

Hillside Happenings

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A Call to Fasting and Prayer

By Pastor Paul Tracy

Three times in the last two years our Church body has been called to a specific time of prayer. Believing that prayer is vital to the long term spiritual health of our ministries and our relationships we picked a few Saturdays and asked everyone to come to the Church and pray. **It is time to extend that call once again.**

On Saturday afternoon March 27th and Saturday afternoon April 3rd the doors of our Church Worship center will be opened so that you can come and pray in the building. The doors will be opened at noon and they will stay open until 10 pm. Rather than having a sign-up sheet with specific times I am inviting you to tell me what time you will be praying. You can pray at the Church or wherever you are, but the most important thing is that you pray. A suggested prayer guide will be available on those days. In addition to praying I am inviting you to consider adding a 24 hour time of fasting on those days of prayer.

In the Bible we know that Jesus fasted and expected His followers to do so. Fasting can be defined as an "an abstinence of food as a means of freeing ourselves from the preoccupation of food that influences our lives, in favor of a concentration upon something which for a time represents a higher claim on our hearts, minds and lives." It is simply a denial of our physical selves for a period of time to help us focus on the spiritual realm and the spiritual realities of our lives.

Would you please take the time and make the commitment to pray for our Church body on March 27th and April 3rd in addition to the praying that you are already doing for our Church? In addition to praying, I am encouraging you to join with me and fast from food on those two days so that we can pray with a greater level of concentration and focus! To God Be the Glory Great Things He Has Done!

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

2 Richard Langelius
12 Suzette Waite
15 Gerry Wright
29 Brad Dorton

MARCH EVENTS

5 Parent's Night Out
8 Elder Meeting
14 Daylight Saving Time
14 Church Fellowship
19 Parent's Night Out
20 Dinner and a Movie
21 Diaconate Meeting
22 Elder Meeting
28 Palm Sunday

APRIL EVENTS

2 Good Friday
4 Easter Sunday
9 Parent's Night Out
11 Church Fellowship
12 Elder Meeting
18 Diaconate Meeting
23 Parent's Night Out
26 Elder Meeting

Food Pantry Update

The Food Pantry fed 583 people during the month of January, a slight decrease from December. However, 53 new people found us this month!

The Northern Nevada Food Bank has allowed us to pick up potatoes, onions and fruit for FREE! This has been a welcome addition to the regular bags of food we give to our recipients.

Thank you for the continued donations of food, soaps, shampoo, lotions, and paper and plastic bags that come from this church body. These donations are very important to us!

We encourage you to stop by any Friday from 1:00 on and join us in our service to the Lord!

Thank you again for your continued support and prayers for this ministry.
God bless you!

Kathy Pavich

Prophecy Propaedeutics

Many ask, "Are we in the end times?" Indeed we are. In fact, we have been in the end times since Jesus was taken up to be with the Father! That being said, Jesus also gave us hints about the season of His return.

Four major prophecies fulfilled within the past 60 years point to the season of His return are:

1. The rebirth of Israel, (the fig tree buds)
Matthew 24:32-34, Isaiah 43:5-6
2. The Hebrew language is recovered
Zephaniah 3:9 and Jeremiah 31:23
3. The Jewish exiles return to Israel
Ezekiel 37:21 and Isaiah 43:5-6
4. The desolate land becomes fertile
Isaiah 27:6, 51:3, 35:1-2, 7 & Ezekiel 36:34-35

This introduction to end times prophecy provided by Professor "J"

Now, can anyone tell me what in the world "Propaedeutics" means?

God Bless, "Professor J" aka: Jeff Van Hatten

Easter Services

Palm Sunday
March 28 at 10:45 am
Good Friday
April 2 at 6:00 pm
Easter Morning
April 4 at 10:30 am

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Weekly Ministry

Sundays

9:00 am Sunday School-All Ages
10:45am Worship, Nursery,
Children's Worship

Mondays

6:30 pm Men's Bible Study

Tuesdays

5:45 pm Women's Bible Study
7:00 pm Gambler's Anonymous

Wednesdays

7:00 am Men's Breakfast Fellowship
3:30 pm Awesome Kids Grades 1-6
5:45 pm Overeaters Anonymous
6:00 pm Worship Team Rehearsal

Thursdays

9:00 am Women's Bible Study
8:00 pm Youth Group

Fridays

3:00-4:30 pm Food Pantry Ministry

Saturdays

6:00 pm Evening Worship

Here to Serve You:

Elders

Jeff Brumbach, Leonard O'Malley,
Mark Peterson, Gerry Wright

Elder Emeritus

Sam Worley

Deacons/Deaconesses

Susie Brumbach, Jacky Daly,
Co-chairman Bob Daly, Franca Tracy,
Jerry Klosterboer, Chairman Bob Pavich,
Kathy Pavich, Ken Ralls

Tootie O'Malley, Suzette Waite

Church Staff

Paul Tracy, Pastor
Rachela Fazio, Women/Children's Pastor
Shirley Ralls, Director of Administration
Ken Ralls, Custodian

Preschool Staff

Beth Peterson, Director/Teacher
Laurie Blowney, Teacher
Kathy Sufka, Teacher
Franca Tracy, Teacher

Maria Arreola, Asst. Teacher
Catalina Rodriguez, Asst. Teacher
Patti Fontaine, Asst Teacher

Music School Staff

Paul Tracy, Director/Instructor



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