

Love Is Not. . .

1 Cor. 13:4b

- I. To be full of love we must be empty of self.
 - a. Is love blind?
 - b. John 13:1-2.
 - i. He even washed the feet of Judas.
 - ii. John 13:12-17.
 - c. To be like Christ we need to love on empty, empty of ourselves.
- II. What does loving on empty look like?
 - a. Love will rejoice when _____ have more _____.
 - i. Love does not envy.
 - ii. It is a sin against love. Here's why:
 - 1. It produces attitudes and actions of hatred.
 - a. Jam. 3:16.
 - b. Cain and Abel, Jacob and Esau, David and Uriah, etc.
 - c. Matt. 27:18.
 - 2. It indicts the character of God.
 - 3. 1 Pet. 2:1.
 - b. Love will reject all opportunities of _____.
 - i. "Love does not boast."
 - ii. Rom. 12:3.
 - iii. Phil. 2:3-5
 - c. Love will refuse to determine _____ by applause.

Once you have tasted the goodness of God, you can love anybody and everybody.

Jam. 4:6.

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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:

David West



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The Encourager

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Song Leader: Kent Taylor

Call to Worship: 707 – On Bended Knee

Welcome: Bryce Taylor

Songs: 544 – Surround Us, O Lord

253 – Open the Eyes of My Heart

121 – In Heavenly Love Abiding (vs. 1 & 3)

367 – Faithful Love

Communion Song: 371 – When We Meet In Sweet Communion (vs. 1 & 3)

Communion/Offering: Jon Young

Song: 629 – Angry Words

Sermon: Doug Austin – “Love Is Not...”

Invitation Song: 889 – Do You Know My Jesus? (vs. 1 & 4)

Closing Song: 623 – God Be with You (vs. 1)

Closing Prayer: Marco Ramirez

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

1 Timothy – 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 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)



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Prayer Requests

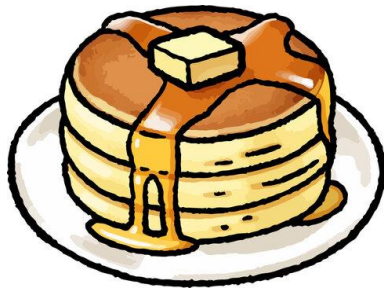
- **Tim Wishard** remains hospitalized at Lovelace. He is slowly improving.
- **Bobbie Doyle** fell on Wednesday and suffered a broken wrist.
- **Fran Craig** continues to heal following knee replacement surgery last week.

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, Chris & Glenna Bertola, Mary Ann Baeza, Pat Davenport, Larry Young, Rodrigo Linarello

Students, Parents, & all those working for the School System...

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A



BACK TO SCHOOL BREAKFAST

Hosted by

The S.C. Morrow Life Group

Sunday, August 6th

9 a.m. (during bible class)

Small Fellowship

*We will have backpacks filled with supplies to give away & a back to school photo booth!

*All children’s classes (including the nursery class) will be dismissed that morning.

Life@CCR

- Our sympathy is extended to the family of **Phil Pantuso (Mark & Lanie Pantuso’s dad)** who passed away last Friday. Services will take place at St. Peter Catholic Church on Saturday, August 5th at 1:30 p.m.
- **Calling all teachers, journeymen & potential volunteers! Would you consider attending our first ever Journey Land planning breakfast this Saturday, August 29th at 9 a.m.?** You will hear plans for the 2023 – ‘24 school year and be treated to a tip-top breakfast! We hope to make this our best year of Journey Land yet, but will need lots of help to make that happen. Please consider attending!

Upcoming Dates:

Sunday, August 6th – Back to School Breakfast

Monday, August 7th – First day of school

Monday, August 14th – Book club @ 6 p.m.

Wednesday, September 6th – Ladies Bible Class resumes @ 10 a.m.; Kickoff to Recharge @ 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 10th – Journey Land kickoff and Promotion Sunday

For the Record

Sunday/Wednesday Bible Class.....92/--

Sunday AM.....201

Weekly Contribution.....\$8,008

Those Scheduled to Serve for July

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

30th	Bible Class @ 9 a.m. A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube. Dayton Bennett’s b-day.
1st	Logan Ingalls’ b-day.
2nd	Wednesday evening bible class @ 6:30 p.m.
3rd	Aiden Smith’s b-day.
4th	Shawn Sexton’s b-day.

Study Guide

Text: 1 Corinthians 13:4

1. Has your pride ever put you in an awkward position?
2. Think of some Biblical characters who wrestled with pride. Tell their stories. Did they ever get a handle on their pride? How? If they didn’t, what road did it lead them down?
3. Is it possible to rejoice when others have more and maybe deserve less? How?
4. We live in a self-promoting world. Has this seeped its way into the Church? How do we avoid this?
5. Where is the line between arrogance and self-confidence?
6. How do the characteristics of pride, envy and boastfulness affect the relationships in our family? In the church? In our relationships with the world?