

# The Silver Star

The Church of Christ - shining like a star in Silver City

July 5, 2009

## Our Mission:

"To glorify God by being a Christ-centered, Spirit-led church where every 'one' matters."

## Brokenness

- A. Israel's spiritual condition
  1. Jer.8:14; 8:11,21-22
  2. Jehovah God had become only one god among many
  3. The Scripture speaks of sin and sinful behaviors as a "brokenness" in the lives of people.
  4. God makes it clear that there are certain acts of brokenness that will keep a person from inheriting His Kingdom.
  
- B. The real problem with Israel's brokenness is that they did not care that they were broken.
  
- C. The Good news for Israel as well as us today is that despite our brokenness, God is a God of healing.
  
- D. The problem we encounter today is what "do you do with those people who don't think they are broken or don't care that they are broken?"

## Prayer List....

Several of our kids, as well as the Lunsfords, will be at camp this week - pray for their safety & spiritual growth - several young girls will be at camp for the first time!

Christy Greene - recovering from surgery - all went well

Jo Ann Childress -July 7 biopsy

April Houchin - surgery July 14 (fibroid tumor)

Linda Barentine - chemo treatments

Josie Haley (Bob's wife) - in process to come to the US

These with health & other struggles:

Kevin Beck, Norma Brannan, Erica Christian (neurological problems), Charles & Jean Crutcher, Monroe Denham (Pat Fell & Sally Beckworth's dad), Carroll Jacobs, Sandra Jones, Cherry Lunsford (shoulder problems), Donny Mosely (Norma & Thelma's brother), Norm Norton (Linda Pecotte's dad), Darren Phillips, Koben Puckett (recovering from bull-riding accident), Rita Robinson, Pat Rogers, Rita Rogers, Lucille Schramper,, Ramona Sepulveda, Michael Shrek, Kim Scullion (blood clotting problems), LeRoy Smith (Gerald's brother) - stroke recovery, Nancy Tanner, Jeff Turner (in need of a kidney transplant), Christine Vaughn, Chad Wilson, Brad Young & family, Jeanne Young (vertebrae), Kyle & Maryssa Young

Cancer Patients & their families: Earl Anderson, Cheryl Baxter (Pat Rogers' neighbor), Arthur Clark, Jackie Clark (wife of Deb Laws' cousin), Ed DeLaTorre (friend of Pete Palomarez), TJ Gimple (Tenisha's boss), Betty Hall (Brent's mom), Everet Hardesty (Linda Reeder's dad), Shirlee Hazlewood (Rhonda's sister-in-law), CK Holt, Lynn Lane (coworker of Megan Beck), George Malone (from Las Vegas), Betty Marcum, Karl Moore, Joey Mora (Harry's friend), Jean Olander, Dave Ruth (Bill's brother), Richard Snyder, Holly Tow (cancer-free)

Prayer list continued...

As our nation celebrates its birthday, please pray for our country to return to the desires of our founding fathers... to be a country that depends upon God & seeks His will ...

Our Military:

Wesley Bates (Gene's son), Sara Chadborn (Verdos & Wanda's granddaughter), Jeramie Gabaree (Toby Ruth's brother - Iraq), Victor Hale (great nephew of Norma & Thelma), James Houchin, Ryan Markum (Childress's great-nephew), Jared Moses, Justin Mullins, Luke Robson, Travis Dodson, Monica Hall, Adrian Hannah, Joe Hazlett, Craig Hickerson, Dwayne Hill, Charles Laws, Terry Luker, Allan Meredith, Brian Mosley, Randy Mosely, Russell Sutton, Jeanea Vandehei, Lee Watson

Our Elders:

Harry Pecotte, Brent Hall, Bill Ruth, & Roddy Rogers

Our Deacons:

Kenny Taylor, Bob Scullion, Phil Huckans, Don Perry, Don Fell, Curtis Barentine, Tom Laws

## ***Upcoming Events...***

^^Ice Cream Social Gathering  
Tonight after evening study  
Finger Foods &/or ice cream

^^Wednesday Night for the Master  
Men's group - 1st Corinthians 5  
Ladies' Group - "Worthy in Lowliness"

**Relay for Life - July 17-18**  
Join our team "Caring Christians"!  
See Debbie Rogers if you'd like  
white bags for a donation of \$5 each.  
You may decorate them in  
honor/memory of someone for the  
luminaria ceremony.  
Sign up for a time to walk the track!

^^Congregational Campout  
August 7-8 at City of Rocks

^^Ladies' Retreat at Pine Springs  
"I Am Woman" - September 11-13

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### Information corrections:

\*\*Arthur & Liza Clark -  
Cell phones only - no Home phone  
\*\*Darwin & Fran Daulton  
Home Phone 575-373-1423

## Yarn Works!

Friday, July 10 at 1:00 PM,  
join JoAnn Childress & Lynette  
Christopher at the building  
for knitting & crocheting.

Whether you want to learn or you  
already know how to work with yarn,

they would love to see you!!

Extra yarn & needles will be  
available if you don't have them!

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**July 26-30**

### **"Gadget's Garage"**

*Adults & Teens sign up to help  
at the rear of the auditorium.*

Sign up (by the week this summer) to teach  
combined children's Bible class

Sundays at 10:00 AM. If you need help  
finding lesson material or have questions,  
contact Debbie Rogers.



### **Happy Birthday to**

Hillary Phillips (6th),

Bria Sanderson & Galynn McKenzie (10th),  
& Tom Robinson (12th)

### **Happy Anniversary to**

Don & Olive Bailey &

Jeff & Tenisha Fell (6th)

& Richard & Thelma Rogers (8th)



## **teenspace:**

Josh & Cherry will be teaching  
at Pine Springs Christian Camp  
this week

- no weightlifting or Movie  
Night

**TCC - Teenage Christian Conference  
in Albuquerque July 31- August 2**

The youth committee's work did not  
stop with hiring Josh.

They continue to oversee our youth  
work & are open to your support,  
questions, ideas, volunteering...

See Bud Christopher, Jeff Fell,

Kris Huckans, Tom Laws,

Carissa Otero, Linda Pecotte,

Roddy Rogers, Judy Ruth,

or Bruce Tanner.

Kenny Taylor is our "youth" deacon  
also serving on the committee.

### **Last Week's Contributions**

Contribution	\$ 1664.00
Kids' Kash	\$ 59.47
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1723.47</b>
Budget	\$ 3000.00

Van Fund Balance \$ 5725.00

Mark you donation "van fund" .