

LOYAL TEENS

NO ACTIVITY TONIGHT

FUNDRAISING

This summer, in order to defer the cost of our many trips, we will be participating in some fundraising. This will help events such as Main Event, Cliff's, Kadash, MPulse, Ponderosa, and the Lake Trip. If you want to know more please ask Tom Condos for details.

SUMMER COOKOUT, JUNE 2ND

As we kick off summer, the youth are going to host a Summer Cookout after the 2nd service. As group we will prepare food and serve ice cream sundaes. This will also be a fundraiser and all donation will go to summer events. Please be a part of this event.

Upcoming Events

PROMOTION NIGHT
May 22, 6:30pm

SUMMER COOKOUT
June 2nd, 12pm

VBS (volunteers): **June 3-5**
Kadash (10th-graduated seniors): **June 9-15**
Hard Work Camp: **June 24-26**

MPulse (7-9 grades): **July 7-12**
Ponderosa (4 sessions): **June 26-July 28**
Lake Trip : **August 9-11**

Servers

THIS MORNING'S SERVERS

Services Coordinator Curtis Vernon

Song Leader (8:30am service) Roy Yates

Song Leader (10:40am service) Brett Rimer

Opening Prayer Chad Darnell

Closing Prayer Claude Schleyer

Lord's Supper Richard Diaz, Bud Hunnicutt, Dan Rowe,

Dan Stringham, Louis Abraham, Jeff Davenport

Alternates Steven Samuels, Peter Smolenski

Nursery Attendants Denise Keefe, Lynn Mcelveney

5:00PM SERVICE

Song Leader: Shawn Keer

Prayer Leaders:

Colin Foust & David Shelton

Gluten free communion bread is available at the sound table in the back of the auditorium

12300 Indian School Rd. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87112

Sunday, May 19, 2019

Small Group Ministries

SUNDAYS

Bowles/Anyanonu

4:15pm, 3022 22nd Ave. SE, Rio Rancho (Westside), 994-8808

Schleyer

6:00pm potluck & 7:00pm lesson, 9501 Camino Del Sol NE, 821-4928

McCall

5:00pm, East Mountains, Scott 235-9018 or Rick Hankins 250-3638

Mountainside

5:00pm, in the church auditorium

Doug & Susan Brown

Biweekly, 5:00pm, 12801 Granite NE, 293-4322

WEDNESDAYS

The Best Group

7:00pm, 709 La Charles NE, 249-5511 or 249-6823

THURSDAYS

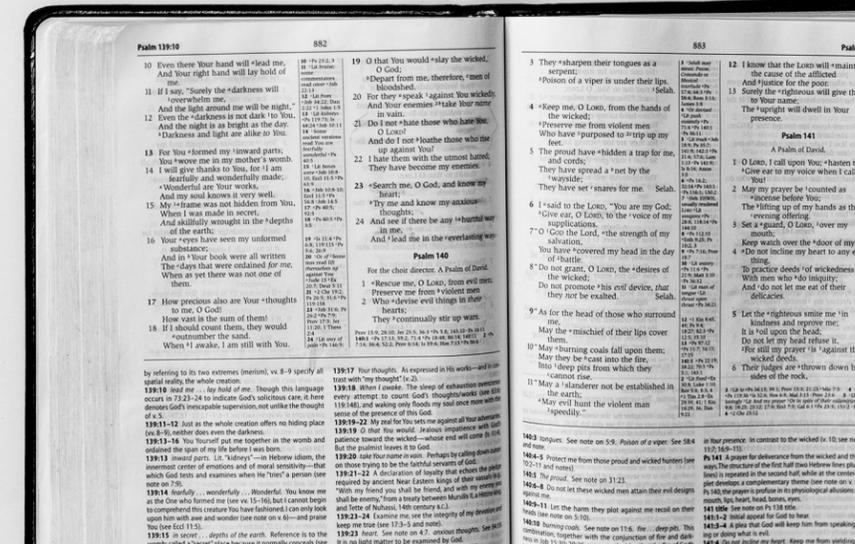
TAKN: Young Adults

7pm, Eastside, Mark Kellermeyer 913-744-9173

NOTE: All small groups turn in your attendance by Thursday morning to Rick Hankins by phone or email. Thank you!



MOUNTAINSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST



WELCOME

If you are visiting with us today, we would like you to fill out a Communication Card and drop it in the collection plate at the end of the service.

We are truly thankful you chose to worship at Mountainside this morning, and please, come again!

Announcements

PONDEROSA BBQ

June 8th, 10am-2pm

The annual Ponderosa Christian Camp BBQ will be on Saturday, June 8th from 10am-2pm. We invite everyone to come out and enjoy the great outdoors as well as some delicious BBQ as we kick off the summer camp season.

SUMMER FUN ACCH

The ACCH is in need of Summer Fun gift card donations for activities such as museums, Cliff's Amusement Park, Bible camps, trampoline parks, etc. Details can be located on the flyers posted on the church bulletin boards.

HELP NEEDED

The Cradle Roll class is looking for helpers and the occasional substitutes on Sunday and Wednesday nights. If you can help, contact Julia Holloman or Paula Coch.

VBS: TO THE EDGE AND BACK

June 3, 4, 5; 9am-12pm

Attention all explorers! VBS is back and better than ever! Invite your neighbors, friends, and family members to an "Out Of This World" experience. VBS is free and open to kids entering Kindergarten-5th grade. Register online at mountainsidechurchabq.org
Volunteers are still needed and should contact Crystal Forbes at dcforges@msn.com

AREA WIDE MEN'S BREAKFAST

Thank you to all the men who were able to attend the Area-wide Men's Breakfast. It was a great time of fellowship and thank you to Rick Hankins for sharing with us.

HOUSE PARENTS NEEDED

The Albuquerque Christian Children's Home is a ministry that is passionately dedicated to at-risk children. We are looking for a faithful married couple who love children, model their faith, and want to serve full time in our ministry as house parents. Benefits include: housing, utilities, vacation, medical and short and long-term disability. Salaried position. Interested couples will send their cover letter of interest and resumes to: Everett White, Executive Director Email: sroberson@acch4kids.org Website: acch4kids.org Must be members of the church of Christ.

SUMMER SPEAKERS

Santa Fe Church of Christ invites you to their Summer Speaker Series entitled, "Imagine If". Flyers with more info are available in the foyer.

CHURCH ELDERS Doug Brown, Lance Darnell, Rick Hankins, Jerry Patton, Neal Peck, Claude Schleyer, Alan Taylor

MINISTERS Rick Hankins *Pulpit*, Tom Condos *Youth*, Garrett Schmilke *Campus*

CHURCH DEACONS Stephen Anyanonu, Nathan Bowles, Larry Best, Tom Condos, Chad Darnell, Matt Darnell, Colin Foust, Wes Herron, Jonathan Lewis, Joel Means, Jim Poland, Robert Poland, Joe Schrader, Garrett Schmilke, Dave Shelton, Mario Simone, Curtis Vernon, Roy Yates

For the Record

Week of May 12th

Bible Study	161	PM Worship	68	Budget	\$11,767.69
AM Worship	285	Wednesday Classes	128	Contribution	\$9,975.61

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SERVICES

Sunday Worship 8:30 & 10:40am

Sunday Bible Study 9:30am

Sunday Evening Worship 5:00pm

Wednesday Bible Study 6:30pm

for the kids

Jesus loved when the little children worshipped Him and so do we! We offer several ministries for you and your young ones during services that you can choose to take advantage of:

Attended Nursery (up to 24 months) - Located down the children's hallway. You can drop off your child with an attendant or stay with them.

Un-attended Nursery (up to 24 months) - Located at the center-back of the auditorium. You can sit with your child and listen to the service.

Nursing Room - Located at the northwest end of the auditorium.

Training Room - Located at the southwest end of the auditorium.

Children's Bible Hour - classes for ages 2/3 and 4yrs-4th grade. Children will be dismissed after communion.

FROM RICK'S DESK

Truth

During the trial of Jesus, Pontius Pilate asked Him a question that has resounded through the ages: "What is truth?" Pilate didn't know it at the time, but he was asking this question to the greatest authority on truth. This question is just as important today as it was then since the idea of absolute truth is increasingly rejected in our culture. We know as believers that the rejection of God's truth is the core building block of all the evil in society today.

The conversation that led to Pilate's question was Jesus' response to His kingship. Jesus had said, "My kingdom is not of this world. If it were, my servants would fight to prevent my arrest by the Jewish leaders. But now my kingdom is from another place." ³⁷ "You are a king, then!" said Pilate. Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. **In fact, the reason I was born and came into the world is to testify to the truth.** Everyone on the side of truth listens to me." ³⁸ "What is truth?" retorted Pilate. With this he went out again to the Jews gathered there and said, "I find no basis for a charge against him." John 18:36-38

When Jesus says, "In fact, the reason I was born and came into the world is to testify to the truth," He is indeed giving humanity very important insight as to why God became flesh in the person of Christ. This statement in no way negates any power from the cross, but simply declares God's acknowledgement of the importance of truth. In John 14, the night before the crucifixion, He told those closest to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life" (John 14:6).

The Father came to humanity in and through Jesus Christ to bear witness to the truth. Jesus left no question that He had a monopoly on truth. He *is* the truth. There is no truth outside of the Lord Jesus Christ. He also made it clear that there is no way to be pleasing to God outside of believing the truth. One cannot have life to the fullest without excepting the truth as seen by God.

True believers know that truth is reality as it is defined by God. Truth is the way things really are. Truth is not how things may appear to be. Truth is not what we want things to be. Truth is not what popular opinion polls say it is. Truth is the way things **really** are.

Truth does not come from this world. It does not arise from society and culture. Rather, truth comes from above. It comes from God, who is truth and who reveals His truth to us. Someone wisely said that truth is the self-disclosure of God's own being and God's own nature. God is the author of all truth because God is the truth. Romans 3:4 says, "Let God be found true, though every man be found a liar."

Truth is sovereign and it reigns over all. Truth is the definitive standard by which everything is measured. Truth is never relative, never arbitrary, and it is never conditional. Everything outside the truth is a lie. Jesus had strong words for the religious leaders of that day and those who followed them: "You belong to your father, the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning, not holding to the truth, for there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks his native language, for he is a liar and the father of lies." (John 8:44).

We have only two choices in life concerning truth. That choice determines whom we will give our loyalty to as well as the family we will belong to for eternity. The one who chooses God the Father is blessed to become part of His family. They will hear truth and believe. That belief will make their faith strong and it will be seen in their actions. The one who fails to choose God makes another choice whether they realize it or not. They choose the devil as their father and become part of his family. They will ignore the truth of God and believe the lies of Satan. Truth matters and our choices have eternal consequences.

Rick Hankins

Announcements

HELP NEEDED

On May 30 the CSC@UNM will be receiving it's first team from Adventures In Missions (AIM). Three young men and three young ladies will be joining our efforts on campus!

We have secured housing but are in need of bedroom furniture for the three guys. So we are holding an AREA-WIDE RUMMAGE SALE on Saturday, June 1st. This will allow the AIMers to get the items they need and the rest of the proceeds will be used for updating and organizing the CSC. If you have anything you would like to donate, please let us know. If possible we would like items to be dropped off at the CSC, but we can help pick up if necessary. Please communicate by text, email, or phone with Garrett. 505-681-4028 or gschmille@gmail.com

CONDOLENSCES

Our condolences are extended to the Schmille families with the passing on Saturday, May 11th, of Christopher Schmille, Garrett's uncle and Pam Schmille's husband. Those wanting to send a card to Pam may do so to: 2824 Casa del Norte Dr NE, 87112.

THANK YOU

To Mountainside, I feel blessed to be a member of Mountainside. Thanks to everyone for the cards, visits in the hospital, prayers, and the meals that were brought to me. People have been so generous. I know the meals aided in my recovery. I thank God for all of you.

Love,
Karen Batie

BLING MINISTRY

The Bling Team is now accepting donations of jewelry, purses, scarves and fancy hats. The Bling Box (purple and silver) is located in the Family Center.

The proceeds from the upcoming Bling Event go to the non-profit, faith-based Shine program which partners congregations with APS schools in need. Our schools need Godly people in them helping students, teachers, and families.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Curtis and Brianna Vernon. Abel James Vernon was born on Monday, May 13th weighing 8lbs and 21 inches long. Hannah is the very proud big sister.

Prayer Requests

Dan Scott is still at Canyon Transitional Center. He is not able to receive visitors at this time but greatly appreciates phone calls and cards.

James Adams, uncle of Julia Holloman and Paula Coch is experiencing some health issues and has been put in hospice care.

Barbara Goll, mother of Sarah Jean Sutherland, is home from the hospital & following up with tests to determine the cause of recurring atrial fibrillations.

Tommie Bedford, Karen Batie, and Dee Stone have recently had surgeries and could use prayers of healing and comfort.

Prayers for our senior saints: Tommie Bedford, Al Gil; Fran Higginbotham; Arlene DeFoor; Juanita Ortego; Gene Decker; Frank and Maria Ulibarri; Joe and Betty Groom;

Betty Frederick-Sowell; Dennis Mangan, Leslie Anyanonu's father; Gloria Brannan; Rose Hensley, Latayne Scott's mother; Delora Moore, Jackie Decker's mother.

Continue to pray for: Mike Erick, Mary House, Karen Scott; Ken Hush, father of Doug Hush; Greg Kelly; Carmen Hudgins, Juanita Ortego's daughter; Jeff Liddell; Stan Samuels, Steven Samuels' father; James Stanesic, brother of Carol Stevens; Teresa Groom; Barbara Murphy; Lisa Walker, Steve Boberg's niece; Babetta (Kay) Darnell, mother of Lance and Bronson; Sam Hanna; Lilah Swan, daughter of Larry and Zrita Martinez; Sharlene and Shannon, Winette and Ira Parr's daughters; Sherry Abraham's mother Pat; Sherry Boberg; Guylene Grady, Judy Rogers' mother; Chris Stringham; Amanda Riccon, Sherry Abraham's niece; Terry Padilla; Dan Scott; Lin and Jackie Decker; Aleasha Decker.

upcoming events

MAY 25, 9:30 AM
Drawing Group: Call Elaine Koehler (505)323-1617 for more information.

JUNE 1
CSC's Area-wide Rummage Sale

JUNE 2, 12 PM
Summer Cookout

JUNE 8, 10AM-2PM
Ponderosa BBQ

Wednesday meals

If you would like to help prepare the Wednesday night meals, please contact Matt and Beth Darnell at 505-917-4528 or email baddarnell@gmail.com

SCHEDULE

May 22— Garrett and Shanae Holloman

May 29— Stout

June 5— Darnell

Desserts are always welcome!