

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

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 would 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.

PHOTOGRAPHER NEEDED

If you have a basic knowledge of digital photography and are available to take pictures on some Sundays and other special events, please fill out the Response Card and write "Photography" in the comments. Someone will call you and give you more information.

NEW LADIES' SMALL GROUP

There is still time and space to join this new Small Group:

- ♦ "Living A Life Of True Worship" on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in Room W-3 led by Doris Armstrong.

Please contact Terry Gooding at 479-0367 for more information.

THIS WEEK AT VDSBC

Tuesday, January 30

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

Wednesday, January 31

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 Group 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 1

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

Friday, February 2

Little Learners/MDO 9:00 a.m.
Parents' Nite Out 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 3

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

PARKING ACROSS THE STREET

We continue to request your assistance with parking.

To help alleviate some of the parking space challenges, we ask that those physically able please park across the street at either the Big Lots parking area or the shopping center parking area, across George Dieter; especially those of us that are here during both worship services.

This would minimize the congestion between services and allow parking space for our guests and families with small children. Safety, is of course, very important, so please use the crosswalks.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

MOTHER'S DAY OUT - LITTLE LEARNERS

Parents, do you need a safe place to leave your little ones a couple of times a week? Mother's Day Out - Little Learners is open on Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:00 - 2:00 p.m. We have excellent teachers for each age group. Our ages are birth through 5 year-olds and first through third grade children on intersession.

At the present time we have openings in the birth-18 month room and 18 mos. - 2 1/2 year room. Our rates are very reasonable. Come and try us or call 855-3798 for information. Jackie Wilson, Director and Molly Gamble, Co-Director.

PARENTS' NITE OUT

Parents' Nite Out registration for the February 2nd PNO is closed. The next PNO is scheduled for March 2nd. Call Marsha at 855-3798 for more information.

2006 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Contribution Statements will be available for pick up at the Connection Center after each of the Worship services. Any questions, please contact Nancy Contreras, Financial Secretary at 855-3798.

LOST AND FOUND

Today will be your last day to pick up any lost and found items at the Connection Center before or after the Worship services. Items still there at the end of the month will be donated to Goodwill. Thank you.

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AFTER YOU
HIT ROCK
BOTTOM

Running From God #2

January 28, 2007



January 28, 2007

9:00 and 10:30 a.m.

"Beautiful One"
"Forever"
"Hallelujah"
"Heart Of Worship"
 Singing Together

PRAYER

WELCOME/NEWS

"Come Home Running"
 Celebration Choir

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"After You Hit Rock Bottom"
 Walter Mueller

TIME OF COMMITMENT

"Second Chances"
 Pam Monticone with Praise Band

GIVING BACK TO GOD

"Hallelujah"
 Praise Band

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**RUNNING FROM GOD
 LESSONS FROM JONAH**
Message Series Continues with:

February 4 - *"What Do We Care About?"*

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.



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 [Sunday & Weekdays], Children & Student Small Groups, etc.). Plan to stay for a pizza fellowship following the summit. Child care will be provided. You can sign up at the "Connection Center".

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.



The F.I.R.E. Student Ministry will be joining together with UN1FY to host...

- What:** a Lock-In
- Where:** at Bob-O's and The Adventure Zone
- When:** this Friday, February 2nd
- Time:** 11:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.

No transportation will be available. Tickets are \$20.00 per person and you can purchase these from John David or Ariel by calling 855-3798.

"AFTER YOU HIT ROCK BOTTOM"

Running From God #2
 Jonah 2
 God's Attitude Towards Runners

1. **GOD** _____.

Then Jonah prayed to the LORD his God from inside the fish. He said, "I cried out to the LORD in my great trouble, and he answered me. I called to you from the land of the dead, and LORD, you heard me!" Jonah 2:1-2 (NLT)

2. **GOD** _____.

You threw me into the ocean depths, and I sank down to the heart of the sea. The mighty waters engulfed me; I was buried beneath your wild and stormy waves. Jonah 2:3 (NLT)

3. **GOD'S** _____.

Then I said, 'O LORD, you have driven me from your presence. Yet I will look once more toward your holy Temple.' "I sank beneath the waves, and the waters closed over me. Seaweed wrapped itself around my head. I sank down to the very roots of the mountains. I was imprisoned in the earth, whose gates lock shut forever. But you, O LORD my God, snatched me from the jaws of death! As my life was slipping away, I remembered the LORD. And my earnest prayer went out to you in your holy Temple. Jonah 2:4-7 (NLT)

4. **GOD'S** _____.

"Those who cling to worthless idols forfeit the grace that could be theirs." Jonah 2:8 (NIV)

But I will offer sacrifices to you with songs of praise, and I will fulfill all my vows. For my salvation comes from the LORD alone." Jonah 2:9 (NLT)

5. **GOD** _____.

Then the LORD ordered the fish to spit up Jonah on the beach and it did. Then the LORD spoke to Jonah a second time. 'Get up and go to the great city of Nineveh, and deliver the message of judgment I have given you.' This time Jonah obeyed the LORD'S command and went to Nineveh." Jonah 2:10-3:1-3a (NLT)

**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.