



# Linder Road

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### From the Preacher's Desk

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#### DOING OUR BIT

"You are the salt of the earth... "You are the light of the world... In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.  
(Matthew 5:13-16)

A number of years ago BBC News, quoted the Archbishop of Westminster, Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor stating that Christianity had been "all but eliminated" as a source of moral guidance in people's lives, and that people were 'indifferent' to Christian values, and that music, new age and occult practices seemed to be replacing Christ as something in which young people could trust.

He went on to note that society had been demoralized, with people seeking transient happiness in alcohol, drugs and pornography. He is not alone in painting a grim picture: for some time now many have been pointing out that modern society has become more tacitly atheistic in terms of rejecting the establishment of moral standards that God has set forth in the Bible for society to live by. Almost a nihilistic view that there is nothing beyond this life except nothingness and if there is nothingness then there is no need for moral restraint sense death is the end of it all.

So how should we as Christians respond to such thinking, should we throw in the towel? Should we pack up and go home?

Should we convert our building into a charter school or warehouse? No. Identifying the root problems of society – a society which has allowed itself to become distant from God – is not resignation to this status quo, but a call to each and every one of us to do something about it.

Whenever I am tempted to despair at this so-called 'Godless Age', I am reminded of the beginning of Psalm 14: "The Fool says in his own heart, there is no God". That psalm reminds us clearly that Godlessness has always been with us, and that there have always been (probably a majority of) people

#### OUR WORSHIP AND PRAISE

<b>Song Leader</b>	<b>Dave Rich</b>
Hymn 736	Send the Light
Hymn 417	Walking in Sunlight
Hymn 695	Sweet Will of God
<b>Special Needs</b>	<b>Larry Johnson</b>
Hymn 635	Farther Along
<b>Prayer</b>	<b>Joel Segraves</b>
Hymn 371	When We Meet In Sweet Communion
<b>Lord's Supper</b>	<b>Christopher Cleverdon</b>
Hymn 287	Each Step I Take
Hymn 379	I Walk with the King
<b>AM Sermon</b>	<b>A Lamp Shining in a Dark Place</b> (Charles White)
Hymn 570	I Have Decided to Follow Jesus
<b>Prayer</b>	<b>Larry Johnson</b>
<b>PM Sermon</b>	<b>Prayer, A Definition</b> (Dave Rich)

# Linder Family News

## Mark Your Calendar

Events for the Week: Jul 9—Jul 15

Sunday.....Singing at Meridian Rehab 1:15pm  
Sunday.....Singing thru the Songbook 5:30pm  
Monday.....Area Wide Singing 7:30pm  
Tuesday .....Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00am  
Tuesday.....Teen Camp Reg. Begins 3:00pm

## Remote Worship - Assignments

Care Groups 10, 11, & 12: Jul 9 & Jul 16  
Care Groups 13, 14, & 1: Jul 23 & Jul 30

## Area Wide Singing—Tomorrow Night

The Area Wide Monthly Singing for the month of July will be **tomorrow** night at 7:30pm in Mt. Home.

## Camp Ivydale-Registration Forms

It's never too late to register for camp...but if you are planning to attend, please register asap!! Forms are available on the teen board. Pre-Teen starts Tuesday and registration begins at 3pm.

## Attn: Ladies—Bridal Showers

There will be a bridal shower for Miranda (Maynard) Garcia on Sunday, **July 16th** at 3pm in the fellowship hall.

There will be a bridal shower for Bekah Barnes on Saturday, **August 5th** at 11am in the fellowship hall.

Mark your calendars and plan to join the fun celebrating these young brides.

## July Camp Dates & More

July 6-9: Young Adult Camp @Ivydale  
July 8-14: Mt. States Mission Trip  
July 9-12: Teton Encampment  
July 11-15: Pre-Teen Camp @Ivydale  
July 23-29: Teen Camp @Ivydale  
July 24-29: Tahoe Encampment



## New Quarter Adult Classes Began July 2nd

Sunday AUD—Denominational Doctrine  
Sunday FH—Christianity 301/401  
Wednesday AUD—Convicted  
Wednesday Rm. 3—Ladies Class

## Pantry Items Needed

Shampoo	Rice (Reg. & Instant)
Hair Conditioner	Spaghetti Sauce

## Lost and Found



The Lost and Found items have been placed on a table in the fellowship hall for easy viewing. Please take a moment to see if something belongs to you.

## Volunteers Needed—Teen Devotional Hosts

We need volunteers to host teen devotionals. Devotionals can be held at the building or in your home following Sunday evening service. Hosts would provide dinner and/or dessert, followed by a short devotional thought with a few songs. The teen boys can help with either or both of these tasks. You do not have to have a teen to host a devotional; anyone can serve in this way! There is a signup sheet on the teen board in the foyer.

## Mountain States Children's Home Annual Change-a-Life Can Drive

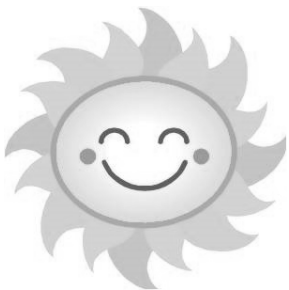


The Change-a-life can campaign is going on now through August. If you would like to help the children at the home with their school supplies and such, pick up a can in the foyer. When it's full...return it to Lori.

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who turn away from God. (Matthew 7:13-14)  
The Psalmist clearly thought those people to be fools. Perhaps we are a little more sensitive these days and more reticent to call people fools, but the truth remains; modern society has lost its way in a most foolish manner, and yet it seeks a way, a truth, a life through all manner of foolish distractions: music, new age spirituality, the occult, drugs, alcohol and porn etc.

Yet the truth is under our noses all the time. The way, the truth and the life is found in a relationship with Jesus Christ and carrying out the mission He has given to His followers; to be salt and light to the world. Jesus words imply that being salt and light is not just a Sunday morning thing, but something we live out each and every day as Christians on this earth. Jesus is calling us to be salt and light by sharing our faith and reaching out to this community in which we live; some in our community may indeed be godless and indifferent, but many are waiting to hear some good news that goes beyond the temporary. There are many out there who have not had the opportunity to encounter Christ, and to share the fellowship which our congregation can so richly offer. May I encourage you to be salt that influences those you come into contact and light that displays the Son of God in your life this coming week? May I also encourage you to work hard to welcome, encourage and invite all to services next Sunday. We can all do our bit.



Because of Him, RJS



## Remember in Prayer

### Health

Beth B.	Elmyra M.	Virgilene R.
R&A Barton	C&D Masters	Arnie S.
Naomi B.	Corky M.	Linda S.
Carol C.	Eveylene M.	J&L Vann
J&A Fulfer	H&M Newcomb	Holly W.
Geraldine H.	Gene R.	Gloria W.
LaTrice P.	Madeline R.	Pam W.
		L&B Young

Thorne Campbell, brother of Kevin Campbell  
Steve Hatcher, former Linder Road member  
Thomas Imlay, father of Jeff Imlay  
Blaire Jenkins, daughter of Kim & Diane Harvey  
Huel Morphis, friend of Reshia Imlay  
Michael Osborne, son of Pat Evans  
Sue Trolinder, mother of Ed Klopfenstein  
Michael West, son of Linda West

### Cancer

Wes Berlinger, brother in-law of Dee Martin  
Mary Corning, friend of Karen Scheuerer  
Todd Howe, brother of Tamara Maynard  
Bruce McCosh, friend of Anita Rich  
Micole Roberts, sister of Connie May  
Lora Schmidt, niece of Kim Harvey

### Hospital/Surgery/Recovery

La Trice Patterson, Rehab  
Michelle Matlock, Melanoma Removal 6/27  
Bryan Culbertson, hospital heart surgery 6/28  
Dave Bosserman, heart stent 7/5  
Sonia Martin, wrist surgery 7/6  
Michelle Mendiola, carpal tunnel surgery 7/13

### Military Men/Women—Serving Away from Home

Patrick Foley	Jessica Jacques	Kyle Daron
Brandon Jones	Braydon Jones	Travis Leigh
Kris McFate	Matthew Powell	

### Travelers

G&J Oliver  
Mt. States Mission Trip Travelers

**Elders**

Larry Johnson	Missions	887-6451
Shelby Krider	Evangelism & Outreach	571-6894
Dave Rich	Benevolence, Media & Resources, Budget/Finance	724-1048
Bob Spriggel	Building & Grounds, Transportation, Senior's Ministry	631-1978
Richard Sutton	Youth Ministry, Transition, Evangelism & Outreach, Missions	907-1788
Ken Welch	Children's Education, Fellowship, Aftercare	288-1938
Wendell Welch	Care Groups, Safety & Security, Ustick Property, Adult Education	599-2626
Charles White	Missions & Worship	514-6322

**Evangelists**

Richard Sutton	907-1788
Clint Davison	891-5771

**Secretary**

Lori Wheeler	887-4633 484-9477
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**Deacons**

Kevin Barnes	Young Adults	629-0734
Brock Coleman	Fellowship & Benevolence	949-1317
Jeremy Havlik	Elementary Education	501-5240
Dave Hornsby	Adult Education	939-6497
Richard Jewell	Evangelism & Ustick Property	884-4226
Steve Jones	Building	447-0766
Mike Kish	Security	771-0907
Ed Klopfenstein	Webmaster	887-0811
John McCarthy	Teen Education	914-7057
John Mendiola	Budget & Finance	941-4335
Eric Neville	Library & Benevolence	602-8885
Ron Oldham	Senior Saints	467-9302
Alex Paden	Building & Grounds	972-2485
Dana Patterson	Worship	867-2313
Mike Powell	Evangelism	970-618-5905
Joel Segraves	Teens Activities	412-2660
Arnie Spriggel	Ustick Property	362-5194
Lance Wheeler	Media & Resources	861-8685

**Coordinators — Assisting Elders & Deacons**

Michelle Mendiola	Wed. Night Ladies' Class	208-280-3118
Wendy Bartley	Wednesday Night Supper	888-4974
Patsy Dokken	Meals & Delivery (Apr-July)	577-8987
Nancy Kuehl	Meals & Delivery (Aug-Nov)	695-5275
Linda West	Meals & Delivery (Dec-Mar)	713-5004
Clint Davison	Care Group Coordinator	891-5771
Art Clark	Care Group Coordinator	550-0949
Stan Durfee	Care Group Coordinator	503-718-8553

**Elder contact for July—Shelby Krider**

**OUR MISSIONS**

Louis Bassay	Harding University-Searcy, AR
Trai Evans	Bear Valley—Denver, CO
Paul Myers	Salmon, ID
Byron Benitez	Guatemala
Hi Jones	Guatemala
Doug Kish	AIM Program—Fort Collins, CO
Anibal Ramirez	Guatemala
Abner Ramos	Las Pacayas, Guatemala
Brandon Price	Ukraine
Ray Sherman	Price, UT
Preacher Internship Program - Durango, CO	
Manuelito Navajo Children's Home - New Mexico	
Mountain States Children's Home - Colorado	
Focus Press	
World Bible School and World English Institute	

**Gospel Broadcasting Network**

Dish-267/5:30 am; Direct TV-376/5:30 am

**In Search of the Lord's Way**

Antenna-35/8:30am; DirecTV- 307/5:00am;  
Dish- 239/5:00am

**Daily Bible Reading for Jg1 9—Jul 15**

Sun: Psalms 143-150	Thu: Proverbs 14-17
Mon: Proverbs 1-4	Fri: Proverbs 18-21
Tue: Proverbs 5-8	Sat: Proverbs 22-24
Wed: Proverbs 9-13	

**OUR RECORD FOR LAST WEEK**

Bible Class .....	173
A.M. Worship .....	244
P.M. Worship .....	132
Wednesday.....	174
LBC.....	
TBS.....	
Contribution.....	\$9.337

**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

<b>Sunday Bible Class .....</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Sunday Morning Worship ....</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Sunday Evening Worship.....</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Wednesday Bible Class.....</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Thursday Ladies Bible Class .....</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>