

**Prayer: Ask**

Introduction

“Give us this day our daily bread.”

- I. It is spiritual to pray about the physical.
- II. This prayer will be a marvelous antidote for us in at least four areas:
  - a. It gives us a cure for \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. The first thing we should recognize in prayer is that God is the source of all our met needs.
      - 1. Ps. 104:10-15, 27-28.
      - 2. Jesus (John 6) gave thanks before he fed the 5000.
    - ii. The danger is that we are tempted to forget God and to begin to see ourselves as the source of the blessing.
  - b. It’s also a cure to \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. Notice the corporate nature of the request – community, not just self.
    - ii. James 4:3.
    - iii. James 2:14-17.
  - c. A cure for \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. Does your prayer life ever become worry central?
    - ii. Matt. 6:31-33.
  - d. A cure for \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. Jesus does not teach us to ask for daily. . . .
    - ii. Materialism brings a deadly spiritual cancer of discontentment.
      - 1. Phil. 4:11-13.
      - 2. 1 Tim. 6:8.
      - 3. Prov. 30:7-9.

Conclusion

Jesus said, “I am the bread of life.”



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**Sunday Worship (10:00 a.m.)**  
**Sunday Bible Study (9:00 a.m.)**  
**Wednesday Bible Study (6:30)**  
**Life Groups (Various Locations)**

**Ministers:**  
Doug Austin & Michael Nelson

**Elders:**  
Davis Bennett - Tim Dunnahoo  
Wayne Fenter - Jerry McCormack  
Lee Rogers - Kent Taylor  
David West

**Elder Chairman of the Month:**  
Lee Rogers

**OUR MISSION**  
*To seek and save the lost through  
evangelism, benevolence, and edification.*  
-Luke 19:10

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## Worship Order – March 13<sup>th</sup>

**Song Leader:** Wayne Fenter

**Call to Worship Song:** 954 – Jesus Loves Me!

**Welcome:**

**Songs:** 748 – There’s a Royal Banner

749 – Onward, Christian Soldiers (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> verse)

745 – Soldiers of Christ, Arise!

**Communion Song:** 998 – Night, with Ebon Pinion

**Communion Thought:** Michael Nelson

**Song:** 682 – Father, Hear the Prayer We Offer

**Sermon:** Doug Austin – “Prayer: Ask”

**Invitation Song:** 292 – Into My Heart

**Closing Song:** 841 – It Won’t Be Very Long

**Closing Prayer:** S.C. Morrow

**Sunday Morning Bible study (9:00 a.m.)**

**How Did We Get the Bible?** – Michael Nelson (Rm. 25)

**Sermon on the Mount** – Doug Austin (Rm. 27)

**“Now That I’m a Christian”** – Oscar H, Quinton F, Jesse M (Small F.)

**Revelation (Spanish Class)** – Mynor Vasquez (Rm. 22)

**Jr. High/High School** – Thomas Beard (Teen Room – Rm. 26)

**JL 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade** – various classrooms, look for red flag

**JL 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade** – various classrooms, look for blue flag

**4’s, 5’s & Kinder** – Amy Joy (Rm. 12)

**2’s & 3’s** – Rachel & Mattie McCarty (Rm. 3)

**Nursery up through age 2** – Various teachers (Rm. 1)

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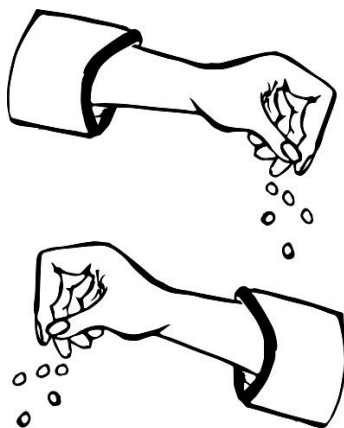
**Prayer Requests**

- **April Puckett** had numerous biopsies taken in Albuquerque on Wednesday. She is awaiting results.
- **Cecilia Contreras** is seeing a doctor in Artesia regarding upcoming knee replacement surgery.
- **Rosemary O’Neil** was approved to extend her stay at Sunset Villa while she continues to heal from a broken elbow.

**Continue in Prayer**

Rosemary O’Neal, Anita Zuniga, Clara O’Neil, Wanda Walker, Sam & Pat Gentry, Cheryl Ringheimer, Helen Aston, Elaine Bell, Kathleen Sherman, Elaine Britt, April Puckett, Pablo & Cecilia Contreras, Marcine McDaniel

*What Are You Planting?*



- If you plant honesty, you will reap trust.
- If you plant goodness, you will reap friends.
- If you plant humility, you will reap greatness.
- If you plant perseverance, you will reap perspective.
- If you plant hard work, you will reap success.
- If you plant forgiveness, you will reap reconciliation.

So be careful what you plant now;  
It will determine what you reap later.

-Bulletin Digest

**For the Record**

Sunday/Wednesday Bible Class.....113/--  
 Sunday AM.....218  
 Weekly Contribution.....\$8,359

# Life@CCR

- **Daylight savings time** begins this Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup>. Don’t forget to set your clocks ahead one hour before going to bed on Saturday night!
  - Please note that there will be **no Ladies Bible Class or Recharge meal next Wednesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> due to Spring Break**. We will, however, still have Wednesday evening bible class. Start time will be 6:30 p.m.
  - **Thanks so much to Bryce & Emily Taylor, Brian & Taryn Houghtalin and Kent & ReChele Taylor for a very tasty meal at Recharge this week!** Our next Recharge will take place on Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> and the menu for the night will be chili.
  - A special thanks is extended for the many donations made towards the **New Mexico Christian Children’s Home** commissary. We were able to send \$905 to help meet their needs & stock their shelves!
  - We have started filling positions for Vacation Bible School, but still have plenty of areas that need to be filled. Here are the areas that could still use additional help:
    - 3 year old teacher
    - Bible story characters
    - Puppeteers
    - Teen helpers for classes
    - Registration helpers
    - Snack/Lounge volunteers
- \*If any of these areas would be a good fit, please let us know!

**Those Scheduled to Serve**

**Deacons on Duty:** Greg Nibert, George Escalante, Joe Sanchez, Bryce Taylor

**Men on Duty:** Ron Doyle, Ronnie Merritt, Jerry Ringheimer

**Week @ a Glance**

**Celebrations & Happenings**

<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	Bible Class @ 9 a.m. A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube. Jax Houghtalin’s b-day.
<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>	Elders’ Meeting @ 4:30 p.m.
<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	Fran Craig & JoAnn Betancur’s b-day.
<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>	Wednesday Evening Bible Class @ 6:30 p.m.
<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	Sam Gentry’s b-day.
<b>18<sup>th</sup></b>	Liz Rogers & Taylor Emerson’s b-day.
<b>19<sup>th</sup></b>	Carolyn Anderson’s b-day.

**Study Guide**

1. Is it spiritual to pray for the physical? Why or why not?
2. How do we define what we should ask for?
3. Is there a danger to see ourselves as the source of blessing instead of God? How do we fix that problem?
4. Look back at your prayer life. What do you pray about the most? Can our prayer life become self-centered?
5. Can we cure worry through prayer?
6. Focus for a few minutes on Proverbs 30:7-9. What is the point of the proverb? Can the modern Christian pray this prayer? Can you?
7. Do we dream big enough? Do we ask big enough?