

June 9, 2019

WHO IS THE TEMPTER?

Matthew 4:1-11 4 Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. 2 After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. 3 The tempter came to him and said, "If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread." 4 Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'" 5 Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. 6 "If you are the Son of God," he said, "throw yourself down. For it is written:

"He will command his angels concerning you,
and they will lift you up in their hands,
so that you will not strike your foot against a stone "

7 Jesus answered him, "It is also written: 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'" 8 Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. 9 "All this I will give you," he said, "if you will bow down and worship me." 10 Jesus said to him, "Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.'" 11 Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.

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HOW DOES ONE BECOME A MEMBER OF THE CHURCH?

One does not "join" the church. **The Lord adds** to the church those who are being saved (Acts 2:47). To be saved, one must do the will of God (Matt. 7:21-23). The will of God as expressed by the New Testament, for the sinner outside the body of Christ must:

HEAR THE GOSPEL
Romans 10:17

BELIEVE IN CHRIST
John 8:24 Hebrews 11:6

REPENT OF THEIR SINS
Acts 17:30 & 26:20

CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST
Matt. 10:32 Rom. 10:10

**BE BAPTIZED FOR THE
REMISSION OF SINS**
Mark 16:16 Acts 2:38 Acts 22:16

BE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH
Rev. 2:10



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WORSHIP SERVICES
Sunday
11:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

BIBLE STUDY
Sunday 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

SPANISH SERVICES
Sunday Worship 2:00 P.M.
Spanish Bible Study
Sunday 1:00 P.M.
Thursday 7:00 P.M.

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WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

You are our honored guests. We hope your visit with us today will be rewarding and spiritually uplifting. In order that we may serve you better, please fill out a yellow visitor's card located on the back of each pew and drop in the collection plate.

NEWS and PRAYER REQUESTS

JOHN SULLIVAN had surgery to remove his old kidneys on June 6 . His recovery is going much slower than was expected. He now has a fever and fluid in his lungs. He needs our congregation to continually pray for him. Pray for Eme too.

ROY HAND, former Melrose member, has been diagnosed with pulmonary hypertension. We must keep Roy in prayer. Keep Juanita in prayer also.

TOMMY THOMPSON is still suffering from shingles, although he is improving a little at a time. He is especially feeling pain around the back & shoulder areas. Please keep him in prayer for healing and to have less pain.

KATHY SMITH keeps on healing nicely, getting a little stronger each week. She must rest frequently as she tires easily and still has pain. Keep her in prayer

DUANE TOLBERTSON remains, for the most part, about the same. He keeps his eyes closed most of the time due to Blepharitis. He has strong days and weak days. Please pray for more stronger days.

LENA TOLBERTSON still has Caregiver hip and back pain. Still no extra help from Hospice and the Caregiver Agency. Please pray for approval of help with Duane at mealtime/bedtime each evening.

GENESIS & SELENA, Mariella's granddaughters, will soon go for a week long series of tests to see which part of their brain the seizures are coming from. Genesis will start tests on June 24. Please remember these very young girls in your prayers.

PEOPLE IN MID-WEST AFFECTED BY FLOOD WATERS NEED PRAYERS!

REMEMBER THE VICTIMS OF THE VIRGINIA BEACH SHOOTING

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

KEN & RUTH ALTOM to have a level of comfort and improved

FRANCHOT RANDOLPH to keep getting stronger as he heals.

ANN SMITH to have her eye problems resolved.

MICHAEL MORENO to be rid of the medical issues he's had for a long time.

THERESA O'BERRY to have complete healing from her recent surgery.

MARILYN BURR to keep on having wholeness and well-being.

ESTHER MARTINEZ to have strength while recuperating from esophagus surgery

ADA GAGEN, 3 years old, to have improvement in health.

MARIESTER, Esther Martinez' mother, has a successful knee surgery.

****Send prayer requests, news & updates to: melcobulletin@yahoo.com**

COMING EVENTS

JOE GORMANY will deliver the morning sermon: "*Who is The Tempter?*".

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE: Be back tonight @ 6:00 pm as **STEVEN O'BERRY** shares a thought provoking message: "*How to live faithfully*".

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: This week's study: Isaiah 14:1-23, on page 79, in *The One Year Chronological Bible*. The Wednesday Night Class members would like to encourage all of our Brothers & Sisters to come & be a part of the class.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING * JUNE 29 @ 10:00 am * FELLOWSHIP HALL
Please make plans to attend. Questions can be answered & ideas presented.

BILINGUAL WORSHIP & POTLUCK ON JUNE 30. Please plan to attend.

EVANGELISM EVENTS @ VISTA FARMERS MARKET-2nd Saturday of each month. We will set up a booth with our banner, give away gift bags and interact with people. This is a great way to reach out to folks in the community in our quest to bring more people to Jesus at our church. *This is a congregational effort and your time is needed.* There is a sign up sheet in foyer, with time slots in 2 hour increments. (7-9; 9-11; 11-1) *Our first setup is JULY 13.* Let's rally around this and ramp up our efforts to increase church membership. Contact **Guillermo Melendez** or **Ann Smith** for greater details.

IMPORTANT-Action Required Persons with keys to the cabinets in the "Main Church Office" and the "Cradle Roll" Classroom, please see Brother Leroy Smith. We currently have items in them and we are not able to open them without the keys. It is important that we gain access to the items that are locked up. Thanking you in advance for your corporation

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

27 John & Eme Sullivan

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

4 Joseph Garcia

26 Ann Smith

6 Nick Lunsford Jaimes

30 Mariella Villalva