Prayer Concerns

<u>Health:</u>

Eloyda Bridgewater ~ Vickie Brown ~ Diana Cochran ~ Harmony Driver ~ Dennis Foutz ~ Cindy Gay ~ Evelyn Grannell ~ Kathleen Hammond ~ John Huffmyer ~ Mary Elizabeth Jones ~ Dave Jordan ~ Paul Ketchell ~ JoAnn Lacy ~ Holly Lee ~ Bino Martinez ~ Bob Turner ~ Lisa (Bino's Sister)

Other:

- Merger of our congregations
- Florida hurricane

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)
- White Fields World Ministries Orphan Girls in India
- Mark Collins, planting church in Provo, UT

To Activate Prayer Chain:

Sandy Allred ~ sandyallred47@gmail.com Holly Shinsky ~ hollygs53@gmail.com

Email Prayer Requests to:

northsidecocfarmington@gmail.com

September Hospitality Team:

Dorothy Isbell 505-325-1208 Please call for meals needed for funerals, illness, etc.

Bulletin Items: (in writing)

northsidecocfarmington@gmail.com or note or text to Tricia Hawkins 440-759-8057

Meeting Times

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

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Gene Chapin ~ (505) 716-0482 Norman Garrison ~ (505) 860-6155 Bill Harrell ~ (505) 215-5100 Andy Hawkins ~ (440) 241-6473 Jerry Lacy ~ (505) 320-6543 Mike Sickenger ~ (505) 320-0461

Deacons

Vernon Bridgewater – Missions David Brown Dennis Foutz – Worship Vern Gay – Grounds DeWayne McFarland Bob Randol Lynn Shinsky – Building Scott Tubb – Finance

Our Record (9.3.23)

Weekly Budget	\$3,461.54
Offering	\$5,559.00
YTD Wkly Avg	\$3,522.12
Attendance	90

Men Serving in Assembly							
	Today	Sept 17	Sept 24	Oct 1	Oct 8		
Song Leader	Tim	Darrel	Kyle	Norman G	Tim		
1st Prayer	Aaron T	Lynn T	Vern G	Dennis	Vern B		
Communion	Tim	Walter	Chuck	Gene	Walter		
Closing Prayer	JoJo	Walter	Chuck	Jerry	Tim		

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but if we walk in the Light as He Himself is in the Light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin (1 John 1:7 NSAB).

WORSHIP ASSEMBLY

We Gather Together* 726 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying(2x)

PRAYER

715 The Church's One Foundation How Deep the Father's Love*

COMMUNION OFFERING

747 Sing On, Ye Joyful Pilgrims 736 To Christ Be True

MESSAGE

745 Humble Yourself

PRAYER ANNOUNCEMENTS

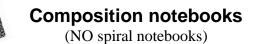
710 The Lord Bless You and Keep You

*Not in songbook

Activities

- Sunday Bible Classes 10:45am
- Wednesday Bible Study 7:00pm
- Ladies' Bible Class Tuesday Sept 12 at 2:00pm
- Men's Bible Reading
 - Tuesday 7:00am in Fellowship Hall
 - o Thursday 9:30am at Darrel Clark's, 325-3721
- Potluck Lunch 1st Sunday
- 3rd Sunday Combined Worship TBD

MAGI Boxes:



Ladies Tuesday Bible Class begins September 12 at 2:00pm

In the Library Sandie Randol will be teaching a study on Jeremiah

Save the Date: Grace Place Banquet Friday, November 3

Daily Bible Reading September 11- September 17, 2023					
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Monday	Sept 11	1Cor 14:1-25	Ps 140-144		
Tuesday	Sept 12	1Cor 14:26-40	Ps 145-150		
Wednesday	Sept 13	1Cor 15:1-34	Pro 1-2		
Thursday	Sept 14	1Cor 15:35-58	Pro 3-4		
Friday	Sept 15	1Cor 16	Pro 5-6		
Saturday	Sept 16	2Cor 1	Pro 7-8		
Sunday	Sept 17	2Cor 2	Pro 9-11		

Housekeeping

Building tidying, purging and rearranging:

Through the years we have accumulated many things that are not used anymore or are outdated. Some things we may have forgotten we have. So, over the next few weeks we will be cleaning out and reorganizing all storage rooms, nooks and crannies. Who knows what treasures we might unearth! Teachers this would be a good time to clean out your classrooms as well. Let Mary or Tricia know if you want to help!

This Week!

Preachers/Men's Bible Study September 12 at 10 am At Aztec Church of Christ

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Tuesday September 12 at 7:00 pm Four Corners Youth Encampment Board meeting at Cortez Church of Christ

**Bulletin Email** 

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# Learning from Rebels

Abraham promptly obeyed God and stands as the model of faith (Heb. 11:8). However, many of Abraham's descendants rebelled. Ten times on their way to the promised land, Israel rebelled against God (Num. 14:22). In subsequent years, God sent many prophets calling Israel to repent and return. But, the chosen son despised the Holy One of Israel and turned away from Him (Is. 1:2). Centuries later, Stephen found their hearts to be unchanged... *"You men who are stiff-necked and uncircumcised in heart and ears are always resisting the Holy Spirit; you are doing just as your fathers did"* (Acts 7:51).

While we may chide Israel for continual stubbornness, we should also recognize the opportunities for us to learn from their rebellion. Paul teaches Christians to learn from their disobedience and to NOT crave evil things (1Cor. 10:6). Recently, I've been wondering how things might be different if Israel had simply submitted to God. If Israel had just humbly obeyed God, we would not know about God's great patience and abundant mercy and continual love.

Fortunately for us, Israel was a rebellious son. On the one hand, it is sad, and I wish it had been different. But on the other hand, I am grateful for the insights their rebellion provides. Don't let their example be in vain. Don't put God the Father through the heartache of another rebellious child. If you have been a rebellious child, God continues to be hopeful, patient, and forgiving. Repent and return to him.

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