

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP September 28, 2014

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

Prayer Items

- ⊗ College work at UCI

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

Weekly Truth Pursuit

Life-Study of Galatians, Messages 32 & 33

Bible Reading

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	661-662	127
Tuesday	663-664	128
Wednesday	665-666	129
Thursday	667-668	130
Friday	669-670	131
Saturday	671-672	132

Morning Revival

Crystallization-Study of Genesis, Volume 6, Week 34

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

Local: College Work at UCI

- ⊗ Pray for many connections to be made with open and seeking students during welcome week, especially the freshman on Monday.
- ⊗ Pray for the Lord to bind Satan and to plunder from his house by bringing many students to meet with us in appointments, Bible studies, small groups and on the Lord's Day.

- ⊗ Pray for the students, full-time serving ones and families to labor with the abounding grace to follow-up and shepherd all the new contacts.
- ⊗ Beseech the Lord to bless the labor among the English and Chinese-speaking students by increasing us with men like a flock.

FELLOWSHIP FOR THE CHILDREN'S SERVING ONES AND PARENTS IN IRVINE—TODAY

With the beginning of a new school year, the church in Irvine would like to gather the children's serving ones for a time of fellowship to renew our vision and refresh our burden for serving with the children. We would strongly urge all the saints who serve with the children, including the parents and the young people, to make an extra effort to attend this important

fellowship. **This meeting will take place TODAY, September 28, 2014, from 3-5pm at Hall 3.** We will fellowship regarding the direction of the children's work and cover some points of perfecting for our service with the children.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S WORK PERFECTING CONFERENCE—OCTOBER 4

We are pleased to announce to the churches in Southern California a perfecting conference for parents and for those who serve with the children in the churches. This perfecting conference will be a continuation and further development of the same conference we began several years ago. In the recent publication, *Raising Up the Next Generation for the Church Life*, we have come to see that our children's work is to build them up in their humanity to be proper human beings. In this perfecting conference we want to explore the function of the law as a child-conductor that leads our children to Christ and how we can build up a proper character in our children through the lessons we prepare.

This Children's Work Perfecting Conference will be held on **Saturday, October 4, 2014 from 9:00am until 3:00pm** at the church in Diamond Bar meeting hall at 1200 South Brea Canyon Road, Diamond Bar, CA 91765. For the registered saints lunch will be provided. The registration donation for this conference will be \$25. **Please register by TODAY, September 28, 2014 by going to SCYP.com and clicking on Event Registration.**

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BLENDING CONFERENCE—NOVEMBER 15

Dear leading brothers and saints in Southern California,

We would like to announce a blending conference for all the churches in Southern California. The date selected for this conference is Saturday, November 15, 2014. The churches in Southern California have not gathered together in this way since the 2009 Labor Day weekend (over 5 years ago). Despite regular blending in various sub-regions in Southern California, a region-wide blending like this is long overdue.

Concerning the matter of blending, Brother Lee said:

Even among us who are in the recovery, not many have the realization that we need the

blending, and we need it desperately. The heavy burden in the ministry that is on my heart and in my spirit is the matter of blending (Practical Points Concerning Blending, Witness Lee, p.14).

Among us we should have the blending of all the individual members of the Body of Christ, the blending of all the churches in certain districts, the blending of all the co-workers, and the blending of all the elders...If we isolate and seclude ourselves, we will lose much spiritual profit. Learn to fellowship. Learn to be blended. From now on, the churches should come together frequently to be blended. We may not be used to it, but after we begin to practice blending a few times, we will acquire the taste for it. This is the

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Upcoming Events

- ❖ **TODAY, Lord's Day, Sept. 28**
Fellowship for the Children's Serving Ones and Parents, Hall 3
- ❖ **Saturday, Oct. 4**
Children's Work Perfecting Conference, Diamond Bar
- ❖ **Fri, Oct. 24 - Lord's Day, Oct. 26**
JH Brothers and Sisters Conferences, Diamond Bar and Riverside
- ❖ **Fri, Oct. 31st - Lord's Day, Nov. 2**
HS Brothers and Sisters Conferences, Irvine and Anaheim
- ❖ **Saturday, Nov. 15**
Southern California Blending Conference, Anaheim
- ❖ **Thurs, Nov. 27 - Lord's Day, Nov. 30**
International Thanksgiving Conference, San Antonio, TX

Church-related Websites

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

This Week

28TH Lord's Day	❖ 9:30am–12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts
30TH Tuesday	❖ 7:30–8:30pm Corporate prayer meeting at Hall 1
1ST Wednesday	❖ 7:30–9:00pm Ministry meeting at MCC Anaheim and simulcast at Hall 3
2ND Thursday	❖ 10:00–11:00am Sisters prayer meeting at Hall 3
3RD Friday	❖ Evening Small groups in the homes
4TH Saturday	❖ 6:00pm Young people's dinner and meeting
5TH Lord's Day	❖ 9:30am–12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings by districts

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BLENDING CONFERENCE—NOVEMBER 15 (CONT'D)

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most helpful thing in the keeping of the oneness of the universal Body of Christ (The Divine and Mystical Realm, Witness Lee, p. 87).

We look forward to the opportunity for all the saints in the churches in Southern California to be blended together at this special gathering. The following are details related to the conference:

DATE: Saturday, Nov. 15, 2014

PLACE: Ministry Conference Center (MCC)
2431 W. La Palma Ave., Anaheim, CA 92801

SCHEDULE:

Session 1, 4:00PM – 5:45PM

Dinner Break 5:45PM – 7:00PM

Session 2, 7:00PM – 8:45PM

There will be a break in between the two sessions. No food will be available for purchase at the MCC. Saints should either bring a sack dinner or plan on making other arrangements

to provide for their own meals. Translation into Chinese, Korean and Spanish will be available. Those who need translation should bring a FM radio and a headset. Limited childcare will be provided. More detailed information will be made available in the coming weeks. We urge all the saints in the churches to reserve this time to be gathered together for corporate blending and to enter into the Lord's present speaking to the local churches in Southern California. May the God of peace be with all the saints.

In the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
The co-workers in Southern California

HOSTING THE HIGH SCHOOL BROTHERS CONFERENCE—OCT 31-NOV 2

For the last two or three years, the church in Irvine has hosted the Southern California High School Brothers Conference. This year we will again be hosting this conference on the weekend of **October 31 to November 2 at Hall One**. We look forward to the opportunity to blend with the high school brothers from all over Southern California through the meetings and the hospitality in our homes.

One of the highlights of this conference is that the young brothers have the chance to blend with the local saints in our homes over two nights. Our burden is for the young people to be brought into the church life in a more practical way from their teenage years to appreciate and love the saints and the church life.

As the hosting church, we feel this is a great opportunity for us to care for these young people by bringing them into our homes and into our hearts, to love them, cherish them in the Lord, and to attract them to the church life through both the messages and the hospitality. May we all take advantage of this weekend to set everything else aside and focus our care on the young people to gain them for the Lord's interests on the earth by opening our hearts and homes to receive them.

Please sign up to open your home at <http://www.irvineyp.com/hospitality> and contact Isaac Acosta at 516-204-2332 for details.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

❖ 2014 Fall Young People Conferences

Registration for the fall young people's conferences is now up on our website at www.irvineyp.com. Please note that the conference organizers have made it clear to us that late registration will not be accepted so please take care of registering for the conferences before the deadline. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Samuel Lee 919-599-7823 (slee17@gmail.com) or Isaac Acosta 516-204-2332 (isaac.acosta@gmail.com)

The dates and locations are as follow:

JH Brothers

Dates: Oct 24th - 26th
Location: Diamond Bar
Deadline: 10/5

JH Sisters

Dates: Oct 24th - 26th
Location: Riverside
Deadline: 10/5

HS Brothers

Dates: Oct 31st - Nov 2nd
Location: Irvine
Deadline: 10/12

HS Sisters

Dates: Oct 31st - Nov 2nd
Location: Anaheim
Deadline: 10/12