



Weekly Newsletter

May 23, 2010

Order of Worship

Welcome

Barney Crawford

Song Leader

Kerry Cole

#756 (v. 1, 2, 4)

#642 (v. 1, 3, 5)

Opening Prayer

Tom Easterly

#643

#299 (v. 1, 4, 5)

Communion

Luis Tovar

Contribution

Luis Tovar

#424

#954

Lesson

Bill McFarland

#492 (v. 1, 3, 4)

Announcement

Barney Crawford

#346 (v. 1, 4)

Closing Prayer

Jon Ewing

You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. (Matt. 5:14)



Our 2010 Graduates

High School

Quinton Brown

Strafford

Taylor Friend

Willard

A.J. McCall

Ash Grove

Ben Ratterree

Central

Rose Stockwell

Central

Jordan Treat

Strafford

College

Mark Barnett

Missouri State

Andy McFarland

Missouri State

Meredith Reaves

Missouri State

Kristy Sivils

William Woods University

Daniel Tovar

Thomas Edison State

Katie Treat

School of Ozarks

Janel Wydick

Missouri State

*Make me to know your ways, O Lord;
teach me your paths.*

Psalm 25:4

*Please join us this evening after service as we honor
these graduates with a reception.*

Today's Messages:

AM: The Twenty-Third Psalm for Parents

PM: The Cornerstones of a Successful Life

Prayer List & Announcements

Welcome Visitors

We are honored that you joined us. We hope you will be blessed by your time with us. We have an attended nursery, a cry/training room and a nursing mother's room for your convenience if you have small children. Please fill out an attendance card and pass it to the end of the pew so that we may thank you for your visit.

For The Record May 16

Bible Study:	261
Morning:	387
Evening:	251
Wednesday (5/19):	208
Contribution:	\$10,290



Elder of the Month
Barney Crawford

- Billie Jeffery is not doing well; she is at her daughter's home
 - Ella Mae Findlay is feeling some better
- Friends and Family:
- ◆ Tim Bowling's dad, Bob Bowling, is back in St. John's as they try to determine the cause of his problems
 - ◆ Sherry & Ed Murray's 4-month old grandbaby, Sam, will have heart surgery in June
 - ◆ Gail White's brother, Paul Ellard, is recovering from surgery.
 - ◆ Bill White's sister is recovering from surgery
 - ◆ Friends of the Mahon family in Texas: Elton Grimes who had bypass surgery and is not doing well and Wesley Chenault family as Mr. Chenault was killed in a boating accident
 - ◆ Baby Jacob Limburg, son of one of the teachers at the TWTh School at East Grand, has several critical health issues

World Bible School meeting today at 4 p.m. in KYB Room

Malawi Group meeting today at 4 p.m.



Attention: ALL SINGLE WOMEN (young & old)

There will be a planning meeting today immediately after morning service in Room 126 for ALL single women young and old (college, widows, divorced, never married, etc.) If you are interested in being a part of this activity but cannot attend the meeting, see Karen Duncan or Debbie Crawford.

COMING UP:

- ⇒ June 6 - Bridal Shower for Megan Williams
- ⇒ June 10 - VBS workday 10 am to 2 pm - bring sack lunch
- ⇒ June 13 - POTLUCK



Alice Buckner is looking for helpers for her Happy Hollow day camp session June 28-July 2. If you would like to be a counselor, bus driver, Bible class teacher, or help in the kitchen/craft room, please see Alice or call her at 732-6422.

WM Kids & Their Families Kindergarten—6th Grade

Plan to meet Friday, June 4, at 6 pm here at the building. Bring sack dinner or take-out and a dessert or snack to share. See George or Gaitha Downing if you have questions.



Ladies, If you have not turned in your survey form, the box is available on the counter, east side of foyer.

Ladies Bible Study Group

The first meeting will be **June 3** at 6:30 pm here at the building. **Ruth Essex will be speaking on faith, "It Couldn't Just Happen."** There will also be a fun activity. Finger food will be provided. Please sign up at the information desk if you plan to attend. Ladies, this could be one of the revamped programs that fits your need. Try it out!!

Next Sunday is the 5th Sunday ...

Be praying about your special contribution. Since that will be a holiday weekend, if you plan to be out of town, may we ask you to consider leaving your contribution with us before you leave town.

Thank you for your always generous contributions.
The Elders



This & That

On Saturday 82 of our ladies attended the Spring Tea/WINGS kickoff event ...



The Winning Table by Debbie & Bekah

On Sunday, our deacons conducted a Ministry Fair to inform us about our ministries and to invite us to get involved in some of the great works at Water Mill ...



Congratulations to Kasey & Shawn Sekulic and grandparents Tim & Becky Marsolf on the arrival of Mackynzi Jeree on May 17. Landan & Seth are happy to have a little sister.

Ann Thiesen has arrived safely in Malawi. Her new e-mail address is ann@broadbandmw.com. I'm sure she would love to hear from you.

Thank You

Thank you so much for all you have done for our family. Your acts of kindness, cards, plants, calls, visits, food, prayers, money and flowers have all been greatly appreciated. The Drakyn Stadler Family

Have you been missing your Bible? If so, check the table next to the coat room!!



Like Dirt In The Streets

By Dennis R. Smith

Being an old Western Movies buff I remember the last words of one of my favorite shows in which everyone was taking great risks in their effort to obtain gold from an area mine. After much difficulty and loss of life, the two stars were standing as silhouettes against the setting sun and uttered these words: "If the whole world was made of gold, there would be some who would die for a handful of dirt." I have thought about these words as the years went by. What better way to express how the world rushes on to grab hold of as much wealth as it can and will go to all ends in an effort to obtain it. The danger of this attitude breeds contempt, envy and "covetousness, which is idolatry" (Col. 3:5). Surely we all know that "the love of money is the root of all evil" (1st Tim. 6:10). In contrast to the lust for gold the psalmist reminds us that "The law of the Lord is perfect.....more to be desired than gold, Yea, than much fine gold" (Psa. 19:7-10). In the 18th psalm the writer informs us that the word of God is able to sustain us to the extent that the Lord is able to cast our enemies "out like dirt in the streets" (Psa. 18:42). Point of fact: If the world would put forth the same effort to live by God's Word as it does in searching for wealth, a great part of our problems would be swept into the streets like dirt. May we focus our attention where the real wealth is!

Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Study9:00 AM
 Sunday Morning Worship.....10:00 AM
 Sunday Evening Worship...5:00 PM
 Wednesday Night Bible Class....7:00 PM

OUR MISSION POINTS

Mark & Era Thiesen, Malawi, Africa

Joey & Tammy Treat, Northern Mariana Islands

W. Paul & Janet Kee, Cameroon, Africa

Voice of Truth International

"The Living Word"
 7:30 A.M. Sundays
 KOLR TV 10

"In Search Of
 The Lord's Way"
 7:00 A.M. Sundays
 KOLR TV 10

"Know Your Bible"
 10:30 A.M. Sundays
 Springfield 33
 KSPR-TV



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Office Hours:

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday - Friday

Service Rosters

THIS MORNING

AM Nursery: Linda Currier/Leona Snider
Greeters: Mark & Cheryl Friend
Van Driver: Travis Morrison/742-1970
KYB Phone: Van & Barbara Barnes
Serve Randy Blackburn/Tom Davis
Communion: Tim Bowling/Greg Donoho
 Jackie Buck/John Dutton
 Kyle Buckner/Verl Duncan
 Eddie Currier/Don Essex

THIS EVENING

Song Leader: John Mahon
Opening Prayer: Eddie Currier
Speaker: Bill McFarland
Closing Prayer: Tom Davis
Communion: Travis Morrison/Jason Luna
Nursery: Glenda/Jeremy Thurlkill

NEXT WEEK, May 30

	MORNING	EVENING
Song Leader:	Jon Ewing	John Mahon
Opening Prayer:	Clarence Feeney	Verl Duncan
Communion:	Jerry Young	T. Morrison/J. Luna
Closing Prayer:	Jackie Freeze	John Dutton
AM Nursery:	Jill Morrison/Linda Barnett	
PM Nursery:	Jammie Davis/Meredith Reaves	
Greeters:	Herman & Pat Harris	
Van Driver:	James Simons/732-5641	

THE MONTH OF May

Ushers: Van Barnes/
Bryan Thurlkill
AV Room: Larry Baggett/
Adam Stipp
Secure Building: Tim Buckner

Wednesday, May 26

Devotional: Bill McFarland
Song Leader: Tom Easterly
Opening Prayer: John Hulett
Closing Prayer: Matt Kelley
Van Driver: Todd Kraus