

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

June 07, 2020

The Weekly Newsletter of the Church in Irvine

Morning Revival

HWMR: *Prayer and the Lord's Move*
(2012 Thanksgiving Conference)
Week 4

Bible Reading Schedule

(text and footnotes)

	OT Pages	NT Page
Monday	278-279	770
Tuesday	280-281	771
Wednesday	282-283	772
Thursday	284-285	773
Friday	286-287	774
Saturday	288-289	775

Truth Pursuit

Life-study of Luke—Messages 39-40

Oak Glen Project

Due Date	Goal	%
3/31/2019	\$996,000	100%
Actual Contributions		
As Of	Amount	
01/14/2020	\$1,001,218.42	

DETAILED PRAYER BURDENS

International: Vietnam

- ❖ Pray for the churches to go back to the normal church life, especially in the practice of the God-ordained way; pray for the proper arrangements of all the gatherings, including the elders' and responsible brothers' training, the students' and young people's training, and the regional conferences.
- ❖ Pray for the seven graduating trainees from FTTI-Batam to have a way to return safely and begin to serve for two years.

Tom and Joyce Geotz

- ❖ Pray for Joyce Goetz's health and her ability to withstand her ongoing chemotherapy, that the tumor in her lung would shrink, and that there would be no further spread of cancer to other parts of her body.
- ❖ Pray that the Lord will clearly lead Tom and Joyce concerning whether and when to return to Germany, and that He will grant them many more years to live Christ and serve Him in Germany.

National: The United States

- ❖ Pray that the Lord will use the present state of the country to prepare the people for His further move and to propagate the truths in His recovery throughout the United States.
- ❖ Pray for the Lord to rule over all who are in positions of authority, that they would honor Him and seek His counsel in handling the unprecedented challenges now facing this country and the world

Local: The Prayer Ministry of the Church

- ❖ Pray for the strengthening of the church's prayer meeting and the sisters' prayer meeting so that the church in Irvine will carry out a prayer ministry that satisfies the Lord and meets His need.

Summer School of Truth (June 6-27, Mondays -Thursdays & Saturdays)

- ❖ Pray for a strong start to the SSOT this week.
- ❖ Pray for the adequate prayer and coordination of all the serving ones, that all the challenges of coordinating remotely will be overcome, and that the service will be in one accord and be blessed by the Lord.

Baptism of 6th and 7th Graders

- ❖ Pray for: Jacob Cheng (7), Tirzah Cheng (6), Isaac Kim (6), Jayden Mafi (6), Zachary Niu (6), Matthew Scott (6), and Harmony Yan (6)
- ❖ Pray that the portable pools will arrive and that all the logistical details will be worked out so that our new brothers and sisters can be baptized very soon.

The above are some of the current prayer burdens that the saints may bring to the Lord in their personal or corporate prayer; however, the saints should be exercised to follow the leading of the Spirit in their prayer.

MINISTRY EXCERPT

In light of the fact that there is great resistance to praying, let us now consider in a very practical way how to persevere in prayer. Before you try to persevere in prayer, you should first make a deal with the Lord concerning your prayer life. Pray to Him in a definite way and say, "Lord, I mean business with You about this matter of prayer. I call heaven and earth to witness that from this time forth I will have a life of prayer. I will not be a prayerless person. Rather, I will be a praying person." If you do not have such a prayer to the Lord, you will not be able to persevere in prayer. We need to say to Him, "Lord, I am desperate about this. I offer myself to You so that I may have a prayer life. Lord, keep me in the spirit of prayer. If I forget this or neglect this, I know that You will not forget it. Remind me again

and again about prayer." This kind of prayer may be regarded as a vow made to the Lord....

After we make such a deal with the Lord concerning prayer, we should set aside definite times for prayer.... During this time, prayer must be the top priority. Our attitude should be that prayer is our most important business and that nothing should be allowed to interfere with it. If we do not have this attitude, we shall not be able to have a successful prayer life. No matter how many things we have to do each day, we can reserve at least a few minutes here and there for prayer.... By setting aside definite times during the day, we may be able to have a half hour reserved for prayer.

(W. Lee, *Life Study of Colossians*, pg. 579-580)

Upcoming Events

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

Online Gospel Links

- ❖ Bibles for America gospel resources: gospel.bfa.org
- ❖ New BFA Video: bfavideo-burden
- ❖ Reference guide to BFA website*: BFAGuide.
- ❖ Instructions on sharing BFA materials*: HowtoShare

*The reference guide and instructions on sharing were prepared locally, and not by Bibles for America.

This Week

7 TH Lord's Day	❖ 9:30am-12:00pm Lord's table and morning meetings by small groups
9 TH Tuesday	❖ 7:30-8:30am Prayer meetings by small groups
11 TH Thursday	❖ 10:00-11:00am Sisters' prayer meeting by video conference
12 TH Friday	❖ Evening Small groups
13 TH Saturday	❖ 7:30pm-8:30pm YP meeting via Zoom
14 TH Lord's Day	❖ 9:30am-12:00pm Lord's table and morning meetings by small groups

This Week's Truth Pursuit—Life-Study of Luke

Message #:	39	40
Title:	The Ministry of the Man-Savior in His Human Virtues with His Divine Attributes From Galilee to Jerusalem (17 and 18)	
Scriptures:	Luke 17:1-37	Luke 18:1-8
Verses to Pray-read:	Luke 17:33—"Whoever seeks to preserve his soul-life will lose it, and whoever loses it will preserve it alive."	Luke 18:1—"And He told them a parable to the end that they ought always to pray and not lose heart"
Radio Msg:	37	38

LSM Radio Broadcasts: <https://www.lsmradio.com/audio/Luke.html>

2020 JUNE SEMI-ANNUAL TRAINING

Webcast Registration

For the 2020 June Semiannual Training, there will be NO live sessions at the Ministry Conference Center in Anaheim. The entire training will be conducted online. The following is important information for you to register:

Dates: Mon, June 29 to Sat, July 4, 2020

Donation: \$110 per trainee

LAST DAY to register: **June 9, 2020**

To register, please follow these steps carefully:

1. REGISTRATION

Register at: login.churchinirvine.org/training (one login credential per registration)

2. DONATION

Pay via: PayPal or with a credit card at churchinirvineofferings.com/training-donations

3. EMAIL CONFIRMATIONS

To confirm that your registration is complete, you should receive:

*Registration email (Proof of registration)

*Donation form email (Record of donation)

*PayPal receipt if donation is via PayPal.

For questions or help to register, please contact Kevin Kwan at 949-439-8267 or send an email to training_registration@churchinirvine.org.

SUMMER BIBLE CAMP 2020

For children signed up for this year's Summer Bible Camp, there will be a special "Welcome Box" provided for each registered child, which contains a camp shirt, SBC Booklet, and a supply of daily snacks. Parents, please stop by Hall 1 on Lord's day (June 14th) between 1 and 2:30 PM for a "drive through receiving line" to pick up your child's "Welcome Box". If you have any issues with coming at this time, please notify Anthony Jacobson at anthonyjohnjacobson@gmail.com to coordinate a special delivery arrangement.

In addition, there will be a special Welcome Zoom Call on Lord's day (June 14th) for all parents and children signed up for the SBC at 3:30 PM. Zoom login information will be sent via email. This call will take the place of our normally scheduled "Children's Meeting Zoom" sessions.

There is also still a need for volunteers to help with a number of the various services related to the SBC. Please look for a sign-up email from Samuel Vinson to register for a service.