

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

April 29, 2012

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

Prayer Items

- ☉ Lord's move in Spain
- ☉ Omaha, Nebraska
- ☉ Irvine
- ☉ 6th grade conference and baptisms
- ☉ 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 Ephesians, Messages 7 & 8*

Bible reading

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	1120-1121	508
Tuesday	1122-1123	509
Wednesday	1124-1125	510
Thursday	1126-1127	511
Friday	1128-1129	512
Saturday	1130-1131	513

Morning Revival

Morning Revival on Prophecy, Week 2

Word of the Week

Nourish

The full post is available here:
<http://churchinirvine.org/Members/index.php?p=3266>

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

International: The Lord's Move in Spain

- ☉ Pray that the Lord would strengthen the one accord among the saints in Madrid and that the leading ones would be built and blended together through much prayer and fellowship for the sake of the Lord's move in that part of the earth.
- ☉ Pray that the saints would be safeguarded from the enemy's attacks in their daily life with regards to finance, family, and health.

National: Cinco de Mayo Distribution in Omaha, Nebraska

Saints in Nebraska are continuing to labor in Omaha, one of the GTCA cities for 2012. On May 5 and 6, the brothers and sisters plan to have a BfA table at the Cinco de Mayo celebration in Omaha to distribute free English and Spanish copies of the *New Testament Recovery Version* and *Basic Elements of the Christian Life*, vol. 1. This year over 55,000 people are expected to participate, making this one of the largest events in the region.

- ☉ Pray that the Lord would bless the sowing of His Word during this event and that He would reach many of His seekers in the Omaha area with the printed materials.
- ☉ Pray that the saints would enjoy a harmonious coordination and one accord in their going out to distribute the free materials and in the follow-up labor thereafter.

Local: Irvine

- ☉ Pray that every district will be built up through the practice of prophesying.
- ☉ Pray that the saints will endeavor to seek the excellent gift of prophesying by having a daily life of being in the Word, growing in life, contacting the Lord and being perfected by one another.

6th Grade Conference and Baptisms

- ☉ Pray for the 6th grade conference this weekend.
- ☉ Pray for the convicting Spirit to bring all the children to repentance and faith in the Lord as their Savior.
- ☉ Pray that they will all take the step of baptism to openly declare their faith in Christ and be brought into the significance of baptism in terminating their former manner of life to have a new living in Christ for God's building.

6th Graders in Irvine:

Brothers (6):

Tyler Ferraro
John Gao
Matthew Birchler
Noah Egan
Joshua Kang
Matthew Chung

Sisters (8):

Esther Watson
Kimberly Shi
Giuliana Jacobson
Emily Kim
Sophia James
Eun Hae Lee
Stella Shuai
Renee Reed

GRACE DANIELL WITH THE LORD ON 4/26/12

2 Timothy 4:7 "I have fought the good fight; I have finished the course; I have kept the faith."

Our sister Grace Daniell turned 61 years old on April 20 while bedridden and hospitalized at Hoag Hospital in Newport Beach. She appeared more alert and aware of the occasion for most of the day and tried to communicate with those who visited with a voice barely audible but sometimes a little smile in recognition.

Six days later, on April 26, began the last hours of her earthly journey which gradually slowed throughout the day until her last breath at 11:35 pm. Peacefully Grace finished her course with her sons Luke and Paul at her side. Others nearby quietly proclaimed "she's with the Lord!"

Although our sister Grace is missed greatly, the building that occurred between her and all of us remains in our being and cannot

be taken away as we are being built into Him and He is being built into us. Hallelujah for this divine reality.

Please pray for her two sons Luke and Paul:

1) that the Lord's wisdom and His life and peace would lead them in making every decision;

2) that they would remain open to receive the Lord's love and shepherding care in these days through the members of His Body;

3) that they would see the Lord, depend on Him and love Him freshly as a result of their mother's steadfast testimony unto Him.

Pray also for more glory and grace to abound in the environment and that Christ would be magnified in all things.

Funeral arrangements are being planned according to Grace's wishes and will be announced when scheduled and completed.

Upcoming Events

- ☉ Friday, May 4 - Lord's Day, May 6, Sixth Grade Conference, Alpine Camp and Conference Center
- ☉ Friday, May 25 - Monday, May 28, Memorial Day Conference, Bellevue, WA

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

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

Pray Over These Key Verses...

Jer. 15:16: Your words were found and I ate them, / And Your word became to me / The gladness and joy of my heart, / For I am called by Your name, / O Jehovah, God of hosts.

Ezek. 3:1: Then He said to me, Son of man, eat what you find; eat this scroll, and go, speak to the house of Israel. 2 So I opened my mouth, and He gave me that scroll to eat. 3 And He said to me, Son of man, feed your stomach and fill your inward parts with this scroll that I am giving you. And I ate it, and it was like honey in my mouth in its sweetness.

John 6:57: As the living Father has sent Me and I live because of the Father, so he who eats Me, he also shall live because of Me.

Read Some Helpful Footnotes...

Jer. 15:16, note 1 (ate): According to the entire revelation in the Holy Bible, God's words are good for us to eat, and we need to eat them (Psa. 119:103; Matt. 4:4; Heb. 5:12-14; 1 Pet. 2:2-3). God's word is the divine supply as food to nourish us. Through the word as our food, God dispenses His riches into our inner being to nourish us that we may be constituted with His element. This is a crucial aspect of God's economy. When we eat God's words, His word becomes our heart's gladness and joy.

Read Some Helpful Ministry...

Another important verse is 1 Timothy 4:6b: "You will be a good member of Christ Jesus, being nourished with the words of the faith." Perhaps you have been in Christianity for many years. Have you ever thought that we must be nourished in the Word of God? As a rule, we always think that we must be "taught" in the Word, by the Word, and with the Word. But how many Christians have noticed the word "nourished"? And how many have ever heard a message stressing the importance of being nourished in the Word?

But the concept of the apostle Paul was that God's Word is food to nourish God's children. We must be nourished in the Word, not merely taught. Praise the Lord, nourished! Hallelujah, we must be nourished with the Word, not just taught with letters! Paul's emphasis is not that we should be taught with knowledge, but that we should be nourished with the riches of the Word. (*A Time with the Lord*, Chapter 1, Section 2)

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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. The best way is if every small group can fellowship and put together some items—either a little something for all the trainees or something for the trainees your group is more related with. Also, any cards or notes from the saints are a real encouragement to them. Please bring the care packages by May 13th. We will collect them from the respective halls and deliver them to the trainees.

If you have any questions regarding this, please contact David Lee at davidtothemax@gmail.com or Sally Han at sallyrahan@gmail.com. Thank you for participating

in the care and shepherding of these trainees.

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

Brothers:	Sisters:
Allen Wang	Alice Liu
Alvin Kim	Apphia Freeman
Gor Sargsyan	Audrey Lu
Fred Liu	Elaine Cheong
Max Lai	Rachel Chang
Patrick Wang	Stephanie Chou
Solomon Yao	Johanna Martinez
Stephen Moll	Madelyn Mendoza
	Rachel Reetzke
	Carlin Ferraro

ANNOUNCEMENTS

☉ Summer Bible Camp

This year's topic is Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther and the tentative dates for the SBC are from 7/30 to 8/4. There will be a coordination meeting for the parents/serving ones regarding this year's Summer Bible Camp **TODAY** at Hall 1 from 3:30pm to 4:30pm. Please plan to join this time.

☉ Special Fellowship for Sisters

There will be a special follow-up fellowship for the sisters regarding prophesying this **Thursday, May 3, from 7:30-9:00pm at**

Hall 3. All sisters are encouraged to come to receive some helpful and practical perfecting fellowship particular to the sisters. Brothers are encouraged to provide childcare to free up sisters to attend.

☉ Conference in Grenada

There will be a conference of the churches in Grenada, June 15-17, in St. George's, Grenada. For more details please contact the church business office at: office@churchinirvine.org.