

CROSSTALK

MARCH 27, 2011

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 27

Sunday School 9:00 AM
Worship 10:00 AM

MONDAY, MARCH 28

Ladies Bible Study 7:00 PM

TUESDAY, MARCH 29

Milagro Men's Group 6:30 AM
BSF 6:55 PM
Men's Bible Study 7:00 PM
RUF 8:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30

Ladies Bible Study 9:30 AM
Congregational Prayer 6:30 PM
Pioneer Club 6:30 PM
Mid High Youth 6:30 PM
Senior High Youth 6:30 PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 2

Men's Group 9:00 AM
Picnic and Planting Party 10:30 AM

SUNDAY, APRIL 3

Sunday School 9:00 AM
Worship 10:00 AM

PRAYER REQUESTS

CHURCH PRAYER REQUESTS

- The FMC building process is moving forward; pray for its completion to the glory of God.
- Pray for the continued strength and health of those young at heart and for those who care for them, Louise Anderson, Francine Bell, Patty Duke, Sara Emerick, Betty Hippo, Alice Landis, Betty Meiners, Nelvy Siebersma.

PRAYER FAMILIES FOR THE WEEK

- Debbie Ruth, Roger and Ilona Ruth, Ken & Michelle Sanders (*Hannah, Marrah, Joseph, Aaron*)

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

- Mission to North America

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS!

Steve & Jo Barrett are thrilled to announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah, to Kevin Hartzell!

They have been classmates at Covenant College since their freshmen year and graduate together May 7th. Thank you for your prayers as they plan their life together; beginning with a wedding sometime in the very near future.

PIONEER CLUB "PARENT NITE"

On March 30th, we will have a "Parent Nite" from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in front of the A-frame. We will eat subs, drink suds, and roast s'mores! Come for food, games, and fun!

COPIES OF THE SERMONS

If you would like a copy of the sermon any Sunday, please check with the sound booth. You can bring your flash/thumb drive and they'll copy it there for you or if you would like a CD (\$2.00), please come to the church office with your requests. It's also available on the www.upres.com website as an MP3.

REPORT FROM THE TREASURER

Our general fund totals for the months of Jan. and Feb. 2011 are as follows:

Income	\$65,513
Expenses	58,485
Budget	65,347

In addition, designated giving totaled \$12,834. Of that total, \$9,284 was given toward the Building Fund. Thank you for generously and sacrificially supporting the work of the church.

PICNIC AND PLANTING PARTY!

Ladies, we hope you can join us for a Picnic and Planting Party on Saturday, April 2nd, 10:30 a.m. at UPC!

Our Guest Speaker will be Dr. Richard Heerema. He will be speaking to us on the topic of "Rooted in Grace for a life of growth". After our picnic and lecture, we will be planting a tree (and hopefully some flowers) by the front entrance of UPC. Please dress appropriately for digging and playing in the dirt. Children are most welcome!

Food will be provided for our picnic, however we do need to know how many to plan for lunch, so please let us know if you are joining us! Please contact Trisha Hunter @ 522-4476 or dandthunter@q.com. RSVP by March 30th.

CROSSTALK DEADLINES

If you have any announcements or scheduled meetings, for the Crosstalk, leave a message at 522-0828, fax to 522-0175 or email info to Deborah at crosstalk@upres.com Please get information in by the end of Wednesday.

The Ark

NURSERY SCHEDULE

MARCH 27

Sunday School

Infant & Toddler:: Chris & Betsy Hoxworth

Worship Service

Infants:: Steve Kirby, Applehelen Kirby

Toddlers:: Chris & Betsy Hoxworth

APRIL 3

Sunday School

Infant & Toddler:: Blaine & Joy Mynatt

Worship Service

Infants:: Susan Pickett

Toddlers:: Blaine & Joy Mynatt