

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

January 02, 2011

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

Prayer Items

- ⊗ GTCA 2011
- ⊗ FTTA Extension in Boston
- ⊗ English-speaking Community Work in Irvine

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

Weekly Truth Pursuit

Review of the 2010 Winter Training on the Crystallization-Study of Isaiah (2)

Morning Revival

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Lord's Table Meeting

Hall	Last Week's Attendance
Hall 1	223
Hall 2	130
Hall 3	112
TOTAL	465

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

National: GTCA 2011

- ⊗ Pray for a spirit of prayer in the churches that there would be the ministry of prayer to pave the way for the Lord's move in this country and specifically in the 30 targeted cities that will be visited in February.
- ⊗ Pray for the "tilling" of the ground in the hearts of the people in the 30 targeted cities.
- ⊗ Pray that the mass media being used will be effective in reaching key people in this country.
- ⊗ Pray for the coordination of the saints participating in the sowing trips in the 30 cities.

National: Facility for FTTA Extension in Boston

- ⊗ Pray that there would be the offering of material riches in the Body to meet the need for completing a facility in Boston for an extension of the FTTA in that part of the country.

Local: English-speaking Community Work

- ⊗ Pray for the saints who are burdened to be committed to the ECW labor that they will begin to be blended together in one accord to become a corporate priesthood of the gospel to carry out this work.

MESSAGE TITLES FROM THE CRYSTALLIZATION-STUDY OF ISAIAH (2)

Message 1

Announcing the All-inclusive Christ, Jehovah the Savior, as the Glad Tidings

Message 2

Living in the Reality of the New Creation

Message 3

Christ as the Servant of Jehovah Typified by Cyrus the King of Persia, Israel, and Isaiah

Message 4

Christ as the Servant of Jehovah

Message 5

The All-inclusive Christ in His Four Stages according to God's New Testament Economy (1) In the Stage of His Incarnation

Message 6

The All-inclusive Christ in His Four Stages according to God's New Testament Economy (2) _In the Stage of His Crucifixion

Message 7

The All-inclusive Christ in His Four Stages according to God's New Testament Economy (3) In the Stages of His Resurrection and Ascension

Message 8

Christ as the Covenant and as the Light to be God's Full Salvation

Message 9

The Intrinsic Significance of Keeping the Sabbath and of Fasting

Message 10

The Call to the Thirsty Ones to Come to the Waters

Message 11

God's Dwelling Place—a House of Prayer and the House of His Beauty

Message 12

Living and Proclaiming Christ as the Jubilee of Grace for His Second Coming

BANNERS FROM THE CRYSTALLIZATION-STUDY OF ISAIAH (2)

All human beings need the incomparable God, the coming Christ, the glory of Jehovah as the center of the gospel for the new creation, the living and abiding word of God for regeneration to have eternal life, and the manifestation of the Lord Jehovah, the revelation of the Lord Jesus Christ.

We must deal with our flesh by the Spirit of life, give up the world and turn to God by the love of the Father, defeat Satan through the word of the Son, and pass through death to die to the self by the power of resurrection for the Body of Christ.

All who are in Christ and who are one with Christ to release God's people and to build up God's house and His kingdom are servants of Jehovah—a great corporate Christ, the same as the individual Christ in being the servant of God.

God wants us to learn one lesson—to stop our doing, taking Christ as our replacement, and to keep away from the taste of anything other than Christ.

Upcoming Events

❖ Friday, Jan. 29 - Tuesday, Feb. 15,
GTCA 2011 Sowing Trips

Church-related Websites

General: churchinirvine.org
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

2 ND Lord's Day	❖ 9:30am -12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings at Halls 1, 2 and 3
4 TH Tuesday	❖ 7:30-8:30pm Church-wide corporate prayer meeting at Hall 1 (by languages)
5 TH Wednesday	❖ 7:30am All-language broth- ers' prayer meeting at Hall 1
6 TH Thursday	❖ 10:00am All-language sisters' prayer meeting at Hall 2
7 TH Friday	❖ Evening Small group meet- ings in the homes
8 TH Saturday	❖ 6:00pm Young people's meeting
9 TH Lord's Day	❖ 9:30am-12:00pm Lord's Table and prophesying meetings at Halls 1, 2 and 3

BANNERS FROM THE CRYSTALLIZATION-STUDY OF ISAIAH (2) (CONT'D)

The Lord Jehovah desires to have as His dwelling place
a group of people into whom He can enter—the church as a house of prayer and
a house of His beauty, where the glory of God will be seen.

The believers' enjoyment and proclaiming of Christ as the jubilee of God's grace
will issue in the full enjoyment of Christ as the jubilee in the millennium
and in the fullest enjoyment of Christ in the New Jerusalem in the new heaven and new earth.

FACILITY FOR FTTA EXTENSION IN BOSTON

With 360 trainees enrolled in this past term, the Full-time Training in Anaheim has now officially reached its maximum capacity at its current training facilities in Anaheim. In addition to living and eating in already cramped quarters, the number of available college campuses upon which the trainees can readily serve has also been reduced to zero. The brothers expect the number of trainees to continue to climb in the near future. What a wonderful "problem" to have!

The brothers responsible for the FTTA are now looking elsewhere beyond Southern California for a way to receive the increasing number of young people that desire to be trained in truth and in church service. During the Thanksgiving Conference in Columbus, the brothers announced a plan for starting an extension of the FTTA in Boston, MA, and have located a suitable facility for this purpose.

The facility is located in historic Boston and

is strategically located within 15 miles of the numerous universities for which Boston is famed. Formerly a car dealership, the property also has an unusually large number of parking spaces, access to nearby bus and subway stations, and was suggested to the brothers by the city officials themselves, who have pledged the city's full cooperation to expedite the transfer and development of the property for our purposes (for instance, the city issued a building permit even before the property closed escrow).

The total cost is expected to be \$6 million (of which \$1.5 million has already been donated). Given the strategic importance of such a training facility—for the training of the young people, the labor on the Boston campuses, and as a launching platform for Europe—please consider before the Lord whether you would like to support the completion of such a facility financially. More information regarding how to designate offerings for this purpose is forthcoming.

GTCA 2011 UPDATE—SOWING & FARMING

Preparations and planning for the upcoming GTCA sowing trips to 30 targeted cities around the U.S. and Canada from Jan. 29 to Feb. 15 are well underway.

Sowing. An overwhelming response from the saints led to 1,000+ saints registered to participate in the sowing trips (full or part-time)! All the saints (whether registered or not) are encouraged to set aside the month of January to lay a solid foundation of prayer for the Lord to move mightily during these sowing trips.

Farming. In addition, the farming aspect of GTCA is about to commence. Starting Jan. 3, vital groups and small groups can register on <http://GTCA.us> to "adopt" one of the 500 cities scattered throughout North America. May the Lord burden each and every small group to consider seriously before the Lord how it may participate in the Lord's move for the increase and spread of His testimony all over this continent (for the sake of His move all over the earth)!

REPORT FROM FELLOWSHIP WITH WORKING SAINTS

On Saturday, Jan. 1, there was a meeting in Anaheim, CA for saints in the general age range of mid-20s to early 40s. Brothers Tym Seay, Andrew Yu, and Minoru Chen shared some particular fellowship for saints in this age group, and a number of brothers and sisters gave encouraging reports and testimonies.

Nearly 900 saints attended the live meeting with an additional 300+ saints watching via an

online streaming video.

Video and audio recordings of the message will be made available for viewing and downloading in the near future on livingto-him.com. Responses to the fellowship can also be posted there for mutual strengthening and encouragement. The saints were encouraged to visit the site and contribute postings and comments if possible.

DATES FOR THE CONFERENCES AND TRAININGS IN 2011

Feb. 18-20	International Chinese-speaking Conference—Anaheim, CA
April 1-3	Spring International Training for Elders and Responsible Ones—Anaheim, CA
May 27-30	International Memorial Day Conference—Dallas, TX
July 4-9	2011 Summer Training—Anaheim, CA
Oct. 6-8	Fall International Training for Elders and Responsible Ones—Netherlands
Nov. 24-27	International Thanksgiving Conference—San Jose, CA
Dec. 26-31	2011 Winter Training—Anaheim, CA