

Clovis Christian Ministerial Alliance

Minutes of the Meeting of Thursday, April 4, 2019, 8:30 a.m.

Present : Jody Balch (Clovis Municipal Schools), Tobias Bischoff (Habitat ReStore), Scott Blazek (Immanuel Lutheran), Aaron Boydston (Parkland Baptist), Wayne Boydston (Parkland Baptist), Zane Brothers (Draggin Main), Bill Case (Kingswood UMC), Debra Elias (Natl. Day of Prayer), Jon Forrest (First Christian), Norma Garcia (Mental Health Resources), Delmus Gillis (Bethlehem Baptist), Geri Gomez (Lighthouse), Richard Gomez (Lighthouse), Robert L. Grimes Jr. (First Church of God in Christ), George Hostler (Salvation Army), Heath Husted (Fellowship of Christian Athletes), Maria Ibarra (Salvation Army), Miguel Ibarra (Salvation Army), Laura Leeder-Martinez (United Way), Roy Martin (Parkland Baptist), Josh McVey (First Christian), Carla Miller (Pregnancy Resource Center), Kathy Paiz (Mental Health), Steve Reshetar (Matt.25), John Rollinson (St. James' Episcopal), Shirley Rollinson (ENMU Religion Program), Eric Saed (Trinity Lutheran), Kevin Tuttle (Hillside Christian), Darrell Underwood (Servants Heart Chapel), Mindy Watson (United Way), Sistar Yancy (Christian Believers)

Opening Prayer : *Bill Case*

Scripture Meditation : *Darrell Underwood* : on Galatians 6:7 "God is not mocked - What a man sows, that shall he reap." He that sows to the Spirit reaps the fruit of the Spirit. Darrell gave his testimony of giving his life to Christ, and then 30 years later meeting the minister who had led him to Christ. We do not always see the fruit of the seed we sow - but don't get weary, look to God for strength and encouragement.

Minutes of last Month's Meeting : *Shirley Rollinson*

Treasurer's Report : <i>Lemuel Perry</i>	Previous Balance (March 7, 2019) :	\$ 431.72
	Receipts (membership contributions) :	\$ 100.00
	Expenses/Disbursements :	\$ 0
	Current Balance (April 4, 2019) :	\$ 531.72

Members' Breakfast donations to the Lighthouse Mission \$ 191.00

Guest Presentations :

1. Mindy Watson, for the **Youth Success Program of United Way** - presented data which show that in Curry County 34% of youth skipped school because of safety concerns (NM average is 10%), 11.8% seriously considered suicide, 9.4% planned suicide, 2.6% attempted suicide. 79.9% are economically disadvantaged. The Youth Success Task Force set goals and objectives and are working to increase high quality afterschool and in-school programs, increase access to Mental Health and Substance Abuse programs, and to increase family engagement. There are opportunities for us to join work groups focusing on various needs which have been identified in the community. She is available to meet with Youth Groups etc. Anyone wishing to help, please contact United Way.

Task Force Reports and Business Items :

1. **Election of Officers** for 2019-2021 : The Nominating Committee presented a slate of candidates. Jon Forest called for additional nominations from the floor. There were no additional nominations. The slate was approved unanimously.
Elected Officers for 2019-2021 :
President : Dean Williamson
Vice President : John Rollinson
Secretary : Shirley Rollinson
Treasurer : Lemuel Perry
2. **National Day of Prayer** : Sistar Yancy and Debbie Elias - They are organizing a campaign to read Scripture aloud in different places, from 6:00am to 10:00am. Also they circulated a list for people to sign up pray at definite times during the 6-hour Prayer Vigil before the Service. They are working on the list of those who will lead sections of Prayer during the Service.
3. **Good Friday Service** - will be at First Christian Church on Friday April 19

Announcements :

1. Carla Miller distributed a flyer for the Baby Bottle Campaign of the Pregnancy Resource Center (members of a Church can take a baby bottle home and fill it with change during the campaign, then bring it back to the Church on the Collection Day. The campaign supports the services of the Pregnancy Resource Center - free and confidential services, pregnancy tests, STD testing and treatment, ultrasounds, Bible Studies.
2. The Salvation Army is holding a Sale on Friday & Saturday, April 5 & 6, 8:00am-4:00pm. Spaces are available for vendors. Proceeds will be used for camps for families, youth, women, and men.
3. There is a Men's Prayer Breakfast at Kingswood UMC, Friday, April 26, 6:00am.
4. The Chamber of Commerce needs four Churches to sponsor the Christian Concert during the Draggin Main festivities. Sponsoring Churches will get some free tickets, and also reduced-rate tickets, and will get advertising on the screen during the event. Sponsorships are : Gold \$1,000, Silver \$500, Bronze \$250

5. Steve Reshetar brought flyers for "The Peak Treatment Foster Care' There are 87-90 children in our community in need of foster homes. It might be possible for Churches to foster a family.
There will be Open House at The Peak, 811 Lexington, Clovis, on April 30 9:00am-6:00pm Come and Go,
Further information from Chelsey Wilkerson 575-935-7325
6. There will be a Memorial Service for Russell Muffley at Central Baptist Church
7. David Stevens is ill in hospital - please keep him in your prayers.
8. Richard Gomez reported that a contractor is donating his services to the Freedom Ranch, to install new bathrooms.

Closing Prayer : *John Rollinson*

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Next Meeting : Thursday, May 2, 2019, 8:30 a.m. at the Lighthouse Mission

Pastors' Prayer Meeting : Thursdays, 8:00-9:00 am at New Life Assembly of God when we do not have a CCMA Meeting.

"Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful; and let us consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds, not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another; and all the more, as you see the day drawing near."
Hebrews 10:23-25

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