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# Real Life News & Notes

*Patterson Road church of Christ*

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

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## **Continuing When You Can't**

There are times in all of our lives when it seems we just can't keep going. Even Jesus once said, "My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death" (Matthew 26:38). How do we continue when we feel like we can't? Those of you who were here this past Wednesday night will recall this as our topic of discussion then. Over the past 9 weeks we have been looking at the life of Joseph and seen how he dealt with overwhelming challenges. Wednesday nights are a good time to re-group and be refreshed in God's Spirit. Let's be reminded of three things that can help us when we are discouraged.

**God's promise-** There is a promise found in I Corinthians 13:10 that can help us when we are really feeling down. "No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it."

**Godly examples-** The fact that other people have been able to overcome overwhelming obstacles is an encouragement to us that we can too. Hebrews 11 is a chapter filled with people of faith who are listed to show us that we, like them, can overcome. The next chapter begins with these words, "Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart."

**God's reward-** What's in it for me? What do I hope to attain? What was the "joy set before" Jesus? What was the goal of the people of faith in Hebrews 11? "All these people were still living by faith when they died. They did not receive the things promised; they only saw them and welcomed them from a distance, admitting that they were foreigners and strangers on earth. People who say such things show that they are looking for a country of their own. If they had been thinking of the country they had left, they would have had opportunity to return. Instead, they were longing for a better country—a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared a city for them." (Hebrews 11:1-16).

It's worth the trip, John Cooper

## **Memory Verse For June—1 John 3:1**

**"How great is the love the Father has lavished on us."**

## ***OUR GATHERING TODAY***

**Sermon:** John McCoy is here interviewing this weekend for our Interim Youth Minister position and will preach for us this morning. We are happy to have John and Ashley with us from Louisiana. May we be challenged, blessed and encouraged by God's living word and our time together this morning!

**Guests:** Thank you for being here! We hope you feel welcome and find our assembly to be a blessing and encouragement to help you closely follow Jesus this week. Please let us greet you and know how we might pray for you or otherwise serve you. **If you embrace Jesus as Lord then we embrace you as our fellow Kingdom travelers and invite you to share in communion with us as it is passed to you today.** Please enjoy the gift bread and fill out the card and place it in the offering tray.

**Video series:** Plan to join us this Wednesday night at 7pm as we begin a challenging 8 week series on idolatry by Kyle Idleman entitled "gods at war". We will watch a 15-20 minute video each week and then open God's word and discuss the challenges of fixing our hearts on God alone.

***"Love One Another!"***

### Honduras Mission

The Honduran mission effort is coming up in July. **We are collecting tooth paste, tooth brushes and Ibuprofen** to take with us. There will be a collection box in the lobby until Sunday June 29th. If you have questions, see Mike Hughes.

### VBS Volunteer Meeting

Thursday, June 26, at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall, there will be a planning meeting for volunteers helping with VBS. We are still in need of a number of helpers, especially tour guides for the kids' groups. Please join us if you can and ask Lesa Brassette about it if you can't be there. (Forms are on the table in the fellowship for those able to volunteer.)

### Camp Scholarships

We are continuing to accept camp scholarships for camp on the Grand Mesa June 15—June 21.

### News From Grand Mesa Camp

Work day on the Mesa June 14 (Saturday) The day will begin around 9:00 a.m. and continue until about 4:00 p.m. Bring a sack lunch and dress appropriately to be working in the snow. If you need additional information, see Brian Peacock

### Youth Minister Search Committee

A committee has been formed to accomplish the task of finding a new youth minister. Should you have questions or comments about the process or progress, please feel free to contact one of us! The committee: Mark & Lesa Brassette, Ann Bricker, David & Stephanie Cooper, David Downey, Curtis & Keri Fleming, Bobby & Sheri Heath, Craig & Elaine Roberts, Jimmie Tidwell, and Eddie Tinkle.

### Fellowship Meal with the McCoys

Today there will be a meal for the whole congregation at the building following our morning worship service. Hamburgers, hot dogs, and buns will be provided. You are asked to please bring side dishes and desserts. Come and meet John and Ashley McCoy and show them our warm, Colorado, Christian hospitality!

### Youth Group Huddle

There will be a huddle tonight at the home of Craig and Elaine Roberts (2950 Pheasant Run Circle; 81506). The youth group and their families are invited to come as John McCoy will share a devotional with us. Frito pies are on the menu. You are asked to bring desserts and drinks.

### Camp Physicals

if campers haven't had a physical for camp yet they can get a physical Wednesday night, June 11, beginning a 7 p.m. at the building.

### Empty Nesters

The Empty Nester ladies will be meeting for lunch at Olive Garden on Thursday June 19th at 11:30 AM. RSVP to Sherry Crowe—256-1127.

### Art Guild Work Day

The Art Guild will have a work day on June 12 to gather accessories for the foyer and on June 13 they will be assembling them in the foyer. Work starts at 10 AM. Thank you to all who have been helping with this project.

### Ice Cream!!!!

Ice cream social in Pit on June 22 at 6 PM. Bring your favorite ice cream and/or desert.

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## For the Record

June 1, 2014  
Attendance (count not taken) 261  
Average Attendance, 4th qtr. 261  
Contributions \$9,052.12  
Budget \$6,726.00

## Communion Preparation—June

Tom & Kathy Deister

## Communion Table 6/8/14

Wes Yeager

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

Rick Wilkins  
Ron Wilson  
Jeff Yeager  
Wes Yeager  
Hunt Zumwalt  
Robert Allen  
Karl Antwine  
Jeremy Antwine

Announcements: Curtis Fleming—June  
Ron Wilson—July  
Scott Ferguson—August

## Sunday Morning Worship begins at 10:15 AM

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

Tom Deister—Auditorium  
Young Adult (Under 30)—Room 207  
Bob & Bobby Heath, O.T. Survey—202

### Wednesday Evening Adult Classes—7– 8 PM

Doug Clayton—Auditorium

### Sunday Morning Children's Classes

Cradle Roll—Birth to 2—Nursery  
2 & 3 yr. old—104  
Pre KK, Kindergarten—205  
1st & 2nd Grade—209  
3rd thru 5th Grade—208  
Middle School—213  
High School—203

### Wednesday Evening Children's Bible Study

2 & 4 yr. old—104  
Kindergarten 1st & 2nd—205  
3rd thru 5th Grade—208  
All teens meet in—203

## Sunday Morning Worship at Mesa View Retirement Center Starts At 10 A.M.

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|--------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Jun 8  | Jerry Austin, Scott Delancy | Mt. 7:24-27, Lk 6:47-49            |
| Jun 15 | Chuck Tourney, Hunt Zumwalt | Mt. 9:16-17, Mk 2:21-22, Lk 5:36   |
| Jun 22 | Bud Treu, Mike Hurd         | Mt. 13:1-8, 18-23, Lk 8:5-8, 11-15 |
| Jun 29 | Bill Barslund, Sandy Harris | Mt. 13:24-30, 36-43                |
| Jul 6  | Jerry Austin, Scott Delancy | Mt. 13:31-32, Mk 4:3-8             |
| Jul 13 | John Cooper, Dave Scheurman | Mt 13:33, Lk 13:20-21,             |
| Jul 20 | Chuck Tourney, Hunt Zumwalt | Mt. 13:44-46                       |
| Jul 27 | Bud Treu, Mike Hurd         | Mt. 13:47-52                       |
| Aug 3  | Bill Barslund, Sandy Harris | Mt. 18:12-14, Lk. 15:3-7           |
| Aug 10 | Jerry Austin, Scott Delancy | Lk.15:8-10                         |
| Aug 17 | John Cooper, Dave Scheurman | Lk. 15:11-32                       |
| Aug 24 | Chuck Tourney, Hunt Zumwalt | Mt. 18:23-25                       |
| Aug 31 | Bud Treu, Mike Hurd         | Mt. 20:1-6                         |
| Sept 7 | Bill Barslund, Sandy Harris | Mt. 21:28-32                       |

Service begins at 10:00 am on Sunday mornings at the Mesa View Retirement Center. Visitors welcome.