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prayer requests, announcements, and bulletin information.

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Morning Worship Service

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October 4

Announce/Prayer	Ralph Ycedo	Ralph Ycedo
Song Leader	Maverick Grypp	Maverick Grypp
Lord's Supper Bread	Kent Grypp	Kent Grypp
Cup	John Camp	John Camp
Scripture Reading	Aron Smith	Aron Smith
God's Message	Jeff Wealand	Jeff Wealand
Closing Prayer	Jim Boal	Jim Boal

Evening Worship Service

Announce/Prayer	Ralph Ycedo	Ralph Ycedo
Song Leader	Jeff/Ralph	Jeff/Ralph
Lord's Supper	Tom Bond	Tom Bond
God's Message	Song Fest	Jeff Wealand
Closing Prayer	Jim Boal	Jim Boal

SERMON NOTES
WHAT HAVE WE BEEN DRINKING?
Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 2:13-19

The Samaritan Woman Drank, John 4:10-11
The Jews Drank, John 7:37-44
Christians Drink, 1st Corinthians 12:12-14

Christ came by water and blood, he didn't come by water alone, but by water and blood, it is His Spirit who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth, 1st John 5:6

ANNOUNCEMENTS & PRAISE REPORTS

- ❖ **Hands of Kindness** will be resuming their Gatorade project at Silly Mountain trailhead on October 3. Volunteers or questions see **Aron Smith**
- ❖ **Kathy** reports a successful mission to Ecuador; they were able to see 1,069 people. God is good!

PRAYER REQUESTS

- ❖ **Kallie** passed away Monday night. She fought with incredible strength and courage for 10 years. She is now free from pain and resting peacefully. Remember her family and friends as they mourn her loss, they thank you for many years of prayers.
- ❖ **Linda** asks for prayers for **Ruth** who is having health issues.
- ❖ Prayers also for **Linda** as well as the many **others in our family** who are caregivers. The role of caregiver is often stressful and takes a lot of strength, mentally and physically
- ❖ **Pete Childers** who was traveling back to Arizona when he had medical issues and went to ER. Prayers for full recovery and his return to worship with us.
- ❖ Keep **Mark Pitts** in your prayers, he is having health issues preventing him from worshipping with us.
- ❖ Keep **Barbara Bishop, Jay Borg, Mary Camp, Paul Ploussard, Micky Denney, Roy & Kathy King** and their families in prayer after the recent loss of loved ones

- ❖ Continue to keep **Leslee Ahrens** in prayer, for her Addison's disease and other health issues preventing her from worshipping with us.

- ❖ **Keep the following members in your prayers for ongoing issues:** **Mair Wealand** and her sister **Debra**, **Bonnie Griffin**, **Mark Pitts**, **Dwayne**, **Susan Walker Pope** medical issues, **Peg Smith**, **Ellie Evans**, **Norma Jean**, **Sharon** medical issues. **Deon's** daughter in law, **Caitlyn** and niece, **Carissa**, **Paul Johnson**, **Nancy** and **Daniel Sawyer**.

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Church of Christ
Welcome to Gold Canyon Church of Christ!
We are so glad you have chosen to
worship with us today.

Mission Statement:
Be a loving Christ-centered family, living for God, united in Spirit. We are committed to lighting the world by boldly preaching and teaching His Word in love, as revealed by Scripture only authority, the Bible.

Schedule of Services
9am Sunday – Bible Class
(this service is live streamed)
10am Sunday- Worship Service
(this service is live streamed)
5pm Sunday – Worship Service/Bible Study

ELDERS - Jim Boal, Tom Bond,
and Ralph Ycedo
Minister - Jeff Wealand

TIDBITS FOR THOUGHT

HOLY HOPE

Isaiah 40:31 “But those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.” Over two thousand years ago, our Lord Jesus screamed into the blackness of an ugly Friday, “My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?” ... a plaintive, heartfelt yet brutally honest question that each of us have probably screamed or shouted or whimpered into the heavens at one point or another in our lives here on a fallen planet. The very fact that those words were uttered by Jesus while He was hanging on a cross, should let each of us know that we are not alone in our hurt, our grief, and our questions. After that eventful Friday, came a Sunday when the beautiful and angelic words, “He is not here, He is risen,” gave eternal and holy hope to a suffering world. One of the greatest gifts that God has given us is the gift of hope that anchors the soul and illuminates the path that leads to light. All of the promises scattered throughout Scripture are designed for one thing....to inspire hope. Hope, coupled with faith, gives us the ability to look at any situation and know that regardless of how bleak and impossible it may appear, God is in control and is present in our lives at all times. This is the very essence and bedrock of holy hope. In the ebb and flow of human life we all have those dark and frightening Fridays.... Fridays that may seem dark and hopeless and endless. Yet no matter the depth of our grief.... the pain of our loss.... the hurt of our betrayal.... the torture of our rejection.... the weight of our burdens.... the darkness of our depression.... we have the hope and the faith that our Sunday will

eventually arrive. God has given us many things, both spiritual and physical to remind us that He is in control and that eventually the hope of Sunday will arrive. In the physical world, He gives us the light of a sunrise each and every day to chase away the darkness. He shows us through the timeless movements of the tide that some things never change. He shows us through the ever-changing seasons that there is a time for everything. He shows us by the birth of a baby that the hope of humanity is alive. He shows us through the softness of a snowflake the gentleness of His nature and through an avalanche of those very snowflakes His mighty power. He shows us the rainbow after the storm as an eternal promise. In the spiritual world, He gave us the power of prayer to communicate our challenges, our fears, our hopes, our dreams, and our gratitude. He gave us the gift of the Holy Spirit to guide us, convict us and give us focus. He gave us the never changing truths of Scripture to encourage us.....sustain us.....nourish us....and give us a holy hope that is eternal.

Think about it!

Aron Smith

Neighborhood Outreach Program

If you are interested in joining the Hands of Kindness team, e-mail Aron at aronandpeg@aol.com