

# Church of Christ

## Rocketdyne Road

*“Every member a minister...through service”*

OCTOBER 9, 2011



*I beseech you therefore,  
brethren, by the  
mercies of God,  
that ye present  
your bodies a  
living sacrifice,  
holy, acceptable unto  
God, which is your reasonable service.*

*Romans 12:1*



Maxine Austin is patient at Freeman-Neosho. Pray for our homebound, our widows and live-alones, those on our sick list and for all our brothers and sisters.

### Area Events

Oct. 16-19 ~ Fall Meeting with Phil Sanders  
Grand Avenue Church of Christ, Carthage, 7 pm  
Oct. 22 ~ Area Wide Singles Get Together  
Mount Vernon Church of Christ  
See bulletin board for more info

### New Address

Bonnie DeSalvo's new address is 4070 Sunflower Circle, Fayetteville, AR 72703. Her phone number is 417-208-7294.

### Sympathy

We express our sincere sympathy to Yvonne Thurman and family on the passing of Don. Services were Wednesday.

### Congratulations

Congratulations to Saran and Cheryl Powviriya on the birth of a granddaughter September 27. Maya Kay McCoy weighed 7 lb 12 oz and was 19 in long. Saran, Cheryl and Alisha send their thanks to all of our Christian family for the gifts and good wishes.



Charles Bock  
Curtis Cullen  
Dustin Elder  
Eric Feldman  
Bryson Hounschell  
Charlie Litchfield  
Travis Taylor  
Jason Wargo  
Joe White

### Fair Haven Children's Home

The truck from Fair Haven will be here November 10 to pick up supplies. Items requested this time are taco sauce, juice, kleenex, olive oil, pop tarts, salad dressing, trash bags, dishwashing liquid, tomato paste, cascade, peanut butter, paper plates, vinegar, pickles, cookie mix, brownie mix, gravy mix, microwave popcorn, hair conditioner, jellies, canned fruit, garlic salt, aluminum foil, tea bags, spaghetti's, liquid fabric softener, cereal, canned chicken, gallon freezer bags, spaghetti, carrots, sugar, tuna, chocolate chips, hand soap, canola oil, plastic wrap, deodorant, honey, spam, toilet bowl cleaner, chili powder, rotel tomatoes, hamburger helper, spinach, chicken and beef broth, spices, yams, canned soups, pumpkin, cranberry sauce, manwich. Please leave items for the children's home in the grocery cart at the front door.

### Wedding Shower

There will be a wedding shower for Julie Ramon Teel, daughter of Pete and Shelba, on Sunday, October 16, at 2 pm. Hostesses are Shirl Denefrio, Jana Swaffar and Renee` Lewis. To contribute to a group gift, please see one of the hostesses.

### Celebrate Recovery

A new program that is open to anyone in the area has begun in Neosho. Calvary is hosting this service to the community. The Celebrate Recovery classes are for anyone who has a problem to conquer from anger to abuse, addiction to depression, co-dependency to financial problems. This 12-step program is for any hurt, habit or hang-up, not just substance abuse. It is a Bible-based 12-step program and there is nothing denominational about the program.

Steve and Elaine Adams, of our congregation, are familiar with the program, having worked with it for many years in Texas and recommend it highly.

For information about meetings times, call Russell Duncan at 455-3707.

### WOW Ladies Class

The Sunday afternoon ladies' class will NOT meet on October 16th. We will resume at 4:30 pm on Sunday, October 23.

## Half-Hearted Sacrifice And What God Said About It

A son honors his father, and slaves honor their master. "If I am a father, where is the honor due me? ...If I am a master, where is the respect due me?" says the LORD Almighty...

But you ask, 'How have we shown contempt for your name?'

"By offering defiled food on my altar.

"But you ask, 'How have we defiled you?'

"By saying that the LORD's table is contemptible. When you offer blind animals for sacrifice, is that not wrong? When you sacrifice lame or diseased animals, is that not wrong? Try offering them to your governor! Would he be pleased with you? Would he accept you?" says the LORD Almighty.

"Now implore God to be gracious to us. With such offerings from your hands, will he accept you?" —says the LORD Almighty.

"Oh, that one of you would shut the temple doors, so that you would not light useless fires on my altar! I am not pleased with you," says the LORD Almighty, "and I will accept no offering from your hands. (Malachi 1:6-10)

### DOESN'T GOD DESERVE OUR VERY BEST? WHAT DO YOU THINK?

#### Thank You

Under the direction of Tammi Bassett, the children in Kids Konnection learned about financial responsibility from the Dave Ramsay children's lessons. They learned about spending, saving and giving. For their giving exercise they did chores at home for extra money, brought the money to class, and presented me with an envelope with \$157.00 in it for my cousin, Quinton Anderson, who was a victim of the Joplin tornado. I was very impressed with these children! Thank yo so much young people and Tammi. This is a wonderful work!!  
Linda Francisco



**SNT** - No SNT tonight

**SNL** - Tonight at Robinson Ave Church of Christ in Springdale. We will leave the building at 5 and return at 9:30.

**Fall Retreat** - October 28-30. Location - Sky Ranch  
The theme is "Wilderness." Cost is \$40  
Registration and money is due by October 12.  
Mark your calendars for a weekend of study, fellowship and fun!!!

#### Character Trait For October **RESPONSIBILITY**

Making good decisions about what you do and say while taking care of yourself and fulfilling your obligations.



#### **GOD IS MOVING AMONG HIS CHILDREN!**

We had another great Sunday last week with **31** children. We shout out a **BIG, BIG THANK YOU** to our teachers, Auntie Ren, Aunt Laura, Auntie Beth, and Aunt Marinda. We learned about the Potter and the Clay.

Come back with us this week. Auntie Tee and Cousin Traveling Tiff will be our teachers.

See you in class!

Mi Mi Lu and Pa Pa H

Always remember

**JESUS LOVES YOU!!!!**

We do too.

*Workers for next week:*

*Security - Kent Hounshell*

*Teachers - Tye and the teens;*

*Helpers - Andrew Marion, Cade Jenkins, Caitlyn Ryan, Megan Ryan, Breanna Lewis, Holly Woodward, Shelli Willis, Ryan Hendrick*

**Assignments  
Sunday, October 9, 2011**

**Morning Worship**

Prayer .....Zac Erisman  
Shepherd's Prayer .....Jack Stafford

**Lord's Table**

**Prayers:** Daniel Witcher

**East Side**

Luke Pyron  
Trevor Morton  
Ron Lankford  
Alan Woodward

**West Side**

Jim Hounschell  
Mike Hutchison  
Jim Pollick  
James Kruse

**Next Sunday**

Prayer .....Warren Cagle  
Table Prayers .....Steve Jones  
Shepherd's Prayer .....Ray Stipp

**Lord's Table For Next Sunday**

Gary Elam, Caridyne Richardson,  
Phil Trichler, Coda Lumpkins, Jim  
White, Quinton Platner, Richard  
Elder, Andrew Hendrick

**Wednesday, October 12**

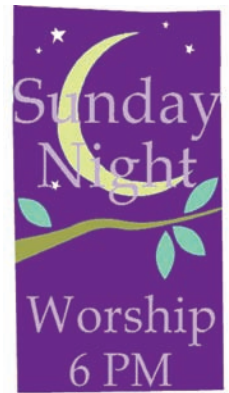
Song Leader...Jimmie Douglass  
Prayer.....Al Beaver



**Singing Practice  
Tonight At 5:30**

with  
Jimmie Douglass  
Matt Engels  
and  
Wade Williams

**Join Us For  
For**



**Our Elders**

Kenneth Cope  
Jerry Davis  
Clyde Hopper  
David Hutchings  
Ben Lane  
Earl Reynolds  
Jack Stafford  
Ray Stipp

**Our Ministers**

Denny Kruse  
592-3419  
Tye Zola  
658-9000

**Our Deacons**

Randy Bass  
Jonathan Davis  
Myron Lessman  
Brian Lewis  
Brent Marion  
Kael Powers  
Pete Ramon  
Jon Reagan  
Rod Whorton  
Rick Wolfe  
Alan Woodward

**GREETERS  SCHEDULE**

**October 16**  
Team 3


**Fair Haven**

**Pantry Needs**  
Peanut Butter



**October 9**  
Gwen Hopper, Theresa Widener

**October 16**  
Renee` and Breanna Lewis



**FAMILY GATHERINGS**

**Sunday Morning Bible Study .....9:30**  
**Sunday Morning Worship .....10:30**  
**Sunday Evening Singing Practice .....5:30**  
**Sunday Evening Worship .....6:00**  
**Wednesday Evening Bible Study .....7:00**

**Our Purpose**

**To praise and glorify God**  
**To spread the gospel of Jesus Christ**  
**To show our love by serving each other**  
**and the world**