

UPCOMING EVENTS

05-03 Youth Day in Dallas (\$20 be @ the building @ 11) 05-04 Crash-A-Church 05-10 Service Day QMCC is right around the corner. Applications are on the table and due back in the office by May 11

Why do we meet together?

- 1. We meet together to _____ and praise God.
- 2. We meet together to _____ and ____ one another.
- 3. We meet together to remember what _____ has done for us.
- 4. We meet together to study the word of God and _____ and _____.
- 5. We meet together for _____.
- 6. We meet together for ______ and much more.

NOTES:

Attendance	
Bible Class	
Worship A.M	94
Worship P.M	
Wednesday	113

2013 Budget: \$3,600 Contribution: \$3,443 Elders: Hollis Adams / 476-2585 Paul Landis / 538-0354 Tommy Sims / 867-4163

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Chandler's Back Porch

A Good Name Given to a Good Man

He was such a good man that the apostles gave him a new name! Barnabas is an amazing example to Christians today of what each of us should be. The history of the church was changed by this man. To look at his life and see his impact on the church can be a great encouragement to every Christian.

Barnabas was a Levite from Cyprus. His heritage in the priestly tribe of Levi gave him preeminence among the Jews, but he readily embraced Christianity from the beginning. Obviously, he wanted to find God and serve him.

Barnabas gave Himself to the Lord. When those first Christians, who had come from every nation under heaven and perhaps stayed longer than they had planned, had need (Acts 2:5), the members who had property began selling it to supply others' needs. Barnabas is the only person who is specifically mentioned as having such a compassionate heart (Acts 4:36-37). Barnabas was given a new name by the apostles because of his spirituality. Until that time, he had been called Joses (Joseph), but he was given a new name. From that time on he was called Barnabas, which means "son of encouragement." The church was in its infancy, but Barnabas was such an encourager to others, he was given a new name.

Barnabas was responsible for the flourishing of the church in Antioch. When the church in Jerusalem learned of the establishment of the church in Antioch, they sent Barnabas, "The Encourager," to help. God described him as "a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith." When he arrived "... a great many people were added to the Lord" (Acts 11:24).

Barnabas was responsible for helping Saul of Tarsus (we know him as Paul) find his place in the kingdom to serve the Lord. Those early Christians were afraid of Paul and were hesitant to accept him. "They were hearing only, 'He who formerly persecuted us now preaches the faith which he once tried to destroy" (Gal. 1:22-23). It was "The Encourager" who came to rescue Paul. He went from Antioch to Paul, who had returned to his home city of Tarsus, and brought him to work with the church in Antioch (Acts 11:26).

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Ken Rabon will be moved to CCMH on Thursday. $ot\cong$ Coach Darrin Mayes, teacher and coach at the Junior High, needs a liver transplant from a living donor soon.

Vickie Yurcho had an emergency appendectomy on Monday. She is home now, but call before you go and visit because she is on limited isolation for a few weeks to build up strength and protect from infection. Brian Sutton, son of Mike and Debbie Sutton, has just been diagnosed with Colon Cancer and requests our prayers.

Continue to Remember: Melissa James, Ken Rabon, Mary Taylor, Jerry Greene, Kirby Whitley, David & Jennie Waggoner, Bill Wood, Brenda Estridge, Brownie Pickens, Wan & Sue Callaway, Khristie Beaird, Nikki Freeze, Alvene Williams, Alastair & Linda Ferrie, Coach Darren Mayes, Karla Brinkley, April Taylor , and Norma Stone-Davis



The Children's Home of Lubbock will be here on May 14th to pick up Hair Detangler. Please bring what you can! So far, we only have 2 bottles!

As many of you know, Sandy Webb, our Sonshine House Ministry Coordinator, will be moving to Lubbock soon. We are needing someone who can take over the management of this ministry. There is a "Job Description" sheet on the foyer table. If you

would be interested in helping, please go get a sheet and see Sandy Webb.

Chandler's Back Porch Continued

Barnabas was responsible for Mark finding his place of service in the church. Mark was his nephew and traveled with Paul and Barnabas on the first missionary journey. Paul was disappointed in what Mark did, but "The Encourager" stood up for this young Christian. Barnabas stood up against the great apostle. Had he not done this, we would be missing one of the books of the Bible, the gospel of Mark.

Think about it. What name would your brethren give to you? Discourager? Complainer? Lazy? Undependable? God help us all to become like "The Encourager"! By Dan Jenkins



31 Emily Bell **Stewart's Sweet Stop**

ROMEO's

(Retired Old Men

& Every One)—

Bible class

Studying:

Minor Prophets

Thursdays 10-11 a.m. in the

Fellowship Hall with Food &

fellowship following.

Anniversaries

5 Tyler & Dana Garrison 19 David & Jennie Waggoner 19 Randal & Dana Wilson 21 Paul & Ian Landis 28 Randel & Kelley Barnard

May Menu for Wednesday Nights

07: Chef's Surprise by Todd Davis 14: Frito Casserole by Selinda Taylor 21: Chef's Surprise by Vicki Yurcho 28: Hamburgers by the Youth Group We will be suspending our Wednesday meals for the months of June, July and August.



BIBLE

Study