

Every Thought. . .

2 Cor. 10:3-5.

- I. We are in a war and the front line is the mind.
  - a. We must learn to clear the mind. . . .
  - b. Paul cannot talk about the devil without talking about the mind.
    - i. 2 Cor. 10:5.
    - ii. 2 Cor. 4:4.
    - iii. 2 Cor. 11:3.
    - iv. 2 Cor. 2:11.
  - c. Satan wants to put thoughts in your mind.
    - i. Just like he did to David about the census. 2 Samuel 24.
    - ii. Just like he did to Judas. Luke 22.
    - iii. Just like he did to Ananias. Acts 5.
  - d. Paul, “strongholds in the mind.”
- II. We can do this because scripture makes two claims:
  - a. Strongholds can be removed, not remodeled, removed.
  - b. Now that we are saved we have an increased capacity to think like we were originally designed to think.
    - i. Eph. 4:22-24.
    - ii. Rom. 12:2.
- III. How do we clear the mind field and love God with all our minds? Three things:
  - a. We must get in the habit of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. Let what we know about God \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. 2 Cor. 10:5.
    - ii. Satan is trying to alter our perception of God.
- c. Set our minds on \_\_\_\_\_.

  - i. Col. 3:2.
  - ii. Phil. 4:8.

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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:**

Kent Taylor



WE EXIST TO KNOW  
 JESUS  
 AND TO MAKE HIM  
 KNOWN.

# The Encourager

Country Club Road Church of Christ

**Song Leader:** Kent Taylor

**Call to worship:** 430 – My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less (vs. 1 & 4)

**Welcome:** David West

**Songs:** 576 – More Holiness Give Me

706 – Lord, Take Control (x2)

716 – Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

480 – Victory in Jesus

**Communion Song:** 318 – I Love the Lord

**Communion Thought:** Jesse McCarty

**Song:** 252 – Create in Me

**Sermon:** Doug Austin – “Every Thought...”

**Invitation Song:** 853 – Trust and Obey (vs. 1 & 5)

**Closing Song:** 479 – Only in Thee (vs. 1 & 4)

**Closing Prayer:**

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

**1 John** – Doug Austin (Rm. 25)

**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)

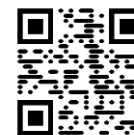
**JL 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade** – various classrooms, look for blue flag

**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!

Prayer Requests

- **Vernon Fenter** remains in ICU and is slowly improving.
- **Jerry Salyards** was admitted to Casa Maria to recover from several recent issues that have developed.
- **Ray Magness** remains in the care of hospice. Calls & visits are welcome.

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, Pat Davenport, Larry Young



The Vision Casting Team has finished their work of dreaming and crafting some goals for our church family. Now, their vision statements will be forwarded to the elders for their consideration. We want to sincerely thank those who served on the VC Team for their hard work and those who provided input into their work by submitting your ideas! Now, please pray for our elders as they discuss and finalize a vision for the future for our church family.

More to come!

Those Scheduled to Serve for May

**Deacons on Duty:** Dan Montgomery, Jose Baeza, Brandon Cometti, Brian Houghtalin

**Men on Duty:** Kevin McCormack, Thomas Beard

# Life@CCR

- **Our condolences are extended to the family of Joyce Preston, who passed away on Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup>.** A graveside service for Joyce will take place at South Park Cemetery on Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m.
- **Doug will be teaching a combined adult class in the auditorium on Sunday morning. Oscar & Jesse’s Sunday morning class will still be in session in the small fellowship.**
- **If possible, we will need some help moving tables & chairs after service this Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>.** Please consider sticking around to help for about 20 minutes!
- **Our annual VBS program & ice cream social will take place on Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.** We hope you can join us! We could still use more homemade ice cream if you are able to help in that way.
- **If you have signed up to make cookies for Vacation Bible School, we kindly ask that you omit using nuts or peanut butter in the cookies due to possible allergic reactions!**
- **We will have a table setup from June 11<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> to honor Brooklyn Knight and her soon-to-be husband, Josef Roberson.** Brooklyn & Josef are registered at Amazon and Bed, Bath & Beyond.
- **We will be taking a group of kids to Summer Excitement at LCU the week of June 18<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>!** If your child is interested or if you need more info, please get in touch with the church office.
- **We continue to accept donations for the replacement of three ovens at the church building.** If you are interested in contributing you can donate online at our website or directly to any Elder or staff member.

For the Record

Sunday/Wednesday Bible Class.....	107/62
Sunday AM.....	206
Weekly Contribution.....	\$4,927

## Week @ a Glance

### Celebrations & Happenings

<b>4<sup>th</sup></b>	Bible Class @ 9 a.m. A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube. Betsy Gumfory’s b-day.
<b>5<sup>th</sup></b>	Vacation Bible School kicks off! Marsha Martin’s b-day. Elders meeting @ 4:30 p.m.
<b>7<sup>th</sup></b>	VBS Program & ice cream social @ 6:30 p.m. Saira Mendoza’s b-day.
<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	Silvia Pacheco’s b-day.

**\*We accidentally left a birthday out last week. Happy birthday to Jaylynn Reese, who will celebrate tomorrow, June 2<sup>nd</sup>!**

Study Guide

1. How does Satan deceive us? How do we deceive ourselves?
2. Can Satan make you “do” anything? Why or why not?
3. What are the “weapons of our warfare?”
4. We have “divine power to destroy strongholds.” What do you think that means? What does Paul mean by strongholds?
5. Why is “take every thought captive” such an important truth? How do we “take every thought captive?”
6. Discuss the concept of “threshold thinking” from the sermon. What are some practical things we can do to practice threshold thinking?
7. Why is “setting our minds on things above” so important? How can we do a better job of this?