April 23, 2023					
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Monday	April 17	Lu 12:22-40	Jud 9-10		
Tuesday	April 18	Lu 12:41-59	Jud 11-13		
Wednesday	April 19	Lu 13:1-17	Jud 14-16		
Thursday	April 20	Lu 13:18-35	Jud 17-19		
Friday	April 21	Lu 14:1-14	Jud 20-21		
Saturday	April 22	Lu 14:15-35	Ruth 1-2		
Sunday	April 23	Lu 15	Ruth 3-4		

Calendar of Events

- April 23: Emmanuel Essien will preach and then report on work in Nigeria in adult class
- April 29: Women's Day
 Bayfield Church of Christ starts at 9:30
 lunch at 12:00
- May 16: 3rd Sunday combined worship at Gene and Tobi Chapin's house
- June 20-22: Sojourners Group from Oklahoma will conduct a VBS/Gospel Meeting at Eastside.

MAGI Boxes

We are getting an early start on MAGI boxes.

This month please bring:

FLASHLIGHTS

Summer Camps

Four Corners Youth Encampment

Campers & Volunteers
Session 1 July 9-14 ages 9-14
Session 2 July 16-22 ages 14-18
Register online: fcyecamp.com

Why Self-Control?

Are you a self-controlled person? The lack of self-control can lead to outbursts of anger and overindulgence which may result in serious consequences—unwanted pregnancy, bankruptcy, obesity, and incarceration. For most of us, the consequences of being undisciplined have taught us to be self-disciplined.

As followers of Christ, we should be striving to increase our spiritual virtues. I find that I need a strong motive to overpower sinful desires. Here are a few Scriptures which tell us why self-control is needed

Self-control enables us to say "no" to sins. When the apostle discussed "righteousness, self-control and the judgment to come," the Roman governor became frightened (Acts 24:24-25). Knowing that one will be held accountable for his or her choices can motivate one to change and obeying the gospel. Many people have answered the call of Jesus because of a "fire and brimstone" sermon. Self-control helps to keep you out of the eternal fires of hell.

While fear is a powerful motivator, it tends to diminish over time. Eventually, we will need something stronger. Something like love. Jesus Himself says, "If you love Me, you will keep my commandments" (John 14:15). Love is the strongest motivation. People will die for love. People will sacrifice for love. People will do just about anything for love. If you love God with all of your heart, you will strive to be self-controlled.

Reward is also a powerful motivation. People compete and exercise self-control to win trophies and recognition. Often those rewards end up in the pawn shop or the trash. But, we are competing to win a crown of righteousness that will never fade or be forgotten (1 Corinthians 9:25; 2 Timothy 4:8). Your eternal reward is a strong motive to live a self-disciplined life.

If you're not self-disciplined, you might need a stronger motivation, a more compelling "why." Fear of hell, love for God, and a desire for an eternal reward could be what you need.

Chuck Marshall Farmington, NM