

The Silver Star

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

August 24, 2008

Our Mission:

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

Today's Sermon - "Spiritual Olympics"

- A. Observations from watching the Olympic athletes compete
- B. If life was a spiritual Olympics, how well do you think we would do if God judged us on any one moment in our lives?
- C. God has judged us on one performance - the good news is that it wasn't our performance that He judged but Jesus' on the cross.
- D. Now that God has judged us perfect through the sacrifice of Jesus, our responsibility is to continue to train spiritually.
 - 1. The scripture uses a lot of athletic illustrations to talk about how a believer in Jesus is to live.
 - 2. We train not to better our score but because of who we are - we are spiritual athletes for Christ.
- E. Conclusion:

As you pray this week, please remember...



The physical & spiritual needs of...

- Marion Childress - had surgery on the carotid arteries on Friday at the VA Hospital in Albuquerque & is home & doing fine
- Kevin Beck (severe joint problems), Norma Brannan, Arthur Clark, Juston Clement, Charles & Jean Crutcher, Christy Greene, April Houchin (high risk pregnancy), Greg & Michael Jones (family struggles), Sandra Jones, Donny Mosely (Norma & Thelma's brother), Verdos Mullins, Darren Phillips, Fred & Ruby Prevost, Rita Robinson (still not feeling very well), Pat Rogers, Rita Rogers, Justin Ruebush, Lucille Schramper, Ramona Sepulveda, Michael Shrek, the True family, Sam Turner, Christine Vaughn, Chad Wilson, Jeri Wiseman, Brad Young & family

Cancer patients:

- Earl Anderson, Donald Bailey, Cheryl Baxter (Pat Rogers' neighbor), Gatlin Clark, Jean Martenson (Charlotte's aunt), Amy Martin (Catherine's niece), David Ruth (Bill's brother), Jean Olander, Patricia Petty (Lucille's neighbor), Holly Tow

Members in the Nursing Home:

Sylvia Anderson, Lonetta Miles, Sister Smith

Adoptions:

Todd & Connie Blevins are still waiting for the adoption of a Russian child
Scott & Shelly Bolton (Catherine's niece) - birth of a natural child due September 13 & hoping for finalization of adoption for Andrew by the end of the year

Our military:

Wesley Bates (Gene's son), Sara Chadborn (Verdos & Wanda's granddaughter), Jerome Gabaree (Iraq), Victor Hale (great nephew of Norma & Thelma), James Houchin, Jared Moses, Justin Mullins, Luke Robson, Chad Rozanski, David Barber, 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

teenspace/youthspace

Josh Lunsford begins work with us
on Sunday, October 10!

Sign up to plan an activity!
We need volunteers for September,
October, November, & December.
See Catherine

For your calendar...

Congregational Meeting
Today at 5:00 PM

Pot Luck
September 14

Pantry item: Fruit Juices

Happy Birthday to

Trini Tolar (28th)
& Fred Prevost (31st)



Happy Anniversary to

Alfredo & Mica Molina (27th)
& Bud & Lynette
Christopher (28th)



We extend our sympathy to
the family of Betty Putnam in
her passing early Tuesday morning.
Funeral services were held
this past Friday.



"For physical **training** is of some value, but
godliness has value for all things, holding
promise for both the present life and the life
to come." 1 Timothy 4:8

Attention Ladies!!!

Ladies' Retreat at Pine Springs
"Restore My Soul, Oh My Lord!"
September 5-7

Kris Huckans will take your
reservation - \$50 covers everything!
Contact Chrissy if you can provide a
themed basket for a door prize
& if you can help assemble the
retreat folders.

Ladies' Retreat at Glorieta
October 10-12

Don't miss hearing Eleni Melirrytou -
hosted by the Mountainside Church
of Christ ladies. Get your retreat
registration forms and workshop
registration forms calling Jean Grey
at (505) 292-8374 or at
www.mtinsidechurch.org

Schedule of Services & Studies

Every Sunday

*Bible Classes

for all ages 10:00 AM

*Worship 11:00 AM

Children ages 1 through 2nd grade may dismiss to

Children's Church just before the sermon -

the songleader will announce the proper time.

*Worship at Silver Care Center 2:30 PM

*The elders are available at 5:00 each Sunday evening to meet with you & will pray for any requests turned in.

Bible Study & Children's Bible Hour at 6:00 PM

*Pot Luck - September 14

*Congregational Meeting - Today at 5:00 PM

Wednesday Night for the Master

Meal at 6:00 PM

This week - Devotional/Service Projects at 7:00 PM

Children's Class & Youth Group at 7:00 PM

"...train yourself to be godly. "

1 Timothy 4:7 B

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Contacts

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- Don & Rita Perry

Church Calendar - Jeanne Young

Church Directory - Pat Fell

Cleaning & other supplies -

Rhonda Houchin

Food for funerals, etc. - Tenisha Fell

Kids' Kash for Benevolence

(save your aluminum cans) -

Christy Greene

Prayer Requests - Kari Scullion

Use of the building - Don Perry

Van scheduling - Bruce Tanner

Elders:

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Harry Pecotte 538-3615

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Kids' Kash \$ 123.66

Total \$2204.16

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