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The Temporary and the Eternal

The walls of Jerusalem have shifted many times throughout history and today large sections of the ancient city lie outside the current Ottoman-era fortifications. Despite evidence of permanent settlement dating back to at least the Early Bronze Age (c. 3300–2300 B.C.E.), Jerusalem was not fortified until the Middle Bronze Age (c. 2000–1550 B.C.E.). Since then, the walls of Jerusalem have been destroyed and rebuilt multiple times. Indeed, the walls that surround the Old City of Jerusalem today are only around 500 years old, having been constructed by Sultan Suleiman the Magnificent in the mid-16th century. Just like their builder, however, the modern walls can only be described as magnificent.

The Old City of Jerusalem is currently divided into the Muslim, Christian, Armenian, and Jewish Quarters. It is home to nearly 40,000 people and hosts dozens of Christian, Muslim, and Jewish holy sites. The walls of the Old City encompass an area of roughly 250 acres and extend for more than 2.5 miles. Although the wall’s size varies at different points, on average, it stands 40 feet tall and measures 8 feet thick. Although eight gates can be seen along the walls, only seven are in use today.

-from *biblicalarchaeology.org*. OnSite: The Walls of Jerusalem



The Western wall or Wailing Wall

2 Corinthians 4:16-18 New English Translation
“Therefore we do not despair, but even if our physical body is wearing away, our inner person is being renewed day by day. For our momentary, light suffering is producing for us an eternal weight of glory far beyond all comparison because *we are not looking at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen. For what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.*”

**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**

*Welcome to the
Palm Springs Church of Christ*



We extend a cordial welcome to all who have entered this house of the Lord. We pray that you may find spiritual help and encouragement to face whatever may come in the week ahead.

“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:

Please keep Byron in your prayers as he continues to suffer from chronic headaches. We also ask that you continue to pray for the improved health of: Mae Britton, Kerry Britton, Lynette Brink, Sue Collins, Phyllis Francis, Wanda Goodenough, Brenda Jones, John Leonard, Roy McDonald, Jeff Mercer, Jerry Munn, Dail Paramore, and Francis Pati.

Pray for family & friends:

Pray for Marjorie Counts who is in hospice care, for Dustin Parker’s dad, Mike who continues to recover from a stroke and for Kerry’s co-worker, George Dagnino who has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. Pray for the improved health of: Michelle Candelario, Jim & Mary Ann D’Arcy, Mary Fields, Joy Gabel Filippone, Keith & Lisa Britton, Kathy’s husband Kevin, Derek Fields, Dail’s friends Marie C. and Teddy K.

First responders: Please keep those who are serving their communities in your prayers: Alisha K. (EMT); Joanna Carter (Nurse), Luther Carter (Naval Officer), Jody Huggins and Jory Huggins (both MI Patrol Officers); Dr. Janice Massey of N.C.

Military:

Jeff Mercer’s son-in-law Brandon Deusenberry, Glenn Fields, and Kathy’s family T. Burgess and T. Cairo.

Prayer Warriors Corner

In the name of Jesus, dear Lord, I thank You for the victory that Jesus won over Satan: for me, for the people I love, for the world. In Jesus’ name. Amen.

Power For Today: Ted N. Thomas; July 2022
Read: Esther 9:18-32

News:

Directory update: Dail Paramore has a new home phone number, please add this info to your directory for future reference: 760-610-1360.

Area Wide Singing & Fellowship will be held at Central Church of Christ in Hemet on Sunday, September 24th from 2:30 - 4:00 p.m. Location: 575 S. San Jacinto Street. [Please contact Roy if you would be interested in a ride to & from Hemet with him.](#)

The Community Food Bank: At this time, the most critically needed items are: 1 pound packs of spaghetti and canned pasta sauce. Other non-perishable items such as: small packs of rice and dried beans, Ramen/Cup of Noodles, Rice-A-Roni, canned tomatoes, & canned fruit are also welcome! Your donation is greatly appreciated.

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.

Scripture Readings: Nehemiah 6:1-4

When word came to Sanballat, Toblah, Geshem the Arab and the rest of our enemies that I had rebuilt the wall and not a gap was left in it - though up to that time I had not set the doors in the gates - Sanballat and Geshem sent me this message: “Come, let us meet together in one of the villages on the plain of Ono.” But they were scheming to harm me, so I sent messengers to them with this reply: “I am carrying on a great project and cannot go down. Why should the work stop while I leave it and go down to you?” Four times they sent me the same message, and each time I gave them the same answer.

Ephesians 6:10-12

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil’s schemes. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

Sermon Topic:

“Spiritual Victory over Satan’s Venom”



Birthdays:

Sue Collins:	9/1
Giovanni Gutierrez:	9/11
Dail Paramore:	9/13
Jerry Munn:	9/17
Edwina Scott:	9/27
Joseph Letalu:	9/28

Bible study: Sunday @ 9:30 a.m.

Worship service: Sunday @ 10:30 a.m.

WORSHIP ORDER

WELCOME / OPENING PRAYER
646: Onward, Christian Soldiers (1,2 & 4)
382: Why Did My Savior Come to Earth? (1-3)
COMMUNION & OFFERING: Matthew 26:26-29
647: Soldiers of Christ, Arise (1-5)
INTERLUDE
905: Yield Not to Temptation
SERMON
INVITATION
930: Jesus, the Loving Shepherd (1-3)
ANNOUNCEMENTS & CLOSING PRAYER

Sermons on line: 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.

<http://www.crenshawchurchofchrist.com>

Tri Lakes Church of Christ in Monument, Colorado