

Our Church's Mission:

"To glorify God by praying, worshiping and reaching People for Christ, ministering to the needs of all, providing opportunities for people to grow in Christ and enjoying the fellowship with one another."

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"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will direct your path." PROVERBS 3:5 & 6

NEEDS: Blue label Formula-any brand, Diapers-size 5/6, baby bottles, gently used clothing!



Our Wonderful Dir: Annie W & SS: Linda N
TODAY: McDaniels
2/24: Agards

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Feb. 24: Sunday School teachers meet with Pastor Davis @ 11:55 AM in the sanctuary
Feb. 24: Youth fundraiser Variety Show (Soup/Salad-\$5ea/\$20 fam @ 6:00 PM-sign up to bring soup-we need YOURS!) Sign up to be in the Show @ 7:00 PM/See Steve L for details!
Feb. 28: Calvary's Quilting Sisters meet @ 2:00 PM
- Mar. 03: Youth team meeting, Deacon meeting, Upward Celebration
Mar. 31: 6:00 PM Light supper followed by All Church Conference
- Ap. 06: Ladies Extravaganza! FLC! Meal! Music! Message! Style Show! \$8! Come! Invite!
Ap. 21: Easter Blessings 2019! Observance of the Lord's Supper
June 24-28: Vacation Bible School – "In the Wild" - at CBC! See Karen Holt, Dir.
- July 6-13: Sr. High Youth World Changers to Chattanooga, TN./See Jerry Cress
July 22-27: Middle school/High School Youth Camp @ Falls Creek

HEY! YOUTH! Next Youth team mtg. is 3/3 @ Noon! All youth parents/workers, meet from 6:15-6:30 for PRAYER in youth room each Wed.! Thanks for inviting friends to the Youth Rally! Sign sheet to be a part of our fundraiser Variety Show next Sun. night! Come for soup/salad/fellowship! Join us each Wed. that you possibly can! There is always a warm welcome for all! THANKS to ea. youth for the wonderful valentines delivered in person to the adult Bible studies Wed. It was great!

BABIES COMING: Matt & Amanda Agard, David & Stacey Matson Petrie, Adam Shannon & Lisa, Brandon & Jessica Holdaway Yeager

PRAYERS: Unspoken, the salvation of loved ones, Interim Pastor Glenn Davis & Pastor Jerry Cress, Deacons, our wonderful country/troops, President Trump/Vice President Pence/Leaders

CURRENT PRAYER NEEDS: Please call to inform office! Bob Clifton's niece, Harry Cress, Hunter Erwin, Carolyn Fry, Cheryl Harris, Isaac Holmes, Keith Jacobs' brother, Sherry Miller's parents, Lana Moler, those still recovering, having/awaiting test results-surgeries, with chronic conditions, traveling & seeking employment

ONGOING PRAYER NEEDS: Please call to update office of changes! Harry Cress, Paige Cress, Kaylea Decker, Loyd Dredge, Clarissa Flora, Dean Graves, Kay Lacy's brother & sister-in-law, Sarah Lockard, Lon Matson, Mark Miller, Sherry Miller's aunt, Kyle Omo[s dad, Jennifer Periman's dad, Alta/Mitch Parker, Jimmy Runyan's dad, Pat Safarik's cousin, Mark Spencer's brother-Don, David White, Gayle Willis' brother & those with loved ones in need of prayer.

THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY: Feel free to share specific names. All the men/women who serve in the armed forces, law enforcement and first responders: Fire/EMS.

CANCER: Dredge's son-in-law, Duerksen's friend-Eve, Hawkins' niece, John Harms-Holt's daughter-in-law's Dad, Fred Otte, Sisler friends-Joe & Elsa

REMINDERS: Our Upward is alive & well! Pray....

THANKS to our Pastor Search Team: Sharon Coleman, Julie Garrett, Linda Nutter, Eric Otte, Steve Periman, Casey Rohaus & Steve Lockard, our DEACONS: Stan Clemence, Glen Hawkins, Jim Holt, Cameron McDaniel-Ch., Ralph Nutter, Eric Otte & Noel Willis & our interim Pastor Davis!

ALL SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS meet in the sanctuary at 11:55 (please dismiss SS 5 min. early) next Sun. 2/24 to discuss possible time change with Pastor Davis.

CONGRATS to Grandparents Kablers on the birth of Mollie Violet born to Omar & Bethany Wooten & big brother Maxton on 2/8. Guess who is planning a trip to NM to meet her in person ASAP?

LADIES EXTRAVAGANZA! Mark April 6 @ 6:00 PM on your calendars for a wonderful evening including a delicious meal, awesome music, inspiring message & entertaining style show by our own CBC ladies! It will be a great evening in the Lord! See Linda Nutter, Chair. Details to follow!

YOUTH RALLY plans were iffy with the weather! At the time of this printing, all was good to go! Thanks to all involved in planning & serving our youth! Each is appreciated!

THANKS to our youth band who ministered so effectively to us in music last Sunday & to Steve Lockard for leading the group! See him for details re: annual Variety show next Sun. 2/24! SYMPATHIES to the Holmes family on the passing of Sam's stepdad, Jewel Davis, and to the Holt family on the passing of Karen's dad, Joe Newbery, in Topeka. Their loss is Heaven's gain. Our love & prayers to both of these dear families & the extended families as well.



When people give their “1st fruit offering”, we pour the 1st twenty cents of each dollar into the work of missions. The following Bible reference & statement share the outcome of our mission giving. Enjoy it and be inspired with the difference giving makes.

BIBLE REFERENCE & STATEMENT: LUKE 6:35-38

The message of this passage is that we are to love, be charitable and have a giving nature. A Christian steward expresses concern for others by giving whatever is appropriate. Giving is right because it is compatible with God’s nature and the nature He planned for us. May we give!

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES: Brian/Danyel Warne-Mexico, Robbie/Gail Nutter-K-State Christian Challenge, Matt/Jessica Maestas-NAMB, David/Grace Fread & Jonathan/Isana Fread & Jon/Hope Fread Rodrigues-Brazil and Eliezer/Kelly Fread Steffens-Asia Pacific. (See updates posted on bulletin board).

Valley Center Ministerial Alliance and the Community Food Bank Offers assistance at Grace Connections Church 300 N. Ash in Valley Center (316) 755-1855 from 9:00-1:00 PM & 1:00-3:00 PM Tuesdays through Friday.



Averages (with snow outage)

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| Average AM Attendance | 110 |
| Average SS. Attendance | 85 |
| Average PM Attendance | 40 |
| Average Mid-Week Attendance | 45 |
| "First Fruit Offerings" for this week | \$3,936.89 |
| "CIF" for this week | \$60.00 |
| "World Mission Offering" for this week | \$15.00 |

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| "First Fruit Offerings" provided to date | \$317,684.67 |
| "Capital Improvement Fund" (CIF) provided to date | \$2,505.00 |
| "World Mission Offerings" provided to date New WME year | \$3,126.00 |

Updates on Calvary's "Capital Improvement Fund" (CIF):



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| CIF beginning balance | 77,838.86 |
| CIF recent gifts: 2-10-2019 | +60.00 |
| CIF gifts provided to date + Interest | 27,963.00 |
| CIF disbursements: Digital Sign | - 27,609.59 |
| CIF disbursements: Carpet | - 21,720.17 |
| CIF disbursements: A/C unit | .-3,350.00 |
| CIF disbursement: Weddings: curtains | -16.13 |
| <u>CIF disbursement: Parking Lot</u> | <u>- 7,782.00</u> |
| CIF Current Balance | 45,323.97 |

Thanks for providing the consistent support through our Capital Improvement Fund. We replaced an air conditioning unit and we have concluded the parking lot maintenance. In the future, we will have aging flat roofs to replace. Thanks for being visionary when it comes to adequately funding these various capital improvement needs!

Please be in constant prayer for God's direction of our beloved CBC family! We have a wonderful history and an awesome future!

CONNECT

with an Open Heart

Mark 12:29-31



GROW

in Body, Mind & Spirit

Romans 12:2



SERVE

with Willing Hands

1 Peter 4:10-11



GO

with Ready Feet

Matthew 28:19-20



SUNDAY:

Morning Worship/Children's Church

9:30 AM

Sunday School

11:00 AM

Romans Bible study: Jerry Cress

5:00 PM

Choir practice

6:00 PM

Evening Worship

7:00 PM

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Upward practices: FLC

TUESDAY:

Bible Club after school @ West

WEDNESDAY:

Women on Mission to sing @ Asbury

11:00 AM

Mission Friends and Salt & Light

6:30-8:00 PM

UNITED: Youth: Encouragement study/Activity

6:30-8:00 PM

Deacon led prayer mtg./Adult Bible study: Pastor Davis

6:30-8:00 PM

Ladies Bible study: JONAH/See S. Sisler

6:30-8:00 PM

THURS.: Ladies Bible study: JONAH/See S. Abbey

9:30-11:00 AM

SATURDAY:

Upward Games: FLC – GO UPWARD!

PASTOR JERRY.....

Ephesians 4:32, “And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ’s sake hath forgiven you.” (KJV)

Forgiving! We don’t seem to like forgiving. Forgiving means we have to let go of anger, malice, hate and any other feeling that feeds our pride. Let me share a passage from the Sermon on the Mount that speaks to this directly from Jesus’ mouth.

Matthew 6:12, “and forgive us our debts, as we ourselves have forgiven our debtors. And do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For if you forgive others their sins, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive others, your Father will not forgive you your sins.” (Net)

Understand?

In Him,

Jerry

P.S. My parents want to express their sincere thanks for all the prayers, cards, phone calls and Christian love shared with them during my Dad’s illness. He and my Mom are doing well. We all appreciate continued prayers!

SERMON NOTES: