

INTOUCH

May 4, 2008

THE WEEK AHEAD

SUNDAY – MAY 4

12:30 PM	Nursing Home Ministry – meet at	Fellowship Hall
2:00 PM	Nursing Home Ministry – Service of Worship	Osborn H & R
3:00 PM	Phoenix Bach Choir/Kansas City Chorale in Concert	
	Our Sanctuary	
	(tickets available at the door)	
5:00-6:00 PM	CBC Ringers (Older Youth into High School)	208
5:00-5:30 PM	Campanitas Ringers (Grades 1-4)	207
5:00-5:30 PM	Bell Canto Ringers (Grades 5-8)	209
5:30-6:00 PM	Children's Bells/New Song Singers Year-end Party	Courtyard
6:00-7:30 PM	DISCOVERY II – Session Two	Fellowship Hall

MONDAY – MAY 5

9:00 AM	Women's Aerobics – <i>Circuit Training</i>	Fellowship Hall
7:8:30 PM	Community Bible Study	Fellowship Hall & Classrooms

TUESDAY – MAY 6

7:8:30 AM	Women's Prayer/Study – <i>Psalms 116</i>	Library
9:00 AM	Women's Precept Class - <i>Jude</i>	207
9:15 AM	<i>Tuesday Mornings in the Word</i> – Women's Study	Library
	<i>Studying the New Testament book of 2 Timothy</i>	
6:45-8:45 PM	GriefShare Seminar/Support Group	Library9

WEDNESDAY – MAY 7

9:00 AM	Women's Aerobics – <i>Stretching Exercises</i>	F. Hall
5:45 PM	Carol Choir (Grades 1-3)	208
6:45 PM	LOGOS Kids Club Awards Ceremony	Fellowship Hall
6:45 PM	EXCEL Midweek	Fellowship Hall
6:45 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
6:45 PM	<i>Book of Hebrews</i> - Teleios Study	Library

THURSDAY – MAY 8

9:00 AM	Women's Aerobics – <i>Pilates Strength Training</i>	F. Hall
6:30 PM	College Ministry dinner together	The Delnoce's
7:00 PM	College Ministry – study in Job	The Delnoce's

FRIDAY – MAY 9

9:00 AM	Women's Aerobics – <i>Step Aerobics</i>	Fellowship Hall
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SUNDAY – MAY 11

9:00 and 10:40 AM	MORNING WORSHIP	Sanctuary
	Dr. Malcolm Cronk, Pastor Emeritus	
	"How To Face Trouble"	
	John 14:1-6	

Do plan to be with us for this very special morning with Dr. Cronk, who brings a lifetime with the Lord and a heart filled with His word and its truth.

Dr. Tim Savage
Child Dedication
Introduction of New Members

This is the day the Lord has made; Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

9:00 AM	Nursery (infants – 24 months)	301-304
	Children's Discipleship (2 yrs–6 th grade)	102, 201, 203, 206
	Adult Fellowships	208, 209
9:00 AM	Discovery III	205
9:00 AM	<i>Foundations</i> – Teleios Study	Church Office
10:40 AM	Nursery (infants – 24 months)	301-304
	Children's Church (2 yrs–6 th grade)	101-104, 203, 207-208
	EXCEL (Jr. High & High School)	Fellowship Hall
6:00-7:30 PM	DISCOVERY II – Session Three	Fellowship Hall
	(This session may be re-scheduled at the May 4 th meeting)	

SO MUCH MORE!

About God and Our Walk with Him

In March my wife Kim approached me about Crown Ministries as she felt we would benefit by learning what God says about handling money. I was not quickly sold on my need to spend 10 weeks in this study since I have been in the financial services industry for over 20 years and well versed in the areas of financial planning, investing etc. After a lengthy discussion with my better half, we agreed that it would be beneficial for our marriage to participate in this study. After the first week I was surprised to learn that God has more than 2,350 verses on handling money and possessions. After further study it became apparent that God was revealing areas in my life that needed changing with regard to how I handle debt, giving, stewardship, work, investing etc.

Jesus equates how we handle our money with the quality of our spiritual life. In Luke 16:11, He says, "Therefore if you have not been faithful in the use of worldly wealth, who will entrust the true riches to you". The true riches in life are a close relationship with the Lord. This ministry made a significant impact on me with regard to my motives, goals and priorities as it relates to money. As believers we understand that God is in control and is the owner of everything. Knowing this, we should all strive to honor God with the gifts, talents and money we have been blessed to steward. I would encourage the body of our church to participate in this study for the purpose of honoring God and to live out his principals in handling money. I am grateful He led me to participate in Crown and wanted to share my experience with you.

In Christ, Matt Miller

God had been convicting me for a while about my general inattention to budgeting and financial issues, so I looked for the discipline of a study like Crown. However, Crown is **so much more** than a Bible study about money!! We examined the mind of God on ownership (He owns it all!), work, honesty, giving, motives, investment, saving and eternity. God's call for us to be faithful stewards goes far deeper than our handling of money. It involves our heart and draws us into a closer walk with Him every day as we choose how to use our time, talents, influence, possessions—everything. As they say in the study, every spending decision is actually a spiritual decision.

As I have honestly examined my money habits, I have been humbled by the discrepancies between my daily actions (or inactions) and the faith I profess. This study deepens your understanding of God—His heart, His generosity and His loving commands. But at the same time, it challenges you to put that new understanding into immediate practice. It's "where the rubber meets the road" in our Christian life.

At the end, you will have a clearer view of God and your purpose in light of eternity. And you will have a road map to direct your steps along His specific journey for you.

By His grace, Kim Miller

Others who completed this recent study are in agreement with the Millers. To learn more about the study contact the study leader, Tom Bonetto, at bonetto@cox.net. And look for information about another offering in the fall.

NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 11, 2008

*We are pleased to announce a very special day
here at Camelback Bible Church
as we welcome back*

Pastor Emeritus, Dr. Malcolm Cronk
Senior Pastor from 1978 to 1988

*In recognition of his important role in the life of this church family
and the over seven decades of his pastoral/preaching ministry
we encourage everyone to be here
and to invite others who have benefited from his ministry.*

*May our sanctuary be filled
with praise to God and gratitude for this His faithful servant!*

CONGRATULATIONS are extended from the CBC family to Don and Destiney Webster on the birth on April 25th of their fourth child, a third son, John Miller. He weighed in at 8 lbs. 1 oz. and was eagerly welcomed by his two older brothers, but his slightly older sister just isn't too sure about passing the "youngest" baton on to him.

CHILD/BABY DEDICATION is scheduled for next Sunday morning services, May 11th, Mother's Day. Should you wish to bring your child(ren) forward for dedication on that day, please call Mary Gayle in the church office immediately. For those dedicating a child for the first time at CBC, we will need to schedule an appointment with a pastor this week. Thank you.

BETWEEN THE SERVICES TODAY AND NEXT WEEK, each of the bell and youth choirs of the church will have offered their final presentations of the 2007-2008 year. Thank you to our fine directors and accompanists who have given so much of their time and gifts for the benefit of God's work in the music ministry this past year: Kay Cook, Leonard Valencia, Julie Shumate, Charity Conner, Renee Zuck, Katie Meade, Judy Moffitt, and Leigh Ann Byrd; along with a group of dedicated assistants, parents and support people too numerous to list! We praise God and thank Him for all of you!

THE PHOENIX BACH CHOIR AND KANSAS CITY CHORALE will come together for a joint concert, held here in our sanctuary this afternoon at 3:00 PM. It is the second of their two performances (the first held downtown last night at Trinity Episcopal Cathedral), featuring selections from their Grammy Award-winning album *Grechaninov Passion Week* as well as new works by three composers. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$15 (the CBC member price – be sure to identify yourself as a member of the church).

A MEN'S MINISTRY WORK DAY is being planned for Saturday, May 17, 2008. This is primarily for single moms, widows/widowers, or people with special situations that are unable to perform certain yard or household chores. We would like people who need work done to call the church office by May 14th with their work requests and ask that they give a description of what projects need to be done. We will have a sign-up table for the men to volunteer after each of the worship services for the next couple of weeks. We would also like to make this a father son/daughter event by encouraging the men to bring their son or daughter to help serve those in need in our body. The men and children will meet at Fellowship Hall at 6:30 AM on the 17th for a light breakfast and fellowship before getting their assignments.

EXCEL STUDENT MINISTRIES' IN-N-OUT SUNDAY is coming! This time-honored tradition (dating clear back to last year!!!) is an opportunity for the IN-coming 7th graders to be welcomed in to the ministry by a group of seasoned veterans – the OUT-going 12th graders. It will happen from 12:30 to 2:00 PM on Sunday, May 18th, at where else but the IN-N-OUT (Tatum Boulevard and Cactus Road), leaving from CBC.

FAITH EXPEDITION

VBS 2008

Save the date, June 9-13!

Registration available on line at www.cbcaz.org/vbs & in the office.

PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

To God the Father, who is love and whose love for us
sent the Son to be the Savior of the World

PRAYER

that we who confess Christ would come to know to a greater and greater depth of heart the love that God has for us; for our living in and living out that love; for Dr. Malcolm Cronk's continued health and strength as he travels from Illinois to bring God's word to us next Sunday; for **Mardette Hemann** and her mother, **Theresa Hammitt**, whom Mardette cares for and whose broken hip underwent partial replacement surgery on Friday – may God undergird them both in the recovery process; for **Sandi Jones** as her surgical incision is finally beginning to heal and for **Dale Jones** as he continues to be tested for yet to be diagnosed health issues; for God's hand of healing to continue to touch both **Larry Jarnagin** (heart procedures done) and **Shirleyann Sullivan** (blood infection under treatment)

THE STERLINGS, FORMERLY A PART OF THE CBC FAMILY, are planning a move back to our area and to their Camelback family. Theirs is a life of ministry, working with professional baseball athletes up close and personally, and their home plays a significant part in their ministry. They are asking us for our help in providing leads on home rentals located within a five to ten mile radius of Camelback Bible Church that would accommodate their ministry needs and allow them the privilege of including in their church life with us those they minister to. For details, please contact John Sterling at 602-740-9883 or clubhousefellowship@yahoo.com.

ACTORS NEEDED — Have you been given dramatic talents? We are looking for actors (both adults and children) willing to get on stage for two different events in this year's Vacation Bible School program! A few actors are still needed for the Closing Program, which takes place in the evening on Friday, June 13; actors will need to be available to rehearse on at least two evenings during the week of VBS. We also need to fill several roles in the Daily Skits which take place between 9-10 AM in the mornings on June 9-12 of VBS; actors will need to be available to rehearse over the weekend of June 6-8. If you are interested in giving of your talents in this way, please contact Jeff Watson, VBS Drama Director, at 480-293-4481 or e-mail him at jeffreyjwatson@gmail.com.

VBS Craft Supplies Needed

Washable markers	Colored tissue paper
White tea lights	Aluminum foil
Sponge brushes	Paper towel rolls

Toilet tissue rolls

(Just the inside cardboard for the paper towel and toilet tissue rolls)

Please bring all donations to the church office by **Sunday, May 18th**

THANK YOU!

DURING THE MONTH OF MAY our church will be holding a **Food and Swimsuit Drive for Neighborhood Ministries**. This is an effort to re-stock the food pantry shelves and provide swimsuits for urban kids attending outreach efforts this summer. The following items can be placed through May 18 in the tan containers marked Food/Swimsuit Drive located around the church campus:

Pinto beans, pasta sauce, tomato products (sauce, paste, diced, whole), canned meat & corn, cereal, peanut butter, jelly and bottles of water.

Swimsuits of all sizes for kindergarten through twelve year old children are needed. Please place new or clean used suits in bags to deposit them.

Our church has a variety of connections with Neighborhood Ministries. This past week the EXCEL teen group provided the evening meal for a few hundred children attending the weekly Kid's Club in urban Phoenix. This is a monthly service project for our youth that has been spearheaded by Wade Urig and facilitated by Sue Hulsebos. In addition, a small group from CBC led by Philip Bassous spent a recent Saturday morning assisting at the annual Spring Sale held at the Neighborhood Center. We look forward to building on these efforts during the month of May with this Food/Swimsuit Drive. If you have any questions please contact Don Swierenga at 602-315-1698.

CBC GIVING UPDATE

Budgeted Need through 4/27	\$567,511
Actual YTD Giving through 4/27	\$493,714
Remaining Need	\$ 73,797
Last Week's Giving	\$ 31,477