

Prayer Items

- ⊗ Follow-up with Rhema contacts
- ⊗ Bookshop in Central London
- ⊗ GTCA
- ⊗ Districting in Irvine
- ⊗ Saints struggling with health conditions, unemployment, loss of family, and other personal matters.

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

Weekly Truth Pursuit

Ministry reading: *Life-Study of Exodus, messages 180 & 181*

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Bible reading

Morning Revival

The Crystallization-study of Psalms, Vol. 3, Week 15

Word of the Week

Abide

The full post is available here:
<http://churchinirvine.org/Members/index.php?p=3068>

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

International: Follow-up with Rhema Contacts throughout Europe

- ⊗ Please continue to pray that the Lord will have mercy on the readers of the free literature distributed by Rhema and will shepherd many of them through the local saints and full-timers into the church life.

The Bookshop in Central London

- ⊗ Pray that this bookstore would be used to sow and spread the ministry to people of many countries who are living in London.
- ⊗ Pray that this bookstore would open "Joseph's storehouse" to people all over Europe and the Middle East and that through it the Lord's word would run and be glorified throughout Europe.
- ⊗ Pray for the radio listeners, the Rhema recipients, and the university students and people who live and work near the bookshop.

National: GTCA—The Need for Enduring Prayer

The two-week GTCA gospel trips have concluded, but the burden to gospelize, truthize, and churchize America continues. Enduring prayer is needed for the ongoing shepherding of those who received free copies of the New Testament Recovery Version and

ministry books during these times of sowing. Saints are continuing to nourish and cherish new ones in appointments, Bible studies, and home meetings.

- ⊗ Do continue to stand in prayer with the saints' labor in each of the GTCA cities to afford the Lord a way to reap a harvest of remaining fruit.
- ⊗ Pray for a harmonious coordination among the saints in all their shepherding and for soft and open hearts in the new ones under their care.

Local: Irvine

- ⊗ Pray for the participation and building up of the Lord's table meeting, the prayer meeting, and the "each one has" meeting in all the districts.
- ⊗ Pray for the building up of the home meetings in every district that they would be "shepherds tents" to care for the saints and new ones.
- ⊗ Pray that in every district the saints would enterprise with the spirit of the gospel and the heart of our Savior God to contact and reach people with the gospel to bear remaining fruit for the increase of the Lord's testimony.

REPORT FROM GOSPEL TRIP TO SOUTHERN UNITED KINGDOM

Praise the Lord for His move in Europe! I had the privilege to participate in the gospel trip to south United Kingdom where we visited the following 5 cities in addition to London: Southampton, Reading, Cardiff, Exeter, and Bristol. We also visited a few historical landmarks such as John & Charles Wesley's church, William Tyndale's tower, and George Muller's orphanages.

During our visitation I was very much impressed and encouraged with the situation in Cardiff. There are just but two families who live and serve on the campus there full-time. What is most impressive is that even though the students there are all new ones, they function as if they have been in the church life for several years. Their fervency and zealousness for the Lord greatly encouraged our team, as well as their eagerness to coordinate, pray, go gospel preaching, and provision of hospitality for our stay there.

On our last night before the gospel trip ended, we had a glorious blending time with the students from Cardiff, Exeter, and Bristol. We had a mutual encouraging time where some of the students shared their testimony of

how they came into the church life, while the trainees shared their testimony of their experience of the church life and the Lord's leading in coming to the FTFA. We received a report afterwards that a student was so touched with the sharing that she decided to get baptized! Lord, gain the European young people!

As the brothers shared during our orientation in London, what we're doing is very much related to the Lord's heart. In the book of Ruth, the kinsman's decision made him miss the direct line to participate in the line for Christ. Saints, we are the near kinsmen and this is our opportunity to be in the direct line for Christ. For His sake, we need to be the Boaz by giving Him our utmost cooperation. What we pour out will bring the Lord back to possess the earth. We labor as if we wouldn't come back, yet beseeching the Lord to come back. What Europe needs is those who are willing and open to go. Lord, here we are. Send us!

Your sister,
Amy Wang

Upcoming Events

☪ Friday, Mar. 30 - Lord's Day, Apr. 1, ITERO, Anaheim, CA

Church-related Websites

General: churchinirvine.org

Blog: churchinirvine.org/Members

Audio: recentaudio.churchinirvine.org

Calendar: calendar.churchinirvine.org

Gospel: gospel.churchinirvine.org

Offerings: offerings.churchinirvine.org

YA: youngadults.churchinirvine.org

YP: youngpeople.churchinirvine.org

Online Forms

Record baptisms:

baptisms.churchinirvine.org

Register for user account:

churchinirvine.org/register

Register for truth pursuit emails:

truthpursuit.churchinirvine.org

Register for services:

servicesignup.churchinirvine.org

This Week

4TH Lord's Day ☪ 9:30am -12:00pm Church-wide blending meeting at UCI followed by love feast

6TH Tuesday ☪ 7:30-8:30pm Prayer meetings by districts

8TH Thursday ☪ 10:00am Sister's prayer meeting at Hall 2

9TH Friday ☪ Evening Small groups in the homes

10TH Saturday ☪ 8:30am Brothers' prayer and coordination (by districts)
☪ 6:00pm Young people's meeting

11TH Lord's Day ☪ 9:30am -12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts

HEALTH UPDATE REGARDING SISTER GRACE DANIELL

Sister Grace Daniell received her first chemotherapy infusion of the new regimen on Wednesday, Feb. 29, and tolerated it well without side effects. On Thursday and Friday, Grace received IV hydration which also went well. She was able to eat and socialize. Also on Friday, Grace began her oral chemo drug which she will be taking daily for two weeks. On Saturday, after a fitful night, her day was

characterized by sleepiness. Overall, her pain has been maintained with the current medication and her appetite has been good. She has not complained of any nausea. Grace appears so tired and drowsy. She stated that she is unable to receive visitors until she adjusts to all the changes. Thank the Lord for all the answered prayers for our sister Grace! He has been so faithful to meet all her needs.

WORD OF THE WEEK: "ABIDE"

Pray Over These Key Verses...

John 4:24: God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truthfulness.

John 14:23: Jesus answered and said to him, If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make an abode with him.

John 15:7: If you abide in Me and My words abide in you, ask whatever you will, and it shall be done for you.

Read Some Helpful Ministry...

Our topic in this message is "How to Abide in Christ." It is this book of John which gives us the key. While chapter fifteen is the central chapter on this, the surrounding chapters are all related to it. For many years I did not realize this. As a young man seeking after the Lord, I surely loved the word in John 15 on abiding. But I kept wondering how to do it.

To abide in Christ, then, begins with the divine birth in chapter one. Chapter three goes on to tell us that this birth from above involves two spirits. The worship in John 4, of the Spirit by the human spirit, also involves the two spirits.

In 6:63 John proceeds from the two spirits to the Word. "It is the Spirit Who gives life; the flesh profits nothing; the words which I have spoken unto you are spirit and are life." Abiding is not merely a matter of the Spirit; the Word is also involved. The Greek here is the instant, practical, present word of the Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

☪ Fellowship/Workshops for Parents and Serving Ones

We would like to invite all the parents and serving ones of the children in all the districts to come to a time of fellowship regarding the children's work in the districts. It will be a time of being infused with the up-to-date speaking of the Lord and learning from one another in the practical carrying out of the children's work. The fellowship will be at Hall 3 at the following dates and times:

Notice [John] 14:23. "Jesus answered and said to him, If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make an abode with him." This word abode is the noun form of abide. The Father and Son will come to the one who loves Them not only for a visit but to make an abode. This abode is mutual. They will abide in him, and he will abide in Them. The abiding in chapter fifteen comes from the abode, or mutual abiding place, in 14:23.

How can we be branches in the vine? How can we abide in Him and have Him abide in us? For many years I could not figure this out, until one day I saw that as the life-giving Spirit He had entered into my spirit, just to be one with me. I am one with Him, not in my mind, emotion, or will, but in my spirit.

Today the Lord is no more Jesus in the flesh. He is now the life-giving Spirit. Concerning His exaltation, He is at the Father's right hand as Lord of all (Acts 2:32-36). But concerning His indwelling, He is within us as the life-giving Spirit. Because He is in our spirit, we are one spirit with Him (1 Cor. 6:17). This one spirit is the vine. These two spirits are one in the divine life and one in the divine nature. *Life Messages*, p. 92-95)

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3/11/2012, Lord's Day, 4:00-6:00PM

4/22/2012, Lord's Day, 4:00-6:00PM

6/3/2012, Lord's Day, 4:00-6:00PM

☪ High School and Jr. High School Conference Registration

The registration is now open for the High School (3/23-25) & Jr. High School (4/13-15) conferences on the IrvineYP.com website. Please sign up as the deadline is today.