

YOUTH MINISTRY

PARENTS AND TEENS:



Beginning **today** at 9:00 and 10:30 a.m., the F.I.R.E. Student ministry will be hosting a seven week Bible Study series on teen sexuality called "Sex Ed."

Topics include: Cultural messages concerning sex, sexual identity, dating and intimacy, desire and control, how far is too far?, responsibilities, and restoration.

Teens, invite your friends for this eye opening study about God's gift of sex. Parents, let us help you to communicate with your child concerning this challenging topic.

We welcome parental involvement and would love to have parents help us teach this challenging series on Sunday mornings. **Any parents who failed to receive their Discussion guide can get one at the Connection Center.** For questions, call Ariel or John David at 855-3798.

SPIRITUAL RETREAT

March 9 - 11, 2007

The youth group will host a leader/spiritual retreat this year for students at Cloudcroft, New Mexico. The group will leave Friday after school and return Sunday evening. This way they can spend all of spring break with their families.

Price and details will be announced soon.



LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

Sunday, February

11

4:00 - 7:00 p.m.

If you are involved in any area of Ministry Leadership at Vista del Sol, please make every effort to be at the Leadership Summit. Pastor Walter will be sharing his vision for our church this year. There will also be time for you to meet with others in your area of ministry (Small Groups [Sundays & Weekdays], Children & Student Small Groups, etc.). Plan to stay for a pizza fellowship following the summit. Child care will be provided. Please call the Cheryl Reed at 855-3798 to sign up for child and/or fill out a Re-

MOTHERS OF PRESCHOOLERS



Topic: Romancing Your Hubby!!

M.O.P.S. will meet **Thursday, Feb. 8th** at 9:15 a.m.

...because mothering matters

All preschool moms are welcome to join us for a hot breakfast, fun, and fellowship. Give yourself a break and come have a good time with other moms!!

THIS WEEK AT VDSBC

Tuesday, February 6

Men's Prayer Fellowship 6:00 a.m.
Ladies' Small Groups 9:00 a.m.
Ladies' Small Groups 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 7

Men's Fraternity 6:00 a.m.
Little Learners/MDO 9:00 a.m.
AWANA 6:30 p.m.
Men's Fraternity 7:00 p.m.
Grupo Pequeño 7:00 p.m.
Prayer and Praise 7:00 p.m.
Ladies Small Groups 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 8

MOPS 9:30 a.m.
Celebration Choir Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.
Through the Bible 6:30 p.m.

Friday, February 9

Little Learners/MDO 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, February 10

Men's Bible Study 7:00 a.m.

4 A's Senior Adults Potluck February 11, Sunday At Café del Sol

If participating, please sign up after the 9:00 or 10:30 a.m. worship service at Café del Sol or call Tom Cliett at 591-9563.

PARENT - CHILD DEDICATION

There will be a parent-child dedication on Sunday, February 18. If interested in dedicating your child to the Lord, please contact Cheryl at 855-3798.

CROSSING GUARDS

We presently are in need of individuals (perhaps police officers) willing to volunteer their time in directing people, mainly teenagers, to the crosswalk when crossing to and from the Firehouse located in the Big Lots Shopping Center. The challenge has been in having individuals cross at the crosswalk (intersection of Vista del Sol and George Dieter). Crossing in the middle of the street is illegal and dangerous. Volunteering your time could be between the hours of 9:15 a.m. -11:45 a.m. and it need not be the whole 2½ hours. One hour, once a month would greatly help the Traffic Ministry. Please contact Teri Valdespino at 855-3798 if you would like to help out.



HOSTING A MILITARY FAMILY

In the coming months, El Paso will be receiving many soldiers who are new to the area and will look for guidance/companionship. If you are interested in being a Host Family or have questions, please pick up a Host Family Form at the Connection Center. If you have any questions, please contact Bill and Gladys Lewis at 569-4383 or 568-1458 or Bobby and Kim Loya at 598-6409.

DO YOU HAVE A CALLING FOR BUILDING HOMES?

Casas Por Cristo has received funding to build 10 homes in Juarez, Mexico and our church has been asked to build one. This project will take 2½ days to complete (from February 22-24, Thursday-Saturday), and Casas Por Cristo will provide the material, blueprints, and leadership. The group will depart at 6:00 a.m. and return by 3:00 p.m. We are in need of 25 volunteers and no experience is necessary and there is no age limit. If this is your calling, please contact Mike or Tilly Moss at 855-2508; 276-5727; or 276-5721 for information about this exciting ministry opportunity.

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WHAT DO WE CARE ABOUT?

Running From God #3

February 4, 2007



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9:00 and 10:30 a.m.

“Great and Mighty Is He ”

“Friend of God”

“God Of Wonders”

“I’m Not Ashamed”

Singing Together

PRAYER

WELCOME/NEWS

“Second Chances”

Pam Monticone

TODAY’S MESSAGE

“What Do We Care About?”

Walter Mueller

TIME OF COMMITMENT

OPEN ARMS

GIVING BACK TO GOD

“Just As I Am”

Praise Band

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Next Sunday’s Message:
**THE CROSS AND THE CRESCENT:
A LOOK AT ISLAM**

In the year A.D. 610, an Arab merchant claimed to receive a revelation from the angel Gabriel inside a cave, near the City of Mecca. And in just 22 short years, Muhammad, regarded by Muslims as God’s last and final prophet, was able to unite the Arab world through military conquest, launching a distinct, religious movement. Next week we will compare and contrast this religious movement which dominates so much of the news with Christianity.



The Lord’s Supper

Wednesday

February 7

7:00 p.m.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

“Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord.” James 5:14

Wednesday, February 7, Pastor Walter will be teaching on, “Does God Heal Today?” Our prayer team will be available after the service to pray with anyone who is ill. Please join us after the service at the front if you would like to be prayed for. If you have a special prayer need please call Terry Gooding at 479-0367.

BAPTISM

There will be baptism on **February 11th and February 25th**, during both worship services. If you are awaiting baptism or would like information, please complete the Response Card, mark “**Baptism**” on the back, and place it in the offering basket during one of the worship services or call the church office. Please indicate which service you prefer. If you have already signed up, please contact Teri Valdespino at 855-3798 to set up a time to produce the video.

“WHAT DO WE CARE ABOUT?”

Running From God #3

Jonah 3 & 4

**Why Do We Not Care About Our City,
Like We Should?**

1. **Because our _____ is more important to us than _____.**

Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time: “Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.” Jonah obeyed the word of the LORD and went to Nineveh. Now Nineveh was a very important city—a visit required three days. On the first day, Jonah started into the city. He proclaimed: “Forty more days and Nineveh will be overturned.” The Ninevites believed God. Jonah 3:1-5 (NIV)

“When God saw what they did and how they turned from their evil ways, he had compassion and did not bring upon them the destruction he had threatened. But Jonah was greatly displeased and became angry. He prayed to the LORD, “O LORD, is this not what I said when I was still at home? That is why I was so quick to flee to Tarshish. I knew that you are a gracious and compassionate God, slow to anger and abounding in love, a God who relents from sending calamity. Now, O LORD, take away my life, for it is better for me to die than to live.” But the LORD replied, “Have you any right to be angry?” Jonah 3:10-4:4 (NIV)

2. **Because our _____ is more important to us than _____.**

Jonah went out and sat down at a place east of the city. There he made himself a shelter, sat in its shade and waited to see what would happen to the city. Then the LORD God provided a vine and made it grow up over Jonah to give shade for his head to ease his discomfort, and Jonah was very happy about the vine. But at dawn the next day God provided a worm, which chewed the vine so that it withered. When the sun rose, God provided a scorching east wind, and the sun blazed on Jonah’s head so that he grew faint. He wanted to die, and said, “It would be better for me to die than to live.” But God said to Jonah, “Do you have a right to be angry about the vine? “I do,” he said. “I am angry enough to die.” But the LORD said, “You have been concerned about this vine, though you did not tend it or make it grow. It sprang up overnight and died overnight. But Nineveh has more than a hundred and twenty thousand people who cannot tell their right hand from their left, and many cattle as well. Should I not be concerned about that great city?” Jonah 4:5-11 (NIV)

**INFORMATION FOR YOUR FIRST TIME AT VISTA DEL SOL
DROP OFF THE CHILDREN**

Our children’s ministry provides a warm, nurturing and well-supervised program for your child (infants - 6th grade) during the Worship Service. Assistants at the Connection Center will direct you to the proper classroom.

PLEASE COMPLETE A RESPONSE CARD

So we can better know how to serve you take a moment to fill out the Response card and place it in the offering basket at the end of the service or take it to the Media Center for a free tape of the service.

DO NOT FEEL OBLIGATED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OFFERING

The offering is for regular attenders who consider Vista del Sol their church home. Let this service be our gift to you.

As a courtesy to those around you please silence all cell phones.