Weekly Fellowship

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

Prayer Items

- Brazil
- ◆ GTCA
- UCI and IVC
- 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: Catch up on reading the Life-study of Exodus. The Life-study of Ephesians will commence in a few weeks.

Bible reading

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	1072-1073	484
Tuesday	1074-1075	485
Wednesday	1076-1077	486
Thursday	1078-1079	487
Friday	1080-1081	488
Saturday	1082-1083	489

Morning Revival

The Crystallization-study of Psalms, Vol. 4, Week 19

Word of the Week

Cry

The full post is available here: http://churchinirvine.org/Members/index.php?p=3147

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

International: The Lord's Move in Brazil

From March 5-22, a group of five brothers visited 13 localities in the Northeast of Brazil. In each locality when the brothers met the saints, they experienced the love of God in the fellowship of the Spirit flowing among the members of the Lord's organic Body—and often this fellowship was with many tears of joy from the saints.

- Please pray for the continued going on of the churches in Brazil as many saints are experiencing great joy in returning back to the unique fellowship of the Body of Christ.
- Please pray for the distribution of free literature in Brazil. Rhema in coordination with the RBSA office is now distributing the following books to the churches and the seeking saints in Brazil: Basic Elements of the Christian Life, volumes one and two; The Economy of God; and The All-inclusive Christ.

National: Continuing to Gospelize, Truthize & and Churchize America

Saints laboring in the GTCA 2011 and 2012 cities continue to give encouraging reports of the Lord's establishing, shepherding,

and building work. Thousands of North Americans have now received the New Testament Recovery Version and *Basic Elements of the Christian Life*, and a number of new churches have been raised up in targeted GTCA cities. In many places, saints continue to meet with and shepherd contacts they met during the initial gospel trips. Two such contacts from State College, Pennsylvania even came short-term to the Full-time Training in Anaheim earlier this year.

Please continue to stand in prayer with the saints laboring in each GTCA city. Pray that those under their care would grow with the growth of God and that the Lord would open the way for burdened saints to migrate to these cities.

Local: Irvine

- Pray for the labor on the campus that the Lord would use the remaining weeks of the school year to gain remaining fruit from both UCI and IVC.
- Pray for the new ones from the campuses to attend the college conference on April 13-15.

WORD OF THE WEEK: "CRY"

Pray Over These Key Verses...

<u>Psa. 39:12</u>: Hear my prayer, O Jehovah; / And give ear to my cry; / Do not hold Your peace at my tears. / For I am a stranger with You, / A sojourner, as all my fathers were.

<u>Psa 84:6</u>: Passing through the valley of Baca [weeping], / They make it a spring; / Indeed the early rain covers it with blessings.

<u>Psa. 126:5</u>: Those who sow in tears / Will reap with a ringing shout. 6 He who goes forth and weeps, / Bearing seed for scattering, / Will no doubt come in with a ringing shout, / Bearing his sheaves with him.

Mark 9:24: Immediately, crying out, the father of the child said, I believe; help my unbelief!

<u>Luke 7:38</u>: And she stood behind Him at His feet weeping and began to wet His feet with her tears and wiped them with the hair of her head, and she kissed His feet affectionately and anointed them with the ointment.

<u>Luke 18:7</u>: And will not God by all means carry out the avenging of His chosen ones,

who cry to Him day and night, though He is long-suffering over them?

Read Some Helpful Ministry...

Let us read the story of a father and his son, and we will understand immediately the profit of praying with tears before God. Mark 9:24 says, "Immediately, crying out, the father of the child said, I believe; help my unbelief!" At that time, it was too painful for him. He hated the fact that he could not believe, or that his faith was not enough. On one hand, he saw his child in pain and could not make him better in spite of all that he had done. On the other hand, he sought for the help of the Lord's disciples, and they were unable to do anything. He was indeed frustrated. Under such anxiety and pain, he could not contain himself; he had to cry and call on the Lord. What was the result? The Lord heard his prayer, and the child was healed. There is a reason for many prayers not being answered. It is because there are no tears. (The Collected Works of Watchman Nee, (Set 1) Vol. 19: Notes on Scriptural Messages (3), Chapter 5, Section 5)

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Upcoming Events

- **♦ Lord's** Day, Apr. 22, 4:00-6:00pm, Children's work fellowship, Hall 3
- Friday, May 25 Lord's Day, May 28, Memorial Day Conference, Bellevue,

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

1 ST Lord's Day	⊗	9:30am –12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts
3 RD Tuesday	0	7:30-8:30pm Prayer meetings by districts
4 TH Wednesday	*	7:30-9:00pm Ministry meeting in Anaheim at MCC and simulcast in Irvine at Hall 3
5 TH Thursday	0	10:00am Sisters' prayer meeting at Hall 2
6 TH Friday	0	Evening Small groups in the homes
7 TH Saturday		8:30am Brothers' prayer and coordination by dis- tricts 6:00pm Young people's meeting
8 TH Lord's Day	8	9:30am –12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts

WORD OF THE WEEK: "CRY" (CONT'D)

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Those who have never wept have never passed through God's digging hands. Tears indicate that a person has something within him. They show others that there is God's work within such a person. However, God does not treasure our tears that are shed in public, tears that others can see. He treasures the tears shed in secret, tears that are shed for Him. Proper and precious tears are tears "unto God," tears shed at night. (The Collected Works of Watchman Nee, (Set 1) Vol. 19: Notes on Scriptural Messages (3), Chapter 5, Section 3)

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INTERNATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY CONFERENCE

ence this year will be held in Bellevue, Washington from Friday, May 25, 2012 through Monday, May 28, 2012. We would like to extend an invitation to all the churches and individuals to participate in this gathering.

The meeting schedule is as follows: 1st meeting: Friday, May 25, 7:30pm 2nd meeting: Saturday, May 26, 10:00am 3rd meeting: Saturday, May 26, 7:30pm 4th meeting: Lord's Day, May 27, 9:30am 5th meeting: Lord's Day, May 27, 7:30pm

6th meeting: Monday, May 28, 10:00am

All the meetings will be held at the Hyatt Regency Bellevue Hotel, in the Grand Ballroom and will be open to the public. There will be translation into Chinese, Korean, Portuguese, and Spanish.

Lodging: Hyatt Regency Bellevue Hotel— Special group rate of \$99.00/per night plus tax (14.4%) for single, double, triple, or quadruple occupancy is available. For room reservations,

The International Memorial Day Conferplease call 1-888-421-1442 or 425-462-1234 and request the group rate for Living Stream Ministry. To make online reservations please go to: https://resweb.passkey.com/Resweb.do? mode=welcome ei new&eventID=3381784 to get the special group rate. Reservations must be made by April 23, 2012 in order to get this reduced rate. Check-in is 3:00pm or earlier if rooms are available and check-out is 2:00pm on Monday, May 28, 2012. The hotel website is www.bellevue.hyatt.com.

Childcare: Care for children from kindergarten through 6th grade will be provided during the conference meetings at the Hyatt Regency Bellevue Hotel. If you are planning to bring children, you will need to fill out a 'Childcare Registration Form' and return it no later than May 1. All questions should be emailed to register@lsm.org, faxed to 714-236-6005, or mailed to Living Stream Ministry Registration Section at 2431 W. La Palma Avenue, Anaheim, CA 92801.

2012 SUMMER TRAINING

The upcoming 2012 Summer Training details are as follows:

Place: Ministry Conference Center, 2431 W. La Palma Ave., Anaheim, CA Dates: Monday, July 2, 2012, 4:00pm— Saturday, July 7, 2012, 9:30pm

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

Webcast/Video Training Donation: \$85 per trainee (outline included)

Last day to register: April 22, 2012

No part-time shared seats allowed

Registration Link: To register online, please go to login.churchinirvine.org/training and follow the instructions there. Please note that one login credential is accepted per registration.

Registration by paper form: Please fill out a form, attach the donation (made payable to "The Church in Irvine") and turn it in to the registration brothers.

Trainees under the age of 17 are required to participate in at least one video training before attending the live training. Attendance by young people under the age of 17 is not recommended. Trainees who are 15 years old and under will no longer be accepted to the live training, without exception. All underage trainees must be registered for the training full-time; part-time and shared seats will not be allowed.

For any questions please email: training_registration@churchinirvine.org or go to login.churchinirvine.org/training.