

MAR. 30, 2014

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UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CENTER 541-753-4310

FAMILY NEWSLETTER

OFFICE HOURS Monday through Friday 9 AM to 1 PM

Deacon Installation Today

Today is the day for installation of our new deacons. Each of these men was interviewed and the Biblical characteristics (1 Timothy 3:8 – 13) of being a Deacon were discussed. Please continue praying for these men and their families as they take on new responsibilities in our church family.



Congregational Potluck

We hope you plan to attend the Italian potluck **today** following morning services. We will be honoring **Becky Miller** for her many years of great service as the church secretary as well as our new deacons. We hope to have lots of food, and if you run to WinCo remember the Italian theme.

PLEASE FILL OUT A FELLOWSHIP CARD

Everyone is asked to fill out a Fellowship Card, which you will find in the song book rack. If you have questions or comments, feel free to write them on the back of the Fellowship Card, or talk to any member. The cards are picked up at the start of our service or can be placed in an offering plate.

For visitors, more general information is available on bookmarks in the Bibles located in the song book rack.

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"THE MAIN Thing"

1. To love the Lord our God with all our heart and with all our soul and with all our mind and with all our strength.

2. To love our neighbors as ourselves.

3. To go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything Christ has commanded us.



Gregg's Good News

A phrase from I Thess. 5:12 catches my eye: "... respect those who work hard among you..."

Today, 3 new Deacons will be added to our group of special servants. **Ezra Childress, Mike Sorah** and **Josh Wise** will be acknowledged. Respect them by joining in the work and serving alongside them.

In addition, tomorrow is the last day for **Becky Miller** to serve as our Church Secretary. After several decades of service, hard work and faithfulness, I can't offer sufficient words of respect in this article to appropriately honor her. Good job, Becky. Enjoy retirement with Gary and the Grandkids.

PRAYER THEMES for this week:

Monday, March 31: Jesus wept over Jerusalem as he realized they had missed the opportunity to experience peace. Pray that the gospel of peace will be heard and understood by more and more people in our towns.

Tuesday, April 1: Things do go wrong in relationships. Pray for a spirit of forgiveness to permeate our lives and lives of the people around us. Pray for restoration of broken relationships.

Wednesday, April 2: Like the "prodigal son," sometimes children depart from a family and cut off ties. Sometimes the disconnect is expressed as a life of silence. Pray for a return and reconciliation for families who have experienced this divide.

Thursday, April 3: Pray for those who "keep the peace." Pray for workers in law enforcement (including our own Ryan McPartlin), judges and others who intervene to restore right.

Friday, April 4: Pray for peace among the nations. Hot spots include Crimea, Ukraine, and Syria. Pray for God to convict the hearts of those who oppose him. Pray that people in the military will attempt to advance God's purposes.

PM Preview TONIGHT 5:00 CITE Sample



Katy Pyron wishes to thank all of those who participated in singing in her home. She loved the singing and especially seeing all the young faces in the church family. She would love all to know that they are always welcome (especially if they sing).

Tami Brown Office Hours

Office hours are Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 1 PM. Please feel free to email at tamibrown2020@gmail.com.

SCHEDULE OF FAMILY EVENTS

Mar 30th - Congregational Potluck following AM services

Mar. 31st - Final day of the Miller regime in the Circle Office Mar. 31st - Women's Monday bible study Beth Moore at 7 PM Apr. 1st - Dinner & Discussion at the UCC 7 PM Apr. 6th - Teens Meet 6 PM—Game Night Apr. 7th - Women's Exercise Class 7PM Apr. 18th - Teens - Easter Egg Prep at Bracht's



Greg Brown has offered the use of his dump truck—he has offered its use to all members. See Greg for more information.



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We had a great time in San Francisco. God works in amazing ways. There were lives changed as our group

shared the love of Jesus with the people at the mission. There were others that heard the gospel and seeds were planted for them to grow towards becoming disciples. We thank you for all your prayers and financial gifts. God used them in amazing ways. We look forward to sharing more details about our mission in the near future. **Contact Numbers:** 541-753-4310 UCC

541-207-2777 cell

UCC Office Hours

T 2pm-10pm TH 9am-3pm F 9am-3pm



Campus Minister and Family Jason, Amanda Josiah and Jaron Swick

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE FAMILY NEEDS

Pray for safe travels for Kellie and Jordan Strawn to Ethiopia on Fr the first of two trips for their adoption of two children.

Please pray for God's healing hand to be upon those with cancer:

- Rob Hartley, Renee Gunselman's brother
- Greg, Jensens' neighbor
- Karen Bose, Betty Carter's daughter
- John McPartlin, eye cancer
- Lorena Childress' uncle
- Terry, Ed Calcote's daughter
- Ezra Parker, continued prayers
- Roy Gaffney, friend of the Millers

Please continue to pray for the health of

- Katy Pyron
- Phil an Linda Weimer
- Patsy Linder
- Donna and Paul Johnson
- JoAnne and Debra Million
- Zane Rogers (Brooks' grandson)
- LaVera Crownover
- Cathy Bussard
- Alex Bracht
- Pauline Blakey
- Elizabeth Emmerich and family
- Mark Masters and his family

The Woods request prayers for their grandson, Justin Mayfield, as he goes through testing for the severe pain he has been having the last few days. Please pray for complete healing. Pray for Bob Gunn's back.

The Eastridges request prayer for the President to know God.

The Gunselmans request prayer for Naomi as she makes preparations to study abroad in Austria.

Pray for the passing of Gayle, Paul Johnson's sister-in-law and family members.

Good News section:

The Gunselmans again are thankful for special times while Naomi has been home.

The Eastridges give thanks for answered prayers.

Good to be with the church family on a beautiful spring morning (Cyndi Colvin).

Aleta went home from the hospital and is doing better.

Praise that Lance McCaughan was not seriously injured or killed yesterday when he rolled his Bronco avoiding a dog in the road.

Thanks for your prayers for Jean Woods' recovery from surgery.

Praise for Donna Johnson's friend's 7 yr old daughter who had the spinal tap last week the test was negative for brain cancer.

Pray for our Moms-to-be

Holly and Ryan McPartlin, baby BOY, McRib due 05/13/2014

Lindsay and Josh Wise, baby due in September

Pray for our engaged couples:

Ashley Parsons and Ryan King on July 26th, 2014, in Corvallis.

Chilly Erlich and Jared Thayer on July 26th, 2014, in Independence, OR.

Lauren Croucher and Shane Copenhagen on August 2nd, 2014 at Circle.

Kristen Elliott and Brian O'Neal on June 15, 2014 in Canby, OR.

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MONTHLY SERVANTS

Eldership Leader: Casey Long Deacon/Minister Leader: Eric Jensen

Emergency Needs: Summer Shore 541-231-6983 Communion Prep: Nancy Johnson PA Attendant: M Sorah Kids' Time: Chris Jensen Service Monitor: Eric Jensen 541-929-5885

WEEKLY SERVANTS

Mar. 30rd 2014 Apr. 6th 2014 MORNING: Greeters: P McPartlin T Eastridge P McPartlin E Eastridge K McPartlin Jb Hammar Ushers: J Parker **C** Cloutier J Wise T Emmerich Attendance: R Bracht **J** Emmerich Communion: L Sorah J Paul **Counting Aides: N Franklund B Leslie** J Emmerich Jacob H Nursery: Pam Strawn TBA Sophya C TBA A Hammar Notes /Cards; A Hammar S Childress N Eastridge Song Leader: Z Reed Z Reed Speaker: G Strawn G Strawn Lord's Table: R McPartlin E Bracht Servers: P McPartlin **C** Cloutier P Johnson **F** Cloutier C Long **J** Calkin **Opening Prayer: J Strawn R** Eastridge Pastoral Prayer C Long **J Reyes** Closing Prayer: C Long **J Reyes 5:00 PM EVENING SCHEDULE** Song Leader: R Holland **R** Holland N Acidera **Opening Prayer: J Parker** Closing Prayer: Joe Hammar Joe Hammar Lord's Table: J Strawn E Bracht SECOND SUNDAY EVENING of the MONTH Singing at Park Place Assisted Living,* 2595 NE Jack London, at 5:45 PM Sunday Morning Attendance 123

Sunday Morning Attendance123Mar. 23rd Contribution\$3,625Year to Date Weekly Average\$4,203Weekly Budget\$4,400

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Want to get involved?

Assembly Ministry Deacons' Ministry Group Building/Grounds (Church & UCC) . . Greg Brown and Josh Wise Campus MinistryJason Swick Education Ministry Eric and Chris Jensen Evangelism Ministry José Reyes Fellowship Ministry Ed and Renee' Gunselman Involvement Ministry See Elders Life Group Ministry Mark and Nancy Johnson Media Ministry Frank Cloutier and Webmaster Tim Emmerich Men of Iron Rolland House People Needs: Financial and Food Becky Miller, and Ryan McPartlin Publicity MinistrySee Elders Van Ministry Bob and Cody Parsons Visitor Experience Ministry See Elders Vision Ministry Elders, Deacons, Ministers and their wives Widows Ministry Peter and Pam McPartlin Women's Ministry Laurie Eastridge Youth Ministry Mike and Shannon Sorah and Eric and Jann Bracht

GIVING OPPORTUNITY:

It's always great to witness the way the congregation responds to needs around the world. We have a history of blessing Orphans, Hurricane victims; and people in Ghana, West Africa who were in need of clean water. In the years following that mercy mission, Churches of Christ have had a significant impact in Ghana.

Now we have the **opportunity to participate in good work for East Africa**. An area suffering from a 6 year long drought.

Sunday, March 16, we gave \$4,827.02, which is **\$427.02 above our \$4,400 weekly needs budget.** That is a **great start on our gift** that will be sent for drilling wells in East Africa and opening doors for the gospel.

Last week, the Spring break travel impacted us significantly and we did not exceed the \$4,400 target. But that's no reason to end the challenge or slack back on this important effort. **The gift to be sent can still be increased.**

We have two more weeks left in this important challenge of giving: March 30 and April 6. We are reaching for \$4,600 each week. Offering above the \$4,400 budget will enlarge the gift we can send away.

Remember: Every gift you offer is a guaranteed success in bringing glory to God and prompting prayers of thanks. Even the **\$427 al**ready set to be sent to this mission of mercy will make a difference. Every gift we give is **already** a success.

Circle Leaders Elders



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Deacons

Ed Gunselman, Rolland House, Eric Jensen, Peter McPartlin, Jose' Reyes

Ministers

All the members of the Congregation (I Peter 2:9)

W. Gregg Strawn Minister of the Word

Jason Swick Campus Minister

2020 Circle Family Times

Sunday 9:30 AM Bible Classes for all ages 10:30 AM Worship 5:00 PM Assembly

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class 10:30 am

Wednesday 7:00 PM Bible Study At Circle

Assorted Life Groups Call **541-758-4456** for details