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From the desk of:

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THE PAST

It is inevitable that we all look back at times. That is not bad, as long as we don't stay there. Looking back can either depress you or excite you, depending on what you did. But we can't let past failures drag us down nor can we rest on our laurels if we've had a good past or did some good things.

The Apostle Paul is a great example of how to view the past properly. In the record of his life he had some incredible achievements (Philippians 3:4-6), but at the same time he had a dark past that no doubt filled him with regret (1 Timothy 1:13). But, like I said, he didn't allow his past to deter him from moving on to the future. Listen to his words as he focuses on the future and the heavenly prize, *"No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us.* (Phil. 3:13 NLT)

I believe the happiest moment in Paul's life was the day he surrendered his life to Christ in faith and obedience and had Ananias baptize him as he felt the relief of having all his sins washed away. (Acts 22:16) Yes, Paul could look back on his past now having learned some important lessons, but now he is pressing forward to a bright future and the prize before him.

All people who believe in Christ and confess His name need to do the same today. After all, Jesus commanded us to baptize all disciples in the name of the Father,

Son and the Holy Spirit. (Matthew 28:18) If Jesus commanded it, it must be important. Surrendering to Christ in baptism is an act of obedience, which those who wish to be disciples of Jesus must do. Wayne Dyer, who is an American writer stated, "Stop acting as if life is a rehearsal. Live this day as if it was your last. The past is over and gone. The future is not guaranteed."

The day Paul was baptized was the day he did what God wanted. We only have one day at a time to do what God wants us to do. "Be very careful, then, how you live; not as unwise but as wise, making the most

OUR WORSHIP

Song Leader

Hymn *
Hymn 57/58

Special Needs

Hymn *
Hymn 230

Prayer

Hymn 314

Lord's Supper

Hymn *

Scripture Reading

Scripture

AM Sermon

Hymn 838

Prayer

PM Sermon

Nicholas Leigh

Shout Hallelujah
Holy Ground

Dave Rich

Be Unto Your Name
All Hail the Power of
Jesus' Name

Ken Jarman

Lead Me to Calvary

Butch Amyx

Oceans

Art Clark

1 Cor 10:1-13

Bridges to the Past

Where the Soul
Never Dies

Dave Rich

Living Water

Linder Family News

Mark Your Calendar

Events for the Week: Jun 2—Jun 8

Sunday.....Singing thru the Songbook 5:30pm
Monday.....Area Wide Monthly Singing 7:30pm
Tuesday.....Men's Breakfast 7:00am
Friday.....Teen Hang-time 6:00pm
Saturday.....VBS Decoration Day 9:00am

Remote Worship - Assignments

Remote/Kiosk Elder: Butch Amyx
Care Groups 1 & 2: Jun 2 & Jun 9
Care Groups 3 & 4: Jun 16 & Jun 23

Family News

Our brother James Spencer passed away on Tuesday after a battle with cancer. James does not have any family in the area and there is no service planned at this time.

Last Sunday, Joy Tietje went forward asking for prayers and forgiveness for stepping away from the church and choosing to not live the life she knows is right for a Christian.

Monthly Area Wide Singing

The next area wide monthly singing will be hosted by the Midvale congregation **TOMORROW** night, singing begins at 7:30pm.

Teen Devotional & Hang-time

There is a teen hang-time on **FRIDAY**, 6-8:30pm at the Zeller's Home. Dinner and dessert will be provided. The boys are asked to bring drinks and girls are asked to bring ice cream toppings. Wear appropriate shoes for outside games.

Ladies' Lifelines

The Ladies' Lifelines group will break for the summer months, June-August.

Meal Prep & Delivery

Ladies, did you attend the ladies' ministry meeting in March and sign up to make and/or deliver meals for those that were hospitalized or had a baby, etc.? In the hustle and bustle, that list was misplaced. If you are interested in helping with this effort please let Lori S., Lori W., or Nancy Kuehl know.

VBS News

Dates:

June 9-12, 6-7:30pm for children age 4 through 6th grade.

Decorations:

Decoration day is **June 8th**, transformation begins at 9am and lunch will be provided. There is a signup sheet on the family board; if you can help, sign-up. Guys we need you too! If you have "red vine" tubs or appliance boxes...we can use them!

Volunteers:

There are still a few areas that need helpers if you can help, please take a moment to see the signup sheet on the family board.

Parents:

If you are planning on your child attending this time of Bible fun; please take a moment to complete the red registration paper in the foyer.

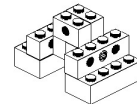
Puppets:

Puppeteers are needed. Please see Alisha if you can help; adults only please.

Skits:

The skits will be performed by our Teens. Thank you to all the teens that attended the recent planning meeting; if you were unable to attend and are interested in helping, see Kathleen Hodge.

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Life with Jesus***



June.

It's gonna be good!

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of every opportunity, because the days are evil." (Ephesians 5:15-16) If you're not a Christian, maybe this day is your opportunity to make your sinful past, just that, the past as Paul did? If you are a Christian and your past is haunting you, there is relief for you as well. John the beloved penned, *"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.* (1 Jn. 1:9 NAS) Let none of us allow the past to keep us from pressing on to the heavenly prize that awaits the faithful in Christ.

Because of Him, RJS

Camp Ivydale

Young Adult Camp—July 4th-7th
Pre-Teen Camp—July 9th-13th
Teen Camp—July 20th-26th

All forms for camp Ivydale (campers and staff) are available online:

<http://campivydale.org/camp-forms/>

Borrowing Items from the Building

If you need to use tables from the church building for family events, please use the tables stored in the back storage shed. The shed is locked, the key and checkout sheet are located in the kitchen. Please return the key immediately so it is available for others to use. Any other items borrowed, such as decorations, chairs, tablecloths, etc. from the building should also be listed on one of the checkout sheets provided and returned as soon as possible so they too are available for others to use.

Remember in Prayer

Health

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| F&L Becker | Eveylene M. | Madeline R. |
| Naomi B. | Corky M. | Linda S. |
| A&R Barton | Ron M. | Arnie S. |
| Carol C. | H&M Newcomb | James S. |
| Adelle F. | Eddy P. | J&L Vann |
| Addie F. | Gene O. | K&M Ward |
| Larry H. | R&J Oldham | L&B Young |

Barrett Capobres, grandson of John & Sondra
Cade Mayo, grandson of Royce & Barbara
Michael West, son of Linda/brother of April/Nathan
Anibal Ramirez, Preacher at Linda Vista Congregation

Cancer

Wes Berlinger, brother in-law of Dee Martin
Tania Curulla, niece of Ken & Shirley Welch
Dave Nutting, family of Ron & Jenny Oldham
Mary Orbison, wife of Guy Orbison
Brenda Talbert, cousin of Robert Adcock
Evie Trokey, friend of the Gonzales families
Ken Vandroon, friend of Deb Cowan & Steve Jones
Tyler Weiss, son of friend of Amyxs & Suttons
Will, Uncle of Aubrey Wes

Hospital/Surgery/Recovery

George Freeman, rehab 5/3
Jo Musser, rehab 5/17
Caleb Coleman, surgery 6/3
Carrie Hilton, Shoulder Surgery 6/6

Military Men/Women—Serving Away from Home

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| Kyle Daron | Jessica Jacques | Kody Jacobs |
| Brandon Jones | Braydon Jones | Travis Leigh |
| Kris McFate | Matthew Powell | Kirsten Moreland |
| Josh Allen | | |

Travelers:

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| K & B Patterson | J&K Scheuerer |
| McCarthy Family | R&B Adcock |

PRAY
BiG

| Elders | | |
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| Butch Amyx | Children & Adult Education, Care Groups, Budget/Finance | 861-8241 |
| Larry Johnson | Missions, Library, Transportation | 887-6451 |
| Dave Rich | Benevolence, Senior Saints, Media & Resources, Budget/Finance | 724-1048 |
| Richard Sutton | Youth Ministry, Transition, Evangelism & Outreach, Missions | 907-1788 |
| Wendell Welch | Bldg./Grounds, Safety/Security | 599-2626 |
| Charles White | Ustick Property, Fellowship Missions, Worship, Aftercare | 514-6322 |
| Evangelists | | |
| Clint Davison | | 891-5771 |
| Jared McCormick | | 901--628-6489 |
| Richard Sutton | | 907-1788 |
| Secretary | | |
| Lori Wheeler | | 887-4633 484-9477 |
| Deacons | | |
| 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 |
| Alex Paden | Building & Grounds, Sr. Saints | 972-2485 |
| Dana Patterson | Worship | 867-2313 |
| Mike Powell | Evangelism | 970-618-5905 |
| Joel Segraves | Teens Activities | 412-2660 |
| Lance Wheeler | Media & Resources | 861-8685 |
| Coordinators — Assisting Elders & Deacons | | |
| Wendy Bartley | Wednesday Night Supper | 888-4974 |
| Ashley Clark | Meals & Delivery (Apr-July) | 891-7188 |
| 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 June—Dave Rich | | |

OUR MISSIONS

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|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Byron Benitez | Guatemala |
| Jim Corner | WBS/Cameroon |
| Clayton Johnson | Frederick, CO |
| Hi Jones | Guatemala |
| Austin McCrickard | Bear Valley Bible Inst., Denver CO |
| Brandon Price | Ukraine |
| Anibal Ramirez | Guatemala |
| Abner Ramos | Las Pacayas, Guatemala |
| Jacob Sanford | Bear Valley Bible Inst., Denver CO |

Manuelito Navajo Children’s Home - New Mexico
Mountain States Children’s Home - Colorado
Focus Press
World Bible School and World English Institute
World Christian Broadcasting

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 Jun 2—Jun 8

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| Sun: Nehemiah | 1-3 | Thur: Nehemiah | 11-13 |
| Mon: Nehemiah | 4-6 | Fri: Esther | 1-3 |
| Tue: Nehemiah | 7-8 | Sat: Esther | 4-7 |
| Wed: Nehemiah | 9-10 | | |

OUR RECORD FOR LAST WEEK

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| Bible Class | 187 |
| A.M. Worship | 289 |
| P.M. Worship | 118 |
| Wednesday..... | 134 |
| LBC | |
| TBS | |
| Contribution..... | \$11,211 |

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Bible Class9:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.
Thursday Ladies Bible Class 10:00 a.m.