

April 22, 2018



## Real Life News & Notes

*A Relevant, Serving, Growing Family of Jesus followers*

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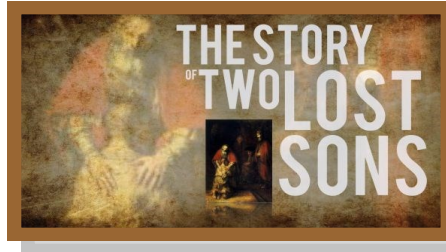
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#### Elder Of Month

David Scheuerman

## Our Gathering Today



### Welcome Guests!

Thank you for being with us! May you be spiritually fed and encouraged this morning by our simple gathering in the name of Jesus Christ as we sing, pray, share communion, encourage each other and open the Word of God together. Please enjoy the coffee, juice and donuts you will find in the fellowship hall. \*\*View our web site at [grandjunctionchurch.org](http://grandjunctionchurch.org) and Face Book page **Church of Christ of Grand Junction** to discover a little more about us.

### Feeding on the Word!

After 28 sermons we draw to a close our study in Dr. Luke's gospel and we return to that well known trilogy of "**lost and found**" parables in chapter 15. We will consider this text from a different perspective focusing on the theme of "**wholeness and reunion**" that God is relentlessly working to restore in us, in families, in the body of Christ. I enjoy and am blessed to open God's word with you each Sunday as we gather together!

**Agape Meal Next Sunday!!** - Invite a friend and join us in the PIT right after our Gathering for a fellowship meal (Meat provided by Eddie. Bring side dishes, desserts and lawn chairs).

**No strangers!** - Meet someone new or one whose name you don't know this morning...likely they don't know your name either. Come on, you can do it! :-)

**"Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God."** Corrie ten Boom

## Love One Another!

Memory Verse For March: Numbers 6:26

"The Lord watch over you and give you peace."



**Dear Church,**

I received the below email from **Dale Wright** last week. He and **Isaac** were scheduled to return late last night (Saturday) from their trip to encourage and film segments of Scott and Lisa Harris' mission work in Mozambique. Also, **John and Holy Cooper** returned home this past week from encouraging the church in Aviano, Italy.

Thanks to those willing to leave the comforts of home and to those who remain behind and support our many efforts to spread the Kingdom of God as we share the good news of Jesus here and abroad! - Doug

**Hi Doug, Elders and Church Family,**

I want to give you an update on Isaac and I and our work in Mozambique. We have shot a great deal of videos in a number of locations and have seen disease and unspeakable poverty. The story is coming through about God's love for his people and how Scott and Lisa are being used by our Lord to accomplish His will here in Inhambane and Maputo. We are half way through the trip and it is already a life changing experience for both of us.

Today was Isaac's birthday and an African singing group sang happy birthday to him.

We had two fun encounters with children today. The first bunch of 6 lived with their grandmother because their parents died of HIV. They live in grass huts with openings for doors. She recently had a stroke and cannot walk or move the right side of her body. She continues to care for them with the help of Scott and Lisa who brings them food. You can see the video footage when we get home. They had fun running around with Isaac as he shot video with the glide cam.

The second group of children live by the bay beside the water, so close the water comes into their houses when it is windy. Their families built up a place to put their houses on by using trash and sand. We delivered food to families that attend the church. The children had a good time posing for the cameras and then seeing themselves in the screen.

We miss you all a great deal and are looking forward to seeing you in one week. Keep us in your prayers so that we can get the work done God sent us here to do. You are in our prayers always.

Love, Dale and Isaac Wright

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Welcome!

Robert and Linda Gallaher have placed membership with our church family. We are so blessed by their presence. Their address is:

737 Hall St.  
Fruita, CO 81521

### Creative Christian Art Guild

Meets today in Fellowship Hall at 1 PM. Project will be "Fairies".

### Senior Sunday

#### **Tonight**

at 6 pm, we will celebrate our 2018 graduating seniors. Please bring a finger food to share (cake provided) and come wish these three amazing young'uns well as they complete high school and begin a new chapter in life

. Graduates and their favorite colors are:

- Mr. Ryan Fleming (purple and black)
- Mr. Alex Hoffman (orange)
- Miss Reese Norton (teal)

### Barbecue April 29, 2018

We will have a barbecue here on April 29. The church will furnish the meat and everyone else bring side dishes and desserts. See Eddie or Vickie Tinkle with questions.

### Delta 5th Sunday Singing

April 29, 2018 starting at 3 PM, Thunder Mtn. COC, Delta.

Charlie Delong is planning to go to Delta right after our barbecue to attend this event. If anyone would like to go with him, he will be taking the van. See Charlie with questions.

### VBS 2018

Please mark your calendars for this year's Vacation Bible School! It will be a **1-Day VBS!** When: Saturday, June 2nd, 2018 from 9:30 am -4:30 pm (Lunch provided). Please let us know if you're interested in helping out. We still need lots of help to make this happen. Thank you!"

### Baby Dedication

*Sunday May 13th (Mother's Day) will be our annual baby dedication when we pray over and ask God to protect and guide our children as they grow in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord". Parents with new babies in the last year or your child is two years old or under and you have not participated, please plan on signing up. A sign up sheet is in the foyer. See Bree Yeager with questions.*

### Prayer Request

Josh Vigil is asking for prayers and letters please. He is presently incarcerated at the Mesa County Jail until May 30th for sentencing. He would appreciate some encouraging words. If you would like to write to him, his address is:

Josh Vigil, % Mesa County Jail, PO Box 20000-5017, GJ, CO 81502

### Coffee Can Ministry Needs

We are in need of plastic 3 lb. coffee cans.

Travel size shampoo, Travel size conditioner, Travel size deodorant Chapstick, Small nail Clippers, Travel size tooth paste, Toothbrushes Small flashlights, Individual packets of bug repellent

### Pantry Items Needed

Cereal, Crackers, Peanut Butter

Norma Churchman is desperately looking for a dependable used car. If you have a one or know someone who has one please contact Norma Churchman or Chuck Tourney.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please keep the following in your prayers this week. Thank you and God bless you and those you pray for.

Pray for Ron Wilson as he is still having some issues with fever and chills. They haven't yet figured out what is causing them. Pray for them to find out and treat it. Pray for his comfort and healing and pray for Kay.

Pray for David Moore who fell and broke his hip. He has had surgery, pray for a quick and complete recovery and for his comfort during this time of healing.

Pray for the American minister who is in prison in Turkey whose trial for being a terrorist (for preaching Christ) is going on now. If found guilty, he could spend 35 years in prison. His family have lived & preached there for years. Pray that he will be released and allowed to go home. Pray for his comfort and peace of mind and for his family.

Prayers of thanksgiving for all the prayers that have been answered recently for those who have had various health issues and illness....many are improved and/or well now. and those who have been traveling are home safely.

Continue to pray for Verlyn and Theresa Mathews, the Deister family as Genie is in her final days, as well as those with ongoing health issues.

Pray for our nation, our president and advisers, the world leaders, and all who are in decision making positions. Pray they will turn to God for guidance in all they do. Pray for our nation to repent and return to God. Pray for His will to be done in all things.

Pray for the upcoming VBS and the summer camp this summer...and those who will be working on these events.

Pray for Tyler, Jerimy, and Joshua who are incarcerated to turn to God and for God to help them get their lives turned around to be in accordance with His will.

## Huddles:

May 6<sup>th</sup> – Our first ever pUddle. (mash-up of Huddle in the pit!) Hosted by the Wilkins.

May 20<sup>th</sup> - @ the Hill's (Bo & Jenna). 3131 Applewood St.

WE NEED HOSTS! Contact Lesa Brassette and sign up to host today!



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## For the Record

April 15, 2018

Attendance	254
Weekly Contributions 4/15/18	\$4,324.00
Contribution 4 week average	\$6,504.50
Weekly Budget	\$6,521.00

## Communion Preparation—April

Pete & Rebecca Franklin

## Communion Table 4/22/18

Neal Schultz

## Honored to Serve the Lord's Table in April

Ed Seela  
Neal Schultz  
Leonard Silence  
Ben Skogen  
James Soria  
Ryan Smith  
Gabriele Terraglia  
Eddie Tinkle

## Announcements—April

April 15, 22, 29—Vince Urbina

## Sunday Morning Adult Classes—9:00 AM—9:45 AM

Tom Deister	Auditorium
Rick Wilkins	103
Sara Tourney, Facilitator, Young Professionals	213
Sandra Soria, Sign Language Class	207

## Sunday Morning Children's Classes

Cradle Roll—Birth to 2	Nursery
2 & 4 Year Old	104
Pre KK, Kindergarten	205
1st & 2nd Grade	209
3rd thru 5th Grade	208
Middle School	203
High School	203

## Wednesday Evening Bible Classes 7—7:45 PM

Roy Karo	Auditorium
Singing Class	Library

## Wednesday Evening Children's Bible Study

2 & 5 yr. old	104
Kindergarten 1st & 2nd	205
1st thru 5th Grade	208
All teens meet in	203

## Thursday Morning Bible Classes

Thursday Bible School 9:30 AM—1 PM Thursdays  
Ladies Bible Class, - 9:30 AM Rm. 103

**Sunday Morning Bible Classes Begin at 9 AM**  
**Sunday Morning Fellowship Time 9:45 AM—10:15 AM**  
**Sunday Morning Assembly Begins at 10:15 AM**  
**Sunday Evening Small Group meets at 5 PM In Fellowship Hall**  
**Wednesday Evening Bible Study Begins at 7 PM**