

# WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

March 27, 2016

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

## Prayer Items

- ⊗ Mass Distribution of Gospel and Ministry Materials
- ⊗ Lord's Move in India
- ⊗ Burden for Increase in Southern California

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

## Truth Pursuit

Life-Study of 1 Corinthians, Messages 23 & 24

## Bible Reading

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	1465-1466	529
Tuesday	1467-1468	530
Wednesday	1469-1470	531
Thursday	1471-1472	532
Friday	1473-1474	533
Saturday	1475-1476	534

## Morning Revival

The Crystallization-Study of Exodus, Volume 5, Week 31

## Oak Glen Project

Deadline	Goal	%
10/1/2015	\$205,000	2.5%
12/31/2015	\$410,000	5.0%
12/31/2016	\$820,000	10.0%
Actual Contributions		
As Of	Amount	
3/26/2016	\$422,987.32	

## DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

### International: Mass Distribution of Gospel and Ministry Materials (March 31—July 5)

Another series of mass distribution trips among the refugees is planned from March 31 through July 5. The distribution teams are made up of saints primarily from Europe, Taiwan, Russia, and the US. Please pray for:

- ⊗ The blending of the saints who serve on the teams.
- ⊗ The Lord's leading the teams to find the most effective ways to distribute in different situations.
- ⊗ The openness of the refugees to the Word of God and the Lord's appearing to them as they read it.

### The Lord's Move in India - The Saints' Constitution in Life and Truth

- ⊗ Pray for the saints in India that they would be brought on in their experience of Christ as life and be richly constituted with the truth through their pursuit of Christ in the Life-Studies and ministry publications.

- ⊗ Pray that through such a constitution of Christ as life and truth many would be equipped and perfected to serve in the labor on the college campuses and on those of the second generation, and that even some would serve in a full-time capacity.

### Local: The Burden for the Increase in the Churches in Southern California

- ⊗ Continue to pray that the saints in southern California will become desperate to bear fruit for the Lord's increase and that vital groups would be raised up in every locality to pray for this burden and to contact people together to bear remaining fruit.
- ⊗ Pray for the Lord's blessing upon the churches that the God-ordained way to practice the church life in begetting, nourishing and perfecting new believers to build up the Body of Christ would be realized in these days.

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BLENDING CONFERENCE

Dear leading brothers and saints of the churches in Southern California,

We would like to announce a blending conference for all of the churches in Southern California to take place on the weekend of April 30 through May 1, 2016. Last spring, we held a similar conference and it was very encouraging to all who attended. This time, the co-workers in Southern California would like to open up a specific burden for all the churches to be brought into one accord for the increase and spread of the Lord's recovery.

Concerning the matter of the increase, Brother Lee said:

*Today in the Lord's recovery the greatest need, the primary need, is to gain the increase. A house cannot be built without materials. We need to save sinners through the preaching of the gospel that they may become material for the building up of the church as the house of God... If we mean business with the Lord for His recovery, we need to consider our present situation seriously. We should not be comfortable concerning the present situation of the Lord's recovery, especially regarding the matter of increase.*

We look forward to the opportunity for all the saints in the churches in Southern California to be perfected into one through this special gathering!

The following are details related to the conference:

**DATES:** 4/30—5/1

**PLACE:** Ministry Conference Center, Anaheim, CA

**SCHEDULE:**

Saturday (4/30):

Session 1 4:00PM – 5:45PM

Break 5:45PM – 7:00PM

Session 2 7:00PM – 8:45PM

Lord's Day (5/1):

Lord's Table 10:00AM – 10:30AM

Session 3 10:30AM – 12:30PM

On the Saturday of the conference, a break will be provided between sessions for dinner. However, 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 Spanish, Chinese, and Korean will be available through personal FM radios and headsets. Limited childcare will be provided (similar to last year).

We strongly urge all the saints in the churches to reserve this time to gather 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.

The co-workers in Southern California

## Upcoming Events

- ☉ **Fri, Apr 1 - Lord's Day, Apr 3**  
Junior High Sisters Conference, Oak Glen
- ☉ **Fri, Apr 8 - Lord's Day, Apr 10**  
Int'l Training for Elders and Responsible Ones, Anaheim

## Church-related Websites

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

## This Week

- 27<sup>TH</sup>** ☉ **9:30am-12:00pm** Lord's Day table and prophesying meetings by districts
- 29<sup>TH</sup>** ☉ **7:30-8:30pm** Prayer meeting by districts
- 30<sup>TH</sup>** ☉ **7:30-9:00pm** Ministry meeting at MCC and simulcast at Hall 3
- 31<sup>ST</sup>** ☉ **10:00-11:00am** Sisters prayer meeting at Hall 3
- 1<sup>ST</sup>** ☉ **Evening** Small groups in the homes
- 2<sup>ND</sup>** ☉ **6:30-9:00pm** Young people's meeting at Hall 1
- 3<sup>RD</sup>** ☉ **9:30am-12:00pm** Lord's Day table and prophesying meetings by districts

## This Week's Truth Pursuit—Life-Study of 1 Corinthians

Message #:	Message 23	Message 24
<b>Title:</b>	The Church, God's Farm and God's Building (2)	Growth in Life Needed (1)
<b>Scriptures:</b>	1 Cor. 3:5-17	1 Cor. 3:1-9
<b>Verses to Pray-read:</b>	1 Cor. 3:7—"So then neither is he who plants anything nor he who waters, but God who causes the growth."	1 Cor. 3:9—"For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's cultivated land, God's building."
<b>Radio Msg:</b>	17	18

LSM Radio Broadcasts can be found at: <http://www.lsmradio.com/audio/1corinthians.html>

## CHERISHING OUR IRVINE-SENT AND IRVINE-RELATED TRAINEES

We would like to put together care packages for all the Irvine-sent and 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 always a real encouragement to them. Do spread the word among the saints in your district!

Also, please note that this time we cannot collect any perishable food items! Please drop off the care packages by **Lord's Day, April 10**. We will have 3 drop-off contacts:

- ☉ Hall 1 - Sam Lee
- ☉ Hall 3 - Isaac Acosta
- ☉ Districts on campus - Kristen Timberlake

If you are unable to drop-off to those contacts, please contact Kristen Timberlake at [972-693-0186](tel:972-693-0186) no later than **2pm of Lord's Day, April 10**. Thank you for participating in the care and shepherding of these trainees!

Below are the names of the trainees who are sent from or related to Irvine:

### Brothers

Peter Cheng (1st term)  
 Joe Duque (1st term)  
 Nelson Liu (2nd term)  
 Ruiyu Wu (2nd term)  
 Joshua Chang (2nd term)  
 Isaac Choo (2nd term)  
 Cephas Chen (2nd term)  
 Orlando Ramirez (4th term)  
 Josh Lukius (4th term)  
 Ben Kwan (4th term)

### Sisters

Rebecca Tsai (1st term)  
 Zoe Cao (2nd term)  
 Tina Yip (2nd term)  
 Michelle Cheong (2nd term)  
 Nicaela Chen (2nd term)  
 Corena Wang (2nd term)  
 Sarah Kwan (2nd term)  
 Alissa Baldon (2nd term)  
 Jessica Diaz (2nd term)  
 Cindy Choo (2nd term)  
 Cassie Yeh (2nd term)  
 Constance Woo (3rd term)  
 Lexi Jones (3rd term)  
 Hannah Sayono (3rd term)  
 Nicole Ho (3rd term)  
 Deborah Smith (3rd term)  
 Cici Huang (4th term)  
 Ruby Chen (4th term)  
 Diana Pimentel (4th term)  
 Phillis Chang (4th term)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ☉ Summer Bible Camp

This year's Summer Bible Camp will take place July 18-23, 2016. For the SBC to be successful and not burdensome, we need as many saints to serve as possible. We strongly encourage you to consider serving, even if you have not served with the SBC in the past. We would especially urge brothers/fathers to serve, as well as the Chinese-speaking and Korean-speaking saints. Regardless of your comfort in English, we can find a place for you to serve.

Please come. May the Lord bless the Summer Bible Camp this year.

Please plan to join our next coordination time on **Lord's Day, April 24**, at 3pm in the house at Hall 1.