

*Evers Road  
Christian Church*

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Sunday

9 am - Sunday School

10 am - Worship

6 pm - Bible Study

6 pm - Youth Group

6 pm - Kids' Group & Nursery

4:30 pm - Deacon/Elder's Meet

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Month

Wednesday

7 pm - Bible Study

6 pm - Prayer Meeting in ED Bldg

1<sup>st</sup> floor Classroom-End of hall

Saturday

8 am - Men's Prayer Breakfast

*Happy Thanksgiving*

**Our Thanksgiving Fellowship Meal is just around the corner! We'll be gathering on November 17 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. If you haven't signed up for bringing your share of the food, please do so.**

**The change from an October 31<sup>st</sup> Harvest Party to the last Sunday in October was a great success! It was well organized and a lot of fun for adults and kids. Pat Cody on the back for a job well done.**

**Update on Jean Fairbrother: As of this writing (Oct 31) she is scheduled for a skin graft November 4<sup>th</sup>. Please pray for Jean's recovery. A big thanks goes to all the ladies that have spent so much time with her, especially Rose Reynolds.**

**Think with me about Thanksgiving for just a minute. What creates a thankful heart? It isn't abundance. Many people enjoy tremendous blessings but don't thank God for anything. It isn't great circumstances. People in difficult times have been known to be among the most thankful people on earth! Genuine, heart-felt gratitude comes from the recognition of the truth of our unworthiness and generosity of God's grace. That attitude lives in the hearts of people who are thankful, not just glad they have what they have.**

**The first observed Day of Thanks in New England was centered on the graciousness of God. Let me remind you that the year before many Pilgrims did not survive the winter. After the next fall's harvest they acknowledged that God's ways were always right and good and that any blessing was a result of God's gracious attitude towards them and not their own "deservedness."**

**What drives your Thanksgiving Heart? I hope that it is the fact that you have seen God's greatest blessing in the form of our Lord Jesus and you acknowledged God's graciousness and your unworthiness. We are not the people who are just glad we have food and all the necessities of life. We are the people who understand that we are the recipients of blessings flowing from the throne of God into our lives.**

**May the cross of Jesus drive your heart into a deeper, more meaningful Thanksgiving.  
Phillip**

# C O D Y ' S C O R N E R

## Prayer Request

1. Juanita Asher
2. Doug & Cindy Corbin
3. Barbara Duncan
4. Mike Gonzales
6. Coila Lindemann
7. Jeannie Fairbrother

You may call in prayer request  
To Carrie Camacho at:  
210-684-2043

## **VERSE OF THE MONTH**

“Keep yourselves in God’s love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life.”

Jude – Verse 21

## **QUOTE OF THE MONTH**

“Reality often seems to be more obstacle than opportunity, more pain than pleasure, more chaos than calm, more hurt than happiness, more tension than tenderness. But ... I must believe that as God’s person, God is using everything in my life to make me more like Himself.

Together He and I can take the stains in my life and make something out of them. We can take the chaos and be calm, take the tensions and be tender, take the hurts and be content, take the obstacles and build opportunities. That is what God offers me from life. And when God says that’s what He can do for me, only my unbelief keeps me from experiencing it. If the Christian life is worth living, then God is worth believing. And if I believe God, there is no end to the possibilities.”

~Ruth Senter~

I would like to give a big thanks to everyone who participated and helped at our new event we did last month, the HARVEST PARTY. We had a really good turnout and we are looking forward to doing it again next year. Also last month the youth got a unique experience going to the opening night Spurs game, they got to go sit courtside before the game and watch the players warm up, got a food voucher & after the game they got to go onto the court and shoot a free throw. Look for pictures of both events in the foyer.

## **MISSION CORNER: Passion Ministries**

Rana and Simie Samuel: Rana has completed his Masters in Ministries from Cincinnati Christian University. He has a bachelor’s degree in commerce. He is involved in Preaching, Planting Churches, Evangelism which is the most important phase of the work and also some music ministry. Rana also used to do dirt bike racing and as his father was a mechanic he taught him the skill to repair. Through a lot of prayers Rana was able to start Technical camps in which Motorcycles, scooters, mopeds are repaired – this has been a great tool for evangelism. Simie has completed her medical studies. Simie directs the medical camps in the remote villages. Simie has a passion for speaking – she speaks in youth and women’s seminars. She has a heart for the poor and disowned children in India. Simie has started a program for the mothers in which the mothers get a time to get together and interact. This program also helps them grow spiritually. She has started a Cancer outreach program, which is focused on the women. (The Samuels are blessed with two children.)

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Date	3	10	17	24	
<b>Servers</b>	<b>Michael Mas      Jose Guerra      Carl Junek      J J Villarreal</b> <b>Fred Archer      Jerry Lishman</b>				
<b>Communion Preparers</b>	<b>Cynthia Haason</b> <b>(First Sunday with Fay Melby)</b>				
<b>Greeters</b>	<b>Yvonne Nicholas &amp; Pat Thompson</b>	<b>Carrie Camacho &amp; Fay Melby</b>	<b>Ronnie &amp; Deborah Hargett</b>	<b>Al &amp; Beth Guerra</b>	
<b>Meditation Leader</b>	<b>David Walton</b>	<b>Edward Gideon</b>	<b>J J Villarreal</b>	<b>MacCall Cowan</b>	
<b>Date</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Men's Prayer Breakfast</b>	<b>Fred Archer</b>	<b>Cody Walton</b>	<b>Jerry Lishman</b>	<b>J J Villarreal</b>	<b>Jack Moses</b>

**SERVERS:** If you cannot be present on the day you are scheduled to serve, please find a replacement.  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS:** Please call the office 684-2043 if you will not be here.  
**PRAYER REQUEST:** May be called in to Jean Fairbrother at 636-9147 / or e-mail @ Jeanlynnfair@gmail.com

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>HAPPY BIRTHDAY NOVEMBER:</b> 7–Viki Cunningham; 9–Lenora Burkholder; 9–Izzabella Navejas; 9–Irene Greene; 10–Fred Archer; 13–Jaime Saltsman; 14–Jeannie Fairbrother; 15–Ken Workman; 20–Lucille Burkholder; 20–Elida Cuellar; 23–Anthony Lopez; 26–Heather Contreras; 28–Patricia Clay; 28–Michael Rodriguez; 29 – Morelia Ramirez; 30–Tristan Walton					1	2 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8a
3 Bible Study–6p Kids' Gr – 6p Youth Gr – 6 p	4	5	6 Bible Study – 7p Prayer Meeting – 6:p in Ed Bldg	7	8 <i>Starts @3p</i> 	9 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8a <i>Women's Retreat - Ends 3p</i>
10 Bible Study–6p Kids' Gr – 6p Youth Gr – 6 p	11	12	13 Bible Study – 7p Prayer Meeting – 6:p in Ed Bldg	14	15	16 Men's Prayer Breakfast – 8a <i>9a</i>  <b>OUR CHURCH AT WORK</b>
17 <i>Thanksgiving Dinner - 6P</i> 	18	19	20 Bible Study – 7p Prayer Meeting – 6:p in Ed Bldg	21	22	23 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8a
24 Bible Study–6p Kids' Gr – 6p Youth Gr – 6 p	25	26	27 Bible Study – 7p Prayer Meeting – 6:p in Ed Bldg	28 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i> 	29	30 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8a