Prayer Concerns

Health:

Kaden Englert ~ Kathleen Hammond ~ John Huffmyer ~ Dave Jordan ~ Mike Pearl ~ Bob Turner ~ Sarah Willmon

Other:

- Liam Shinsky
- Family of LaVern Couch
- Family of Ken Heil
- Family of Marge Himes
- Family of Theo Johnson
- Family of Steve Moseley

Missions:

- Albuquerque Christian Children's Home
- Anameti Akpan & Family, Nigeria
- C.A.O. Essien Bible College (Emmanuel Essien)
- Eastern European Ministry
- Hogback, NM
- Magi Boxes
- Manuelito Navajo Children's Home (Gallup, NM)
- Many Farms, AZ
- 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

January Hospitality Team:

Tricia Hawkins 440-759-8057 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

Church Office: 325-2983 Facebook: facebook.com/nchoch Email: northsidecocfarmington@gmail.com Website: nchoch.net

Wi-Fi: FarmingtonCoC & FarmingtonCoC Classes PW: fellowship

Minister

Chuck Marshall ~ (620) 282-0568

Shepherds

Gene Chapin ~ (505) 716-0482 Norman Garrison ~ (505) 307-4698 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 (01.21.24)

Weekly Budget	\$3,461.54
Offering	
Special: Nigerian Widows	
YTD Wkly Avg	\$4,953.33
Attendance	103

Men Serving in Assembly								
	Jan 28	Feb 4	Feb 11	Feb 18	Feb 25			
Song Leader	Norman G	DeWayne	Kyle P	Tim D	Darrel C			
1st Prayer	David B	Fred W	Vern G	Dennis F	Vern B			
Communion	Chuck M	Bill H	Buck B	Darrel C	Mike S			
Closing Prayer	Jerry L	Norman G	Walter S	Mike S	Tim D			

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It happened that as we were going to the place of prayer, a slave woman who had a spirit of divination met us, who was bringing great profit to her masters by fortune-telling. She followed Paul and us and cried out *repeatedly*, saying, "These men are bond-servants of the Most High God, who are proclaiming to you a way of salvation." Now she continued doing this for many days. But Paul was greatly annoyed, and he turned and said to the spirit, "I command you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her!" And it came out at that very moment (Acts 16:16-18 NASB).

WORSHIP ASSEMBLY

869 We're Marching to Zion

PRAYER

480 Blessed Assurance

332 Lead Me to Calvary

COMMUNION OFFERING

587 Sing and Be Happy

MESSAGE

674 I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

PRAYER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Activities

- Sunday Bible Classes 10:45am
- Wednesday Bible Study 7:00pm
- Ladies' Bible Class Tuesdays at 2:00pm in Library
- Men's Bible Reading
 - Tuesdays 7:00am in Fellowship Hall
 - o Thursdays 9:30am at Darrel Clark's, 325-3721
- Men's Prayer Breakfast- 2nd Saturday, 8:00am
- Potluck Lunch 1st Sunday of each month
- 3rd Sunday Combined Worship TBD

New Address for **Margaret Moore** 404 N Lock Rm 8, Farmington, NM 87401 If you wish to send her cards

Funeral for Ken Heil will be Saturday February 3 at 3:00 pm with a meal following. Here at our building

Women *Walking With* God Conference in Maize, KS April 12-13, 2024 early bird pricing discounts end January 31. Womenwalkingwithgod.org

WWWG Virtual conference planning meeting Feb 17 at 10:00 am - Durango Joe's 5100 E. Main St

Manuelito Navajo Children's Home in Gallup is looking for house parents and teachers. If a career change, long term or short, is in your future, consider working the hardest, most beneficial job you can imagine. Call Jim Christian 505-863-5530

Daily Bible Reading January 29- February 4, 2024							
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Monday	Jan 29	Mt 19	Ex 10-12				
Tuesday	Jan 30	Mt 20:1-16	Ex 13-14				
Wednesday	Jan 31	Mt 20:17-34	Ex 15-16				
Thursday	Feb 1	Mt 21:1-27	Ex 17-19				
Friday	Feb 2	Mt 21:28-46	Ex 20-21				
Saturday	Feb 3	Mt 22:1-22	Ex 22-23				
Sunday	Feb 4	Mt 22:23-46	Ex 24-25				

Bible Bowl

February is fast approaching, get your studying in now!

Annual Bible Bowl will be over the life of Moses!

Study Exodus 1-20, Numbers 10-14, and Deuteronomy 31-34, NIV will be used. A great study site is hoaltc.org. All ages are welcome. Our BB is scheduled for <u>February 25</u>. Let Lynn Shinsky know if you are interested in participating.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

In celebration of Valentine's Day All Ladies are invited to the Men's Prayer Breakfast Saturday, February 10th at 9:00 am *Come and be our Valentines!* (no cooking or cleaning)

Valentine Party

Join us on Sunday February 18th after classes for a Valentine Lunch!

New Picture Directory

- Copies are available in main foyer.
- Please only take one per family.
- We have a few binders if you need one.
- If you want a PDF file see Chuck.

*Please make sure your phone, address and email are updated. These are the ways we communicate. If it's wrong we won't know unless you tell us.

Save the Date

Women *walking with* God Conference *Call to Me I will answer you* Farmington Church of Christ June 8, 2024 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Words

Words are powerful. The pen is mightier than the sword. Coaches give inspiring speeches resulting in comeback wins. Wisdom says, *"Pleasant words are a honeycomb, sweet to the soul and healing to the bones"* (Prov. 16:24). It also reminds us that words can be harmful, *"A worthless man digs up evil, while his words are like scorching fire"* (Prov. 16:27). Let's take a few minutes to consider the power of our words.

Because our words have power, we should choose words which produce joy, inspire courage, and arouse enthusiasm. Paul reminds Christians to *"let your speech always be with grace, seasoned, as it were, with salt, so that you may know how you should respond to each person"* (Col. 4:6). Our speech should always be gracious whether toward strangers, friends, or family members.

We are accountable for our words even when they are said thoughtlessly. Jesus warns that *"by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned"* (Mt. 12:36-37).

We also have power to choose how we receive words from others. If we are wise, we will welcome correction: "*Like and earring of gold and an ornament of fine gold is a wise reprover to a listening ear*" (Prov. 25:12). Christians are quick to hear, slow to speak and slow to anger because they seek to rid themselves of sin and to be doers of God's word (Jas. 1:19ff). Even when words are intentionally hurtful, love kicks in so that we quickly forgive one another and keep no record of wrongs done to us.

Let's remember the power of our speech and that we have a defense against angry words. Peter reminds us of our Christian duty: "*For, the one who desires life, to love and see good days, must keep his tongue from evil and his lips from speaking deceit*" (1Pet. 3:10).

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