

Riverside Reminder

March 10, 2024

"On the Sabbath we went outside the city gate to the river, where we expected to find a place of prayer..." (Acts 16:13)

Welcome to Riverside! We're so glad you're here!

Scripture for Today's Sermon:

"But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come." John 16:13

Those Serving March 10, 2024

Song Leader: Mike Jacobs **Opening Prayer: Crease Westfall** Lord's Supper: Tim O'Hearn/Joe Johnson Scripture Reading: Taylor Cain Closing Prayer: Ed McHenry

Birthdays This Week

March 10 - Joe Hodgson March 11 - Taylor Cain/Linda Hall March 14 - Lee Underwood March 16 - Michelle Burke/David Thompson



Our study of the book of JOHN continues. In preparation for next Sunday's lesson, please read John 19.

Christian Counseling Services Available -

We, as Riverside elders and ministers, find the advice of other godly people to be invaluable when we are faced with many of life's situations and choices. So we continue to offer confidential, biblical counseling to all our members, visitors and others; with the goal of helping all of us live according to God's Word. If you need help, please reach out to any of us.

OUR NEXT FAMILY NIGHT DEVOTIONAL:

will be on Wednesday night, March 20th, and it will involve a more interactive devotional to encourage everyone to come, be involved and participate with ALL the ages and generations.

SPIRITUAL EXPLOSION XXII April 12-14, 2024 THEME: "DISCIPLE"

You're invited to take part in all or part of our 22nd Youth Rally activities. We will be blessed to have Matt Clark from Renew Life Church, Lubbock, TX, as our keynote speaker; Best Friends from Lubbock Christian University as our worship leaders/entertainment; and many opportunities to enjoy sweet fellowship with brothers and sisters from across New Mexico. Contact: Jorel Johnson

Seniors' Ministries-

"Super Seniors"

Our Super Seniors enjoy the blessing of connection, fellowship and service! However, the next couple of months will be busy for a lot of us who will be helping with Riverside's upcoming Spiritual Explosion youth rally in April. So, we've decided to take a couple of months off from our regular luncheons. We'll resume in May. Watch for announcements, and y'all come! Please see Vickie Martinez or Mark & Dawn McKenzie for more information.

Ladies' Ministries-

Monday Bible Class

ALL ladies are welcome to join this group that meets Monday mornings, from 9:30 to 11:30. The class is currently meeting in Gail Rorabacher's home. Contact: Christy Riblett

Secret Sisters

"Secret Sisters is a ministry designed to glorify the Lord by lifting up sisters in Christ." The 2024 program will run now through June. It will be followed by "Not-So Secret Sisters" activities from July through December. Contact: Alyssea Johnson

Ladies' Praver Group

This group meets Fridays at 10am at the Fellowship House. Please feel free to join us for a time to lay our own requests before God and to pray for others and for the church. Also, anyone may submit prayer requests to them via the white box in the foyer. Prayer is powerful, especially where hearts are seeking God fully! Contacts: Belle Churchman and Elizabeth Cochrane

Young Adults' Ministries-

Please contact any of the young adults about upcoming events/activities.

Youth Ministries-

Youth Group (6th to 12th Graders) Please contact Jorel Johnson about upcoming events/activities.

Children's Ministries-

Children's Assembly

Children age 3 through Grade 3 are welcome to go upstairs before the sermon for their assembly.

Children's Library

This library is located in the foyer. Children are welcome to take books to read and families are encouraged to bring books they no longer need, with a system of "Take a book, Share a book!" Contacts: Dawn McKenzie and Cev'n Thomas

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Servants Wanted! Jorel will be taking a group to Membres Christian Camp, March 22nd to 25th, to do some painting and campus updates as a service project. This will support the work of Amy and Isaac Kerr (Kent and Linda Hall's family). Please contact Jorel for more information.

SPIRITUAL EXPLOSION: Our youth rally is a little over 4-1/2 weeks away! So please be sure to check out the sign up sheets in the fover for the many ways to serve our guests. Volunteers are still especially needed for setting up and cleaning up, service projects, food service and audio/video. Please contact the coordinators listed for any of those areas for more information.



Many Homes are Needed: for the weekend of April 12th-14th. So please be preparing to open up some space in your homes for our honored guests. Needed Housing Volunteer forms were placed

in your mailboxes and extras are available in the foyer. Be sure to put completed forms in Nancy Jacobs' mailbox. Thank you.

A Pantry Needs: for this week are canned ham, pineapple and macaroni & cheese. Your help providing these items for those in need is much appreciated. Please check product expiration dates before donating items and contact Cathy Brock for more details.



"We Are His Hands" Community Service Project group: will meet on Saturday, March 23rd, 9am-3pm, at the Fellowship House to make quilts and receiving blankets for needy families. Volunteers are needed to help sew,

tack, cut and iron. Please bring a lunch, and contact Linda Hall or Marlene Cochrane for more information.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

Giving Option: As another giving option, you can setup payments from your checking account, and just like any other on-line billing, a check can be sent directly to Riverside. Please contact Loren Riblett for more details.

Tax Letters: To request 2023 tax letters, you may sign up in the library or contact Kim by email or by phone. Please allow about a one week turnaround, and letters will be put in the respective mailboxes or mailed at your request.



RIVERSIDE PRAYER LISTS are available at the back of the auditorium. Please pick one up and be praying for those in need.