

**Jars of Clay; 2 Corinthians 4:6-12**

- I. Surpassing Power
  - A. We have been taught \_\_\_\_\_ equals success
  - B. Paul says that “surpassing power belongs to \_\_\_\_\_”
  - C. We are \_\_\_\_\_ not rods of steel
  - D. We are not made strong in our power, only in our \_\_\_\_\_ — 2 Corinthians 12:7–9
- II. Jars of Clay — 2 Corinthians 4:7
  - A. My mother worked with ceramics — she was a \_\_\_\_\_ thrower
  - B. Our bodies are the same way — \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. I think Paul uses this analogy \_\_\_\_\_ — Romans 9:21; 1 Corinthians 15:42–44
- III. The Life of Jesus — 2 Corinthians 4:8–10
  - A. These jars of clay, these mortal bodies are subject to the forces of evil — Satan is searching for those of us who will give into the desires of our flesh, give into \_\_\_\_\_ (1 Peter 5:8) — Romans 6:5
  - B. “We have this treasure” — \_\_\_\_\_ — in jars of clay! — 1 Corinthians 15:50–55
- IV. “Unlimited Power!”
  - A. Our power does not stem from anything we have \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Our power stems from eternal life that dwell in our terminal \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. We must embrace our \_\_\_\_\_ in order to manifest God’s strength — His surpassing power
  - D. Mortal power is nothing compared to \_\_\_\_\_ — and we only get immortality through the blood of Jesus

*“Building our faith, by sharing the Faith, in love, here and abroad.”*



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**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)**

**For the Record on March 11, 2018**

Sunday Morning Class –	61	Wednesday –	48
Sunday Morning –	78	Offering –	\$2,976.76
Sunday Evening –	54	2018 Budget –	\$2,917.92

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# WELCOME

Friends and 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 Request

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Mel Batey, Lakyn Bradshaw, Thelma Brock, Buchanan family, Darrell Carter, Ricky Carter, Julian Castañeda, Charles & Cynthia Grubbs, Hutto family, Darlene Johnson (Pauline's sister), Mears Family, Reese family, Mike Roberts (brother to John Roberts) Lupe Silva, Laura Smith, & Billy Thornton (brother-in-law to Ted Porter).

### Remember Our Shut-ins

with prayers, cards, and visits. PeeWee Baker, Joyce Beals, Elsie Frazier, Faye Hayes, Daphine Jamison, Daisy Law, Latina Smith, Laura Smith, Curtis & Thelma Surley and Vernell Thompson



## In Prayer This Week

Caswell family and Cavazos family. Please uplift these families in prayer this week.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Doug Buchanan and his family. His dad passed away Monday March 12<sup>th</sup>, and his services were yesterday. Please keep them in your prayers during this difficult time.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Carla Reese and her family. Her mother Charlsie Willis passed away Sunday March 11<sup>th</sup> and her services were Thursday. Please keep them in your prayers during this difficult time.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Jonell Brannon and her family. Her brother Tommy Lee Wilson passed away Sunday March 11<sup>th</sup>, and his services were yesterday. Please keep them in your prayers during this difficult time.

**This week the Wi-Fi password for 9<sup>th</sup> & Columbia COC-guest is "JarsofClay". We will have a new password every Sunday.**

Congratulations to Eddie & Sarah Ramirez! They were married Monday March 12<sup>th</sup>. May God bless their marriage.

Please be here for LTC practice today at 2 PM.

We have a mailing address for Janea Coleman. Please send her a card or word of encouragement. The address is as follows:  
Ship 12  
EIV Div. 143  
Recruit Training Command  
3515 Sailor Drive  
Great Lakes, IL 60088-3515

## Youth Devo

Richard & Eva Green are hosting the youth devo today after evening worship. Everyone bring drinks. It will be at their house, the address is 3501 Kirchwood.

## Upcoming Events

Next visitation meeting is Wednesday March 21<sup>st</sup>, at 6:15 in the fellowship hall. If you'd like to eat with us, bring a sack lunch, we eat at 6. Everyone is encouraged to come.

**Our First Sunday Fellowship meal will be April 8<sup>th</sup>, due to Easter being on April 1<sup>st</sup>.**

## Order of Worship

Song Service-

Jim Thompson  
English Español  
19 3  
676  
389  
350

Communion- I Cor 15:54-58

Mike Hodges

Offering-  
578

Prayer & Scripture- II Cor 4:6-12

Ted Porter

410 56  
412

Children's Worship –

Jesus Loves Me

Message- "Jars of Clay"

Evan Weiss

Invitation Song

903 189

Shepherd's Prayer

864

## Evening Worship

Prayer-

Paul Scott

Song Service-

Dennis Watters

Message –

Evan Weiss

Closing Prayer-

Ted Porter