

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Church of God Big Sandy

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May 23, 2010 • 11:00 a.m. • Sunset 8:15

Service next Sabbath: 2:00 p.m.

### Welcome to our guests

Members of the Church of God Big Sandy welcome all guests as we worship on the Day of Pentecost. Here is the schedule for today.

- 11:00 a.m. Church service
- 1:00 p.m. Potluck meal
- 2:15 Bible study by Bernie Monsalvo

The format for our church service is to have a break between the two sermons. There will be a kids' class and a Bridges class during the first sermon. (However, there will not be a teen class or an interactive Bible study today.)

### Order of service

<b>Song leader</b>	.....	Anthony Kimmons
<b>Pianist</b>	.....	Dixon Cartwright
<b>Offertory</b>	.....	Piano solo
<b>First sermon</b>	.....	Reg Killingley
<b>Bridges class—Classroom #1</b>	.....	Carol Bald
<b>Kids' class—Classroom #2</b>	.....	Diana Havir
<b>Second sermon</b>	.....	Dave Havir

### Quick takes

1. Alaska Feast cruise—Dennis Mouland reports that we have 83 people signed up for the Alaska cruise. Our travel agent (Kathy Summers) has informed us that the ship is filling fast with other guests. We strongly suggest that interested individuals complete their reservations in the next couple of weeks. Kathy can be reached at 1-800-860-7135.

2. Yesterday's bulletin available—Individuals who would like to see the list of prayer requests in yesterday's bulletin may pick up a copy at the Information Table.
3. Thank you—While yesterday's bulletin expressed appreciation from representatives of the Hawkins school district to members of the congregation who catered their banquet on Thursday evening, we as a congregation want to also express our appreciation. You represented the congregation in an extremely positive light, because you sure do know how to cater a professional banquet.
4. Private function in building on Monday—The Big Sandy school is having a year-end banquet in our building on Monday. Please give participants their privacy.
5. Woodvale function on Thursday—Woodvale School is having a function in the building on Thursday evening. Guests are welcome.
6. Nomination process—Members of the congregation are invited to submit a nomination form. The deadline is Saturday, May 29, at 5:00 p.m.
7. Edifying the Body—This week's article is "Internalizing God's Law" by David Maas.
8. Among Friends—This week's article is "Do You Love the Church of God?" by Dave Havir.
9. Eye on the World—This week's collection is by Dave Havir and has eight pages. If Mr. Havir did not make enough copies, he will be happy to make one for you today.

## Prayer updates

**Charles Black** told **Dave Havir** last night that the doctor placed "radioactive seeds into his eye on Friday and the plan is for them to remove the seeds on Monday." He mentioned that his stomach was a little upset, but he wasn't sure if that was because of the procedure.

**Ryleigh Kelley** (2-year-old daughter of **Scott** and **Nicole Kelley**) of Columbus, Ohio, did not need to have fluid drained from the hip area of her left side. She was able to go home Saturday.

## Bible study on May 19

On Wednesday, May 19, David Maas gave a Bible study titled "Absolute Blessing of God's Church."

**Galatians 6:15-16**—For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but a new creation. And as many as walk according to this rule, peace and mercy be upon them, and upon the Israel of God.

**Ephesians 2:19-22**—Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, having been built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief cornerstone, in whom the whole building, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord, in whom you also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

**Romans 11:17-21**—And if some of the branches were broken off, and you, being a wild olive tree, were grafted in among them, and with them became a partaker of the root and fatness of the olive tree, do not boast against the branches. But if you do boast, remember that you do not support the root, but the root supports you. You will say then, “Branches were broken off that I might be grafted in.” Well said. Because of unbelief they were broken off, and you stand by faith. Do not be haughty, but fear. For if God did not spare the natural branches, He may not spare you either.

## Scriptures for the season

**Exodus 20:1-2**—And God spoke all these words, saying: “I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.” [He proceeded to give the Ten Commandments.]

**Exodus 20:3-11**—“You shall have no other gods before Me. You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me, but showing mercy to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments. You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes His name in vain. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD your God. In it you shall do no work: you, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your male servant, nor your female servant, nor your cattle, nor your stranger who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.”

**Exodus 20:12-17**—“Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long upon the land which the LORD your God is giving you. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, nor his male servant, nor his female servant, nor his ox, nor his donkey, nor anything that is your neighbor’s.”

**Psalms 51:11**—Do not cast me away from Your presence, and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

**Luke 24:49**—"Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high."

**Acts 1:4-5**—And being assembled together with them, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, "which," He said, "you have heard from Me; for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."

**Acts 1:6-8**—Therefore, when they had come together, they asked Him, saying, "Lord, will You at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" And He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has put in His own authority. But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

**Acts 1:9-11**—Now when He had spoken these things, while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight. And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, who also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven."

**Acts 2:1-2**—When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting.

**Acts 2:32-33**—"This Jesus God has raised up, of which we are all witnesses. Therefore being exalted to the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, He poured out this which you now see and hear."

**Acts 2:37-40**—Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Men and brethren, what shall we do?" Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call." And with many other words he testified and exhorted them, saying, "Be saved from this perverse generation."

**Romans 8:11**—But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit [that] dwells in you.

**Galatians 5:22-23**—But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law.

**Ephesians 4:30**—And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by [which] you were sealed for the day of redemption.

**1 Thessalonians 5:19**—Do not quench the Spirit.

**2 Timothy 1:6-7**—Therefore I remind you to stir up the gift of God which is in you through the laying on of my hands. For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.