The Lemoore Caller

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Schedule of Services

Sunday Bible Study.......9:30 a.m. Sunday A.M. Worship......10:30 a.m. Sunday P.M. Worship.....5:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Classes.....7:00 pm

Welcome to the Church of Christ

1Timothy 4:4-16⁴ For everything God created is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving, ⁵ because it is consecrated by the word of God and prayer. ⁶ If you point these things out to the brothers and sisters, [a] you will be a good minister of Christ Jesus, nourished on the truths of the faith and of the good teaching that you have followed. ⁷ Have nothing to do with godless myths and old wives' tales; rather, train yourself to be godly. 8 For physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come. ⁹ This is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance. ¹⁰ That is why we labor and strive, because we have put our hope in the living God, who is the Savior of all people, and especially of those who believe. 11 Command and teach these things. ¹² Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity. ¹³ Until I come, devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture, to preaching and to teaching. ¹⁴ Do not neglect your gift, which was given you through prophecy when the body of elders laid their hands on you. 15 Be diligent in these matters; give yourself wholly to them, so that everyone may see your progress. 16 Watch your life and doctrine closely. Persevere in them, because if you do, you will save both yourself and your hearers.

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November 18, 2018

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Classes

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Bible Classes

Members scheduled to serve for **November** Communion Prep/Greeters: Randy and Janice McCord

Men Leading Services for November 18th:

Welcome/Call to Worship: Song Leader: Gary Curtis

Opening Prayer: Frank Baldwin

Prayer List: Gary Cole

Lord's Table: LEAD: Richard Bullough

Rich Rhoads Larry Gamble Brandon Hodgson

Scripture Reading: Gary Rice

Announcements/Cl. Prayer: Garth Radcliff Alternates: Clofas Case, Rich Rhoads, Frank Baldwin, Brandon Hodgson, Craig Case, Taylor

Radcliff, Lynn Atkinson

P.M. Song Leader: Gary Curtis

Wednesday Evening November 21st:

Songs: Gary Curtis

Speaker: Garrett Sander

Announcements/Prayer: Gary Cole

Upcoming Events!

Nov. 18th - Services at VCH

Birthday Fellowship Collection Day for Jordan

Nov. 21-24 - Thanksgiving at YBC

Nov. 24 - Fresno/Madera Chapter of FYBC

Flapjack Breakfast

Dec. 8 - Local FYBC breakfast at Applebee's

Birthday Fellowship:

The November birthday fellowship will be held tonight following evening services. Our hosts are Craig and Donna Case. It is a potluck and Craig said to bring good food!

Valley Christian Home:

Lemoore will be in charge of the services at Valley Christian Home today. Services begin at 2:30 and Brandon Hodgson will be speaking.

Box for Jordan:

Today is collection day for Jordan. Also – as the holiday approaches, we have placed a baggie of mailing labels on the bulletin board in the foyer. If you wish to send Jordan a card – feel free to take a label.

Thanksgiving at YBC:

There is a proposed menu and sign up for the weekend on the back-bulletin board. There will be a workday in the nurse's cabin on Friday. For information on the work day – please see Gary Cole. See Gary or Denise to sign up for the weekend.

FYBC Breakfast and Boutique:

The local chapter of FYBC will hold a breakfast and boutique at the HANFORD Applebee's on Saturday Dec. 8th from 8-10. Breakfast includes eggs, sausage, potatoes, pancakes, orange juice and coffee. There is a boutique sign up list so we can plan for the space needed that morning. Also – we will need about 12 people to help with serving and seating people. If you would be willing to help in this area – there is a sign up for that as well.

If men would cease to worry,
And women cease to sigh,
And all be glad to bury,
Whatever has to die;
If neighbor spoke of neighbor,
As love demands of all,
The rust would eat the saber,
The spear sty on the wall;
Then every day would glisten,
And every eye would shine,
And God would pause to listen,
And Life would be divine.

--Author unknown

Prayer List

Tracy Belson, Whitney Broaddus' daughter, the results of the biopsy was negative.

Darlene Wilson will be having more x-rays. Larry Gamble spent an evening in the hospital with chest pains but the Dr. said not his heart and okayed him to travel to Oregon.

Regina Gamble - Larry's sister - having medical issues at this time.

Nick Harp had hip replacement surgery. Jack Otto's daughter, Robin, will be seeing a specialist regarding back surgery.

Mozelle Curtis has begun physical therapy for her left leg.

Paula Lewis is currently having rehab. Michael Hagerty struggling with personal and family issues at this time.

Hal Crain had 2 surgeries for an infection in his leg. He is now home

Sarah Dewey, granddaughter/niece of the Case families, will continue to have medical tests.

Don and Shirley Easter as they continue to work on the job/home life merge. A change has been made that will require more traveling but allow more time together in North Dakota. Leon and Lois Collins, Wilma Cole's brother and family, for strength with daily issues and Leon is undergoing immunotherapy.

Mark Cooper will be undergoing radiation treatment in SF for 6 weeks.

Nancy Evans, friend of the Cole's, waiting for final test to determine the type of chronic leukemia

Christy McCord spinal injections have not been successful and they are looking at a fusion of the vertebrae.

Rita, a friend and coworker of Chelsea Stafford, has been diagnosed with breast cancer.

Lavita Hardison, Donna Case's sister, is in a nursing home due to a stoke she had in May. David Ryal Minister from Morro Bay, is home and able to attend church now. He is doing well at this time.

Ron Cole, Gary Cole's son, home following bone marrow transplant. The latest report shows his cancer is in remission.

Alexa Martinez, friend of Baldwin's, return of

Casey Case, Jr., ongoing Oncology treatment. Hannah Detlefsen, daughter of friends of Lisa Butts, has returned home.

Dennis Thomas, nephew of Jeanne and Clofas Case, undergoing treatment Jordan Willis deployment for the Navy Mike Virden The test results were positive and they are now waiting for the approval to be a transplant candidate.

Doug Standridge- continuing with dialysis. Doug is also waiting on approval for the transplant list.

Alana Pfeiffer, Jack Otto's great granddaughter, as she struggles with issues of domestic violence.

First Responders Military and their families Those traveling **Our Mission Work:**

- *Our Preachers in Nicaragua
- *Agape Village
- *Crossover Ministry
- *City of Children
- *Manuelito Children's Home
- *church of Christ Disaster Relief Fund
- *World Christian Broadcasting

We Give Thanks

We give thanks to you, O Lord, For what you've blessed us with The abundance of the blessings From heaven that you give

For we have all received from you The abundance from your hand In many varied and different ways, You've blessed us in this land

We only need to look around At what you, Lord, have given, To see the many blessings we have And see your full provision

So, Lord, to you we give our thanks With full and grateful hearts, The blessing of family, friends and love And just for who you are.

Be Thankful

When I turned on my computer to do the bulletin, this story came up. It hit home for me, I thought I would share it with you for some encouragement.

Two old friends met each other on the street one day. One looked forlorn, almost on the verge of tears. His friend asked, "What has the world done to you, my old friend?"

The sad fellow said, "Let me tell you: three weeks ago, my uncle died and left me forty thousand dollars."

"That's a lot of money."

"But you see, two weeks ago, a cousin I never even knew died, and left me eighty-five thousand dollars, free and clear."

"Sounds to me that you've been very blessed."

"You don't understand!" he interrupted. "Last week my great-aunt passed away. I inherited almost a quarter of a million from her."

Now the man's friend was really confused. "Then, why do you look so glum?"

"This week . . . nothing!"

That's a problem with receiving something on a regular basis. Even if it is a gift, we eventually come to expect it. The natural tendency is that if we receive a gift long enough, we come to view it almost as an entitlement. We feel hurt, even angry, if we don't receive it any longer.

It is the same way with the blessings God gives us every day. I don't deserve my comfortable home that I live in, the beautiful scenery around me, the clean water I drink. But after receiving these gifts (and a multitude of others) for years, I sometimes fail to be grateful. I've come to expect these good things. And when one of them is removed for a short time (like water or electricity or internet going down), I get upset.

Let's make an effort today to recognize the blessing we've come to take for granted. Focus on what we have rather than on what we don't have, and see if it doesn't improve our attitudes.

Philippians 4:12 I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want.

1Chronicles 16:34 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever.