

Arlington Church of Christ

*"The churches of Christ greet you."
Romans 16:16*

What Legacy will you Leave?

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Sunday Bible Classes.....9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship.....10:30 a.m.*

Sunday Worship.....5:00 p.m.

Wednesday Class.....7:00 p.m.

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Who was the first judge of Israel?
(He was the son of Caleb's
younger brother)

God gives the blessing of children, and with the blessing comes a responsibility to raise the children in the 'training and admonition of the Lord.' This is an awesome responsibility with far-reaching and often irreversible consequences. With most things, if one fails, there is a second chance to start over, or try again – but there is no second chance to raise a child. If it is not done properly, when they grow up they are often beyond hope. Proverbs 19:18 says: "Discipline your son, for in that there is hope; do not be a willing party to his death."

There are many examples of both good and bad parenting in the Bible. For example, look at the King of Judah named Jehoshaphat. During the 25 years that he reigned, he tried to worship only the Lord God. He removed the idols and false places of worship from Judah and sent people to teach about the law of the Lord. Because of his faith and devotion, God blessed both Judah and the king with wealth, power, and peace. (2Chron 17:3-19) Even with all of this, Jehoshaphat was not content. He made an alliance with Ahab, one of the most wicked kings of Israel. Ahab had married Jezebel from Sidon and set up Baal worship in Israel to please her. Jehoshaphat made an alliance with this wicked king by having his son, Jehoram marry the daughter of Ahab and Jezebel, Athaliah.

So all of the good that Jehoshaphat did was destroyed by a single failure to provide his son with good guidance, and the proper influences. He violated the principle laid down in 1 Cor 15:33 – "Do not be misled: "Bad company corrupts good character." His acceptance of Athaliah's evil companionship for his son brought wickedness, misery, and death to his children, grandchildren, and even great-grandchildren. After Jehoshaphat's death, Jehoram took over the throne of Judah and murdered his own brothers. He followed the path blazed by Ahab and did evil. (2 Chron 21:4-6) Jehoram ruled for only eight years, but he was so wicked that enemies killed all of his sons except one – Ahaziah. And when Jehoram died, no one was sad to see him go. But his influence lingered on. When Ahaziah was made king, his mother, Athaliah persuaded him to do evil. (2 Chron 22:2-3) Within a year, Ahaziah was killed and his mother, Athaliah, took power by murdering all of her grandsons – except one, Joash.

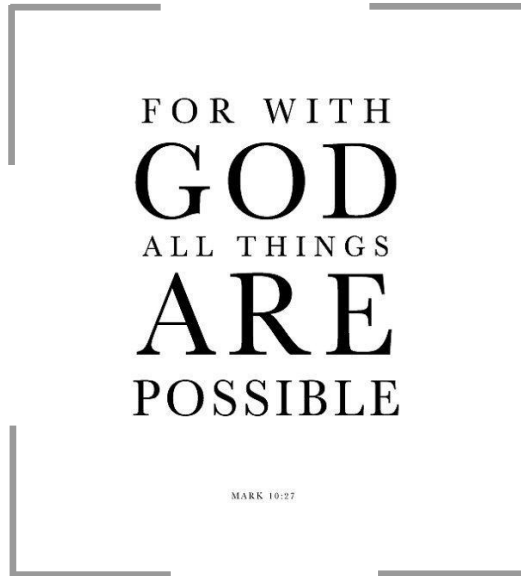
After seven years of Athaliah's wickedness, Joash was made king. (2 Chron 22:10-23:21) Jehoshaphat was successful in all areas of life except one. He failed to raise his son with the proper influences and that one thing overshadowed everything else.

What kind of legacy will we leave our children? Many leave only a few material things to be fought over and spent. How much more the legacy of loving and trusting the Lord and living with the proper influences. Proverbs 13:22 tells us: "A good man leaves an inheritance for his children's children, but a sinner's wealth is stored up for the righteous." May we be the people who bring up children in the training and admonition of the Lord.

PRAYER LIST

BIRTHDAYS

*See the caring cards list in the lobby



"The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much."
James 5:16

- 6/19 Terry Roberts
- 6/28 Nancy Frith
- 6/29 Nathan Scott Bauer
- 7/5 Manuel Montesclaros
- 7/10 Wrajean Nauman
- 7/13 Linda Whissel
- 7/14 Taylor McCollum

"For where two or three have gathered together in My name, I am there in their midst."
Matt 18:20

UPCOMING EVENTS

ANNIVERSARIES

- 6/25 Fellowship Dinner after morning worship— bring sides and desserts
- 7/2 Sack Sunday (bring donations for pantry)

7/26 Joe & Doris McCollum

MEN TO SERVE

6/18

6/25

SCRIPTURE READING

Sermon AM/PM	Joe McCollum	Joe McCollum
Announcements	Ron Hartman	Ron Hartman
Song Leader AM	Mike Menard	Mike Menard
Song Leader PM	John Bauer	John Bauer
Opening Prayer AM	Joe McCollum	John Bauer
Opening Prayer PM	John Bauer	Ron Hartman
Lord's Table	Ron Hartman	Ron Hartman
Assistant #1	Jeff Nauman	Del Pickett
Closing Prayer AM	Ron Hartman	Ron Hartman
Closing Prayer PM	Joe McCollum	Joe McCollum
Greeters	Joe & Doris McCollum	John & Terri Bauer
(Wed.) Devotional	(6/21) Mike Menard	(6/28) John Bauer
(Wed.) Song Leader	(6/21) John Bauer	(6/28) Mike Menard

	AM	PM
June 18	Neh. 7, 8	Acts 3
June 19	Neh. 9-11	Acts 4:1-22
June 20	Neh. 12, 13	Acts 4:23-47
June 21	Esth. 1-3	Acts 5:1-16
June 22	Esth. 4-6	Acts 5:17-42
June 23	Esth. 7-10	Acts 6
June 24	Job 1-3	Acts 7:1-19

"Blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"
Luke 11:28

PANTRY NEEDS

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| Over the counter medicines/aspirin | Canned meats— fish, chicken & SPAM |
| Laundry detergent | Canned Veggies— greens, potatoes, etc. |
| Face soap & Shampoo | (not corn, green beans, or peas) |
| Toilet Tissue & Paper Towels | Fruit Juice— apple, grape, pineapple, etc. |
| Boxed Potatoes | Peanut butter and Jelly |
| Small- Flour and Sugar | Breakfast Cereal |

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