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Real Life News & Notes

A Relevant, Serving, Growing Family of Jesus followers



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Our Gathering Today



Feeding on the Word!

Dr. Luke #9: "Go IN peace!" Luke challenges us to see three different hearts in this story: The **Pharisee** named Simon, the **sinful woman**, and the **"others."** Which are you? As we finish chapter 7 this morning we are invited to a dinner party, an event Dr. Luke uses to teach us more about who Jesus is and more about ourselves. May we be fed, nourished and strengthened by the power of the Living Word :-)

Welcome Guests!

Thank you for being with us this morning!

(Please help yourself to coffee, juice, and donuts.)

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. We dismiss by about 11:30.

View our web site at grandjunctionchurch.org and **Face Book page **Church of Christ of Grand Junction** to discover a little more about us.

Thanks...

- To those who hosted guests, strangers, and **"angels unaware"** to Thanksgiving dinner this past Thursday!

- To all our **bashful minor celebrities** (Quilting ladies :-)) who got some good press this week from Channel 5. They continue to bless, warm and comfort our church, community and worldwide. (view the piece at westernslopenow.com)

- For being a **prayerful, serving** church!

Love One Another!

Memory Verse For November—1 Samuel 12:20

Serve the Lord with all your heart.

From the Shepherd's Pen



Due to technical difficulties, we were unable to print the Shepherd's article this week. We are working on it and we expect to have it for you next week.

Youth Corner

Upcoming Events and Activities:

December 22nd – Progressive Dinner. Planning is underway. Have some ideas? Feel free to email me your input!

December 31st – New Year's Eve Lock-in. We'll start with Pizza at 6pm. Bring your favorite games, snacks, and blankets!

Huddles:

No huddle tonight.

Next Huddle (and last for 2017) - ***December 5*** - at Kolby Turner's house

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Adult Class Schedule

(Starts Sunday Morning December 3)

Room 103—"Holy Spirit 101"-----Vince Urbina

Auditorium-"Swimming Upstream in a World that doesn't Care", Colossians-----Bill Wade

Room 213-----"Wisdom Discernment & Decision Making (Young Professionals)-----Tom Deister

(Starts Wednesday December 6)

Wednesday Eve. -"So the World May Know"—John Cooper

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**Pantry Needs (November & December)**

- Canned Vegetables (not Green Beans)
- Soups
- Canned fruit
- Canned meat (Tuna, Spam, etc).

**Over 60's Dinner**

The annual Over 60's Dinner takes place on Saturday, December 2. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 5:30 PM and a delicious dinner and wonderful fellowship follows. Thank you Eddie & Vickie Tinkle for always making this such a special evening.

**Empty Nester Christmas Party**

Saturday, December 9 at 6:00 pm. Each person should bring a white elephant gift. You must RSVP to Wilma Seela at 970-985-4726 by December 4 to get your food assignment.

**Mark your Calendars!**

College and Young Adult Christmas Party  
6:00 pm Saturday December 16, 2017  
Here at the church building

It's a Christmas Morning Party! We will eat breakfast for dinner, play games, and open presents. Feel free to wear your pajamas and we'll end the evening watching The Nativity Story. There will be Prizes!

What to bring? A White Elephant gift. Spending limit \$0...rules: you can't spend money and you can't steal it (Exodus 20:15)! Contact Alicia Tinkle or Sara Tourney for more information.

**Care Calendar Meals For Norma Herman**

**Go to carecalendar.org**  
**Calendar ID Code: 263383**  
**Security Code: 1148**

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please keep the following requests for prayer in your daily prayers, they are needed and important. Thank You for taking the time to bring them before our Father in Heaven. God Bless!

Please remember to thank God for all the prayers He has already answered and for all the other blessings we receive from His hand each day. Give him thanksgiving and praise, honor and glory for He is good, loving, merciful and has shown amazing grace to us all. And most of all because He is God, our Lord, King and Creator of all things...and we would be lost if not for His redeeming power.

Pray for Betsey Brown, who fell and is in the hospital. She has contracted C-Dif. Please pray for healing and comfort for her.

We have a number of people who have ongoing issues, as well as those who recently have had surgery.

- Julie Kissner and sister Teri Rauschenberg
- David Olree
- Diane Oliver
- Axel Winch
- Tim McClathery
- Melody Haight
- Howard Camp
- families who have lost loved ones recently
- 4 yr old cancer patient Cole
- Allen Ritchey
- Norma Herman
- Tom and Robin English
- Randy Brabec
- Ron Wilson
- Scott Hendricks
- Sheila Riley
- Bob Tucker
- Linda Klassan
- Shane Briggs'
- Verlyn and Theresa Mathews
- Bill Tidwell

Pray for God's will to be done in all things and for our responses to our world around us to be what God would have us say/do.

Pray we will do the work God planned for us before we existed and that our lives will bring glory to His name and extend His Kingdom here all over the planet.

Prayers of Thanksgiving as we all have so much to be thankful for, regardless of the circumstances we are in. God is with us and will see us through; and God is all we need!! Praise His name.

**Coffee Can Ministry Needs**

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|---------------|-----------------------|
| Flashlights   | Deodorant (Travel)    |
| 3A batteries  | Chapstick             |
| Socks (Adult) | Cocoa packets         |
| Knit gloves   | Tea Bags              |
| Knit hats     | Sanitizer Wipes packs |
| Band Aids     |                       |



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## For the Record

November 19, 2017

|                                      |                   |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Attendance</b>                    | <b>279</b>        |
| <b>Weekly Contributions 11/19/17</b> | <b>\$5,757.00</b> |
| <b>Contribution 4 week average</b>   | <b>\$6,926.11</b> |
| <b>Weekly Budget</b>                 | <b>\$6,521.00</b> |

## Communion Preparation—November

Ed & Wilma Seela

## Communion Table 11/26/17

Doyle Bradley

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

Preston Dixon  
David Downey  
Jason Evans  
Colton Fortney  
Scott Ferguson  
Zack Fleming  
Ryan Fleming  
Pete Franklin

## Announcements—November

Curtis Fleming

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

|                                                   |            |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Bob Heath                                         | Auditorium |
| None                                              | 103        |
| Michael Applebee                                  | 207        |
| Sara Tourney, Facilitator for College/Young Adult | 213        |

## 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

|                                |            |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Doug Clayton                   | Auditorium |
| Shirlene Caraway, Ladies Class | 103        |
| 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 Class begins at 5 PM In Fellowship Hall**  
**Wednesday Evening Bible Study Begins at 7 PM**