

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

NEWS & VIEWS

April 2009

Living Last Supper
is returning to First Christian on
April 3, 4, 5th.

Set in the
beauty of the
classic
painting by
Leonardo di
Vinci
*The Living
Last Supper*
brings
to life the night
in which Jesus
and His disciples met in
the upper room for their final
Passover together.

Experience the emotion of each
disciple as they react to hearing
their Master say there is a betrayer
among them.

The Living Last Supper
performances will be

Friday, April 3 — 7:00 PM

Saturday, April 4 — 7:00 PM

Sunday, April 5 — 5:00 PM



Join us Easter Sunday Worship! **Sunday, April 12th**

We will be celebrating the resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus on Sunday, April 12th at 9:00 am and 10:45 am. Our choir will be presenting songs of joy and tribute and Pastor Tom will continue in our message series *Messiah Encounter*. We will have a complimentary breakfast between the two services. So, bring family and friends as we worship our risen Lord!

Easter Egg Hunt **Saturday, April 11th 10:00 AM**

Children preschool through 5th grade are invited to come and enjoy a fun filled Easter Egg hunt. Eggs galore will fill the grounds as each age group will have their own area for safe and happy hunting. The hunt will begin at 10:00 am on Saturday, April 11th.

our mission

Share the
Good News
of Jesus Christ
with people
and lead them
into a fully devoted
relationship with Him.

NEW! Discipleship Classes

Beginning Sunday, April 5th at 9:00 & 10:45

9:00 AM	Basic Christianity	Bryan Burns
9:00 AM	Romans	Lawrence Junker
9:00 AM	Life of Christ I	Tom Headley
10:45 AM	Survey of the Bible	Greg Gross
10:45 AM	Writings of Paul	Todd Zeter

Come and learn more from God's Word . . . Grow in faith and maturity!

Message from Tom Caffery

What can I say? I am hoping everyone will make these coming two weekends a priority. The Living Last Supper is an absolute blessing and a great way to bring a friend to church. Most people who get involved in a church have been invited by a friend. What a great opportunity for you to invite and bring! We have something for everyone this Easter season, even an Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 11th for the kids. Easter Sunday morning will include some wonderful breakfast burritos prepared by our very own Dan and Jane Duran. So, lets get at it!

Our foyer and west restroom construction is complete and what a difference! I was so pleased to work with Dave Poortvliet, who acted as our General Contractor, his wife Jan, Jacqui Cross who assisted Lanie Peltier with the beautiful carpentry work, Russ and Glenda Harrison with the flooring, Don Best and Vic Trujillo with painting, Buck Brandon and Jim Swart with plumbing, Pat Loftus with electrical, Gene Castlebury with "you name it" and the rest of our Staff who were always there to lend a hand. Their many hours, gifts and talents used are expressions of worship to our God. Thank each of them when you get a chance.

We are moving west with our facelift. Our next focus will be the Family and Youth Center. We will creatively design a space that can be used for multi-ministry usage with the youth space expansion on the south end. Ben Zeter is using the prep work as his Eagle Scout Project and will be assisted by his troop. We will update flooring, enhance technology and staging and work our way into the kitchen and classrooms. If you would like to be a part of this project physically or fiscally please contact me and designated any over-and-above gifts to FCC Projects.

May God richly bless you as you remember His triumph over sin and death securing our relationship with Him!

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New Mexico Christian Convention April 24 & 25

The 2009 New Mexico Christian Convention is coming to Albuquerque! Join other believers from around the state as we gather together at the Sheraton Uptown for worship, teaching from Don Wilson, Lead Pastor of Christ's Church of the Valley in Phoenix, Arizona and an evening of laughs with Christian Comedian Paul Aldrich. The sessions have full children's ministry and FCC will be hosting the New Mexico Christian Teen Convention.

Make your plans now to attend!

New Women's Bible Study *Esther* by Beth Moore

May 26 to July 28
6:30 to 8:30 pm
On Campus
Cost \$20

April Anniversaries

Mayall, Marion & Dee	1
Stansbury, Roger & Linda	5
Castlebury, Gene & Becky	6
Shaw, Dick & Rene	10
Shaver, Roger & Eva	13
Zeter, Todd & Anne	18
Eichenberg, Tim & Sandra	19
Headley, Ben & Kristi	19
Colson, Chris & Holly	20
Pendergrass, Marvin & Mary	22
Mowry II, Dennis & Monique	22
Trujillo, Vic & Rhonda	23
Judy, Lloyd & Dione	24

April Birthdays

Neuber, Carolyn	1
Wright, Christopher	1
Bohl, Clayton Nathaniel	2
Parish, Alexander	2
Asher, Andrew	3
Stewart, Charlene	3
Eichenberg, Sandra	5
McDowell, Logan	5
Sandoval, Savannah	5
Davie, Neil	6
Wheny, Joel Luc	6
Blackberg, Carol	8
Davie, Susan	8
Zeter, Anne	8
Loeffel, Chris	10
Cavin, Bud	11
Harrison, Glenda	11
Swart, Jim	11
Smith, Christa	14
Dyer, Sally	15
Frazier, Joel	16
Mowry, Barb	16
Victor, Jessica	17
Cross, Jacqui	19
Swart, Cheryl	19
Winters, Anne	20
Rawls, Jim	21
Pendergrass, Marvin	22
Burns, Vicki	23
Nieto, Jessica	24
Asher, Erica	26
Duran, Dan	26
Caffery, Pamela	27
Dean, Jennifer	27
Nelson, Sara	28
Best, Donovan	29
McDowell, DJ	29
Victor, Manolo	29
Zsigmond, Endre	30