

**“... even death on a cross” ; Luke 23:26-43**

- I. \_\_\_\_\_ of Cyrene
- A. Matthew Mark and Luke tell us that Simon carried Jesus’ cross. Only Mark gives us any idea \_\_\_\_\_ Simon was - Mark 15:21; Romans 16:13
  - B. None of them tell us \_\_\_\_\_ Simon was pressed into service
  - C. Only John tells us that Jesus started out \_\_\_\_\_ His own cross - John 19:17
  - D. “coming in from the country,” Cyrene is in Northeastern \_\_\_\_\_ on the coast of the Mediterranean Sea
  - E. It is likely he was there for the Feast of \_\_\_\_\_, Luke tells us in Acts that there were “devout men from every nation under heaven” (Acts 2:5) - Acts 2:10
  - F. Many commentaries take this one step further to say that Simon was \_\_\_\_\_ because of his service, carrying Jesus’ cross to Golgotha.
  - G. Maybe it was only to show us how physically and emotionally \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus was from the beatings and trials (loss of blood and dehydration)
  - H. This would lend validity to Jesus’ death \_\_\_\_\_ his legs needing to be broken
- II. Do Not \_\_\_\_\_
- A. Weep for \_\_\_\_\_ - Philippians 2:4-8
  - B. Blessed are the \_\_\_\_\_ - Genesis 16:1-6; Luke 1:24-25
  - C. \_\_\_\_\_ and the hills - Hosea 10:8
  - D. \_\_\_\_\_ and dry wood
- III. \_\_\_\_\_ Yourself!
- A. \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. The \_\_\_\_\_ - He saved others, let him save himself
  - C. The \_\_\_\_\_ - If you are King of the Jews, save yourself
  - D. The \_\_\_\_\_ - Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us
- IV. The \_\_\_\_\_ - Luke 23:40-43
- V. Here lies the truth of Jesus’ \_\_\_\_\_
- A. He became sin so we could \_\_\_\_\_ sin - 2 Corinthians 5:21
  - B. His sinless sacrifice \_\_\_\_\_ God’s wrath for those who \_\_\_\_\_ the Gospel of Jesus - 2 Thessalonians 1:5-10



# CHURCH OF CHRIST NINTH AND COLUMBIA

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<p><b>Elders</b> Mike Hodges Byron Hutto Johnny McDonald Paul Scott Jim Thompson</p> <p><b>Deacon</b> Todd Bissett</p>	<p><b>Welcome to our assembly. It is our prayer that your time here is uplifting and encouraging. It is our sincere desire to worship God in Spirit and in Truth (John 4:24). Please enjoy your time with us and know that the churches of Christ greet you (Romans 16:16)</b></p>
<p><b>Ministers</b> Joey Partin Evan Weiss</p>	

**For the Record on May 20, 2012**

Sunday Morning Class –	62	Wednesday –	79
Sunday Morning –	99	Offering –	\$2,387.31
Sunday Evening –	87	2012 Budget –	\$3,044.27

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# WELCOME !

Visitors: if you are visiting today, you are our honored guest and we are pleased to have you! Please let us have a chance to meet and visit with you after service.

## "Prayer Requests"

Suanna Bagwell, Donna Barbour (sister of Carolyn McDonald), Noma Compton, Evelyn Coots, Rosa Espinoza (sister in law to Lupe Ybarra), Adell Green, Jett Green, Johnny James, Willene McElhaney, Oliver Massey, Ray Ramos (uncle of Luisa Lopez), Ruth Reed, Vernon Rogers, Lois Short, Laura Smith, Juan & Andrea Tapia, Ara Waller, Pat Webb & Calvin White.

## Families In Prayer



### This Week:

Laird Family  
& Law Family.

Let's uplift these families in prayer.



For the month of May we are collecting canned Fruits. You may bring them to church office or fellowship hall

anytime during the month.

Thank you for supporting our pantry.

The church office will be closed Monday May 28<sup>th</sup> in observance of Memorial Day.

**MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP  
SIGN -UP SHEET IS POSTED BY  
CHURCH OFFICE. PLEASE SIGN UP  
TO HELP WITH SET UP & CLEAN-UP  
FOR THESE EVENTS.**

Daniel & Katie Nash are hosting the youth devotional, today right after evening service.



Girls bring cookies;  
boys bring drinks.  
Address: 1509 W 9<sup>th</sup> St



Ladies Bible Study/Life-skills Class will be Tuesday May 29<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 AM  
Children are welcome!

## Upcoming Events

### Hot Dog & Ice Cream Party

Next Wednesday May 30<sup>th</sup>  
at 6:00 PM, Carolyn McDonald  
will be treating the  
"Reading Club Kids" to hot dogs  
& ice cream party to kick off the  
Summer Reading program. Please  
bring your favorite ice-cream topping.

Garland Street Church of Christ  
will have VBS from  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> – June 6<sup>th</sup>  
6:15 PM – 8:30 PM  
For all children ages 4 years  
through 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

## Monthly Fellowship Meal

Everyone is invited to stay for lunch after morning service June 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will honor those with June birthdays and anniversaries.



## First Sunday Singing!!!

is being hosted by Todd & Rachel Bissett on June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:00 PM.  
Their address is 1610 Smythe  
Please bring finger foods.

## Summer Reading club will start on



June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Come join us! The age group for this club is Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Hope you will join the fun! If you have any questions please call Carolyn McDonald at 293-8672.

## 70<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

The Children & Grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin D. Law invite you to celebrate their Seventieth Wedding Anniversary on Saturday June 16, 2012 from 3:00 PM-5:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

Your Friendship is a cherished gift, we respectfully request no other.

WBS News Bulletins & June calendars are available for pick up in both Foyers.

## Order of Worship

Announcements-

Byron Hutto

Song Service-

Jim Thompson

Communion-Luke 22:14-20

Todd Bissett

Prayer & Scripture- Luke 23:26-43

Stewart Webb

Message- "...even death on a cross"

Evan Weiss

Closing Prayer-

Samson Weiss

## Evening Devotional

Opening Prayer-

Elmo Snelling

Song Leader-

Jim Thompson

Message-

Evan Weiss

Closing Prayer-

Johnny McDonald

## Wednesday Evening Devotional



5<sup>th</sup>  
WEDNESDAY  
DEVOTIONAL