

The Fairfield church of Christ



SEPTEMBER 4, 2011

GREETINGS!

A heartfelt welcome to you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ .

The Fairfield Church of Christ is a body of Bible-believing Christians who strive to follow the Lord in all we do.

Our goal is to equip the saints here in body, soul, mind, and spirit from the cradle to glory.

SERVICE HOURS

Sunday 9:00 AM
Bible Classes for all ages

Worship

10:00 AM

Wednesday Night

7:00 PM

Small Groups meet throughout the week at various locations

COMING HOME

Homecoming by its very nature is nostalgic. It is a time to look back on things and think of how things were. We convince ourselves that the good old days were much better than today. In many ways they were better. In other ways, the so-called good old days had their trials as well.

I have attended a few church homecomings, high school homecomings, and other reunions, but in every case they were only a momentary respite from the realities of life. The past is what it is. Today is what we make it. Tomorrow will be the result of decisions made today.

The decisions we make today will either be decisions made that are in keeping with the will of God or decisions that are made that are selfish without any consideration of the will of God. The decisions of today will be the nostalgia of tomorrow.

There is another homecoming we should all long for. Paul wrote it about it Dwight <><

as follows, "We are of good courage, I say, and prefer rather to be absent from the body and to be at home with the Lord" (2 Corinthians 5:8).

Solomon wrote concerning death, "The dust will return to the earth as it was, and

the spirit will return to the Lord, who gave it" (Ecclesiastes 12:7). The part of us that makes us different from animals (Our soul and spirit) will one day return from whence it came.

There should be in all of us a tug to be at home with the Lord. That tug should ultimately move us to live

our lives in a way that is pleasing to the Lord.

Welcome home to Fairfield. This, though, is only a stop on our sojourn to be back with the Lord. When we all get to heaven, what a day of rejoicing that will be. When we all see Jesus, we'll sing and shout the victory.



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PRAYER LIST

Terri Wallacker—having a biopsy

Chris Gailey— the passing of her mother

Kym Thrower—family

Ferne Scott

Yolanda's Reed's grandmother

Regina Harrison's mother

Jean Cain's son, David

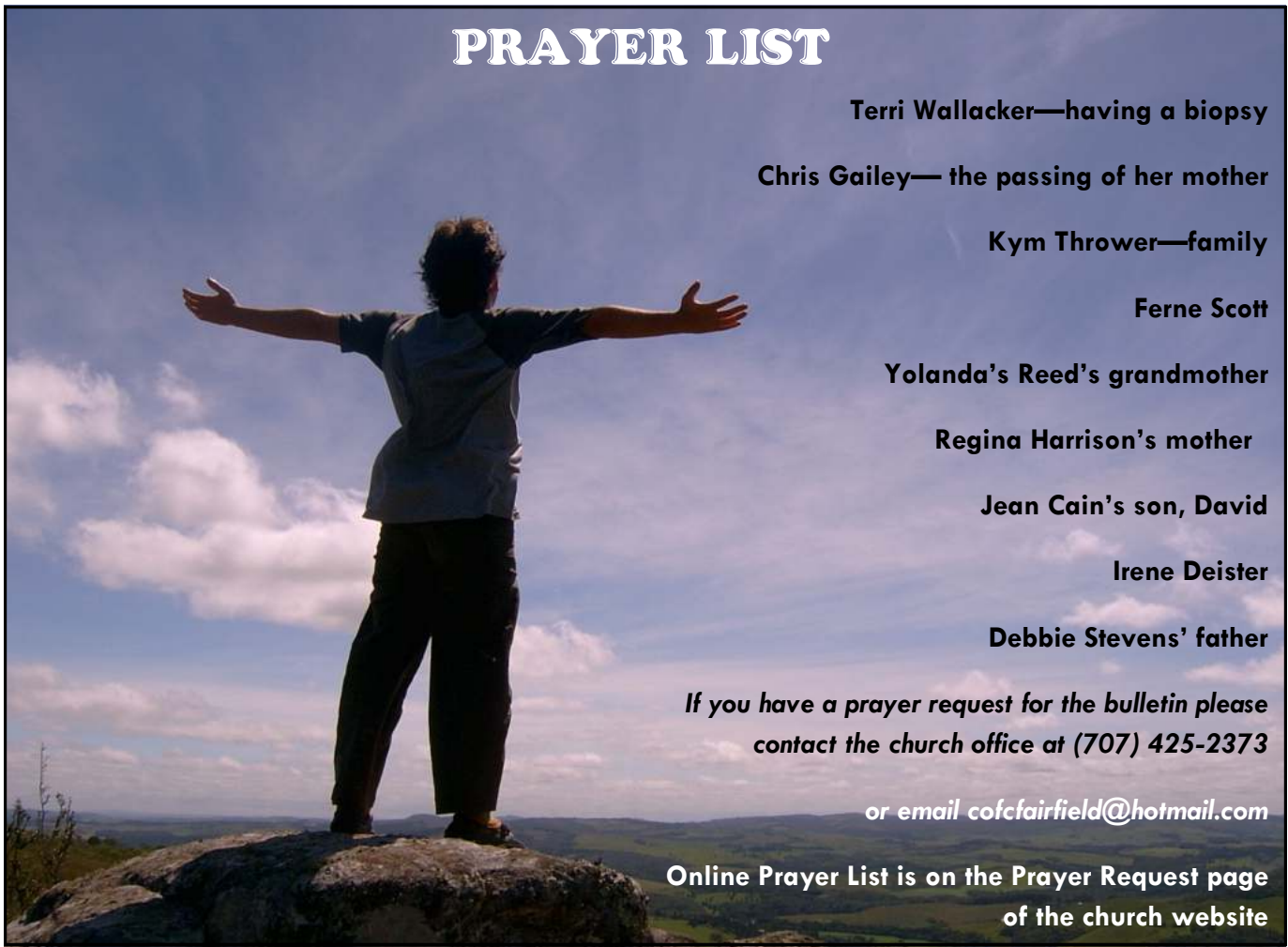
Irene Deister

Debbie Stevens' father

*If you have a prayer request for the bulletin please
contact the church office at (707) 425-2373*

or email cofcfairfield@hotmail.com

Online Prayer List is on the Prayer Request page
of the church website



PICTURE TIME IS COMING UP!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO UPDATE YOUR PICTURE FOR
THE PICTORIAL DIRECTORY IN THE LOBBY AND/OR THE
DIRECTORY ON THE CHURCH WEBSITE, PLEASE COME
TO THE CONFERENCE ROOM AFTER WORSHIP SERVICES
ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH OR THE 18TH.

NO PHOTOSHOPPING OR RETOUCHING OFFERED.

YOU ARE A BEAUTIFUL CREATION OF GOD!



**note: photographer's camera is slightly newer than the one pictured above*



We are in need of spaghetti, spaghetti
sauce, peanut butter, canned meats
(Spam[®], tuna etc.) and macaroni and
cheese

Thank You



BOOKMARK THE CHURCH WEBSITE

www.ffchurchofchrist.org

Keep current with church events!



POTLUCK We are indeed grateful to have all those who were able to attend the Church Homecoming here. We will enjoy a potluck immediately following services and all are invited to stay, share a meal, relax, and fellowship in the glory of the love of God.

LADIES DEVOTIONAL at the home of Gail Story on Friday, September 9th at 7:00 pm. All ladies are invited and may bring finger food if they wish. For more details contact Gail or Diana Perry



COMMUNITY MEAL & CLOTHING GIVEAWAY

Saturday, September 17th 11 AM-1 PM

TEEN MOVIE NIGHT

Saturday, September 17th 6 PM

“Soul Surfer”

Pizza, movie, discussion, fellowship

Greg and Yolanda Reed’s home



Sunday Morning Bible Class

Birth to 4 years old —Cradle Roll Room

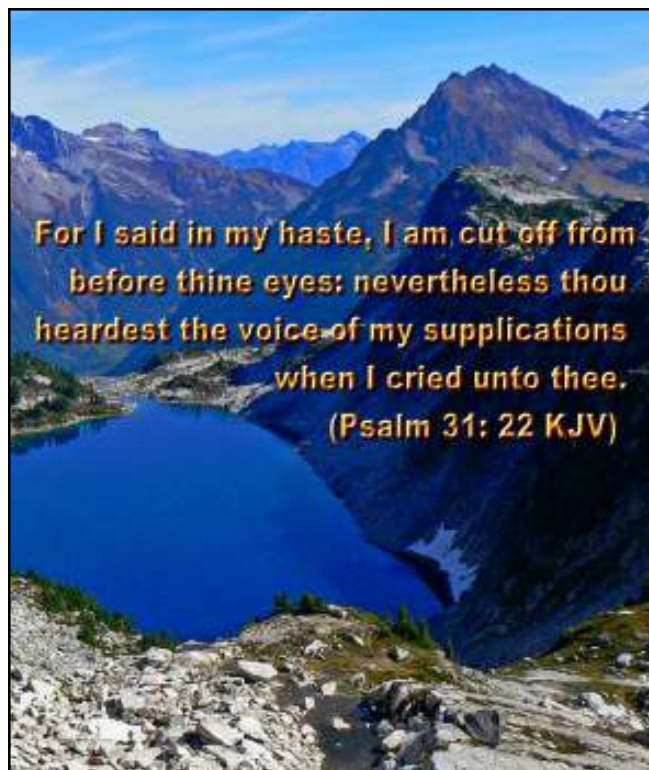
Kindergarten to 5th Grade—Portable 4

6th– to 12th Grade—Teen Room

Ladies—School Library

Gettin' Real Men's Group—Conference Room

Adult Class—Auditorium



Leadership Team: Robert Johnson, Mike Moshier, Dwight Perry, John Reed—Contact person for September: Bob

SMALL GROUPS TIMES AND LOCATION

- 1) Bezzerides meet following worship on Sunday at different houses. Contact Bezzerides for location
- 2) Moshier small group meets at 6:00 PM Sunday at Moshier home
- 3) Johnston small group meets at Roger and Carol Johnston home on Sunday night @ 6:00 PM
- 4) Perry small group meets at Perry home Sunday night 6:00 PM
- 5) Basic Christian Principles class meets at clubhouse of Chuck and Shirley Apple's home park on Tuesday night @6:00 PM
- 6) Reed group is forming, please see John or Renee Reed for details.
- 6) Teaching basic English using the gospel of John as the text meets Monday nights in the church conference room @ 7:00 PM.
- 7) World Bible School meets to assemble materials on Wednesday from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at the building
- 8) Men's group meets for lunch @ Jack and Linda's Restaurant @ the corner of North Texas and Air Base Parkway on Wednesday at 12 noon.



"And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony."—Colossians 3:14