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I Must Have Kids!

Earlier this week I was driving down the road listening to NPR National Public Radio. Most of the time this radio station is not friendly to Christians, but on occasion they actually have a pretty good show. You can imagine how shocked I was when they replayed a speech by the valedictorian of a Christian college. In his speech he said that when he started college there, he wasn't a believer, but through his college experience he had become a strong believer in Jesus Christ. He gave credit to his classmates for being ambassadors of Christ. He then went on to talk about his father, he had a saying "I must have kids". He would say this when he would open the car door and see food mashed into the seat or the mess left behind. He said this when he would come home and see toys scattered, left in the wake of kids playing. According to his speech his father would say I must have kids, look at the kids, wink and smile. I can relate to this. Occasionally I get up in the middle of the night, and not wanting to wake anyone, I don't turn on any lights. On more than one occasion I have stepped on one of those little army men. OUCH!! Those things really hurt. I think to myself, I must have kids, then I limp the rest of the way into the kitchen, and try to remember to get what I was originally after. Taking this a little farther, I can say with out doubt that when I walk into a house I can tell if kids are living there. Kids leave their mark. It's automatic - they can't help it. Wherever they go they leave their mark, I am not talking about leaving destruction in their wake, but they leave their mark nevertheless. We as children of God should be leaving our mark as well, and this mark should be in the lives of those we come

in contact with. Just like the young man I started writing about in this article. He started school as an unbeliever, but the Christians around him left their mark. His soul has been saved because of it. Jesus told us to leave our mark in Matthew 28:18-20. ¹⁸And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth." ¹⁹Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

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MISSIONS
- SECRETARY**
 Karen Brown

SUNDAY

Bible Classes for All Ages 9:30 am
 Morning Worship Assembly 10:30 am
 Evening Worship & Classes 5:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes for All Ages 7:00 pm

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²⁰teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Amen. Our love for God should compel us to leave our mark, II Corinthians 5:12-15 tells us that. ¹² For we do not commend ourselves again to you, but give you opportunity to boast on our behalf, that you may have an answer for those who boast in appearance and not in heart. ¹³For if we are beside ourselves, it is for God; or if we are of sound mind, it is for you. ¹⁴For the love of Christ compels us, because we judge thus: that if One died for all, then all died; ¹⁵and He died for all, that those who live should live no longer for themselves, but for Him who died for them and rose again.

So be a kid and leave your mark!

By Doug Long Church of Christ Patterson, CA



EMERGENCY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Just to refresh your memories - we have an automated calling list that allows Ben or someone else to record a message and send out to a long list of phone numbers. For example, winter is coming and services may need to be canceled due to ice/snow. A message can be recorded and sent out to all the numbers on our list. BUT if our list of phone numbers is not correct it does you no good! So please contact the office if your phone number changes. Thanks!

Sunday, November 10th

Elder's & Deacon's meeting **2:30** --bring your budget proposals--

Saturday, November 16th

Youth Service Dinner

Wednesday, November 27th

Wednesday evening service moved to Tuesday evening - no classes

Thursday, November 28th

Happy Thanksgiving!

Sunday, December 1st

Christmas Party after evening services; group Path

Sunday, December 1st

Ladies meeting at 3:30

Sunday, December 8th

Youth Christmas Party at the Williams' home

Sunday, December 8th

Ladies Meeting at 3:30

Wednesday, December 25th

Services are cancelled; Merry Christmas!

Wednesday, January 1st

Wednesday services moved to Tuesday - our young men will conduct our services; Lock-in 8 pm - 7 am

upcoming
work dinners
events fellowship
meetings
retreats picnics games parties

IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

- We are sorry to announce the passing of Sandy Rucquoy's father, Floyd Parham. At this writing we do not have information on his funeral services.
- Barbara Vaughan as she struggles with MRSA.
- Jennifer McCafferty's mother, Judy Haney, is doing well after her gallbladder surgery. Jennifer's sister and brother-in-law were in a serious motorcycle accident. They have had multiple surgeries.
- Tammy Carr was in a auto accident a couple of months ago, she continues to struggle with 3 herniated discs in her neck area.
- Dolores Scherman as she struggles with a staph infection and confusion. She will continue her rehab therapy and IV antibiotics at the Select Specialty Hosp. near Hillcrest. Also keep Dean & family in prayers too.
- Susie O'Neal's son, John Griffith, is having multiple challenges in his life.
- Anna Rafferty, as she deals with a kidney infection.
- **Our friends and family:** Dan & Edna Jones; Shelia Byers (cancer); Suzanne Stamps; Sue Gilbert (Leasa's mother); Linda Patterson (stroke); Dolores Scherman; Temper & Megan Parker (CMT neuropathy); Paul Selsor (pancreatic cancer); infant Dowler (spinal meningitis); many others.
- **Service men and women:** Ron Wilson; Jenna Sullivan; Jacob Littlebear.

MEETING

Elder's and Deacon's meeting today at **2:30**. Don't forget to bring your budget proposals. (Take note of early meeting time).

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Darrell Burcham, Nov 12
Dakota Perry, Nov 13
Jesse Byers, Nov 13
Shirley Hill, Nov 15
Mickey Hecht, Nov 17

Natasha Tuggle, Nov 19
Cameron Hill, Nov 22
Randy Brown, Nov 23
Melinda Jones, Nov 25
Oliver Tuggle, Nov 27

Earline Lierly, Nov 27
Fisher Patterson, Dec 1
Topper & Melissa Causby, Dec 1
Zac Caldwell, Dec 5
Karen Brown, Dec 5

HEY PARENTS!

Have your kids done something special? An award maybe? How about an achievement? Something worthy of a little praise? Let us know and we will feature them online. It's okay... brag a little! Just tell, email or text Matt at mfd38@tds.net or 918-284-0257.

YOUTH

Keep up to date with the latest youth events at church simply by texting @d3e73 to the following number: 917-746-2626 (yes 917). You will get daily Bible verses and motivational quotes along with the youth events.



Questions see Matt Caldwell.

BABY BAIN

If you would like to contribute to a gift basket for baby Noah, please give it to Selene by Sunday, Nov. 17th.

SERVICEMEN/WOMEN

- We were glad to see Jenna Sullivan in services last Sunday. She made it through boot camp!
- Jacob Littlebear was also in services, and it was announced that he was leaving for the Marines that afternoon.

We pray for the safe keeping of all our service men and women, wherever they are.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board if you would like to purchase items for the Thanksgiving Baskets. Please bring these items to the church building and put in the box in the fellowship room by Sunday, Nov 17th. Thanks! If you have questions please see Keith Riggs.

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Attendance: Last Week

Sunday Bible Classes	114
Sunday AM Worship	136
Sunday PM Worship	76
Wednesday Bible Classes	78

Contribution

Sunday Contribution	\$3,604.77
Budget	\$4,041.00
Over Budget	\$3,734.50
Building Fund	\$237,528.36

Men To Serve

Sunday Morning

Song Leader	Bobby Hill
Opening Prayer	Carl Burrus
Closing Prayer	Steve Wetzel
Scripture Reading	Matt Hamilton
Lord's Table	Randy Crawford Dalton Path Chris Patterson Steve Rucquoy

Ushers	Keith Riggs Wes Wadkins
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Greeter Bob Simmons

Lock Building Scott Lack; Bruce Rothell

Sunday Evening

Song Leader	James Hamilton
Opening Prayer	Harry Reeve
Closing Prayer	Sonny Pulliam
Lord's Table	Randy Crawford Dalton Path

Wednesday Evening

Opening Prayer	Dalton Path
Closing Prayer	Steve Wetzel
Song Leader	Matt Caldwell

Communion Preparation

11/3	Selene Williams
11/10	Renee Witchurch
11/17	Susan Yeager
11/24	Barbara Girod
12/1	Selene Williams
12/8	Lilia Rothell
12/15	Bayla Burrus
12/22	Becky Byers
12/29	Debbie Witchurch

Next Quarterly Ladies Meeting

Sunday, December 1st
3:30 pm

EAT THIS BOOK READINGS

11/10	Jer 48; Ps 119:17-24; 2Cor 1-2
11/11	Jer 49; Ps 119:25-32; 2Cor 3-4
11/12	Jer 50; Ps 119:33-40; 2Cor 5-6
11/13	Jer 51-52; Ps 119:41-48; 2Cor 7-8
11/14	Lam 1; Ps 119:49-56; 2Cor 9-10
11/15	Lam 2-3; Ps 119:57-64; 2Cor 11-13
11/16	Lam 4-5; Ps 119:65-72; Gal 1-2



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OF THE LORD'S WAY®

*These were more noble... they searched the scriptures daily... (Acts 17:11)

Sundays at 7:30 a.m. KWHB
TV47 or Cable Channel 7

Search Programs:

Nov 10 - Whatever
Nov 17 - Listening to God
Nov 24 - Let Us Give Thanks

Sunday Morning Sermon

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Sunday Evening Class

How to Study the Bible
Benjamin J. Williams