

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

April 27, 2014

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

Prayer Items

- ⊗ Lord's Move to Asia Fellowship
- ⊗ Southern California 6th Grade Conference
- ⊗ College Work in Irvine

For additional details regarding the above prayer items, please refer to Detailed Prayer Burdens.

Weekly Truth Pursuit

Life-Study of Colossians, Messages 63 & 64

Bible Reading

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	409-410	1
Tuesday	411-412	2
Wednesday	413-414	3
Thursday	415-416	4
Friday	417-418	5
Saturday	419-420	6

Morning Revival

Mending Ministry of John, Week 1

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

International: Lord's Move to Asia Fellowship - May 1-3 in New Delhi, India

- ⊗ Pray that this time will be used by the Lord to release His burden and strengthen the coordination of the saints and churches to be in one accord for the increase and spread of His testimony in Asia.
- ⊗ Pray that this fellowship will give the Lord an unhindered way for the preaching of the gospel of the kingdom in Bangladesh, Cambodia, India, Iran, Laos, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Vietnam, as well as the Arab countries of Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and United Arab Emirates and the raising up of churches in these countries for the spread of His kingdom.

Local: Southern California 6th Grade Conference

- ⊗ Pray for the convicting work of the Spirit in this time that the children would experience a genuine repentance and the Lord's salvation in receiving Him as their Savior.

College Work in Irvine

- ⊗ Continue to pray that the students being contacted on the college campuses would be shepherded into the experience and enjoyment of Christ and brought fully into the church life in small groups and in all the meetings of the church.

LETTER FROM ABRAHAM LIN

I only have one question for you - How is your eating? In this past ministry meeting we see that the Lord cares so much for our eating. A verse that was fresh to me:

Deuteronomy 8:3, "And He humbled you and let you go hungry and fed you the manna, which you had never known nor your fathers had ever known, so that He might make you know that man lives not by bread alone, but that man lives by everything that proceeds out from the mouth of Jehovah."

We see that there are two humblings here. We see that the Lord was the first to humble Himself to become the bread for us to eat. He emptied himself into a man and even crumbs. Then in this verse we have to realize that we

need to be humbled as well. We may go through a dry period or a rough period but this is the Lord humbling us. This is to show us that He is the manna to us. That we would know that we don't live on anything else but on everything out of the mouth of Jehovah. What comes out of His mouth is just Christ. We are humbled to realize that the only way to keep living and going on is to eat Christ. We just have to eat Christ in all situations. This is what the Lord wants us to realize. Don't pray for power, strength, or anything. He is saying just eat me as the bread.

Eating the Lord,
Abraham Lin

SUMMER TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

Place: Ministry Conference Center 2431 W. La Palma Ave., Anaheim, CA

Dates: Monday, June 30, 2014, 4:00pm—
Saturday, July 5, 2014, 9:30pm

Donation: Live Training in Anaheim: \$160 per trainee (outline included)

Webcast/Video in Irvine: \$85 per trainee (outline included)

LAST DAY to register: TODAY April 27, 2014
AFTER April 27: Additional \$50 late fee for Live Anaheim training.

(After May 15, you may not be seated with the Irvine section.)

AFTER June 14: Additional \$25 late fee for the Webcast/Video Training in Irvine.

REGISTRATION:

Please follow these steps carefully to register. You may register **online** at: login.churchinirvine.org/training (one login credential per registration). You may also register with a **paper form** given to your local district responsible brother (who will register online).

DONATION:

You may pay **online** via PayPal, or by check with the paper form. Checks should be made payable to *the church in Irvine*. Please note that paying for another registrant does NOT equal registration.

IMPORTANT NOTE: If you do not receive these email confirmations, you may not be registered.

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Upcoming Events

☉ Friday, May 23 - Monday, May 26, International Memorial Day Conference, Philadelphia, PA

Church-related Websites

General: churchinirvine.org
 Blog: members.churchinirvine.org
 Calendar: calendar.churchinirvine.org
 Offerings: offerings.churchinirvine.org
 YP: youngpeople.churchinirvine.org

This Week

27 TH Lord's Day	☉ 9:30am–12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts
29 TH Tuesday	☉ 7:30–8:30pm Prayer meetings by districts
30 TH Wednesday	☉ 7:30–9:00pm Ministry meeting at MCC Anaheim and simulcast at Hall 3
1 ST Thursday	☉ 10:00–11:00am Sisters prayer meeting at Hall 3
2 ND Friday	☉ Evening Small groups in the homes
3 RD Saturday	☉ 6:00pm Young people's dinner and meeting
4 TH Lord's Day	☉ 9:30am–12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts

SUMMER TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT (CONT'D)

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For problems or questions please email: training_registration@churchinirvine.org or go to login.churchinirvine.org/training. The following brothers are responsible for registration in their respective districts:

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| 1. Greg Lee | 3. Kevin Kwan |
| 2. Mark Chen | 4-5. Zion Kim |

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| 6. Bruce Li | 11. Stephen Zhong |
| 7. Edward Wang | 12. James Yeh |
| 8. Wayne Kusumo | 13. Alan Chung |
| 9. Lazarus Sun | 14. Mark Niu |
| 10. Leon Wang | 15-16. James Jin |

CARE PACKAGES FOR IRVINE-SENT AND IRVINE-RELATED TRAINEES

We would like to put together care packages for all the Irvine-sent or Irvine-related trainees. Please drop off the care packages **TODAY, April 27**. We will have 3 drop-off locations:

- Hall 1 - to Sam or Brianna Lee
- Hall 3 - to Isaac Acosta
- District 1 meeting room (Balboa Island A of the UCI Student Center) - to Apphia Freeman

If you are unable to drop-off at those locations, please contact Apphia Freeman at [949-579-0835](tel:949-579-0835) no later than 5pm of Lord's day, April 27. Thank you for participating in the care and shepherding of these trainees! These

are the names of the trainees who are sent from or related to Irvine:

Brothers

Jason Hwang	Anthony Jacobson
Philip Ku	Justin Liu
Abraham Lin	Jonathan Yao

Sisters

Esther Chang	Debbie Chao
Marissa Geer	Grace Chiu
Rebekah Brown	Jolene Ung
Soomin Chang	Melody Wang
Mercy Baek	Rachel Acosta

ANNOUNCEMENTS

☉ Church-wide Lord's Day Gathering at Hall 1—May 11

The leading brothers in the church in Irvine would like to call **a church-wide gathering at Hall 1 on Lord's Day, May 11** for some special fellowship that will affect the church's pursuit and the Lord's move on the earth. In addition, the sixth grade baptisms will be held that morning, so we have an opportunity to witness the Lord adding a number of our precious children into the one Body of Christ (1 Cor. 12:13) and to welcome them into the church! The Lord's Table will commence at the usual time of **9:30am**, followed by the special fellowship and baptism.

Parking: As with all church-wide gatherings at Hall 1, parking will be in short supply. The parking lot is reserved for those cars containing 3 or more saints or for those with children and elderly saints. All others should park behind the meeting hall in the neighborhood streets of the Deerfield community. College students and FTTA trainees are encouraged to park at Venado Middle School on Deerfield Ave (which is 10-minute walk across Deerfield Park behind the meeting hall).

Children: Children service will be coordinated by districts or clusters of districts as with all church-wide gatherings.

No love feast: While we will be feasting on the Lord together, we will not have a corporate love feast. However, the saints are encouraged to make private arrangements for purposes of blending and fellowship.

☉ Sixth Grade Baptisms—May 11

Baptism of the sixth graders will be held during the Lord's day morning meeting men-

tioned above. Please pray for the following 6th graders' baptisms:

Jonathan Chen	Arthur Liu
Joy Chen	Chloe MacVicar
Xandra Edwards	Lisa Shi
Matthias Kwan	Emma Wang
Catherine Li	Elijah Wen
Daniela Lin	

☉ Summer Bible Camp—July 28-August 2

This year's Summer Bible Camp will take place from 7/28-8/2/14. We need many to serve as well as many to pray for the SBC. We need much participation to carry out this special week and encourage all parents and burdened saints to join our coordination times at Hall 1. We will be meeting the following times:

May 11 from 2:30-3:30pm
 June 1 from 3:30-4:30pm
 June 22 from 2:30-3:30pm
 July 13 from 3:30-4:30pm
 July 27 from 3:30-4:30pm

☉ One-Day Retreat for Young Families and Working Saints—June 7

To all young families and working saints (grad students, serving ones, working saints, young married couples, young mothers/parents, etc.) from roughly the age of 23 (post undergrad) to early 40s: **please save the date for a one-day retreat on Saturday, June 7, 2014.** Location, schedule, and cost TBD. Full children's service will be provided. Please be on the lookout for more information in the near future.