

WEEKLY UPDATE - January 15, 2020



As I watched LSU win the national championship last night, I remembered something that I wanted to share with you about the starting Quarterback and the Head Coach of this National Championship team.

Did you know that the head coach Ed Orgeron had previously been fired by Mississippi for not being a good enough coach? Did you know when he was at USC the administration thought so little of him that despite a winning record as their interim coach, they hired someone else to lead the program. Talk about your bad coach.

Then you look at the Heisman winning Quarterback Joe Burrow. He went to Ohio State to start his career and was told he simply wasn't good enough to Quarterback that program. So, he had to transfer to LSU to even get a chance to be a starting Quarterback for a Division I program.

Both men were considered not good enough to lead a program or a team and yet, when given another chance both succeeded at the very highest level. If you are a football fan or not it should give you confidence that despite what people say about you or even if you have been fired from a job or told you aren't good enough to perform a job, you should keep trying. After all Peter failed at least 3 times and aren't you glad he didn't stop trying? We have a God full of grace and He doesn't make junk! Don't give up!

God bless you all...real good
Pastor Scott



HAVE YOU PRAYED TODAY?

The Prayer team encourages you to pray for the following during your daily prayers.

1. Please pray for Elders and Deacons who have willingly agreed to be servants of God.
2. Please pray for people and animals who are suffering around the world because of wildfires, earthquakes and volcanoes.



DID YOU KNOW that singing for JOY is a faith statement?

DID YOU KNOW that giving statements will be available Friday, January 17? If you would like to receive your statement via email, please let Mary Copeland know; loumarycope@gmail.com

DID YOU KNOW that John Lamb created the board and organized our name tags? Thank You, John for your work. There will be baskets available for you to drop your name tags in after service and they will be displayed on Sunday morning, alphabetically by last name for you to find.

DID YOU KNOW that we will be directing all people to use the foyer doors when coming in the church for services? This will help improve the chances of visitors finding the Welcome Center and having the opportunity to experience CCC Making God's Love Real.

DID YOU KNOW that there will be a Women's and a Men's Bible Study beginning in January? The Women's study will be on Wednesdays and Thursdays beginning January 22/23 at 10:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. The Men's study will be on Thursdays beginning January 23 at 5:30 p.m. Women, if you did not sign up but would like to come, please call Becky. (719) 251-9235.

DID YOU KNOW that Women's Ministry will be collecting items for Los Pobres the months of January, February, and March? Items needed are: Baby Supplies, Diapers, Baby Clothes, Bedding and Men's Clothing, especially Shoes.

DID YOU KNOW that the Prayer Team will be meeting the second Tuesday of each month at 11:00 AM, beginning in February? Any prayer requests can be shared with Ruth Anne Pearce; (719) 544-0691 or the church office (719) 544-9822 or office@cccueblo.net.

DID YOU KNOW that the pictures that were on the Heritage Time Line are available in the foyer? Thank you for sharing your pictures and memories.

DID YOU KNOW that Central Christian Church is posting You Tube videos of our Sunday morning scripture reading and sermons? Search: Central Christian Church Pueblo. In You Tube. All of the videos will come up in that search and you can choose which date you would like to watch.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Thanks for: Transplant received for Cara Barnes, our church family, Pastor Schurle, God's protection, and those who spend many hours keeping things running smoothly.

For Comfort: The family of Wes and Donna Stratman, the family of LaVerne Shannon, Marilyn Rupp and the families of James Ruelen and of Donna Hewitt.

For Health Concerns: Anthony and Lilly Garcia, Larry Barney, Jim Gallagher, Tom Bregar, Linda Linfoot, Sharon Ross, Mariellen Dibble, Lee Summers, Paula Maine, Diane Olson, Jeanne Cacciatore, Ruth Abernathy, Colleen Goff, Vicki Minor, Charlotte Garnett, Pat Craig, Ruth Ann Voss, Sandy Bidwell, Joyce Hill, Steve and Janet Pena, Tom Whaley, Ruth Anne Pearce, Kathy Scott, Pat Thomas, Genette Mercer, Delpha Melton, Steve Barnes and Donna Young.

Continued Treatments: Dan Miller and Cara Barnes

The Caregivers: Wilbur Thomas, and Janie Gallagher

Receiving Cancer Treatment: Dani Tupper and David Cortese

For Our Shut-Ins: Pat Mutz, Norma Blodgett, Betty Kurtz, Joyce Hill, Ruth Cannon, Martha Tuttle, Pat Craig, Bud Daniel, Ruth Ann Voss, and Tom Whaley.

Those Serving in the Military: Riley Alton (Connie Burkholder's grandson), Matthew Barren (deployed) and wife Jenna (Donna Young's granddaughter), and Charlie Ferris (Mary Copeland's grandson)

Away at Training: Christopher Daugherty

Desiring Wisdom: Our Board Chair and Members, Elders, Deacons, and Pastor Scott.

Those serving through the Shepherding program for JAN

Connecting: Greg Millard **Crisis:** Judy Warren & Jeff Fox

Shut-Ins: Judy Thomas **Celebration:** Mary Copeland