

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Join the WhatsApp MSY News and Events group for details and to stay informed!

MAY 3RD GIRL/GUY SPLIT ACTIVITIES

Lunch and dinner provided. Each group will be back to the building around 6:30PM.

Check your email for details.

SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT

We will be celebrating the graduating class of 2026 on Wednesday, May 13th. There will be tables set up in the foyer with Bibles for the congregation to sign and/or highlight verses of encouragement for each senior. If you would like to help decorate, make dinner, build gift baskets, etc. Let Garrett know as soon as possible. Let's make it a great night!



BIBLE CLASSES: WINTER/SPRING 2026

SUNDAY MORNING

AUDITORIUM CLASS - Hebrews

CAFÉ CLASS(GYM) - Luke

ADULT CLASS (LADIES CLASSROOM) - "What is This Thing Called Church?"

YOUNG ADULT CLASS (RM. 205/207) - Philipians

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

AUDITORIUM CLASS - Joshua

LARRY LAWRENCE (RM. 205/207) - TOPICAL STUDY: Work of the Holy Spirit

ADULTS (206/208) - "Great Men of the Old Testament"

LADIES CLASS - BOOK STUDY "Immeasurably More"

May 3rd, 2026

THE MOUNTAINSIDE MESSENGER

Welcome! We are so glad you are with us this morning!

If you are visiting with us today, please fill out a Communication Card and leave it in the pew at the end of the service. Please let us get to know you!

Prayers

ELDERS

Bryan Armstrong

Doug Brown

Lance Darnell

Wes Herron

Brett Rimer

Alan Taylor

MINISTERS

Brett Rimer

Garrett Schmille

SYMPATHY

We want to extend our sympathy to **Alberta Morris. Bill** passed from this life on April 6 at the age of 95. Please keep Alberta and the family in your prayers. Cards can be sent to 13136 Nandina Ln. SE, Albuquerque, 87123.

PRAYERS

Diane Alcott, friend of *Velia Estrada*, has a serious oral infection. Diana has visited Mountainside a few times and covets our prayers for healing.

Bryan Armstrong had surgery Tuesday and all went well. Prayers for healing are appreciated.

Michelle Diaz, daughter in law of Lita and Richard Diaz, needs two heart stents placed. She is decided to consult with a different physician before moving forward. Please pray that Michelle will have peace, and that the surgery goes well once scheduled.

Ricky Black, Lita Diaz's nephew, will be seeing his doctor to get the results of the test regarding a possible cancer diagnosis.

****Gluten-free communion bread is located on top of the desk at the back of the auditorium by the computer/sound system. Please pick up a packet of that before being seated.*

PRAYERS FOR CONTINUED HEALTH & SAFETY CONCERNS: Susan Brown; Tom Shoemaker; Chris Stringham; Jon Beaty; Dennis Dresbach; Desiree Montoya; Lane Roberts; Travis Clayton, Bryce & Rylee Weatherford, brother and sister in law of Tawney Weatherford; Barb Sutherland, mother of Seth Sutherland; Delia Silva, mother of Rosemary Stokes; Stan Samuels, Steven Samuels father, Terry Padilla; Lynda Wadsworth; Jeff Davenport; Glennys Elliott; Paula Coch; Curley Hall; Mary Sue House, sister of Tom House; Joletha Sturdy, Johanna Halamiccek's mother; Brenda Herrera; Aleasha Decker; Lin and Jackie Decker.

PRAYERS FOR OUR SENIOR SAINTS: Carol Fitzgerald; Roberta Yeoman; Ed Grey; Wally & Kay Sedden; Mary & Bob Lafler; Lynda Wadsworth; Jim Peacock; Tommye Hanna; Claude & Janet Schleyer; Ruth Fosler; Maria Rogers; Howard & Sue McCall; Jim Peacock; Dennis & Mylli Zdunek; Doyce King; Carol Fitzgerald; Dwayne & Dorothy Maxwell, Gary & Joan Colwell; Alberta Morris; Tom & Glenda Davis; Margaret Kirkes; Shannon & Carole Roberts; Alan Herrell; Joyce Frashier; Denise Keefe; Richard & Lita Diaz; Larry Lawrence; Paul Page; Tommie Bedford; Gene Decker.

News & Announcements

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

The National Day of Prayer is on **Thursday, May 7th**. We will be meeting at Mountainside from **6:30-8PM** that evening. The first hour will be dedicated to corporate prayer and worship, and the last thirty minutes we will divide into small groups for prayer. We have just completed 40 days of prayer based upon the book *"Draw the Circle"*, and this gives us an opportunity to exercise the lessons we've learned regarding the importance of prayer. Please join us if you can.

SENIOR SAINTS TEA

Several of the young ladies are learning and practicing their hosting and hospitality skills. They would like to warmly invite our beloved senior women to join them at afternoon tea on **Saturday, May 9th from 2-4PM in the Ladies Classroom**. Tea and light treats will be served; a fancy hat is requested along with proper tea attire (Extra hats are available if you do not have one). Due to the nature of the event, spots are limited to no more than thirty women. If you would like to accept this invitation, please talk to Natalie Dalton or call the church office to RSVP.

VBS REGISTRATION

It is time to register your kids for VBS 2026 - Over the Moat: Drawbridge to the King. **VBS is June 22nd-24th from 9-12PM**. You can register through our church app under Forms & Requests. You can also register online on our website or at the link found in the Mountainside Messenger. Paper copies are available in the foyer.

VBS STAFF MEETING

There will be short meeting on **Sunday, May 17th after second service in the King's Kids** room to discuss VBS. If you are helping or are interested in helping, please plan to be there.

PONDEROSA CHRISTIAN CAMP

Get ready for an unforgettable summer at Ponderosa Christian Camp! With sessions for all age groups, your kids will have a blast. Go to the Ponderosa website for more information and to secure their spot. The dates of each session are:

- High School Session - May 31st-June 6th
- Elementary (3rd-5th) - June 9th - 13th
- Middle School (5th-7th) - July 12th-18th
- Jr. High (7th-9th) - July 19th-25th

Want to help out? Volunteers are needed! Remember, if you are wanting to help in the kitchen be sure to get your NM Food Handlers card online when you register. Don't miss out!

CAMP WORK DAYS

With summer right around the corner, help is needed to clean and spruce up the camp property for our sessions! If you have time and skills you can share, you need to call Larry Best or Jim Poland first to let them know how and when you can help.

EEM

Don't miss this chance! Darryl Willis told us that any gift to Eastern European Ministries before June 14th will be matched. That means if you gift enough for one Bible, two Bibles get disbursed. That is a great gift to those wanting and needing to learn about our awesome God! Just write "EEM" on your check memo, and we will do the rest. Be mindful, this will be our **ONLY** EEM fundraising effort this year, so act now!!!

THE LORD'S SUPPER AND CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR

The Lord's Supper is the center of our worship time every week. Parents, we ask for your help in protecting the focus of this time by waiting to release or escort your children to Bible Hour until they are dismissed by the song leader following the Lord's Supper. This allows our entire church family the chance to remember Our Lord's sacrificial death in a focused, unhurried way. This also helps teach our children the importance of this time in our worship and how to reflect with reverence on what Jesus has done for all of us.

THE FOOD PANTRY

Our pantry is **well stocked** because of your generosity! If you or your neighbors are facing financial difficulties with rising prices and need food, please see the church secretaries. We are anxious to bless others!

DIRECTORY CORRECTION

Alan Taylor would like everyone to know that he has a new E-mail address. Please make a note of this, it is: alan10813@proton.me



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Spring Lectureship

"Remembering Our Spiritual Roots"

May 8 – 10, 2026

Guest Speakers:
Rick Brumback
Logan Summer
Evan Todachine

BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER CALENDAR

Join us this school year in praying for our children, preschool through college-aged. You can find a calendar in the foyer labeled "Rooted in Christ," which breaks the year into weekly prayer focuses and scriptures. The theme for the month of **May is "Sent with Purpose, Finish Strong: Empowerment through the Spirit, encouragement to finish strong and well."**
May 4th - 8th: Ephesians 5:18 - Pray that they will be filled with the Holy Spirit.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL MENU

- 5/6 - **Stones** - TBD
- 5/13 - **Foust** - Macaroni & Cheese w/Chicken
- 5/20 - **Yates** - TBD
- 5/27 - **Decker** - Chicken Salad Sandwiches

WEEKLY BIRTHDAYS

- 5/6 Linda Hill
- 5/8 Alan Landers
Jace Vernon
- 5/9 Steven Samuels
- 5/10 Jessie Schmille
Porter Chastain