

# CROSSTALK

MARCH 1, 2015

THE MISSION OF UPC IS TO *EXALT* (UPWARD) OUR GOD AND OUR KING, JESUS CHRIST IN WORSHIP, TO *EXPAND* (OUTWARD) CHRIST'S KINGDOM IN LAS CRUCES, THE BORDER AREA AND THE WORLD, AND TO *EDIFY* (INWARD) HIS PEOPLE IN WORD AND FELLOWSHIP.

## CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

### SUNDAY, MARCH 1

Discipleship 9:00 AM  
Worship 10:00 AM

### MONDAY, MARCH 2

Ladies Bible Study 7:00 PM

### TUESDAY, MARCH 3

Milagro Men's Group 6:30 AM  
Bible Study Fellowship 6:55 PM  
(Mens & Womens)

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

Corporate Prayer 6:30 PM  
Evangelism Explosion 6:30 PM  
Kids For Christ 6:30 PM  
Youth Group 6:30 PM

### THURSDAY, MARCH 5

Women's Bible Study 9:30 AM

### SATURDAY, MARCH 7

Men's Bible Study 9:00 AM

## MEMORY VERSE

He entered Jericho and was passing through. And behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus. He was a chief tax collector and was rich. And he was seeking to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was small in stature. So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was about to pass that way. And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today." So he hurried and came down and received him joyfully. And when they saw it, they all grumbled, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner." And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor. And if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I restore it fourfold." And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost." **Luke 19:1-10 (ESV)**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### CHURCH PRAYER REQUESTS

- Pray for our expectant moms, Diane Hurd, Kirsten Rawson, Janet Blair, Rebecca Felix, Jane Lynham, Jessica Barrett, Lindsey Potts, Emily Bois, Darcee Moon, and Melissa Pennington.
- Pray for Thank you for your prayers for the Emerick and Linden Families as they grieve the losses of Sara and Shirley. Pray for those traveling after the services, for the details that remain to be cared for, and for God's comfort to be very known.

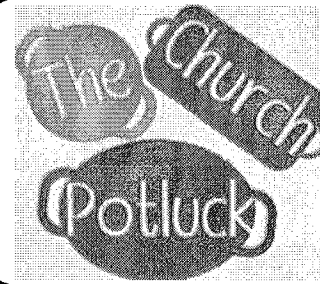
### PRAYER FAMILIES FOR THE WEEK

- Amy Russell, Randal & Ann Russell (*Brian, Quincy, Ashley, Daniel*), Roger Ruth

### MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

- CROSSTOWN

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Church Potluck Today!

Everyone is invited to come to our potluck after the Worship Service today!!

### NOMINATIONS FOR UPC OFFICERS

There is a blue box on the CrossTalk/bulletin table in the foyer of the sanctuary with nomination slips for Elder and Deacon. If you would like to make a nomination for elder or deacon, please take a slip, prayerfully read the requirements for the offices (on one side) and write nominations on the other side. Nominations will be taken for the next 2 Sundays; March 1st and 8th. Nominations may also be emailed to Patrick Tebbano at pntebbano@hotmail.com.

### LADIES PAINTING CLASS

Ladies, Save the date if you'd like to join us for a fun time of painting! We will be doing a simple acrylic painting on canvas on March 14, gathering at 9:00 AM. Lunch will be provided. Remember, our theme this year is 'Courage', so break out of your comfort zone and come fellowship, laugh, and explore the creative gifts God has blessed you with. If you have questions, please talk to Shari Verburg.

## Congratulations

to Blaine and Joy Mynatt on the birth of their son, *Anchor James!*

He was born on Friday, February 27 at 1:29 AM and was 8 lbs, 1oz and 18 1/2 inches long. Baby and mom are doing well!

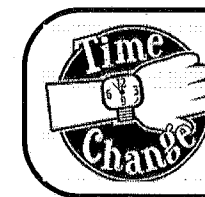


### UPCOMING EVENTS

Easter Week Celebrations, April 2-5  
Maundy Thursday Meal/Communion, April 2  
Beginning of Prayer Vigil, April 2  
Good Friday Service, April 3 (A joint service with Grace Covenant Church)  
Easter, April 5; Prayer Vigil ends at 8:00 AM  
Fellowship between Worship Services

### CROSSTALK DEADLINE

If you have any announcements or scheduled meetings, for the Crosstalk, leave a message at 522-0828, or email info to Deborah at debmiguez@gmail.com. Please get info in by the end of Wednesday. Thank you!



**Reminder: Daylight Savings Time is Sunday, March 8th! Move your clocks forward one hour.**

### MVCS VISITOR'S NIGHT

Mesilla Valley Christian Schools will hold a Campus Visitor's Night on Monday, March 9th at 6:00 p.m. This is a night for parents with prospective Kinder-12th grade students (for the 2015-16 school year) to learn about our curriculum and Christian school philosophy. Come see what MVCS is all about! 3850 Stern Drive. For more information, please call 525-8515.