

ELDERS

Lynn Mayfield Terry Pafford

DEACONS

Justin Bell Milton Lary Thomas Marshall
Waylon Mayfield Cody McCoy Kyle Olree
Troy Patton Kris Pumphrey Jordan Taylor

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MISSIONS

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Rod Kyle Palmerston North, New Zealand
Bear Valley Bible Institute of Denver

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

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AUGUST 2019

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

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2019

MEN TO SERVE

	AM	PM
Deacon in charge	Cody McCoy	Kris Pumphrey
Call to Worship	Lynn Mayfield	Kris Pumphrey
Song Leader	Jordan Taylor	Troy Patton
Prayer	Jared Ivanhoe	Jim McKay
Scripture Reading	Milton Lary	Terry Pafford
Closing Prayer	Jeff Wickham	Joe Prieto
Ushers/Greeters	Tony Marrs Justin Bell	Jeff Scott Kyle Olree
A/V	Kris Pumphrey	Shadd Pumphrey
A/V	Bob Williams	Steve Mills

LORD'S SUPPER

AM	AM	PM
Steve Horton	Aaron Ragle	Lynn Mayfield
Miguel Bustillos	Devin Register	Tim Tannich
Alan Boyd	Rob Wolf	Kris Pumphrey
Harky Harkness	Rodney Southerland	

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2019

Announcements/Prayer	Kyle Olree
Song Leader	Terry Pafford
Speaker	Jeff Wickham
Closing Prayer	Justin Bell
Ushers/Greeters	Karl Ivanhoe Britt Bell
A/V	Troy Patton
A/V Trainee	

OTHER AREAS OF SERVICE

Sunday Nursery Workers	Angela Prieto Stephanie Scott
Food Coordinators (August)	Vanda Powers Brandi Marshall
Funeral Coordinators (August & September)	Jena Prince Lyda Smith
Lord's Table Preparation (August)	Tim & JoAnn Tannich

WEEK OF AUGUST 11, 2019

Bible Class – 128	PM Worship – 122
AM Worship – 171	Wednesday PM – 115
Contribution – 8400	Budget - 9150
	Average - 9057

SUNDAY SERMONS – AUGUST 18, 2019

Waylon Mayfield	"Stronger Faith"	Hebrews 11:32-33



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

August 25 - Westside Bible Bowl for all kids ages 4-18 (Beginner thru High School classes) beginning at 3:30 PM.

August 31 – Singing and Fellowship from 6:30-8 PM in the fellowship hall. Don't forget to bring your favorite finger food.

September 2 –Office Closed for Labor Day.

September 7 - Annual Fish Fry from 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM. Fish will be furnished, you are asked to supply the extras. If you can help cook please see Thomas Marshall.

September 11 - Wednesday morning Ladies Bible Class will resume at 10am at the church building. All ladies are invited. Please see Darby Williams if you have questions.

Mark Your Calendar!

October 6th – 9th is the date

For Westside's Gospel Meeting with John Baker from Katy, TX!

News & Notes

REJOICE!!!

We rejoice with Hannah Patton who made the decision to put on Christ in baptism this past Thursday, August 8th.

Teaching Opportunity

There are some teaching opportunities available in our Children's Bible Classes for next quarter. Please take a look at the bulletin board for openings!!!

Ladies Ministries

A NEW Ladies Ministry Booklet is being published in AUGUST!!! We have openings left for monthly Food Coordinator and to bake bread. If you can help in these areas please sign-up in the foyer.

NEW DIRECTORY!

A new directory will be printed at the beginning of September. If you have any updates please make them on the clipboard in the foyer.

Children's Home Needs!

New Mexico Children's Home is scheduled to pick up donations September 3rd. Any and all donations are appreciated but the suggested item at this time is cereal and juice.

Friends of the Tabitha Girls

We are looking for women in the congregation who would like to be a "Friend of the Tabitha Girls"! You will be matched with one girl from the Tabitha class and the purpose is to develop relationships between the Tabitha Girls and women of the church.

The primary goal is to get to know one another! You will be matched on Wednesday, September 11th and we will hold a special Tea for the Friends and Tabitha Girls on Sunday afternoon, November 10th. Please sign-up at the desk in the foyer and pick-up an information sheet if you would like to be a *Friend*. Please contact Mary Olree with any questions.

The Matchless Name of Jesus

Mike Vestal

Therefore God also has highly exalted Him, and given Him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow... (Phil. 2:9-10)

The Source of Salvation. "Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved" (Acts 4:12). If any person is saved, it is only by the matchless name of Jesus! (John 14:6; 2 Tim. 2:10). Salvation is "in" Jesus and "by" Jesus and "in" no other.

The Purpose in Assembling. "For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them: (Matt. 18:20). In true worship, God alone is the audience (Matt. 4:9-10). Every Christian is a participant. Worship is vain and empty if it is not for the purpose of praising and magnifying Jesus (John 4:24; Matt. 15:8-9).

The Power in Discipline. "In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ... deliver such a one to Satan for the destruction of the flesh, that his spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord Jesus" (1 Cor. 5:4-5). All forms of church discipline are to be done in the name of Jesus. When discipline comes from the authority of a firm but loving Lord, people are made to soberly reflect upon their behavior.

The Motive in Service. "Because they went forth for His name's sake, taking nothing of the Gentiles" (3 John 7). Our service as the people of God must be sincerely motivated by a desire to please Jesus. Doing the right thing is important; doing the right thing for the right reason is even more so! (John 14:15; 1 Cor. 13:1-3; Gal 5:6)

The Plea in Prayer. "And whatsoever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask anything in My name, I will do it" (John 14:13-14). Praying in the name of Jesus is more than just some formula. It means praying in harmony with all Jesus is and has done for us. It is the realization that only through Him do we have the privilege of going before the throne of grace (Heb. 4:14-16). Can one humbly and obediently pray any other way?

The Authority in All. "And whatsoever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him" (Col. 3:17). This is one of the most wonderfully comprehensive passages in all of Scripture. Jesus is Lord, and we are to do "all in His name. We submit lovingly and loyally to His authority because He knows and will always do what is best.

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The Name of Jesus has the power to calm our fears, wipe away our worries, guide our lives and save our souls. Yes, there is something in a name! As the hymn "Oh How I Love Jesus" exclaims, "There is a name I love to hear; I love to sing its worth. It sounds like music to my ear, The sweetest name on earth."

From Mike's Desk

Here & There – Please do keep in mind both *Martha McFarland* and *Steve Taylor*, who will be undergoing surgery for cancer. I know they would deeply appreciate our prayers. We pray God richly blesses these two precious Christians!

A number from Westside have travelled / are travelling to **PTP** in Seville / Gatlinburg, TN. Please keep these in prayer too as they travel.

Brother Solomon Medical Needs – We have been made aware of approximately \$25,000 in medical expenses needed by our brother Andrew Solomon in the Caribbean. We have long supported and greatly appreciated the faithful work of this dear brother. Our shepherds have given us until the end of the month to contribute to this effort, and we are well on our way to having the amount needed. But the target has not quite been achieved yet! If you can help, you can make a check out to Westside for Solomon Medical expenses. Just give it to one of the elders or take it by the church office.

Rod Kyle at Westside. Our brother Rod will be with us on Sunday, October 27, to teach a combined adult class in the auditorium that morning and to update us on the work in New Zealand and the Solomon Islands that evening. Please continue to keep Rod and Gaye in your prayers as Gaye deals with Huntington's Disease.

Westside Bible Bowl

(From Adam) – It is one of three favorite Sunday's of the year for us at Westside! Sunday, August 25th, at 3:30. We will not have a Bible Bowl over material covered in the months of September-December, so this is our last of the year. We would love to have full student participation. I know this has been a busy summer with many in and out a great deal, but it is not too late to study through the book of Judges and some of the life of Paul. Additional Bible Bowl question packets are available to study on the table in the foyer. There will be a sign-up made available for young people who plan to participate as well as adults who can help us administer the tests.

Continue in Prayer

OUR MEMBERS:

Dorothy Sikes is in Encompass room #401. **Martha McFarland** is in MMH #217 recovering from surgery. **Steve Taylor** was scheduled for surgery Thursday, August 15th at MD Anderson. **Ron Truex** will have spinal surgery Sept. 9th. **Ryder Sawyer, Alan & Skeet McClenahan, Paula Truex, Carolyn Laschkewitsch, Barbara McClung, Margaret Hedges, CeVene Slater, Sonja Weerstra, Elva Bustillos, Frankie Wickham and Marie Kinsey.**

Remember Our Shut-Ins

Family and Friends:

Cindy Smith (foster daughter of the Laschkewitsch's) is very ill and awaiting a liver transplant. **Billie Foster** (Chad Kennemer's grandmother), **Athena** (Skeet McClenahan's daughter), **Don and Sheri Blackwell** (Don is a gospel preacher and director of GBN), **Sarah Vasquez**, (niece of the Lorenz's), **Andrew Solomon** (missionary from St. Lucia), **Becky Shroyer** (friend of Milton Lary), **Ray Cooley** (brother of Eddie Cooley) and **Becky Ekstrom** (niece of Tanya McCann).

Those with Cancer:

Joan Miller (sister of Sharon McKay), **Elizabeth McCarty** (Elaine McCarty's daughter in law), **InaBeth McCoy** (cousin of Brandi Marshall), **Floretta Dotson** (sister of Eddie Cooley), **Beverly Stroepe** (friend of Margaret Hedges), **Pat Flores** (sister of Ron Truex), **Susan Strong** (niece of Martha McFarland), and **Jessie James** (brother of Mary Ann Dickson).

Wednesday Night Devotionals

August 21 – Justin Bell
August 28 – Jordan Taylor