

August

Aug 22 Holy Ghost Stories at Bradbury's; 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

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September

Sept 16 Carpenter Place grocery pick-up; lists will follow soon

October

Oct 04 Westview Boys Home grocery pick up; lists will follow

WOMEN WALKING WITH GOD ANNOUNCEMENT!

Because of your previous support of the WWWG Conference, we want you to know what's in store of 2022.

The past two Conferences have seen some serious challenges from Covid-19, but have also revealed some exciting new opportunities for the future. In-person attendance was impossible in 2020 and down some in 2021. BUT virtual attendance was very well received. 2021 had over 300 remote attendees. Groups of up to 50 women assembled in their home congregations to be "at Conference." A missionary in Minnesota used the event as an outreach to the community. We believe the possibility of sharing the excitement of an in-person event with multiple host sites is a thrilling idea.

As a result, we are rethinking how we have done Conference for the past 15 years and how to improve on this great ministry. To give us time to do it right, we have decided NOT to hold Conference in April 2022, but take a pause and move WWWG to the fall.

If you have comments or input that might guide us, please send them to office@northsidecoc.org.

Please bear with us during this time of adjustment and count on future announcements very soon!

—WWWG Leadership Conference Team

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Kevin Dodds—27th Sherry Kline—27th

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Kody Wartick—4th Daniel Garver—4th

Emma Dillon—4th Rex Harris—7th

Ed Newberry—8th Harry Ricke—9th

Jeanne Harris—10th Carol Norris—11th

Sandy Albin—19th Wade Colwell—19th

Deanna Garver—20th Jill DeJarnett—22nd

Sarah Bradbury—22nd Rita Carroll—23rd

Paisley Pierce—24th Chuck Cole—26th

Linda Wartick—27th Jennifer Hines—28th

Darlene Cooney—30th Leroy Lewis—30th

CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

August

August 22—Volunteer Needed! August 29—Volunteer Needed!

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK

Necessary Teaching

In the last public teaching that Jesus did before he was crucified, much of his teaching was denouncing the teaching of the scribes and Pharisees.

In Matthew chapter 23, the bulk of the chapter is Jesus' warning about the scribes and Pharisees and then a direct confrontation of them regarding the many ways in which they were leading others astray.

Today, if someone criticizes someone who is religious and sincere, the one criticizing is met with the harshest condemnation. They are called unkind, judgmental and it's often said they practice hate speech.

There is a fine line to walk. We must not be overly critical of a person, but of sin. But loving the sinner and hating the sin is an artform – one that takes practice.

I would encourage you to read specific Biblical instances where confrontations are taking place between righteous and unrighteous people. Observe how Jesus confronted sin while calling sinners to himself, offering grace and hope while at the same time not accepting sin.

To truly love someone is not to keep silent regarding their sin, but to lovingly seek a way to teach that their sin is unacceptable to God and then give the good news that God is ready and willing to forgive their sin if they'll but turn away from it and unto God.

In other words, it's a necessary teaching to first teach the bad news before we can teach the good news. Before I knew I was a sinner, I didn't know that I needed to be saved from anything.

I remember my own experience well. It must have been very difficult for those who taught me to teach me that I was a sinner who needed a savior, but if they wouldn't have, I wouldn't be here today.

And neither would you. God bless those who teach what is necessary, who don't shrink from the truth, but teach and preach the whole gospel, which is really the only true gospel there is.

Much love!

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PRAYER LIST:

Shirley Stoner—remains hospitalized and continues to need our daily prayers.

Others on the prayer list: Marya Young, Russell Day, Lonnie Bennett, Helen Norris, Kendall Brundage, Duane McKinney, Larry Helton, Joe Brown, Connie Morris, Melinda Miller, Hailee Moyer

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY

We express our deepest sympathy to Linda Wartick and her family. Linda's mother, Peggy Rose, passed away August 11 in Wellington. Keep this family in your prayers.

We express our deepest sympathy to Bob and Beth Brownlee on the death of their grandson, Zack Rayl. Zack passed away on Tuesday. Keep Bob and Beth in your prayers.

CARPENTER PLACE & WESTVIEW BOYS HOME

We have sacks for Carpenter Place and Westview Boys Home in the foyer and by the west door. Westview Boys Home will be here within a couple of weeks of Carpenter Place. Bags will be in the foyer. Carpenter Place has a pink list and Westview Boys Home has a blue list. If you are feeling adventurous, grab one of each! There will be a table down front to sit your grocery sacks on.

Have bags here by:

Carpenter Place: Wednesday, September 15th

Westview Boys Home: Sunday, October 3rd

WALKING THE DOG

A woman was flying from Seattle to San Francisco. Unexpectedly, the plane was diverted to Sacramento. A flight attendant explained that there would be a delay, and if the passengers wanted to get off the aircraft the plane would reboard in fifty minutes.

Everybody got off except one lady who was blind. A man had noticed her as he walked by and could tell she was blind because her guide dog lay quietly underneath the seat in front of her. He could also tell she had flown this flight before because the pilot approached her and called her by name, saying, "Kathy, we are in Sacramento for almost an hour. Would you like to get off and stretch your legs?" She said, "No thanks, but maybe Buddy would like to stretch his legs." All the people in the gate area came to a standstill when they saw the pilot walk off the plane with a guide dog for the blind! Even worse, he was wearing sunglasses. People scattered. Some not only tried to change planes but also airlines!

Takeaways: Always be kind to those with special needs, and remember, things are not always as they seem.

"A merry heart does good."

Proverbs 17:22

DO NOT QUIT! *Somebody is praying for you and you will get through this.*

The Last Week, Part 12: False Teachers Woes
Matthew 23:13-33

Outline:

Woes:

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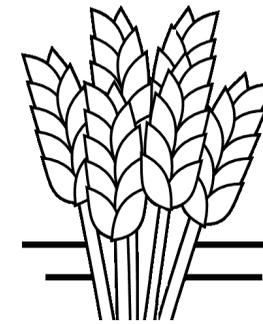
Notes:

THOSE WHO SERVE

SUNDAY A.M.	22-Aug 2021	29-Aug 2021	05-Sept 2021
Elder in Charge	T. Norris	T. Norris	R. Harris
Opening Prayer	B. Turney	L. Lewis	B. Turney
Song Leader	R. Harris	R. Harris	D. Pierce
Communion Prayer	N. Bradbury	T. Norris	K. Dodds
Contribution Prayer & Collection	P. Dodds K. Dodds N. Bradbury	P. Dodds K. Dodds T. Norris	A. Shields W. Pierce K. Dodds
Ushers	J. Rayl L. Helton	J. Rayl L. Helton	A. Hines D. Carroll
Closing Prayer	T. Norris	T. Norris	R. Harris
Deacon in Charge	A. Hines	A. Hines	L. Lewis
SUNDAY A.M.	12-Sept 2021	19-Sept 2021	26-Sept 2021
Elder in Charge	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris
Opening Prayer	M. Neal	M. Kline	L. Lewis
Song Leader	D. Pierce	D. Pierce	D. Pierce
Communion Prayer	E. Newberry	N. Bradbury	M. Kline
Contribution Prayer & Collection	A. Shields W. Pierce E. Newberry	A. Shields W. Pierce N. Bradbury	A. Shields W. Pierce M. Kline
Ushers	A. Hines D. Carroll	A. Hines D. Carroll	A. Hines D. Carroll
Closing Prayer	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris
Deacon in Charge	L. Lewis	L. Lewis	L. Lewis

ELDERS	Rex Harris Ed Newberry	Marvin Kline Tom Norris
DEACONS	Kevin Dodds Leroy Lewis David Pierce	Aaron Hines Mike Neal Alan Shields
MINISTER	Wes LeFlore	

SCHEDULE OF SERVICE	
<i>Sunday</i>	
Bible Classes.....	9:30 a.m.
Worship.....	10:30 a.m.
<i>Wednesday</i>	
Ladies Bible Class...	9:30 a.m.
Bible Class.....	7:00 p.m.



“Reaching Inward, Outward
 Upward, Downward”

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 22, 2021

Call to Worship

Song #121 “Come Let Us All Unite to Sing”

Song “All to Us”

Prayer

Song #461 “Be Not Dismayed Whate’er Betide”

Song #922 “Jesus Paid it All”

Communion Prayers

Contribution Prayer

Contribution Collection

Lesson

Song “Just As I Am (I Come Broken)”

Prayer

Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children’s Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the Fellowship Room for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.