

Schedule of Services

Sunday Bible Class 9:00 AM
Sunday AM Worship10:00 AM
Sunday PM Worship 6:00 PM
Wednesday Bible Class 7:00 PM

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Supported Mission Works

Dino Tzanetos;
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Navajo Reservation, Keyenta, AZ

Terry Laurence
Navajo Reservation, Ft. Defiance, AZ

Eddison Gruber
Navajo Reservation, Crownpoint NM

Dave Chamberlin (Instructor)
Bear Valley Bible Institute of Denver

Jesus Gonzalez
Agua Prieta, Mexico

Alonso Villalobos
Veracruz Mexico

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Prayer List

- * Kathleen Podlasinski was taken to John C Lincoln Saturday with chest pains.
- * Jim Green will have his Zometa treatments for cancer every 4 weeks now instead of 8. His cancer numbers have gone up.
- * Barbara Reinhart is now on Dialysis. She is being treated at Boswell Hospital in Sun City.
- * Bill Sanders, Dora's cousin, as he continues with his cancer treatments here in Arizona
- * Ashley Gillespie, Dora's granddaughter, for ongoing personal struggles
- * Edison Gruber has had a stomach virus this past week.
- * Eugene will see his doctor Feb. the 17th to determine if he needs a pacemaker.
- * Rayna Davidson, Linda Hays' cousin passed away Tuesday.
- * Ireta, Marilyn McGrews sister had a double mastectomy.
- * Phyllis, Marilyn's sister will have a pacemaker put in this Thursday.
- * Please keep Yvette's mother in your prayers.
- * Alahna Martin, daughter of Paul and Vanessa Martin, is still recovering from an auto accident.
- * Tammy Hays is struggling with personal issues.
- * Bob Farr is having problems with his kidneys
- * Joann Toles is dealing with severe back pains.
- * Jim and Lenora Green continuing medical problems
- * Frankie continued health issues
- * James Harper, Frankie's son is now in Afghanistan.
- * Jocelyn Iles suffers with emphysema and COPD
- * Andy Marchbank's needs prayers for her health.
- * The Carpenter Family,
- * Walt Garrison (Jim Weiers step brother) undergoing treatment for cancer.

BEST WISHES THIS WEEK

Pam McClellan

Feb 19 (B)

THE GUARDIAN

"Guard my soul and deliver me; Do not let me be ashamed, for I take refuge in Thee." Ps. 25:20

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God and Commercials

A fifth grade teacher in a Christian school asked her class to look at TV commercials and see if they could use them in some way to communicate ideas about God. Here are some of the results.

God is like: BAYER ASPIRIN - He works miracles.

God is like: A FORD - He's got a better idea.

God is like: COKE - He's the real thing.

God is like: HALLMARK CARDS - He cares enough to send His very best.

God is like: TIDE - He gets the stains out that others leave behind.

God is like: GENERAL ELECTRIC - He brings good things to life.

God is like: SEARS - He has everything.

God is like: ALKA-SELTZER - Try Him, you'll like Him.

God is like: SCOTCH TAPE - You can't see Him, but you know He's there.

God is like: DELTA - He's ready when you are.

God is like: ALLSTATE - You're in good hands with Him.

God is like: VO-5 HAIR SPRAY - He holds through all kinds of weather.

God is like: DIAL SOAP - Aren't you glad you have Him? Don't you wish everybody did?

God is like: the U.S. POST OFFICE - Neither rain, nor snow, nor sleet nor ice will keep Him from His appointed destination.

God is like: CHEVROLET - the heart beat of America.

God is like: MAXWELL HOUSE - Good to the very last drop.

God is like: BOUNTY - He is the quicker picker upper. . can handle the tough jobs. .. and He won't fall apart on you.

SHARED BY Larry & Revonna Neis

Welcome to the services of the Church! If you are visiting with us, we appreciate your presence and invite you to stay a few moments after the service so we may have an opportunity to meet you! Please feel free to pick up one of our Visitors Packets in the Foyer.

The Only Creed Man Can Accept

CREED: "Specific statement(s) of religious beliefs, doctrines, accepted as authoritative by church" (Webster's New World Dictionary of the American Language, Second Edition)

In the religious world today there are many creeds. These creeds (doctrines) are the basic difference between every separate religious group. Should a man be concerned that there are multiple creeds, or should he simply follow one that is most to his liking? The term creed" is not found in God's word. The closest thing would be Christ's statement about the Jewish leaders of His day: "But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines (creeds) the commandments of men" Matt. 15:9). We need to let God's word tell us if there can be more than one authoritative doctrine.

First, we must establish WHO is the authority for religious beliefs and teachings. We must understand that there is but ONE author: "*Though he were a Son, yet learned he obedience by the things which he suffered; 9} And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him*" (Heb. 5:8-9). The term "author" carries with it the power of "authority." By becoming the "author of salvation," Christ also became the sole authority concerning salvation. Note: "*And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power (authority, ASV) is given unto me in heaven and in earth*" (Matt. 28:18). The Father in heaven gave this sole authority to the Son. It had never before, nor has it since, been given to any other being, neither angel nor man.

Second, we must establish WHAT is the authority for religious beliefs and teachings. There is but one set of authoritative instructions that will guide men in the way of salvation. Jesus was matter-of-fact concerning those instructions and by Whose authority they were given: "*He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day*" (John 12:48). The apostle Paul reminds the serious reader: "*All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: {17} That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works*" 2 Tim. 3:16-17). David said the word of God is perfect: "*The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul: the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple*" Pslm. 19:7). Nothing more is needed for religious guidance than doctrine, reproof, correction, and instruction in righteousness. Therefore; Paul said it "*thoroughly furnishes*" the "man of God." Doctrine is the teaching (creed) of Christ. The doctrine of Christ is the only thing that we can believe and the only thing we can teach others. The scriptures provide reproof (the pointing out of man's faults). The doctrine gives correction (what man must do to overcome his faults). All of this thoroughly furnishes (sufficiently) instructs man how to be righteous. According to Jesus, His gospel will meet the needs of the whole world, "*And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature*" (Mk. 16:15); and "*Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: {20} Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you:...*" (Matt. 28:19-20). This thwarts the need for any "new" revelation, especially such works as The Book of Mormon or The Koran (the bible of the Moslems).

It seems that many today want to change the word of God. They want to insert today's culture into the scripture. The implication is that God's word no longer fits the needs of modern man. Besides what Paul said to Timothy (2Tim. 3:16-17 above), Jesus said, "*Heaven and earth shall pass away: but my words shall not pass away*" (Lk. 21:33). Peter said, "*But the word of the Lord endureth forever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you*" (1Pet. 1:25). Both these verses mean that God's word gives the same instruction for ALL times no matter what the culture. Man must remember that God's word was given to change the cultures of men, NOT to be changed by men's culture.

What creed must man follow? The only creed man can accept is the creed (doctrine, teaching) given by Jesus Christ, the Son of God. To accept any other doctrine (creed) is to damn our souls, "*Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God. He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son. {10} If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God speed: {11} For he that biddeth him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds*" (2Jhn. 9-11).

- (1) We will be having our **annual incorporation meeting** Feb. 28th following morning services.
- (2) On February 21st Allan Davis will present **Northside's 2010 budget report**. Following this Ron Gallegos will give a brief report on our new **Mission Support policies**. This will take place following the morning services. All members are invited to stay for these two important messages.
- (3) **Our Wednesday night Bible class** now meets from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
- (4) **We have four new mission reports**. Terry Laurence, Jose Espinosa, Josh Austin, and Edison Gruber
- (5) **February's morning coffee** will be at Josie Horwitz house, Fridays at 9:30 a.m.
- (6) **The Copper Basin Dinner** will be February 20th at Camelback church of Christ. Please see Dora Sanders if you would like to purchase a ticket.
- (7) **Northside' Ladies Day, March 20th, 2010**

WORTH WATCHING

Search The Scriptures - KAZI Channel 13 - Sunday - 7:30 a.m.
On the Internet "Gospel Broadcasting Network" - www.gbntv.org

Northside Calendar

Visit our online calendar at www.northsidechurchofchrist.org/

Quilting/Crafts: March 7th – Following morning services (Everyone welcome)
Potluck: Today - Following Morning Services
Ladies Class: Feb 21st – 5:00 p.m.
Men's Business Meeting: Feb 21st - 5:00 pm.
Elders/Deacons Meeting: Feb 28th - 5:00 p.m.
Nursery: A.M. P.M.
In Touch, this week: Team 3

CD's are available for both morning and evening sermons. See Josh Casselman for more information. If you requested CD's please be sure to pick your copies up.

IF YOU HAVE SMALL CHILDREN, INFANT TO 3 YRS OLD, WE PROVIDE AN ATTENDED NURSERY. WE ALSO HAVE A TRAINING ROOM FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.