RAHAB, NOT WHO SHE USED TO BE

Joshua 2:1-7 2 Then Joshua son of Nun secretly sent two spies from Shittim. "Go, look over the land," he said, "especially Jericho." So they went and entered the house of a prostitute named Rahab and stayed there. ² The king of Jericho was told, "Look, some of the Israelites have come here to night to spy out the land." ³ So the king of Jericho sent this message to Rahab: "Bring out the men who came to you and entered your house, because they have come to spy out the whole land." ⁴ But the woman had taken the two men and hidden them. She said, "Yes, the men came to me, but I did not know where they had come from. ⁵ At dusk, when it was time to close the city gate, they left. I don't know which way they went. Go after them quickly. You may catch up with them." ⁶ (But she had taken them up to the roof and hidden them under the stalks of flax she had laid out on the roof.) ⁷ So the men set out in pursuit of the spies on the road that leads to the fords of the Jordan, and as soon as the pursuers had gone out, the gate was shut.

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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 CHRISTJohn 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 DEATHRev. 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

DUANE TOLBERTSON was diagnosed as being in the final stages of Alzheimer's. He has been getting weaker & weaker. No knows how much longer; he'll be with us. It could be days or weeks. Please pray for him to be comfortable and strength for LENA & their family during this difficult time.

ROY HAND recently had an angiogram, which is a procedure used to determine how much pressure buildup was occurring in his lungs resulting in shortness of breathe. It went well and he has been prescribed 2 new medications. Please keep Roy & Juanita in your prayers.

JOHN SULLIVAN participates 3 times per week in Cardio Rehab.. Hopefully this will help improve his strength and stamina. Pray this will provide the results that are being sought.

SELENA & GENESIS, Mariella's granddaughters, are both in the hospital again. Selena had another seizure on Thursday. Genesis has a fever but no seizure. Please remember this young children in your prayers.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

ALICIA HERNANDEZ family to have peace of mind & comfort after their loss.

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

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

KATHY SMITH to be relieved of the hip pain she's had for quite a while.

ANN SMITH to have her eye problems resolved.

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

ALEJANDRA, Mariela's sister, to fully recover from recent breast cancer surgery

ROY & JUANITA HAND for strength and improved health.

HAROLD MARSHALL (3-1/2 yr old) to keep making progress after brain surgery.

ADA GAGEN to get her kidney transplant soon & improve in other areas of health.

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

COMING EVENTS

<u>JOE GORMANY</u> will deliver the morning sermon: "Rahab, Not Who She Used To Be". Joshua 2:1-7

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE TONIGHT @ 6:00 pm JOE GORMANY will brings us the message: "Darkness and our enemy".

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: This week's study: Psalm 94:1-23, page 825 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.

BAPTISMS: CHRISTINE SANCHEZ & PATRICIA CONNOLLY were baptized on Monday, October 14 by *Joe Gormany*. Please give them a big hug and welcome, rendering any assistance they may need as "New Babes in Christ".

CHRISTIAN RELIEF FUND * SEND CARDS, LETTERS, PICTURES TO OUR SPONSORED CHILDREN. Anora David will be traveling to Liberia and can take these items with her & deliver them to our kids. Items must be in their office by December 1. You can contact Karen Talley@ktalley@christianrelieffund.org for more information.

IN SEARCH OF THE LORD'S WAY with PHIL SANDERS will be shown on KFMB @ 7:00 am on Sunday mornings. This program is a wealth of information, resources and the preaching of Christ & you are encouraged to see for

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

28 Freddy Munoz

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

5 Tommy & Jan Thompson 14 Franchot & Betty Randolph

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10 Glenna Mendoza 21 Giovanni Van Rosendales

12 Carlos Gallardo