



UPCOMING EVENTS
No LTC Practices This Week

Putting it Together

Point 1:

_____ is one of the two weapons that we have in our spiritual warfare that is an ongoing battle throughout life for the control of our eternal destination. It is the lines of communication from us to our Commander-in-Chief, our Father, and our God.

Point 2:

Prayers are effective and beneficial not only for ourselves, but when we pray for others. This is true when we pray as _____ but it has an added measure of force when we pray together, in agreement, for a _____.

Point 3:

God hears our prayers and actively responds to them; not as a passive audience, but as a loving _____ listening to the earnest petition of His _____.

Point 4:

One of the most important prayers we can offer up is for our _____ and our _____ in Christ. Praying generically works but praying specifically makes a difference.

Point 5:

We need to be _____ in the Spiritual battles on the side of God, praying _____ prayers for our brothers and sisters who are hurting, missing, drifting, sick and more. By earnestly praying specific prayers on behalf of them, we can affect with great effect the _____ at work in their lives.

Attendance

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| Bible Class..... | 61 |
| Worship A.M..... | 90 |
| Worship P.M..... | 40 |
| Wednesday..... | 112 |

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Welcome

March 9, 2014

Announcements

#290 Shine, Jesus Shine (1,2)

#266 Majesty

#273 More Precious than Silver

Opening Prayer

#222 There's Something About That Name

#344 Low in the Grave He Lay (1,3)

Communion Message

Communion

#203 Let There Be Praise

Offering

#959 Just a Little Talk with Jesus (1,2,3)

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 6:10-20

Sermon

#351 He Bore It All (1,3)

#278 Victory Chant (1,2,3)

Closing Prayer



It was slightly surprising and somewhat enlightening to me to read an e-mail that came to me today. Now, to be honest, they are trying to sell a diet plan and I suppose they got my name from somewhere so that I wasn't just a random recipient, but when I read what they had to say, it made a lot of sense. Part of their message is here:

Cereal is, by and large, one of the worst foods for your waistline, and your health. There are of course a few rare exceptions (like some of the cereals in the Ezekiel 4:9© line from the good folks at Food for Life©) but when it comes to the "regular" boxes that stock the shelves of the cereal aisle at your local grocery store, it's generally all very, very bad news. Perhaps what is most disturbing about so many brands of cereal is that they confuse...consumers by making them "sound" so healthy and nutritious, when in reality they are anything but.

For example, while at the grocery store today I came across a Berry & Yogurt Crunch cereal (with added fiber!) from a popular brand. It sure sounds healthy...In fact, the label even makes claims like "heart healthy!" and points out that it contains "25 grams of whole grains". "Rich in antioxidants, vitamin C & E", too. Just add up all those health benefits!


But here's the truth: This so-called "healthy" cereal contains FIFTY ONE ingredients, including not one, not two, not six, not seven, but TEN different sources of SUGAR. It also contains SEVEN corn derived ingredients (very likely from genetically modified corn), including corn syrup and corn starch. Healthy? I don't think so! Unfortunately, just about everything else in the cereal aisle is in the same boat as this disastrously unhealthy 51-ingredient nightmare. Instead, try our alternative "Yogurt Berry Crunch" that only contains three 100% all-natural ingredients: -Greek Yogurt -Rolled Oats -Fresh Berries

Simply put, you MUST eliminate these disastrous boxed foods from your home and start consuming whole, natural, REAL foods if your goal is to get a flat belly fast.

Now did you catch that? Here is essentially what they said: Quit eating the artificial stuff and go for the real thing. The fake is killing you while the real stuff is healthy.

That is just like what Jesus said when He said, "I am THE WAY, THE TRUTH and THE LIFE." Everything else is just an artificial ingredient that is robbing us of our spiritual health and will eventually kill us. Jobs, Family, Entertainment, Sports, Internet, Money...Every Ingredient that does not start with Jesus is diluting our spiritual well-being. That is why it is so important to keep Him first. This week, get rid of the artificial ingredients and drink from the fountain of living water.

In Christ,
Todd



Melissa James, Selinda's sister-in-law from San Angelo, has been diagnosed with cancer and is in Dallas Parkland hospital with a Pulmonary Embolism.

Ben Taylor, Mike Taylor's brother, broke his foot about 8 weeks ago, but it has not healed and may require surgery.

Continue to Remember: *Ken Raban, Mary Taylor, Stephanie Ayala, Jerry Brpwning, Jerry Greene, Ella Courtney, Kirby Whitley, David & Jennie Waggoner, Bill Wood, Brenda Estridge, Krista McGarty, Brownie Pickens, Wan & Sue Callaway, Khristie Beaird, Nikki Freeze, Alyene Williams, Alastair & Linda Ferrie, Coach Darrin Mayes, Karla Brinkley, April Taylor, and Norma Stone-Davis*

Pantry Items of the week:



Velveeta
Picante Sauce
Chili Powder
Garlic Salt

LTC is right around the corner and we have a need for sponsors for several of our kids. If you could help with this, please see Chandler or let the office know.

Wednesday Night Menu:

03/12 NO MEAL DURING SPRING BREAK

03/19 BBQ Chicken by Vicki and Dessert Group 2

03/26 Chili Cheese Dongs and Birthday Cake



March Worship Assignment Sheets are on the foyer table. Please go pick one up and see where God will be using you in service this month.



Don't forget that Daylight Savings begins Sunday. Spring your clocks forward 1 hour before you go to bed Saturday night.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A BABY SHOWER HONORING LAURA BOWERS ON SUNDAY, MARCH 9TH FROM 2:00-4:00 AT THE HOME OF MARGARET SIMS. SELECTIONS ARE AT WALMART AND AMAZON.COM



MARCH

Upcoming Events:
(items in red are this week)

03/09 **Bowers Baby Shower**

03/09 **Small Groups**

03/10-14 **Spring Break**

03/16 Family Day & Fellowship Meal

03/16 Elders & Deacons Meeting

03/30 5th Sunday Singing

03/31 Sonshine House

Saturday Mornings @ 9:00
Women's Breakfast @ Stewart's Sweet Stop

Birthdays:

17 **Katie Butler**

21 **Mahalah Womack**

23 **Jonnie Barnhill**


23 **Grace Holman**

23 **Clay Cotton**

24 **Trent Yurcho**


28 **Ariel Webb**

30 **Kay Anderson**





Tonight is Small Groups. Are you plugged in to a group? If not, see Gerald Holland so that you can get involved!

We are working on an updated pocket directory. There is a **corrected** rough draft on the foyer table. Please go by and check your information and make sure that we have your current address, phone number (s) and email address(s). Place a check mark or your initials beside your information so that we know it is accurate for printing.



The New Mexico Christian **Children's** Home in Portales will be here on **April 7th**. They are specifically requesting **Cooking Oil** and **Pam Cooking Spray**. However any donation is great appreciated along with your prayers.

Congratulations to **Rachel Walker** who is now the 7th & 8th grade English, Science, Math and History Teacher at Wichita Christian School!

