


# The Encourager

Country Club Road Church of Christ

**Song Leader:** Kent Taylor  
**Call to worship:** 564 – Make Me a Servant (vs. 1 & 3)  
**Welcome:** Lee Rogers  
**Songs:** 706 – Lord, Take Control  
707 – On Bended Knee  
443 – My Only Hope Is You  
718 – Gentle Shepherd (2x)  
**Communion Songs:** 360 – A Hill Called Mount Calvary (vs. 1)  
296 – The Old Rugged Cross (vs. 1 & 3)  
**Communion Thought:** Brandon Cometti  
**Song:** 644 – Thank You Lord  
**Sermon:** Kerry Holton: Vision 2030: Laying the Foundation  
**Introduction to our 10-Step Plan:** Doug Austin  
**Call to Action:** Kerry Holton  
**Closing Prayers:** Elders

**Sunday Morning Bible study (9:00 a.m.)**  
**All adult classes will be dismissed this Sunday for a donut social taking place in the Small Fellowship!**  
**Jr. High/High School** – Thomas Beard (Teen Room – Rm. 26)  
**JL 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade** – various classrooms, look for blue flag  
**JL 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade** – various classrooms, look for red 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)

 **Visitors, please scan this QR code and tell us a little about yourself!**

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

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

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

**Minister:**  
Doug Austin

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

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## Kerry & Becky Holton

Having served over 42 years in ministry, Kerry & Becky possess a unique combination of experience and of personal and academic qualifications to advise church leaders on how they may better carry out their responsibilities.

Kerry has served as an elder, minister, church planter, and college professor. He is a graduate of Oklahoma Christian, has a master's degree in Religion from Eastern New Mexico University, a Master of Divinity degree from Harding School of Theology, and a Ph.D. in Theology, Philosophy, and Cultural Theory from the University of Denver/Iliff School of Theology. Now he devotes his time to writing, speaking, and teaching on topics related to church leadership and spiritual growth. Kerry served as the pulpit minister at CCR from 1984 – 1992.

Becky has served as a Bible teacher, servant of the church, and college professor. She is a graduate of Oklahoma Christian University, has a master's degree in Counseling Psychology from Southern Nazarene University, and a Ph.D. in Child, Youth, and Family Science from the University of Nebraska. She is also a licensed therapist. She is a frequent speaker for ladies' days and retreats as well as missionary care events and conferences. She often serves as a consultant for ministry and missionary support and is a trained crisis response specialist. Currently, she serves as Director of Missionary Care for Great Cities Missions. Kerry and Becky live in Loveland, Colorado.

### Prayer Requests

- **Jerry Salyards** is awaiting results from a recent PET scan. He will see his doctor and begin his next chemo treatment on Tuesday, 1/17.
- **George Escalante** saw his doctor on Wednesday. He was prescribed a new medication for the blood clot in his stint.
- **Chris Bertola** is recovering from a bladder procedure on Monday. Please pray the surgery was effective.
- **Sharon Carbone** will undergo a coronary angiogram in Lubbock on Monday, 1/16.

### Continue in Prayer

Rosemary O'Neal, Anita Zuniga, Clara O'Neil, Wanda Walker, Sam & Pat Gentry, Cheryl Ringheimer, Helen Aston, Elaine Bell, Kathleen Sherman, Doris Rodriguez, Lauren Simons, Delpha Moody, Koko Blackwell, Fran Craig, Gale Wright, Bobbie Doyle, Davis & Alicia Bennett, Pablo Contreras

FOR ALL THAT YOU'RE  
GOING TO DO  
**VISION**  
= **2030** =

We've already completed step one of Vision 2030: we've crafted a mission statement that summarizes what our church family is all about. Now, we are putting wheels in motion to launch step two: defining a seven-year vision. *Where are we going? What do we sense God wants us to accomplish in the remainder of this decade? We'll be answering these questions and zeroing in on a specific and measurable vision for our church family in the weeks and months ahead. Pray for God to guide us!*

**3 DAYS TO LAUNCH!!!**

# Life@CCR

- Please make note that all adult bible classes will be dismissed this Sunday. Instead, we invite you to meet in the Small Fellowship for a donut social beginning at 9 a.m. Worship will follow with Kerry Holton bringing the lesson, then we will head to the gym for a catered luncheon. We'll have enchiladas with all the fixings and pizza for the kids. We hope you'll make plans to join us as we lay a foundation for this exciting new venture!
- Recharge 2023 will return on Wednesday, January 25<sup>th</sup> with a hamburger/hotdog cookout! Sign-up sheets for cooks are located on the foyer table. We still have 9 open slots that need to be filled!
- Ladies, we need your help! The women who organize our funeral luncheons need an updated cook/helper list. If you would be willing to make food for a funeral lunch and/or help, please sign-up on the appropriate sheet located on the foyer table.
- Our 10-week prayer guide is drawing to an end. It is our sincere hope that praying for your church and community has fostered a sense of connection not only to one another but also to our heavenly father. Please continue to pray for the weeks and months ahead as we set out to discover God's plan for our church!

### Those Scheduled to Serve for January

**Deacons on Duty:** Dale English, Pablo Contreras, Jacob Puckett, Michael O'Neil  
**Men on Duty:** S.C. Morrow, John Matta, Tom Shaffer, Marco Ramirez

### **Week @ a Glance** Celebrations & Happenings

15 <sup>th</sup>	Bible Class & Donut Social @ 9 a.m. A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube. Catered luncheon @ 11 a.m. Gwyn Burd & Arcelia Sanchez's b-day.
16 <sup>th</sup>	Milah Franzoy's b-day.
17 <sup>th</sup>	Matt Ingalls & Aleyannah Santos' b-day.
18 <sup>th</sup>	Ladies Bible Class @ 10 a.m. Wednesday evening service @ 6:30 p.m. Ron Doyle's b-day.
20 <sup>th</sup>	Pablo Contreras' b-day.

### Small Group Bible Study

1. Why is Nehemiah so concerned about Jerusalem?
2. How vital a force do you think prayer was to Nehemiah?
3. What do you learn about God from Nehemiah's prayer? What does Nehemiah see in himself? In his people?
4. Are you grieved about the physical and spiritual state of God's people?
5. Do you tend to despair over what is? Accept what is? Or pray for what it should be?
6. At the end of Nehemiah's prayer, he asks God to "Give his servant success." Why is this so important? Can this be dangerous?
7. How can you relate Nehemiah 1 to what we are trying to do as a congregation with the Vision 2030 plan of the Elders?