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Good News – Our Walk in Christ

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 ***God is spirit and those who worship Him***

 ***must worship in spirit and truth.***

 ***John: 4:24***

## Introducing the Desert Church of Christ

 The Desert Church of Christ follows and is defined by the New Testament without adding to it or taking away from it (*Deuteronomy 4:2; Revelation 22:18-19*). The church was built and purchased by the blood of Christ; and He is the head of the church (*Matthew 16:18; Acts 20:28; Colossians 1:17-18; Ephesians 5:22-23*). This congregation of the Lord's people specializes in being a church where our primary concern is with the spiritual needs of men and women; their need for God, for forgiveness of sins through baptism, for genuine God-pleasing worship, for pure lives that live in accordance with God's Word. We wholeheartedly embrace the Old Testament because it was written for our learning; to bring us patience, comfort, and hope (*Romans 15:4*). Also in [*Galatians 3:24-25*](http://biblia.com/bible/nkjv/Galatians%203.24-25)*,* we find that the Old Law is our schoolmaster, to bring us to Christ.

Come and visit us soon. We invite you to make an honest investigation of Christ's church in this community.

**EARTHQUAKES - PAHRUMP**

With the July earthquakes we felt in Pahrump on July 4 and 5, 2019, we are reminded to prepare for natural disasters including quakes. Nevada is the third most earthquake-active state in the US. There are several sites on-line such as [**https://earthquaketrack.com**](https://earthquaketrack.com)**, https://**[**www.cdc.gov**](http://www.cdc.gov). Click on “Earthquake preparedness checklist” or “Earthquake Pahrump” for lists of supplies to keep on hand and find out what to do before/after an earthquake. According to “Science Daily,” there is a 125 mile-long Stateline fault system extending along the California-Nevada state line, from Primm, NV, along Interstate 15 to the Amargosa Valley. The fault passes within 40 km of the Las Vegas strip, 10 km of the town center of Pahrump, and appears to end near the town of Amargosa Valley. Las Vegas has seven major fault lines running through it. …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..

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Schedule of Services**: Sunday**: AM Bible Class 10:00 am Morning Worship 11:00 am Evening Worship 5:00 pm

 **Tuesday**: Ladies Bible Class 1:00 pm

  **Wednesday**: Midweek Bible Study 6:00 pm

 **GARDENING HOW TO’S**

With the hot weather here, this is a good time to cut back your herb plants. You can cut mint sprigs, pull off the leaves at the bottom of the sprigs, and put them in a glass jar on your kitchen window sill. You’ll soon see little roots growing, and as they get established, you can put them in dirt-filled pots. This works for basil, mint, lemon balm, and oregano. Try mint leaves in ice tea and basil and oregano on pizza and in salads.

**RECIPES FROM THE HEART**

Put your herbs to work in the kitchen!

***MINTED PEAS***

*Ingredients: 2 10-oz.packages frozen peas*

 *1 Tbs. chopped onion*

 *1 Tbs. chopped mint*

 *¼ cup butter or margarine*

Cook the frozen peas as directed but add chopped onion and mint; drain. Add butter/margarine and toss gently until butter is melted. Serve hot. Serves 6.

***Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices—mint, dill and cumin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practiced the latter, without neglecting the former.***

***…Matthew 23:23***

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**FAMILY AND FRIENDS DAY**

Saturday, July 27th and Saturday, August 31st

Please join us on Family and Friends Day (see dates above) at 12:00 noon for a pot-luck at Desert Church of Christ. We’d like to meet and greet our neighbors. Appetizers, entrees, snacks, dessert and soft drinks are provided by the church. Come and visit us for food, fellowship and games. **Please RSVP to the** **church at (775) 751-1045**. All are welcome!

***But [God] led His own people forth like sheep and guided them [with a shepherd’s care] like a flock in the wilderness. And He led them safely and in confident trust, so that they feared not; but the sea overwhelmed their enemies.***

***Psalm 78:52-53***