

Clovis Christian Ministerial Alliance

Minutes of the Meeting of Thursday, March 5, 2020, 8:30 a.m.

Present : Scott Blazek (Immanuel Lutheran), G. A. Blocker (Unity Fellowship), Aaron Boydston (Parkland Baptist), Alan Brockmeier & Suzanne Brockmeier (St. James' Episcopal), B. J. Brooks (Central Baptist), Kevin Dotson (Calvary Baptist), Debbie Eliason (Natl. Day of Prayer), Jon Forrest (First Christian), Delmus Gillis (Bethlehem Baptist), Geri & Richard Gomez (Lighthouse), Robert L. Grimes Jr. (First Church of God in Christ), James Haley (Clovis Christian Schools), Joseph Harrell (21st. St. CoC), Bryan Hochhalter (CAFB Chapel), Heath Husted (Fellowship of Christian Athletes), Maria Ibarra & Miguel Ibarra (Salvation Army), Phillip Landers (Christian Believers' Education), Terry Malone (Nazarene, ret.), Yanixa Martinez (ARISE), Shelly Meeks (Community Programs), Delta Monarres & Max Monarres (Freedom Ranch), Thom Moore (Central Baptist), Troy Oliver (21st. St. CoC), Casey Peacock (United Way), Lemuel Perry (New Life AoG), Hannah Richards (Pregnancy Resource Center), John Rollinson (St. James' Episcopal), Shirley Rollinson (ENMU Religion Program), Eric Saed (Trinity Lutheran), Whitney Sledz (Hillside Christian), Angie Smith (Right to Life), David Stevens (Living Word CoG), Ed Sullivan (Bethel AoG), Kim Sullivan (Bethel AoG), Kevin Tuttle (Hillside Christian), Darrell Underwood (Servants Heart Chapel), Dean Williamson (New Life AoG)

Opening Prayer : Aaron Boydston

Introductions : Dean Williamson

Scripture Meditation : John Rolinson, on 2 Corinthinas, chapter 11. Paul's 'thorn in the flesh' was used to show him that power is perfected in weakness. Paul's response was to pray; he was both persistent and specific. But his did not get the answer he for which was praying. God had a better answer.

Minutes of last Month's Meeting : Shirley Rollinson

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| Treasurer's Report : Lemuel Perry | Previous Balance : | \$ 625.53 |
| | Receipts (dues) : | \$ 125.00 |
| | Expenses/Disbursements : | \$ 0 |
| | Current Balance : | \$ 750.53 |

Guest Presentation : Hannah Richards (Pregnancy Resource Center). They also have offices in Clovis and Portales, with free pregnancy testing and other tests available, and Bible Studies with the ladies who attend. The 'Baby Bottle Campaigns' help to raise funds.

Announcements : Several announcements have been canceled or postponed because of the Governor's coronavirus precautions.

1. The Good Friday Service is scheduled for Friday, April 10, 6pm at Bethlehem Baptist Church. *(It was pre-recorded and made available online)*
2. B.J. Brooks is hoping to take a group to a Promise Keepers' meeting at Dallas, Fort Worth, Friday, July 31st-Saturday, August 1st. One can attend the Live Event by registering online with the group "PK Clovis" - there is a group rate including bus travel and accommodation. Or one can attend a Real-Time Simulcast at Central Baptist Church. Further details from Jerry Swenson 575.760.0289, or George Ratledge 575.760.1243, or Dale Arnold (registrar) 575.760.2593
3. Clovis Christian Schools have a number of discounts and scholarships available for students. Also tuition fees are reduced if tuition is paid early, or for the year in full. There are discounts for multiple children from the same family, for families new to CCS, and for children of Enlisted Military, Clergy, or professional teachers at CCS.
4. Richard Gomez announced that the loan for the Freedom Ranch is now paid off
5. Phillip Landers reminded us of the National Day of Prayer, Thursday, May 7. Sistar Yancy has posters and information, and is organizing the Program and the Prayer Vigil
6. Phillip Landers reminded us of the importance of publicizing and taking part in the Census. He has bilingual (Spanish and English) posters and flyers. There are jobs available. www.2020census.gov/jobs 1-855-JOB-2020
7. Debbie Eliason brought more news of the National Day of Prayer, and of an initiative to read through the Bible.
8. Chaplain Bryan Hochhalter brought thanks from the Chaplains' Office at CAFB for members of local Churches looking after members of CAFB.
9. Lemuel Perry relayed greetings from Alan McAlister.
10. Suzanne Brockmeier reminded us of service opportunities as FrontLine Chaplains. They normally meet on the last Tuesday in the month - contact Suzanne for further information.
11. Other meetings were announced, which were subsequently canceled or postponed

Closing Prayer : Jon Forest

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"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