## **NorthWest Church of Christ Newsletter**

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#### A Few Thoughts from a Shepherd

John, "remember your in Sales and not Management", I recall this statement still today when my Christian Brother at work reminded me of this truth some 20 years ago.

We are called to speak and relate and affirm our life. We are called to listen to those we touch and hear them plainly and act upon what we hear. We are called to be the vessel of the Spirit, letting it encourage and hold us accountable. And yes we are called to deliver the Good News.

How we relate and how we respond is our role—we are in Sales.

If we wrestle with control in our life, if we plan to what we believe is perfection, then we move into management—into control. When we try to be in management, we move beyond relationships—we strategize, we focus on activity and metrics and take life out of the equation.

We have a Father, a Good, Good Father that happens to be our creator and a Loving Savior. Why would we want to replace Him, why would we want to place ourselves as management of the Spirit inside us all? Look to Jesus, Listen to the Spirit and let The Great I Am be our manager!!

Lets continue the conversation...email me at johnckellerjr@gmail.com

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#### **GET ON THE LIST**

please email us at the above address that you wish to be added. Please state your name and enter your email address in the body of the email.

#### YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS

When you have an email prayer request you wish to share with the congregation, please email us at the above email address. Please keep in mind your prayer request will be sent to many in the congregation. If there is something private you do *not* wish to share with the congregation, please go directly to an Elder or a Minister with your concern. Please note, there may be some editing due to clarification, spelling, etc. but your intended message will not change.

#### **UPDATES**

We appreciate updates! If your prayer request has an update, please let us know. Simply indicate in your follow-up prayer request that this is an update.

#### A NEW LOOK

When you receive an email request it may be noted in your inbox as: Wings Prayer <noreply@fellowshiponego.com

#### **REPLIES**

Do not reply to the email you receive!

#### **UNSUBSCRIBE**

If you wish to *no longer receive* prayer requests, simply unsubscribe when you receive a prayer request.

We are here for you! If you wish to volunteer to help with this ministry, please send us an email with the subject heading VOLUNTEER with your name, email address and phone number. You will be contacted.

## GOOD MORNING CHURCH FAMILY

To hear this mornings parking lot service on your radio, the frequency is 93.7 FM.

Also, please feel free to have a burst of cool air this morning while worshiping in your car.

## Need Firewood for the Winter?

If you would like to get some free oak firewood, Fred Massey is the person to see. Contact Fred at 210-260-0297 and make arrangements to pick it up.

## Prayer Request:

- Pray for endurance as the virus and limitations drag on.
- ♦ Johna & Billie Dorries
- John Long
- John Ashinhurst
- ♦ Blessings for Don & Debbie Locke on their move back to Houston.

### Wednesday Nights:

Join Marvin in his class on Ezra with a brief video intro and lesson sheet. You can get it on the website or Facebook on Wednesday's.

Next Sunday, July 19th, online services only. Family devotional service at 9am, regular worship at 10am.

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