

Senior Sunday
Philippians 4:10-13

What is the center of your world?

For the Graduates? For Us?

What do you dream about? What are you the most anxious about? What brings you the most joy?

- I. Be content.
 - a. The idol of “Much.”
 - i. 40 billion catalogs were printed and mailed in 2022. How many emails were sent?
 - ii. Don’t equate stuff with happiness.
 - b. Enjoy what you have – Paul did!
 - c. It is also OK to let the Jones’ win.
- II. Trust God.
 - a. The idol of “Self-Confidence.”
 - b. Life refuses to be managed.
 - i. Ec. 9:11-12.
 - ii. Ps. 135:5-6.
 - c. The Bible calls us to surrender to God.
 - d. Trust = Surrender
- III. Reach for His dreams.
 - a. The idol of the “American Dream.”
 - b. At the end of life, I’ve never heard:
 - c. How can your dream fit with God’s dream? Or better yet...

Our world needs the witness of people whose joy is found on what really matters.

Prayer and Reading over the parents.

Psalm 127:3-5.

Prayer of Blessing

Prayer and Reading over the graduates.

Jude 24-25.

Prayer of Blessing

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

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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)

Minister:

Doug Austin

Elders:

Tim Dunnahoo

Wayne Fenter - Lee Rogers

Kent Taylor - David West

Elder Chairman of the Month:

Lee Rogers



WE EXIST TO KNOW
JESUS
AND TO MAKE HIM
KNOWN.

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The Encourager

Country Club Road Church of Christ

Song Leader: Kent Taylor

Call to worship: 596 – I Love You with the Love of the Lord (1 & 2)

Welcome: Quinton Franzoy

Songs: 253 – Open the Eyes of My Heart

443 – My Only Hope Is You

424 – Lord, Reign In Me

402 – Days of Elijah

Communion Song: 324 – Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Communion Thought: Jonah Austin

Song: 544 – Surround Us, O Lord

Sermon: Doug Austin – “Senior Sunday”

Invitation Song: 195 – Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Presentation of Seniors & Closing Prayer: Doug Austin

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

1 John – Doug Austin (Rm. 25)

1 & 2 Peter – Lee Rogers (Rm. 27)

Genesis – 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 4th – 6th grade – various classrooms, look for blue flag

JL 1st – 3rd 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!

Prayer Requests

- **Ray Magness** is under the care of hospice, but he loves getting visitors! Please keep them in prayer.
- **Jerry Salyards** began immunotherapy treatments on Tuesday in Roswell.

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, Chris & Glenna Bertola, Mary Ann Baeza, Koko & Beverly Blackwell, Pat Davenport

Life@CCR

- **Our condolences are extended to the family of Lindal Nelson, who passed away on Monday night at a care facility in Bandera, TX. Cards of sympathy can be mailed to Michael & Leslie at P.O. Box 753, Utopia, TX 78884.**
- **This Sunday is Senior Sunday!** We will have a table set up in the foyer where you can drop a card or write a note to congratulate our graduates. Following a.m. service there will be a free spaghetti luncheon to honor our seniors. Hope you'll join us!
- **We will have a table setup from June 11th – 18th to honor Brooklyn Knight and her soon-to-be husband, Josef Roberson.** Brooklyn & Josef are registered at Amazon and Bed, Bath & Beyond.

From the Mailbag...

Dear Ladies,
My mother and I thank you so much for sending the cards of encouragement. Mom, Helen Aston, is still homebound. She doesn't go out at all. I do all her errands. But, due to my eyesight, I am very limited in my driving. We listen to services every week and feel we are there with you.

-Yours in Christ, Elaine Bell

2023 High School Graduates



Colton Franzoy is the son of Quinton & Jennifer Franzoy. He is graduating from Goddard High School on May 27th with honors. He was proud to represent GHS in football at the NM All-star game and more recently in Oklahoma at the National FFA pasture and range judging competition. Colton will head to Ft. Benning, GA on June 26th to become an Infantryman with an Airborne/Ranger contract for the U.S. Army.

Frankie Lara is the son of Luis & Veronica

Lara. He will graduate from Roswell High School on May 26th. Frankie plans on attending New Mexico State University in the fall to major in electrical engineering (just like his brother)!



Noah McCarty is the son of Jesse & Rachel McCarty. Noah recently graduated from a homeschool program and will be attending the Bear Valley Bible Institute beginning in August to pursue a career in ministry.

Brissa Pacheco is the daughter of Aurelio & Silvia Pacheco.

She is graduating from Roswell High School and plans on majoring in Business Administration. Brissa is currently undecided about where she will attend school in the fall.



Zelia Santos is the daughter of Celestino & Deona Santos.

She is graduating from NM Connections Academy with her high school diploma and ENMU-R (with 3 associates degrees)! She plans to attend New Mexico State University in the fall.

Week @ a Glance

Celebrations & Happenings

21st	Bible Class @ 9 a.m. A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube. Jared Van Winkle's b-day.
23rd	Pam Warboys' b-day.
24th	Wednesday evening worship @ 6:30 p.m.
25th	Elaine Bell's b-day.
26th	Chris Bertola's b-day.
27th	Anita Zuniga's b-day.

***Pantry Needs: Cereal, jelly & Hamburger Helper**

Study Guide

Text: Philippians 4:10-13

1. What was Paul's secret to contentment?
2. How does Paul's view of contentment compare with the modern world's view of contentment?
3. How can Paul's attitude about giving and receiving enable us to give and receive better?
4. What outside source is most likely to upset your contentment?
5. A line from the sermon went something like this, "Life refuses to be managed." Do you agree or disagree? Why?
6. How can we learn to align our dreams with God's? Does this discourage us from our dreams or embolden us to dream bigger?

Those Scheduled to Serve for May

Deacons on Duty: Dale English, Pablo Contreras, Jacob Puckett, Michael O'Neil

Men on Duty: S.C. Morrow, John Matta, Tom Shaffer, Marco Ramirez