

In Our Prayers...

**Requester's name is in parentheses*

Tornado Victims (Larry McKesson) — Larry's sister in Rogers, AR is among many affected by tornados and other severe weather recently. Her business suffered some damage.

Bereavement — Mike Sickenger family (Farmington); Connie Holley family; Marge Himes family; Charlene Jones family; Jimmy Mooring family.

Health concerns- — John Huffmyer; Jared Brittain; Jeff Hopkins; Kim Brown; Bill Himes; Paula Dahlke; Glenda Fields; Mary Elizabeth Bingham (local resident); Ruth Sutherlin; Connie Holley; Jeanie Mooring's sister, Kathy.

Door for the Word — Ongoing Bible studies & effective means for spreading the gospel in and around Durango this year.

News and Announcements

Donations for Youth Camp Needed The Four Corners Youth Camp has asked area congregations for help meeting food expenses for the 2024 camp sessions. Please make your check out to Four Corners Youth Encampment and leave it in the collection plate. Our goal is \$650. Thank you!

Singing in Silverton The church in Silverton is hosting a 5th Sunday singing fellowship. It will be Sunday, June 30th at 4pm. More details to follow soon.

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Service Times

Bible Study

Sunday 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday 7p.m.

Worship

Sunday 10:20 a.m.



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Sharing Our Faith

Why are we afraid to share our faith? Why do we not share with others what God is doing in our lives, and about what Jesus means to us? Rejection is probably the number one reason we hold back. When we invite someone into conversation about Jesus Christ and they resist, it isn't a personal rejection. God opens hearts to His message, and if we will share our faith we will discover people with open hearts. We will also discover people with closed hearts. Don't let that keep you from sharing your faith. If God has answered prayer in your life, tell people about it. If God has done something good in your life, tell someone what He has done. If you have faith in Jesus Christ, speak His name out loud to others. God will work!

Many hold back because of a "lack of knowledge" of God's word. You need to notice that in Scripture people didn't always

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Scripture Reading: Genesis 33

Sharing Our Faith

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have lots of knowledge of God’s Word. The woman at the well in John 4 simply told neighbors that she met a man who knew all about her. These neighbors put their faith in Jesus based on her testimony. It can work the same way today. Chances are you will know more than the person you are sharing with. If you should discover someone who knows more of God’s Word than you do, allow them to encourage you with the Word of God.

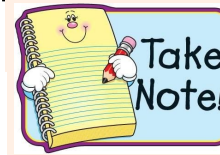
Many feel that they lack the time to study with people. If you read Acts, you will discover that many people responded after a brief encounter. There are people around us who are ready for the Good News of Jesus Christ. They are just waiting for someone to share their personal faith. Individuals realize their need for a Savior when they take time to do a personal inventory. There are people around us who are looking for help.

You can share your faith. Ask God for the courage to tell others about His Son. “The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field” (Matthew 9:37-38). Let’s all be workers in the Kingdom of God. Let’s all make an attempt to share our faith.”

- Dick Miller
Bulletin Digest

A Question

If I really, really trust Him,
Shall I ever fret?
If I really do expect Him,
Can I e’er forget?
If by faith I really see Him,
Shall I doubt His aid?
If I really, really love Him,
Can I be afraid?



Sermon Notes

What to do
When You Are Expecting
2 Peter 3:14-18

- ◆ Waiting in expectation
- ◆ Get your house in order.
- ◆ Hope increases with time.
- ◆ Many before us have been through this.
- ◆ Now is a time for growth.

Weekly Bible Reading Schedule

Arranged in Chronological Order

June 03	Mon	Proverbs 13-15
June 04	Tue	Proverbs 16-18
June 05	Wed	Proverbs 19-21
June 06	Thur	Proverbs 22-24
June 07	Fri	1 Kings 5-6; 2 Chron 2-3
June 08	Sat	1 Kings 7; 2 Chron 4
June 09	Sun	1 Kings 8; 2 Chron 5