



The Messenger

CHURCH OF CHRIST SOUTH YUKON

The Blessed Father

¹ Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers.

² But his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night.

³ He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.

⁴ Not so the wicked! They are like chaff that the wind blows away.

⁵ Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.

⁶ For the LORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

God watches over men (Dads) who delight in the Word rather than wickedness. Dads have no place walking in counsel of the wicked, standing with sinners, or sitting with mockers. Dads need to be with their wives and children, living like they believe the Word and teaching their children how to live it. This man prospers because God watches over him. He is like a tree planted by a stream. His roots run deep, his limbs are strong, his fruit is plentiful and good. One father overheard his son pray, "Dear God, Make me the kind of man my Daddy is."

Later that night the dad prayed his own prayer as he usually did saying, "God, Make me the kind of man my son wants me to be." God can answer that prayer for the dad who "meditates on his Word."

Happy Father's Day!

Richard

Baptized



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Calendar

- Sunday**
Father's Day
Bible Study/Worship
Home Groups
VBS Worknight
- Wednesday**
Toastmasters
Summer Series
No Debt, No Sweat
- Friday**
Memory Makers
Family Campout
- Saturday**
Family Campout

Vacation Bible School

Monday - Thursday
July 13-16th
6:30-8:30pm
3 Years-5th Grade

"Who's Your Hero?"

I can do everything through him who gives me strength.
Phil. 4:13

Items Still Needed for VBS
Large Ceramic Floor Tiles
Spray Bottles

VBS Worknights
Every Sunday evening until VBS.
After services and Home Groups,
in the Fellowship Hall.

We need you!

VBS Tee-Shirts!

VBS Tee-shirt orders are being taken this morning after services at the table in the foyer. Samples are available to view in the pre-worship slide show and at the table. These shirts look fantastic and the price is \$7 to cover the cost.

"Never Leave Your Partner" 2009 Couples Retreat!

September 25-27

Embassy Suites in Roger, AR
Sign-up today at the marriage ministry table in the foyer!
Limited space – Act Now!
\$125 Deposit due now (nonrefundable).
Total Registration is \$225.

Prayer Requests

Sharron Davidson has a bone spur in her neck and will be teated with medication.
Darrell Goss, brother-in-law of Tom and Virginia Rackley, had successful surgery to repair an aneurysm in his Aorta. He is in Baptist Hospital.
Helen Jackson, Lynda Rackley's mother, is home from the hospital.
Dorthea Koon, Jason's mother, underwent a second knee replacement Monday. She is now at home in Lexington and will begin physical therapy Monday.
Kathy Rogers would like for us to pray for her co/worker Dave Schumacher and his wife Kelly. They just found out Dave has stage 4 cancer and it is inoperable. He has begun chemo and radiation and are giving him a year at the most.
Sandra Schoolcraft has been undergoing tests. Please keep her and Isaac in your prayers.
Jerusha Sims, Paula Leaman's mother's sister, is slowly improving after her accident but has several surgeries to endure. Please continue to pray for her.
Donna Sterling continues to have trouble with her blood pressure. Please pray for her as she endures this and her vision loss.
Ron Unruh had Prostate surgery and it went well. He is now at home recuperating.
Fallon Ventris, niece of Donna Johnson, remains in critical condition in ICU at OU Medical Center. She had a slight improvement; however, has developed an infection in her leg. She is diabetic, if the antibiotics don't work, they may have to amputate her leg.

Please continue to pray for our South Yukon Family: Kline Addington, Eric Bejcek, Carolan Bledsoe, Chuck Bledsoe, Linda Bratcher, Sharron Davidson, Merv and Sue Deason, Stefanie Grantello, Brenda Gunter, Matt Hartman, Mae Hasty, Brad Hudson (bhudson16@cox.net) Piper Station Apartments #232, 5223 Gallant Fox Way, Charlotte, NC 28277), **Don Kilmer, Howard McCorkle, Emily McCoy, Roy and Edna Nusbaum, David Reece, Sandra Schoolcraft, TC & Lylia Seitz, Donna Sterling, Paul Trammel, Mel and Debbie Warden, Mike and Bobbie Watts, Judith Watts, and Those looking for jobs.**

South Yukon Family with Cancer: Larry Bledsoe, Neil Cosgrove, JC Hasty, Bea Johnson, Bob Kelly, Jim Linam, Walt McGaugh, Ron Unruh, Shelli Vang, Jack Womack. Please remember their spouses & families as well.

Our Expectant Mothers: Amber Garner (July), **Kristina Beshears** (July), **Cristi Killian** (August), **Sylvia Sterling** (August), **Nichole Morris** (Sept), **Diane Walters** (Oct), **Emily Atchison** (Oct), **Kristi Finefrock** (Nov), **Miquel Darcey** (Nov)

Our Shut-ins: Evelyn Cannon, Marie Cox, Audrey Gray, Liz Knight, Buck Buchanan, Alice Ralls, Mildred Riebe, Ila Thomas (Ranchwood, 2730 N. Mustang Rd #512), **Marlene Wadkins** (at home), **Daisy Valliant** (POBox 850403, Yukon 73085)

On Hospice Care: Veda Morris

Family and Friends: Dana and Donnie Avants (Linda Perry's cousin), **Juanita Bennett** (D. Watsons daughter), **George Bryan** (Joy Wallace's dad), **Margaret Bryson** (Newberry's aunt), **Virginia Cox** (T Wooldrige's mother), **Altus Davidson, Renee Davis** (Brian Martinez mother), **Orpha Dean** (Andys mother), **Matthew Dobbins, Madison Evans** (B. Gunters niece), **Billie Ferrell** (D. Cassel's mother), **Noah Givens** (Coles's nephew), **Buddy Glass** (V. Bonny's dad), **Galen Groves** (Lynn's dad), **Erica Heldreth** (N. Heldreths granddaughter), **Holly Kitt** (friend of L. Perry), **Irene Readnour** (Wade's mother), **Judy Lamkin** (P. McIntyre's sister), **Gordon Leaman, Oliver Mastin** (www.olliestale.blogspot.com), **Jake McCathern** (grandson of B&M Stump, open heart surgery July 21), **Tim Mize** (108 Snowmass), **Tim Newby, Lillie Schockley and family** (Harris' friends), **Joyce Sisson** (E. Logsdons sister), **Coy Wallace** (Joe's mother), **Betty Watts** (s-i-l of W. Watts), **Mary White** (B. Myers mother), **Wilma and Charles Yarbrough** (L.Perry's parents).

Family and Friends with Cancer: Arthur Anthony (brother of E. Hughes), **Newman Bradford** (C. Onley's brother), **John Broach/Virginia Broach** (Fred's parents), **Gary Brawner** (Patrick's dad), **Virginia Bryant** (Davidsons cousin), **Ron Clemmens** (Brian's dad), **Wilbur Cravey** (C. Mayhan's father), **Roy Ethridge** (S. Vang's uncle), **J.C. Hasty, Norman High** (C. Montgomery's dad), **Don Hooper** (T. Addington's father), **Judy Hurt** (V. Stephen's sister), **Carol Karguth** (V. Stephens mother), **Sandra Leist** (P. McIntyre's sister), **Jerry Maddox** (M. Roddys dad), **Cecil May, Jr** (Richard's dad), **Marvin McCathern** (Floyd's brother), **Clint McCutchen** (Cassel's b-i-l), **Sue McDonald** (J. Davis' cousin), **Vonda McPherson** (N. Heldreth's cousin), **Joe Middleton** (Tommy's dad), **Randy Montgomery** (James' dad), **Andi Reuter** (Kyle's 4 yr old niece), **Kenneth Roberts** (Cindi Stump's uncle), **Bob Schmidt** (J&P Cox's uncle), **Tommy Schultz** (b-i-l of A & L Bratcher), **Earline Shriver** (Gary's mom), **Ralph Sisson** (E. Logsdon b-i-l), **AJ Smith** (friend of Deason's), **Frances Stinnett** (Lara Davis' mother), **Paul Taylor** (Onleys b-i-l), **Elise Vega** (friend of C&J Beck), **John Walker** (A. Williams dad), **Corey Walters** (Cobey's brother), **Daniel Yancey** (Scroggins nephew).

Activated Military Personnel: Robert "Butch" Crain (brother of S. Easter), **Ricardo Curbelo** (cousin to K. Finefrock), **Jeff Hanes** (s-i-l of Wardens) **Jeremy Lassiter** (Mayhan's friend), **Chan Aaron** (M. Hughs' brother), **Rick Conradi** (K. Reiter's nephew), **Chris Harrell** (son of P. Hayes), **Leesa Sheaffer** (d-i-l of R&A Sheaffer), **Andrea Steward** (Sheaffers friend)

Renewals

Many of us celebrated Sunday night with Tommy and Renee Middleton as they renewed their vows on the weekend of their 24th anniversary. They had bought rings to exchange, and they decided to reconfirm their promises as they exchanged them. So they had rings, promises, smiles, families, and friends! It was fun to be witnesses of their confirmation of loyalty to each other. Mike and Sara Clark and Jason and Micha Hughs just returned from a trip to Hawaii during which they each renewed their vows to each other. We know another couple or two making their own renewal plans.

God "... saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit" (Titus 3:5). We enter the kingdom because of our new birth (John 3:5). We rise to walk in new life when we are baptized (Romans 6:4). We are new because we are in Christ (2 Cor. 5:17). Renewal is a beautiful biblical concept! God is the God of restarts, new mercies, do-overs, and fresh beginnings.

Vow renewals take that principle and mirror it in the marriage relationship. When a couple renews vows and confirms promises, they are bringing the freshness of a relationship with God into their marriage. God loves it when vows are seriously considered when they are first made, and he loves it when his people reaffirm their commitment to the promises (Eccl. 5:1-7). His compassions are new every morning. Our promises to each other should be fresh, too.

It's a powerful experience for a couple to renew their vows publically. It's powerful for the witnesses, too. A renewal that friends have witnessed, and where pictures tell a story creates some good accountability; and some great memories. Are there promises that you would like to remake to your spouse? Mirror the renewal from God in your marriage!

Richard and Jeanna Lynn





Teen News

Houston Mission Trip Meeting - There will be a short meeting this morning after services.

Please bring a \$25 deposit to hold your spot and to get an exact count for the trip.

Areawide - This weeks area wide is Monday at the North MacArthur church of Christ at 7:00pm. The bus will leave our building at 6:15pm.

Powder-Puff Football! Seniors and Juniors vs. Sophomores and Freshmen. July 26th!

No Debt, No Sweat

The Summer class is now in session! Enrollment for the Fall quarter is now open.

Please Email (office@southyukon.org) or call (354-1863) the office to register.

- Wednesday Evenings
- Cost is \$45
- Registration is required
- Money is due prior to first class on September 2nd
- 15 spots available/couples count as 1
- Led by Don and Marlo Roddy



Who's Your Hero?

Our VBS theme this year will be "Who's Your Hero?" Heroes come in a variety of categories. We might have an historical hero like George Washington, Robert E. Lee, or Abraham Lincoln. We might have a sports hero like Lou Gehrig, Vince Lombardi, or Michael Jordan. We might have heroes in uniform like the warriors putting their lives in harm's way for us; the Coast Guardsmen who know they have to go out to rescue but don't have to come back; or the Firefighter who races into a burning building to save a soul.

In spite of their imperfections, dads have a distinct opportunity to be heroes to their children. Kids look up to their dads with respect and admiration (I have one of my dad's Navy hats in my office out of respect for his memory). This opens an important door. Imperfect dads can introduce their children to the perfect Father and His Son. Jesus is our ultimate hero. He is the image of the Father. He is the demonstration of the word of God alive in the world. He not only takes away sin, he displays life and lifestyle.

Dads, take the opportunity to use your unique influence with your children. Imitate Jesus in your life. Show your sons and daughters the Father by the Christ-like way in which you conduct yourself. Make Jesus your life and share him with those who look up to you.

Keep the Light Burning!

Perry

Fun In The Sun Daycamp

"Parables of the Lost"

Camp Rock Creek

July 6-8

9:30am - 2:30pm

Sponsored by

Central church of Christ

Moore, OK

794-4493

For the Greater OKC and

Surrounding Area

Forms are in the office.



Missions Spotlight

Guadalajara

Since the Cory Burns family has been in Guadalajara, they have helped plant a network of 7 house churches that consists of at least 100 people. They opted for house churches due to travel constraints to a central church building in a city of eight million people. Limited finances also prohibit the rent and maintenance of a building. Presently there is a house church within walking distance of all the Christians.

The team uses "access ministries" to create opportunities to sow gospel seed. These ministries reach out to hurting people. An example is the Hope Foundation for Kids with Diabetes. This is the first such association in the country and is recognized by the Mexican government. Through it we are ministering to 180 families in the area. Other ministries include horse therapy for handicapped children, English for children, a Saturday Kid's Club, moms' discussion groups, hospital work among the terminally ill, ministry to addicts and their families, ministry among the homeless, and teaching in the public school system. Through these ministries the recipients are able to see Christ in his people and there are opportunities to share the gospel. There have been forty-two baptisms since the Burns arrival. Forty-one are still actively involved in the body.

Mexican church leaders have risen to the surface. There is now focused training for them on two Sunday nights each month. One Sunday night is focused on leadership and the other on in depth Bible study. They use what they learn in their house churches.



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 Austin, Gabriel and Lucky

Brazil
 Mel & Marly Latorre

Thailand
 Kim & Rebecca Voraritskul

Ecuador
 Julio Perez, Luis Andrango, Armando Troya

Kent & Sharla Marcum
Guadalajara
 Corey & Toni Burns

Statistics

Attendance
 Bible Classes NC
 Worship A.M. 515
 Worship P.M. 122
 Home Group 182
 Worship P.M.Total 304
 Midweek 270
 Daily Bible Readers 52
 Present Membership 627

Contribution

Last Week: \$16,582
 Budget Requires: \$16,772

**Family
Matters**



Response to Invitation

Jalene Davis responded last Sunday morning asking for prayers.

Baby Shower

Honoring Kelly and Cristi Killian on Sunday, June 28th at 2:00 pm in the parlor. They are having a boy and are registered at Babies R Us.

Family Campout

Friday-Sunday, June 26-28th at Wes Watkins. If you are interested in going, please contact David or Kim Reiter at 350-2223 or kimberly.reiter@oc.edu.

Our Sympathy

To Melissa Willingham and family on the passing of her mother, Connie Brown. Services were Thursday in Linden, TX.

To Oren Hinkle and family on the passing of his sister-in-law Doris Hinkle. Services were Saturday in Midwest City.

Gatorade & Water Drive for the American Red Cross

As many of you know, our building is an official Red Cross Emergency Relief Center. In conjunction with the upcoming CPR recertification, we are having a Bottled Water and Gatorade collection drive to help supply the Red Cross with these much needed items. In turn, the Red Cross will offer the training for the cost of the book at \$1.75. There will be a designated area in the foyer. Please give. The water and Gatorade are a blessing to both victims and relief workers.

CPR-Recertification Class

Monday, June 22nd at 11:30am a CPR-Recertification Class will be held at the church building. Cost is \$1.75 for the book and a case of bottled water or Gatorade. This class is only for those who have a current CPR certification that has not expired. We must have 6 people in attendance. If you are interested, please sign the list on the bulletin board.

We are working on a CPR class if you would be interested, please sign the sheet on the bulletin board.

Fellowship Hall

The Fellowship Hall is unavailable for activities/reservations from now thru VBS.

Thank You

Dear Church Family, thank you so much for the calls, prayers, hugs and cards. Each and every act just reminds me what a great church family we have. In Him, Cindi Stump and Brenden Easter

Dear Church Family - We want to thank you for the lovely gifts, cards, and mementos that came in our cheer basket. You have been so wonderful to us over the last eight years and words can't express how much we appreciate you and what you have done for us. We feel so blessed by God to have your in our lives. We both hope we can return the blessing to each of you as you have need. Again, thank you for everything. Jim and Billie Linam

Dear Church Ladies, thank you so very much for all the wonderful goodies during finals. Thank you to everyone for your love and support throughout my college experience at OC. Love Caryn Leaman

Thank you for the encouraging words and prayers for us during my mother's illness and passing. The cards are all comforting. I also appreciate the lovely bouquet. Thank you for caring. Paula Leaman and family

To my church family, Thank you so much for your thoughts, prayers, phone calls, cards and cheer basket. It helps knowing that so many are praying for my health and recovery. Thank you again for everything you do. In His Love, Brenda Gunter

Ladies Unity Team

Meets Sunday, June 28th after morning services in the Fellowship Hall. For more information see Patty Booker.

Greeters Needed

For November and December and 2 more people for October.

Communion Prep Needed

For October and November. Please sign up on the list by the office.

**This Week's
Pantry Need**

Cake Mixes
Canned Fruit
(please place in basket in foyer)