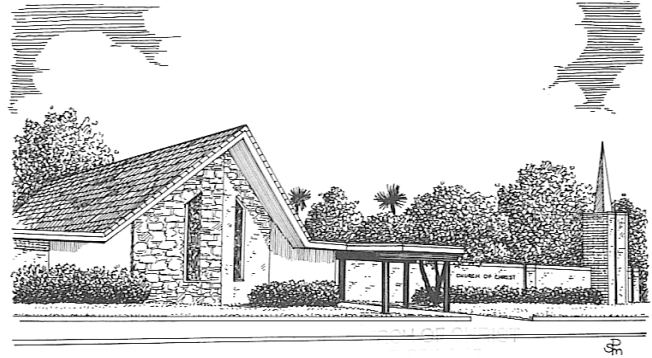


Palm Springs Church of Christ
1450 N. Avenida Caballeros
1-760-327-2521
Kitchen: 1-760-325-7022
Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 2267
Palm Springs, CA 92263
email: pscoc@hotmail.com
www.palmspringschurchofchrist.com
Office hours:
Monday - Thursday
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
November 15, 2020



Palm Springs Church of Christ

Palm Springs, CA

Contacts		Church Secretary
Blake Axsom: 1-864-517-6922	Dail Paramore: 1-760-288-0879	Kathy Ferrell 1-760-327-2521
Roy McDonald: 1-760-409-0700	David Winings: 1-760-409-0490	
Jeff Mercer: 1-760-578-9733		

YES! GOD IS WILLING! ...ARE YOU?

Luke 5: 12-13

While He was in one of the cities, behold, there was a man covered with leprosy; and when he saw Jesus, he fell on his face and implored Him, saying, "Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean." And He stretched out His hand and touched him, saying, "I am willing; be cleansed." And immediately the leprosy left him.

The Lord is willing to touch you and cleanse you right now! His arms are stretched out to you. God is willing! Are you willing to take the next steps toward HIM?

The leper had a deeply infectious, contagious skin disease that shouted out to everyone he met "unclean" in Jewish society. This leper became a social outcast, barred from all the activities at the Temple. But yet He saw Jesus and went toward Him and worshipped Him! Out of desperation he made his way to Jesus then he fell down at His feet and basically said, "Jesus, I know You can do all things, I have heard of Your fame and glory, so I know, if You want to (if you are willing) You can cleanse me!"

He didn't just ask for healing. He asked for cleansing. He needed to be washed from the inside out. He needed Jesus to go beyond leprosy of the skin and go to the leprosy of the heart. This man had been an outcast so you know he had to carry many emotional wounds as well as physical. And yes! Jesus went there! The leper left cleansed and healed!

This is what he did: he took steps toward Jesus and Jesus took steps toward him. He fell down to worship Jesus and made his request known, and Jesus responded by stretching out his hand of compassion and answered him with a YES...I AM WILLING!

But there is one thing you must remember: Faith without works is dead!

Read James 2:14-26

Here are some things you must do:

1. Recognize that Jesus can be found
2. Make the effort to go toward Jesus
3. Be intentional about your worship
4. Be specific about what you need
5. Get in a position to receive and be revived

condensed from an article by Janet Swanson, *mycrcc.com*

We have a commitment, empowered by the Holy Spirit,
To give glory to God
To be unified in reaching others
To be living witnesses for Christ

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 15:13

“And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord’s people. (Ephesians 6:18)

Pray for our Church family:

Keep Wanda in your prayers as she continues to recover. For those who mourn: Leo and Wanda Goodenough, Betty Johnson and Lucy McDonald. Continue to pray for the improved health of: Mae Britton, Ray & Sue Collins, Phyllis Francis, Leo & Wanda Goodenough, Delores Jensen, Betty Johnson, Brenda Jones, John Leonard, Roy & Lucy McDonald, Jeff & Michelle Mercer, Jerry Munn, Dail Paramore, Francis Pati, Jim Scott, and Joyce Winings.

Pray for family & friends:

Please keep John and Lori Francis and family in your prayers as they mourn the loss of their grandson Chris. Pray for the improved health of Mary Fields, Keith & Lisa Britton, Delores’ brother Len, Marjorie Counts, Stuart’s cousin Joanna, Kathy’s husband Kevin and cousin Bob, Brianna Schaldweiler, Robert Gray, Derek Fields, Dail’s friend Marie, Brenda’s son Uriah, Rossie Stansbury, and Wanda’s daughter Lynette.

First responders: Please remember to continue to pray for those who are serving their communities during this time. Phyllis Francis’ extended family member Alisha K. (EMT). Dail Paramore and Stuart Huggins’ family members: Joanna Carter (Nurse), Luther Carter (Naval Officer), Jody Huggins and Jory Huggins (both are MI Patrol Officers). Jerry Munn’s sister, Dr. Janice Massey of N.C. If you have family members or friends you would like to add to this prayer list, please let Kathy know.

Military:

Jeff & Michelle Mercer’s son-in-law Brandon Deussenberry, Kathy’s family friends T. Burgess and Tony Cairo and Glenn Fields.

Prayer Warriors Corner

God, thank You for leaving us Your inspired Word. Help us to read it carefully, interpret it correctly, and apply it enthusiastically in our lives. In Jesus’ name. Amen.

Our Daily Bread: Dave Branon; September, 2018

Read: Psalm 119:65-72

News:

Jim Scott has been hospitalized with pneumonia as well as other health issues. *Please pray for Jim, Edwina and their sons.*

Individually wrapped communion supplies will continue to be available for those who are not comfortable with in-person worship service and during temporary closures. *If you would like to pick some up, please contact Kathy and they will be bagged and ready for you when you arrive (Monday - Thursday 9:30 - 12:00).*

Community Food Bank continues to need support. They are averaging 200 people per week during this time. Thank you for your continued support and generosity, it is very much appreciated.

**Scripture readings:
Luke 5:12-15**

While Jesus was in one of the towns, a man came along who was covered with leprosy. When he saw Jesus, he fell with his face to the ground and begged him, “Lord, if you are willing, you can make me clean.” Jesus reached out his hand and touched the man. “I am willing,” he said. “Be clean!” And immediately the leprosy left him. Then Jesus ordered him, “Don’t tell anyone, but go, show yourself to the priest and offer the sacrifices that Moses commanded for your cleansing, as a testimony to them.” Yet the news about him spread all the more, so that crowds of people came to hear him and to be healed of their sicknesses.

Sermon topic:

“Touching a Leper”

Birthdays:

Susana Delgado:	11/1
Jennifer Curlee:	11/8
Wanda Goodenough:	11/29

Anniversaries:

R & S Collins:	11/10
E. Olea & S. Delgado:	11/18
M & Y Fuentes:	11/28

I know Love abounds among us, but unfortunately we will not be having in-person worship service this week.

In the meantime, the expenses of maintaining the building, yard care, property insurance, utilities, etc. continue.

If you can continue your financial support, please mail it to:
Palm Springs Church of Christ
P.O. Box 2267
Palm Springs, CA 92263
(Checks or money orders - do not mail cash)

God bless us all and bless our families and loved ones too.

In Search of the Lord’s Way

Watch excellent Bible-based messages every Sunday, 7:30 a.m., on KCWQ, VHF channel 2 or UHF channel 26. Also Available ANY TIME online with You Tube. Just enter: SearchTVMinistry and pick a sermon. <https://youtu.be/FxMzZ6ZKMdQ>

Sermons on YouTube: For the most recent locally recorded sermon, simply go to the Palm Springs Church of Christ webpage and click on the “sermons” category at the top of the page.

mychurchofchristradio.com

<http://www.crenshawchurchofchrist.com>

Tri Lakes Church of Christ in Monument, Colorado