

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;
Athens, Greece

Josh Austin
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

- * Eugene has been in the hospital with heart problems. He is going through testing.
- * Legrand Strickland, member of the body and a soldier who has lost both legs due to a car bombing.
- * Bill Sanders, Dora's cousin, now had pneumonia as he undergoes cancer treatments
- * 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.
- * Ashley Gillespie, Dora's granddaughter, for ongoing personal struggles
- * 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

Ken Phillips
Jacob Harford

Feb 22 (B)
Feb 26 (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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The Need for God's Testing

A female eagle has an interesting way of picking a mate. She will pick up a twig and fly high into the air and drop it. Male eagles will fly beneath her and try to catch the twig. She will do this until a male has caught the twig three times.

The female is testing the male for his ability to catch young eagles as they are directed out of the nest for flight. When it's time for the young eagle to fly on its own, the mother eagle pushes her young out of the nest. She carries the young eaglets on her back up high into the air and shakes them off. It is the responsibility of the father to swoop down and catch the young eaglets until they learn to fly on their own.

Just as the female eagle is testing the male for his reliability, God will test a believer in his or her faithfulness and dependability. Similarly, in our walk with God we often run into difficult situations that require us to make decisions. These decisions are clear indications to the Father whether or not we can be trusted to move ahead to the next level of responsibility. As the female eagle tests the male with twigs to determine which one would be her choice for a mate, God is testing us through daily decisions to determine which ones He can rely on to be used to build His kingdom. — "Twigs" written by Chris Harken from Maple Grove, Minnesota USA

"He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much" — Luke 16:10

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 Sin Of Denominationalism

The word "denomination" comes from the same root word as denominator in fractions, which means to divide. Division is sinful. 1 Corinthians 1:10, 13 says, "Now I plead with you...that there be no divisions among you...Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul?" The doctrines of men caused division in the first century and they continue to divide today. The gospel of Christ taught, believed, and obeyed brings unity and eliminates denominationalism.

There is no salvation in denominationalism. Salvation is only in the body of Christ (Ephesians 5:23), which is His one church (Ephesians 1:22-23). Galatians 1:7, 9 says, "There are some that trouble you and want to pervert the gospel of Christ...if anyone preaches any other gospel to you than what you have received, let him be accursed." To get into a denomination one has to leave the teaching of the New Testament and do something different. Many people are going to be lost because of denominationalism (Matthew 7:22-23).

Every denomination has prostituted God's plan of salvation with such things as "faith only" and "once saved always saved". They have also perverted the worship with instrumental music, speaking in tongues, fake healing, etc. 2 Peter 2:2 says, "And many will follow the destructive ways, because of whom the way of truth will be blasphemed." But we are warned in Colossians 2:18, "Let no man cheat you of your reward."

Because people want to do things their way 2 Thessalonians 2:11-12 says, "And for this reason God will send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie: that they may all be damned who believe not the truth." We must not fellowship religious denominations in their error. 2 John 10-11 says, "If anyone comes to you and does not bring this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God's speed: for he that bids him God's speed is partaker of his evil deeds." We sin if we fellowship religious denominations by becoming a partaker of their evil deeds. And as Ephesians 5:11 also says, "And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness but rather reprove them."

By Ron Boatwright

(1) Today 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.

(2) **Sue Bruder, a co-worker of Andy Marchbank's** has stage 4 cancer. Andy is asking members of Northside if they wouldn't mind sending Sue a card. Send your cards to Palo Verde Middle School / Attention; Sue Bruder, 7502 N. 39th Ave., Phoenix Az 85051

(3) We will be having our **annual incorporation meeting** Feb. 28th following morning services.

(4) **We have four new mission reports**. Terry Laurence, Jose Villalobos, Josh Austin, and Edison Gruber

(5) **February's morning coffee** will be at Josie Horwitz house, Fridays at 9:30 a.m.

(6) **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: Feb 28th – Evening Finger-food

Ladies Class: Today – 5:00 p.m.

Men's Business Meeting: Today - 5:00 pm.

Elders/Deacons Meeting: Feb 28th - 5:00 p.m.

Nursery: A.M. P.M.

In Touch, this week: Team 4

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.