

Family Matters

NEWS AND REMINDERS FOR THE TEHACHAPI CHURCH OF CHRIST FAMILY

March 8, 2020



Jesus did not sell any timeshare memberships to wannabe followers who liked certain parts of his message, but seemed to think they could choose when they would follow him and how much time they would actually spend with him. Jesus' response to some potential followers at the end of Luke chapter 9 does not show Jesus as a salesman who adjusts his price to make the sale. In fact, it almost seems as if he jumps down to the fine print where all those negatives are usually buried and draws attention to the secret commitments they will be required to maintain. Jesus is not selling us a product, and he is not recruiting us to sell his product. He came to sacrifice his life for us without holding anything back, and calls us to sacrifice our lives for others without holding back.

"No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God."
(Luke 9:62)

-Mark

WELCOME

If you are visiting with us, we are very glad you are here!

Remember in Prayer:

Bob Hanna spent two nights in the hospital due to extreme discomfort in his legs, but he is home and feeling better.

Reginal Statom, Will's dad, has stage 3 cancer in his lungs, and has been waiting to hear about treatments.

Dave Bawden's biopsy revealed no cancer, and he is recovering slowly, but surely from the surgery. He greatly appreciates your prayers! (Dave is the Bixler's neighbor.)

Debbie Reed asks for prayers for her family and for her grandson, **Sheldon**, who fell and suffered a severe concussion.

Kirk Stewart may be undergoing two intravenous treatments soon. **Pat's** sores are better

Monica, Joyce's great niece, needs healing from the cancer which has returned.

Werner Schmalzl has some continuing undiagnosed health issues.

Remember the ongoing health concerns of **Bob Hanna, Bob Rivera, Cheryl Melan, Pat Stewart, Donna Ricker, and Cindy's friend, Pablo.**

Always remember:

Men and women of our military.

Families serving in the mission field

The children and staff at Manuelito

Today's Lesson:

Plan "A"

Luke 9:51-62



Add to your directory:

Rebecca Barrett, 21241 Golden Hills Blvd. Apt D, Tehachapi, CA 93561

661-557-1025 hazelibekster8@yahoo.com

Clothing Room:

The clothing room will be open this **Tuesday, March 10th**, from 11:00- help in this ministry, please see Lynda Collins. *Please remember the a need for clothes and shoes of all sizes.*



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Wednesday Morning Ladies Group Study!

The Ladies' Bible Study is held at 10:30am at the home of Lynda Collins: 19851 Piedra Drive. Join in this week!

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Come and grow with us at 7:00 on Wednesday evenings!

We are being challenged through a series of videos and a book, entitled *Daring Faith.*

Youth:

Plan for the (YBC) Yosemite Bible Camp in 2020 is July 25-August 1.



Volunteer positions available:

The sign-up for communion and building cleaning is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Think about when you can help with these ministries, then sign up as soon as you can.

LADIES: 2020 MONTHLY EVENT SIGN-UP SHEET:

The sign-up sheet for Monthly Coordinators for the coming year is now posted on the bulletin board. We will only look to fill the first six months of the year at this time. Hurry and sign up, so you will be sure to get the month you want to serve. The 2020 Caretaker List is also posted. There are a few changes this year. We are thankful for those that work to organize and maintain our surroundings.



SOUPER SISTERS:

The March Souper Sister lunch will be March 20th at 1:00 PM at Chuck Wagon in Old Town (formerly Kelley's).

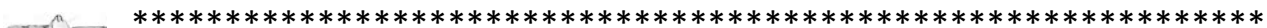


Zambia Food Relief

Two ways to give: 1) go online to zambiamission.org/foodrelief and make a contribution from your credit card. Or 2) you can mail a check to Zambia Mission (food relief in the memo line), P.O. Box 3393, Abilene, TX 79604

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Schedule of Weekly Services

Sunday

AM Bible Class – 9:30 AM

AM Assembly – 10:30 AM

PM Bible Study – 6:00 PM

Monday

Wednesday

Women's Bible Study-10:30 AM

PM Bible Study – 7:00 PM

Friday

Alcoholics Anonymous* 7:00 PM

*Alanon and Alcoholics Anonymous are not direct ministries of the church, but their purposes are supported by the church, and they meet in our Fellowship Room

Minister: Mark Bixler

Elders: Derek Demus & Bill Willingham

What plans might God have for your life?

Jesus personally intervened in the life of Saul on the road to Damascus. Saul had made it his mission to persecute followers of Jesus. A man named Ananias was sent to Saul to tell him that God had very different plans for his life. Ananias said to Saul, "...what are you waiting for?

Get up, be baptized and wash your sins away, calling on the name of the Lord." (Acts 22:3-16)

If you might be on the wrong path, it would be our privilege to help you discover God's plans for your life! Ask for a personal Bible study on the Welcome Card, or contact Mark Bixler.

Mark Bixler's office hours by appointment

Call or text: 818/470-5793

Email:

marklbixler@yahoo.com

Elder of the Month:

Bill Willingham

Greeter:

Minnie Booker

Building Cleaning: ??

Communion: ??

Our Records

	1/19/20	1/26/20	2/2/20	2/9/20	2/16/20	2/23/20	3/1/20
AM Bible Study	21	19	24	23	23	24	23
AM Worship	45	42	41	42	54	45	46
PM Bible Study	13	12	12	14	14	16	12
Ladies Bible Study	9	7	10	10		10	10
Wednesday Bible Study	7	16	9	14	12	16	12
Contribution	\$1539	\$1037	\$2675	\$ 1492	\$1969	\$1403	\$2645

**Manuelito: \$231
Weekly
Budget: \$1770.00**

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Update/correction for the directory:

April is finally back at her home in Tehachapi, and should be listed as April Wiley. Her phone number is (661) 381-3414; email is divemedic.april@gmail.com

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Rod and Sissy Pearson's new address is:

7505 W. 7th Street, Texarkana, TX 75501