

Welcome Visitors

We hope you will find our service to be Christ centered, uplifting, warm and loving, and that you will visit us again. If we can be of assistance to you or answer questions for you, please do not hesitate to ask or call on us. Join us as we seek to praise and worship God in spirit and truth.

Order of Worship

Announcements
Opening Prayer
Song
Scripture Reading
Song
Sermon & Invitation
Song
Offering
Communion
Closing Prayer

Faith

doesn't always take you out of the situation or circumstance. More often, faith takes you boldly through the deepest valleys. Faith rarely takes away the pain, yet it graciously gives you the ability to handle it. Faith doesn't remove you from the storm or its path, but it is faith that calms you in the middle of the storm.

Amen!

Prayer Concerns

OUR KBCOC FAMILY

Carolyn Binns, Margaret Briggs, Paula Edwards, Nettie Gardner, Mitchell Goodman, Mary Gragg, Kywanda Hines, Raymond Jackson, Charles Jacobs, Niyah & Novah Jacobs (Daughters of Skylar & Kalissha Jacobs), James McCray, Marie Nolan, Linda Shepard, Cal Sheets, Tessie Smith and Bobbie Suber

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Andy Boykin, Stephen Bragg Family, Henry & Pearl Johnson, Patrice Joseph, Elaine Lambert, Dewayne McCray, Antonio Robertson, Corrine Smith, Sherrill Stephens, Vera Suber and Terry & Gertie Trezvant

IN THE MILITARY

Blake Block, Shan Ivey & husband, Logan Malik Smith, Deshawn Suber and Kevin Trotter

Continued prayers for all of the following families that have lost their loved ones this year (2 Corinthians 1:3-4):

Paula Edwards Family
Mary Gragg Family
Patricia Haynes Family
William Hines Family
Linda Goodman Sheets Family
Amari Smith Family
Kattie Trotter Family

Announcements

BAPTISM SUPPORT

September/October

Brandi Smith, Lucy Williams

WESTSIDE COC-CROSSETT ANNUAL FELLOWSHIP/ GOSPEL MEETING

September 22-25, 2024

Lunch 12:00-2:30 p.m.
Sunday Fellowship 3:00 p.m.

Nightly Meeting 7:30 p.m.

September Birthdays

04 JKyree McCray
05 Jayla McCray
08 Rosie Trotter
11 Cornelius McCray
12 Kelly Cogshell
Arianna (Gragg) Williams
15 Christal Harvey
15 Cal Sheets
18 Juerga Smith
22 Ca'lysia Harvey
26 Ty Nolen
28 Christian Block
30 Sam Vincent

September Anniversaries

17 Cal & Linda Sheets

SEPT 26-28, 2024

LITTLE ROCK, AR

Beautifully Rooted

No Cost to Attend

All Meals Provided

8TH ANNUAL
Women of Excellence Symposium



Katie Earlene Dawnielle Karla Jarilyn India Deb

REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE

First 100 ladies to register receive our memorabilia WOE bag

<https://woesymposium.wixsite.com/woe5>

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Kennedy Blvd. Church of Christ

SUNDAY

Bible Study

10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship

11:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study

7:00 p.m.

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*The Friendly
Church with
a Vital
Message*

CAN'T KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT?

As Terry Mikel was speeding toward Tucson, he passed a car, an unmarked Arizona Highway Patrol car. The officer pulled Terry over. When Terry explained that he was late for a class he was teaching at the University of Arizona, the officer took pity on him and let him off with a warning. Before he went back to his car he said, "Slow down and drive safe."

Terry felt obligated to correct him. "Excuse me, Sir, but it should be 'Slow down and drive safely.' You said, 'Drive safe.'"

The officer walked back to his car and wrote him a \$72 speeding ticket.

We can't do it, can we? We just can't seem to keep our mouths shut! Looking back, we know we shouldn't have said a word, but at the time we felt so compelled to speak. Maybe you didn't get a ticket as a result, but you've done something just as foolish, haven't you? Maybe even this morning, before reading this message. Maybe even before leaving your house! James was so right when he wrote:

If anyone does not stumble in word, he is a perfect man, able also to bridle the whole body ... For every kind of beast and bird, of reptile and creature of the sea, is tamed and has been tamed by mankind. But no man can tame the tongue ([James 3:2-8 NKJV](#)).

That's not an excuse, incidentally, to let our tongues run wild. Rather, it's a challenge. As hard as it may be to control our tongues, it is essential that we as Christians strive to do just that. We stand to lose more than \$72 if we fail to do so. As Solomon said:

He who guards his mouth preserves his life, but he who opens wide his lips shall have destruction ([Proverbs 13:3](#)).

Lord, we truly want to use our tongues to Your glory this day. As difficult as it may be, help us to guard our mouths as we resist the temptation to speak at those times when we ought to keep quiet. In Jesus' name, amen.

ALAN SMITH'S THOUGHT FOR THE DAY