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DEACONS

Milton Lary Thomas Marshall
Steve Mills Kyle Olree
Troy Patton Kris Pumphrey

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:00 AM
Morning Worship 10:00 AM
Evening Worship 5:00 PM

WEDNESDAY

Ladies Bible Class 10:00 AM
Bible Class for All Ages 7:00 PM

FEBRUARY 2019

Elder of the Month: Lynn Mayfield
Deacon of the Month: Troy Patton

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2019
MEN TO SERVE**

	AM	PM
Deacon in charge	Steve Mills	Thomas Marshall
Call to Worship	Lynn Mayfield	Thomas Marshall
Song Leader	Troy Patton	Justin Bell
Prayer	Jeff Scott	Jim Powell
Scripture Reading	Waylon Mayfield	Lynn Mayfield
Closing Prayer	Phillip Marshall	Steve Horton
Ushers/Greeters	Ryder Sawyer Cody McCoy	Jared Ivanhoe Milton Lary
A/V	Kris Pumphrey	Bob Williams
A/V Trainee	Shadd Pumphrey	Tony Marrs

LORD'S SUPPER

AM	AM	PM
Thomas Marshall	Curtis McClain	Alan Boyd
Roger Bower	Devin Register	Terry Pafford
Jordan Taylor	Rodney Southerland	Thomas Marshall
Wesley Eaton	Tim Tannich	

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2019

Announcements/Prayer	Milton Lary
Song Leader	Aaron Ragle
Speaker	Adam Orr
Closing Prayer	Jack Laschkewitsch
Ushers/Greeters	Danny Cunningham Jeff Wickham
A/V	Justin Bell
A/V Trainee	

OTHER AREAS OF SERVICE

Sunday Nursery Workers	Gwen Lorenz Helen Wolf
Food Coordinators (February)	Carol Mayfield Lyda Smith
Funeral Coordinators (February/March)	Lyda Smith Jan Lary Carol Mayfield
Lord's Table Preparation (February)	Tim & JoAnn Tannich

WEEK OF JANUARY 27, 2019

Bible Class – 142	PM Worship – 121
AM Worship – 188	Wednesday PM – 119
Contribution – 8773	Budget - 9150
	Average - 8842

SUNDAY SERMONS – FEBRUARY 3, 2019

Mike Vestal	"Family Feuds" (1)	Romans 12:18,21
Mike Vestal	"Family Feuds" (2)	Ephesians 4:3, 14-16



THE WESTSIDE REMINDER

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"Whatever you do, do all to the Glory of God!" - 1 Corinthians 10:31

News You Need to Know

February 2 - Birthday Party at the Orr home (6105 Indigo Sky). If anyone in your home has a birthday in February your family is invited to come celebrate from 3:00-4:00 pm.

February 10 – Sweetheart Banquet for our Widows and Widowers following our AM service. A sign-up sheet is available in the foyer for those who wish to be honored guests.

February 15-17 – How We Got The Bible Seminar with Dr. Denny Petrillo from Bear Valley Bible Institute.

February 18 – Office Closed President's Day.

February 23 – Singing and Fellowship from 6:30-8 PM in the fellowship hall. Don't forget to bring your favorite finger food.

March 3 – Family Game Night and Sandwich Supper after PM Service.

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News & Notes

Baby Shower

You are invited to a baby shower honoring Sarah Ragle and baby Rose Elizabeth on February 24th at 2 PM at the home of Jan Lary. Sarah is registered at Target. Contact Lexie Sawyer or Mary Obree for questions.

Preaching 101: Preaching For Would Be Preachers

Presented by Mike Vestal, hosted by Ackerly church of Christ on February 9th from 9:00-2:00. Please sign up in the foyer **TODAY** if you plan to attend.

Member Directories

New directories will be made available at the end of February. If you have any changes (phone numbers, address, etc.), please make changes/corrections on the directory that has been placed in the foyer.

Bulletin Email List

A clipboard has been placed in the foyer for you to provide your email address if you would like to continue to receive the bulletin by email after March 15th.

Children's Home Needs!

New Mexico Children's Home is scheduled to pick up donations **March 5th**. Any and all donations are appreciated but suggested items at this time are Rice and Peaches.

“GRACIOUS WORDS ARE LIKE A HONEYCOMB, SWEETNESS TO THE SOUL AND HEALTH TO THE BODY.” PROVERBS 16:24

Needed: People Who Are Full of God

His story only covers about two chapters in the New Testament, but what an impact he made! He did more in a relatively brief time of living and dying for Jesus than many Christians would do if they lived to be as old as Methuselah! I'm speaking about Stephen. One word best describes his life, and it's a word we would do well to contemplate and to emulate; that word is **“FULL.”**

“Full” is the word Scripture repeatedly uses with reference to this man of God (cf. Acts 6:3, 5, 8; 7:55). Stephen was full - he overflowed with the character of his God. Some are full of confusion or disgrace (Job 10:15). Others may be full of extortion (Matthew 23:25) or deceit and villainy (Acts 13:10). But Stephen was full of Jesus. And it showed. The world can't ignore or treat with indifference those who are genuinely full of their Lord. A lot of so-called Christianity is so weak and empty it is not even worth fighting by Satan and the world. Would “full” of God be an accurate way to describe us? Notice how Stephen was “full” of the character of God.

(1). Stephen's Faith Was INCLUSIVE - He Was Full of the Holy Spirit (Acts 6:3). By this it is meant that God had ALL of Stephen. The Lord had Stephen's heart, will and mind. God had Stephen's appetite and practice (cf. 1 Corinthians 6:19-20; Galatians 5:22-26). And while it is true that this context involves the miraculous, and that miraculous gifts have ceased (1 Corinthians 13:8-13; Hebrews 2:1-4), one ought not to lose sight of the fact that we still should be full of God and the Holy Spirit's fruit.

(2). Stephen's Faith Was PERCEPTIVE - He Was Full of Wisdom (Acts 6:3). Stephen knew the Source and priority of true wisdom (cf. Proverbs 9:10; Jeremiah 9:23-24). He not only knew right from wrong; he also knew what was best as distinguished from what was good (Philippians 1:9-11). Stephen was “full” of spiritual perception and wisdom. How about us? (Colossians 1:9-14; Hebrews 5:11-14).

(3). Stephen's Faith Was RESPONSIVE - He Was Full of Faith (Acts 6:5). His was a faith that worked through love (Galatians 5:6). Stephen did not merely have faith in faith; his faith had both an object (God) and content (truth). True faith is only as good as its object and content (see Hebrews 10:22). How responsive is your faith?

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(4). Stephen's Faith Was ATTRACTIVE - He Was Full of Grace (Acts 6:8). A shortage of grace tends to repel people, but speaking and acting graciously tends to be attractive (Ephesians 4:29; Titus 2:11-15). There is a time to speak with boldness and conviction regarding sin, as Stephen well illustrates (Acts 7). However, it also is certainly appropriate to ask, “Can others see something of the grace of God **in** and **through** us?” We are never more like our Lord than when we are full of grace! (John 1:14-18).

(5). Stephen's Faith Was EFFECTIVE - He Was Full of Power (Acts 6:8). The power of Stephen's words and actions is unmistakable, and that is because Christ was his life (Colossians 3:4) and the gospel was his power (Romans 1:16). Whether in service to others or responding to difficulty and to persecution, there was power in Stephen's life. And that power was not his own but Christ's (cf. Philippians 3:10). Think of the impact the words and life of Stephen must have come to have on young Saul of Tarsus!

Stephen did not live to see the full impact of a life lived fully for God. And neither do we. But if we, like Stephen, take care of the depth and fullness of our spiritual life, we can count on the Lord to take care of our life and ministry's length, breadth and height (Ephesians 3:18-19). And like Stephen, whose name means, “victor's crown,” we too can be crowned with victory in Jesus!

Mike Vestal

From Mike's Desk

2019 CHURCH BUDGET. Westside's 2019 church budget was presented by our elders to the congregation last Wednesday evening. Copies are available for those members desiring them. We are thankful for the time and prayer that went into preparing the budget. And we are thankful for the generosity and willingness to work that characterize this congregation!

GOSPEL MEETING - Mark Your Calendar! Our Gospel Meeting this year is with John Baker from Katy, TX and is scheduled for **October 6-9.**

CHURCH BULLETIN - Changes are Coming! We are going to a digital only format for the Westside bulletin beginning March 15. If you live out of town and want to continue receiving it, please send us your email address. For members of the congregation, you will be given plenty of time and opportunity to get us your email address before the change takes place. We will continue to have written “News & Notes” on Sunday morning and Wednesday nights, along with news on PowerPoint slides, oral announcements, texts, etc.

Pew Packers Each Sunday at 5:00 PM

Continue in Prayer

OUR MEMBERS:

Jeff Wickham will have tests ran regarding heart issues. Jim McKay, Paula Truex, Patty Anderson, The Eaton family, Juanita Martinez, CeVene Slater, Alan & Skeet McClenahan, Etta Wright, Dale & Wanda Wolf, Bevin Perry, Barbara McClung, Jack & Carolyn Laschkewitsch, Sonja Weerstra, Eldon Reams, Tanya McCann, Elva Bustillos, Frankie Wickham, Marie Kinsey and Steve & Annette Mills.

Remember Our Shut-Ins

Family and Friends:

Sheena Haas (daughter of The Mills) had an emergency C-section yesterday. Baby boy Tripp Haas, born premature, was taken to Anchorage, AK and is in the NICU. Andrew Solomon (missionary from St. Lucia), Rachel Baker (daughter of Alice Armstrong), Samantha (granddaughter of Becki Hocker), Karen Rowe (sister of Patty Rowe), Cindy Smith (foster daughter of the Laschkewitsch), Jim Larowe (brother-in-law of Glenda Southerland), Becky Shroyer (friend of Milton Lary), Ray Cooley (brother of Eddie Cooley), Becky Ekstrom (niece of Tanya McCann), Emory Coker (brother-in-law of Curtis McClain) and Jackie Ray (sister of Glenda Southerland).

Those with Cancer:

Floretta Dotson (sister of Eddie Cooley) diagnosed with lung cancer. Betty Scott (mother of Mike Scott), Beverly Stroope (friend of Margaret Hedges), Steve Perry (brother of Bevin Perry), Pat Flores (sister of Ron Truex), Ronda Dolan (daughter-in-law of Glenda Dolan), Jim Stewart (Rob Wolf's mom's husband), Joan Miller (sister of Sharon McKay), Susan Strong (niece of Martha McFarland), Jay Winters (nephew of Curtis McClain) and Jessie James (brother of Mary Ann Dickson).