

KIRK'S LOG

Stardate: March 7, 2010

Focus Scripture – Isaiah 55:1-9

Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.

Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live. I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.

See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, has glorified you. Seek the LORD while the LORD may be found, call upon the LORD while the LORD is near; let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the LORD, that the LORD may have mercy on them, and to our God, for God will abundantly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

Preacher: Rev. William D. Ingraham

Music: Kate Sauer, Music Director

Linda Gilmour, Chancel Choir/Children's

Music & Praise Band Director

Dorenda Morse, piano

Adult Ed: Richard Mitchell, Floyd Coppage

Lock Up: Roger Hailstone

Lay Readers: 8:30 – Doug Crosby

10:30 – Rev. Kirby Lewis

Usher/Greeter Team: 8:30 – Doug, Sage, & Maya Crosby

10:30 – Mercy Martinez-Nunnally, Kirby Lewis

Jon & Karla Mitovich

Hospitality: after 8:30 service – The Salerno Family

10:30 service – Christa Manning, Bill & Wanita Eberhardt

Those for Whom We Pray

The members of Church of the Good Shepherd would like to extend our sympathy to: Stewart Johnson and family on the death of his wife, Anis, on February 25; Amy Homicz and family on the death of her mother, Fran Doty, on February 21; and Rob Sweeney and family on the deaths of his son, Mark, and his brother, Allen.

Our members: Ted Bradley, Renee Crowder, Lanie Dickel, Nancy Eberhardt, Christine Hoover, Rev. Bill Ingraham, Ann Meierkord, and D'Alene Seymour;

Our extended family: Wanda Alanis (Jarod HasBrouck's grandmother), Bill Artman (friend of COGS), Brianna Chynoweth (George & Marilyn Chynoweth's granddaughter), Robert Chynoweth (George & Marilyn Chynoweth's son), Carolyn Ciccarelli (daughter of Martha & Howard Houldsworth), Stephanie Crosby (mother of Maya and Sage Crosby), Sarah Drain (Roger & Dalva Hailstone's daughter), Jessica Ernakovich (Judy & Chuck Gilman's daughter), Sam Ferolie (friend of Jon & Karla Mitovich, serving in Afghanistan), Fran Haley (Michael Haley's mother), Tracy Hutchinson (Cindy Hutchinson's sister-in-law), Abby Lundin (friend of Mildred & Lester Hook), Veronica McCarter (Mercy Martinez-Nunnally's sister), Justin Zel Montgomery (Linc Nagle's son-in-law, serving in the Police Department), Amy Mueller (daughter of Susan Olson-Phillips & Det Phillips), Bailey Ellen Paul (Paula Paul's granddaughter), Lorraine Quintana (Phyllis Wilson's friend), Dorothy Wortman (Kirk Wortman's mother), for others for whom we have been praying, and for those whose names are known by you and God.

Announcements

Flowers on the Communion table – are in memory of Fran Doty.

Breakfast with Bill – The next installment of "Breakfast with Bill" will be this Thursday, March 11, at Millie's Restaurant, located at 7308 Jefferson St. NE. This one is for the early crowd! We'll gather at 7 a.m. For more information, speak with Rev. Ingraham.

Centering Prayer Group – Silence, compassion, growth, connection: Come pray with us! **NOTE:** Now meets Tuesdays **at 1 p.m. and at 7 p.m.**, in the parlor. – Kirby Lewis, 884-1775

Memorial Service for Anis Johnson, next Saturday, March 13, at 11 a.m. – Anis Johnson passed from this life on February 25th. Stewart Johnson and family invite you to join them in a celebration of her life next Saturday, March 13, 11 a.m., at the church, followed by a condolence reception.

Please pick up your new COGS directory – with your name on it, on the table at the back of the sanctuary. Each directory is labeled, so please be sure to take the directory that has your name on it. If you want an additional copy of the directory, please contact Judy Gilman or Kirk Wortman.

CAPTAIN KIRK'S LOCATOR

Welcome! Thank you for worshipping with us today. We'd love to have a record of your attendance with us, so please fill out the information below and give to an usher.

Sunday, March 7, 2010

8:30 10:30

Name _____

Check here if your address, phone, or e-mail has recently changed.

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Email _____

Spouse's/Partner's Name _____

Children's Name(s) and Age(s): _____

This is my:

1st time 2nd time 3rd time

I attend Church of the Good Shepherd

I am a member of Church of the Good Shepherd

How I first heard about Church of the Good Shepherd:

Friends Family TV Ads

Yellow Pages Location

Newspaper Ads/Articles

Website/Internet

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Forever Young

Albuquerque Philharmonic performance, starring Enid Bradley, TODAY, March 7, at 2 p.m.

Date: TODAY, March 7
Place: Hispanic Cultural Center, 1701 4th St. SW
Lunch: La Fonda del Bosque at the Museum
Program: Albuquerque Philharmonic performance, starring Enid Bradley, at 2 p.m. No Fee. Free-will donation at door.
Time: Carpool from the church at 11:30 or meet at the restaurant at 12:00.

Listening Post – Today, and on the first Sunday of each month, the Listening Post will be in operation after the 10:30 service, in the *church office*. In July 2005, we discussed the “Instrument of Peace” through mailings and during a church service. This will provide a place where concerns & suggestions of members of our congregation can be discussed and questions posed & answered.

New Member Classes

New member classes will be held on the 1st and 2nd Sunday of each month, at 12:00 noon. New members are received monthly.

WANTED: Church Officers and Ministry Leads for 2010-2011 – The Nominating Committee has been formed for the upcoming elections and we'd like to hear from you if you are interested in one of the 2 known openings starting this summer: Vice-Moderator and Ministry Lead for Spiritual Education and Development. Please contact Mendy Brown if you are interested in being considered for these openings, by calling 292-9245 or e-mailing her at mendeeb@yahoo.com.

COGS Adult Ed

Adult Ed classes run from 9:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Adult Bible Study

“Not Counting Women and Children,”
a book by Megan McKenna

The collection of stories in this book recalls women such as Sarah and Hagar, the women of Exodus, and children such as those slaughtered at the time of the birth of Jesus. These Biblical stories call for an examination of our lives both individually and collectively, and reveal an understanding of the good news that is dynamic and alive today. Join us for thought-provoking reading and stimulating discussions. The book is available on amazon.com for \$7.95 new and as low as \$0.99 used.

Discussion to be led by Richard Mitchell.
 9:15-10 a.m., Classroom #2, Lower Level

Adult Contemporary Theology Class

The group is studying the book, *The Dishonest Church*, by Jack Good, a retired U.C.C. pastor. – with Floyd Coppage at 9:15 a.m. in the parlor

Church Meetings for the Week of March 7-14, 2010

Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Worship – Communion	7:00 p.m.	Centering Prayer Group – parlor	
	All morning	Coffee	Wednesday:	1:30 p.m.	Spirituality Study Group
	9:00 a.m.	Breakfast Club	Thursday:	7:00 a.m.	<i>Breakfast with Bill</i> – at Millie’s Restaurant
	9:15 a.m.	Children’s Education Time		5:45 p.m.	Handbell rehearsal
	9:15 a.m.	<u>Adult Education Time:</u> “Adult Bible Study” “Contemporary Theology”		6:50 p.m.	Ensemble rehearsal
	10:30 a.m.	Worship – Communion	Saturday:	7:30 p.m.	Choir rehearsal – sanctuary
	11:00 a.m.	Children’s Choir		11:00 a.m.	Memorial service for Anis Johnson
	11:30 a.m.	Listening Post	Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Worship
	12:00 p.m.	New Member Class		All morning	Coffee
	12:00 p.m.	Forever Young – Lunch at La Fonda del Bosque, followed by Albuquerque Philharmonic performance at 2 p.m. at Hispanic Cultural Center – Carpool leaves COGS at 11:30		9:00 a.m.	Breakfast Club
Monday:	7:00 p.m.	Council meeting		9:15 a.m.	Children’s Education Time
Tuesday:	1:00 p.m.	Centering Prayer Group – parlor		9:15 a.m.	<u>Adult Education Time:</u> “Adult Bible Study” “Contemporary Theology”
	6:00 p.m.	Praise Band rehearsal		10:30 a.m.	Worship
				11:00 a.m.	Children’s Choir
				12:00 p.m.	New Member Class

How can I help?

Easter Flowers

In the list below, please indicate how many of each flower you desire. Then, in the spaces provided, write the total amount of your order and the person(s) to whom you would like to dedicate your flowers. Please make check payable to “COGS” and write “Easter flowers” on the memo line of the check.

Number desired	Price per plant
_____ 8” two-stem lilies	\$9.00
_____ 6 1/2” mums	\$6.00
_____ 6 1/2” kalanchoes	\$6.00
_____ 6 1/2” cyclamen	\$6.00
_____ 6 1/2” geraniums	\$5.00
_____ 6” calla lilies	\$8.00
_____ 6 1/2” color bowl	\$5.00
_____ 10” blooming basket	\$8.00
_____ 10” color bowl	\$8.00

TOTAL of your order = \$ _____
 (indicate total dollar amount)

I am giving these Easter flowers:

➤ In memory of: _____

➤ In celebration of: _____