

# WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP September 18, 2011

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

## Prayer Items

- ⊗ The Lord's Move in Japan
- ⊗ BfA Tour in the Northeast
- ⊗ Welcome Week at UCI
- ⊗ 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 136 & 137*

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	760-761	328
Tuesday	762-763	329
Wednesday	764-765	330
Thursday	766-767	331
Friday	768-769	332
Saturday	770-771	333

## Morning Revival

*Crystallization-Study of Psalms, Vol. 1, Week 6*

## Word of the Week

### Come

The full post is available here:

<http://churchinirvine.org/Members/index.php?p=2406>

## Lord's Table Meeting

Hall	Last Week's Attendance
Hall 1	164
Hall 2	88
Hall 3	94
TOTAL	346

## DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

### International: The Lord's Move in Japan

- ⊗ Pray that the word released in the recent national conference in Tokyo would operate in all those who attended that they would be brought under a controlling vision of God's economy and the Body of Christ.
- ⊗ Pray for the blending and coordination between the saints from Taiwan and the local saints in various churches in Japan for the upcoming one month of gospel preaching.

In Sendai, there are a number of new ones who are slowly progressing into the church life.

- ⊗ Please pray for the continued openness of these ones, for the Lord to increase the capacity and burden of the local saints to shepherd these new ones, and for some couples to migrate to Sendai.
- ⊗ Pray for the raising up of a shining golden lampstand in Sendai and the house to house church life there.

### National: 9/11 Commemorative BfA Tour in the Northeast

On this 10th anniversary of September 11, Bibles for America (BfA) is conducting a two-week commemorative distribution tour through the northeastern United States. The schedule for this last week is:

September 16–19: Washington, D.C.

September 20: Storrs, Connecticut

September 21–23: Boston, Massachusetts

- ⊗ Please stand with us for this special time of gospelizing and truthizing the Northeast. May God cause many to be saved and to come to the full knowledge of the truth according to His desire.

### Irvine: Welcome Week at UCI

- ⊗ Pray for the Lord's blessing this week on the labor and that He would seek out and find the many sons of peace on this campus.

- ⊗ Pray that the Lord would bind any opposition that the truth would prevail and the seeking ones would be released for His purpose.

- ⊗ Pray that the saints laboring would be filled with the Spirit to speak the word of God with all boldness.

## SPECIAL IRVINE CHURCH-WIDE CONFERENCE OCT. 1-2

The leading brothers in the church in Irvine would like to call a special three-session conference for the saints in the church in Irvine from Sat., Oct. 1 to Lord's Day, Oct. 2 to be held at Hall 1. The purpose of the conference is to fellowship an important matter involving the practical direction of the church that may have a direct impact in the coming months on all the saints. This is a critical time of infusion and speaking. We look to the Lord to bring all the saints into the same feeling and burden that is presently with all the leading brothers regarding how the church can advance in the carrying out of the God-ordained way. May the Lord take another significant step in the church through this conference!

The schedule for the conference will be as follows:

**Session #1**—Sat. AM, 10:00am-12:00pm

**Session #2**—Sat. PM, 7:30pm-9:30pm

**Session #3**—L.D. AM, 10:00am-12:00pm  
at Halls 1 & 2 (Hall 3 will join Hall 1)

All childcare should be self-arranged (although the facilities may be used by the saints). Please do your best to make arrangements in advance to free yourself up to attend this important time of fellowship.

## WORD OF THE WEEK: "COME"

### From The Conference Handout...

**Scriptures:** Exo. 34:2-3; Psa. 95:2; Isa. 55:1; Matt. 11:28; John 6:37; John 7:37; Heb. 4:16; Heb. 7:25; Heb. 10:22; Heb. 11:6; James 4:8a

**Footnotes:** Exo 34:4<sup>2</sup>; Heb 4:16,<sup>2</sup>

**Hymns:** 1048; 554; 769

### Pray Over These Key Verses...

**Exo. 34:2-3:** And be ready by the morning, and come up in the morning to Mount Sinai, and present yourself there to Me, on the top of the mountain. 3 And no one shall come up with you, nor let anyone be seen anywhere on the moun-

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## Upcoming Events

- ☛ Saturday, Oct. 1 - Lord's Day, Oct. 2, Special Church-Wide Conference, Irvine, Hall 1
- ☛ Thursday, Oct. 6 - Saturday, Oct. 8, ITERO, Baarlo, Netherlands
- ☛ Thursday, Nov. 24 - Lord's Day, Nov. 27, Thanksgiving Conference, San Jose, 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](http://baptisms.churchinirvine.org)  
 Register for user account:  
[churchinirvine.org/register](http://churchinirvine.org/register)  
 Register for truth pursuit emails:  
[truthpursuit.churchinirvine.org](http://truthpursuit.churchinirvine.org)  
 Register for services:  
[servicesignup.churchinirvine.org](http://servicesignup.churchinirvine.org)

## This Week

18 <sup>TH</sup> Lord's Day	☛ 9:30am - 12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings at Halls 1, 2 and 3
20 <sup>TH</sup> Tuesday	☛ 7:30-8:30pm Corporate prayer meeting at Hall 1 (by languages)
21 <sup>ST</sup> Wednesday	☛ 7:30-9:00pm Ministry meeting at LSM Campus
22 <sup>ND</sup> Thursday	☛ 10:00am Sisters' prayer meeting at Hall 2
23 <sup>RD</sup> Friday	☛ Evening Small groups in the homes
24 <sup>TH</sup> Saturday	☛ 8:30am Brothers' corporate prayer at Hall 3 ☛ 6:00pm Young people's dinner and meeting
25 <sup>TH</sup> Lord's Day	☛ 9:30am - 12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings at Halls 1, 2 and 3

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tain, nor let the flocks or herds graze in front of that mountain.

**Psa. 95:2:** Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; / Let us make a joyful noise to Him with psalms.

**Isa. 55:1:** Ho! Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters, / And you who have no money; / Come, buy and eat; / Yes, come, buy wine and milk / Without money and without price.

**Matt. 11:28:** Come to Me all who toil and are burdened, and I will give you rest.

**John 6:37:** All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and him who comes to Me I shall by no means cast out.

**John 7:37:** Now on the last day, the great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink.

**Heb. 4:16:** Let us therefore come forward with boldness to the throne of grace that we may receive mercy and find grace for timely help.

**Heb. 7:25:** Hence also He is able to save to the uttermost those who come forward to God through Him, since He lives always to intercede for them.

### Read Some Helpful Footnotes...

**Exo 34:4, note 2:** To meet with God in the morning is not only to meet with Him early in the day; it is also to meet with God in a situation that is full of light (cf. Prov. 4:18). Like Moses, we should go to God alone, without any persons, matters, or things to distract or occupy us (v. 3; cf. Mark 1:35).

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ☛ Vehicles Needed

The church has need of 2-3 vehicles for use by the full time serving ones and trainees. If you are willing to donate a vehicle please contact: Craig Birchler or Tony Barba.

The vehicles should be in good condition and mechanically sound.

### ☛ The Church in Whittier—First Lord's Table Meeting on September 25, 2011

We rejoice in the Lord to announce to you the establishment of the church in Whittier. The church will have its first Lord's table meeting on September 25, 2011.

The first Lord's table meeting will be held at 10AM at the Gymnasium of the Southern

**Heb 4:16, note 2, par. 2:** God's mercy and grace are always available to us. However, we need to receive and find them by exercising our spirit to come to the throne of grace and contact our High Priest, who is touched with the feeling of all our weaknesses. By this word the writer of this book encouraged the wearied Hebrew believers to receive mercy and find grace for timely help, that they might be set upright (12:12).

### Sing These Hymns...

#### Hymns #554 (stanza 1)

I come to His presence afresh  
 Ere the night has passed into morning;  
 And His face I see as it shines on me—  
 The Lord within is dawning.  
 And He speaks to me and reveals to me  
 All His riches for me today;  
 And with sweet delight I partake of Him,  
 My hunger has passed away.

#### Hymns #769 (stanza 1)

To the holiest place I'd come,  
 There within the veil to be;  
 There to touch the throne of grace,  
 Let life's water flow thru me.

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