

The Lemoore Caller

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Cole Ranch Campout 2016



March 8th - 12th

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Schedule of Services

Sunday Bible Study.....9:30
Sunday A.M. Assembly.....10:30
Sunday P.M. Assembly.....5:00
Wednesday Evening Classes/Devotional.....7:00
Birthday Fellowship.....3rd Sunday of month after worship
Elder's Meeting.....last Tuesday of the month
Business Meeting.....1st Monday of the month

"Everyday"

Everyday religion is the antidote to failure. Practice these safeguards:

- Every day let God say something to you. Keep the line of communication open between you and God by reading His Word.
- Every day say something to God. Stay in contact with the source of strength by prayer. We cannot walk alone. Prayer avails.
- Every day say something for God. Share the good news. Tell a friend. Speak a kind word.
- Every day do something for God. Look for opportunities to serve. Opportunities are abundant; only a blind man could not see them. Give a helping hand. Encourage the downtrodden. Exhort the wayward. Comfort the sorrowful. Support the weak.

My dear brethren, let's be doers-not quitters!

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February 28, 2016

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 March:

Communion Prep. and Greeters:

Craig and Donna Case

Men Leading Services on February 28th:

Song Leader: Gary Curtis

Opening Prayer: Lynn Atkinson

Prayer List: Gary Cole

Lord's Table: Lead – Frank Baldwin

Herminio Gutierrez, Taylor Radcliff, Craig Case

Scripture Reading: Judson Ervin

Announcements: Jeff Mason

Closing Prayer: Vernon Garretson

Alternates: Garth Radcliff, Randy McCord,

Scott Ervin, Craig Standridge

Please check the list that is posted on the bulletin board for the current month's schedule.

Men's Business Meeting: Monday, March 7th at 6:00 p.m. will be our next business meeting. All men are encouraged to attend, as important matters for our congregation are discussed and plans are made. All men, we need your support!!

Couples Shower for Cynthia Sanchez and Brandon Greene: Mark your calendar for Friday, March 4th at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited as we celebrate the upcoming marriage of Cynthia and Brandon in the fellowship hall. The couple is registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond. Please RSVP to Donna Lane.

Lemoore Ladies Day and Breakfast: March 19 at 9:00 a.m. will be the date for our annual "Ladies Day" here in Lemoore. Special Speakers have been invited and as always, the men of our congregation are putting together a delicious menu for the breakfast. All ladies are invited and encouraged to attend this time of fellowship and presentation of inspiring messages. Hope to see you there!

Upcoming Events!

March 19th – Lemoore Ladies Day

March 20th – Birthday Fellowship

March 23 – Bible Bowl / Matthew 27

March 30th – 5th Wednesday Singing- Lemoore

April 3rd – Valley Christian Home Worship Service

April 9th – YBC Benefit Golf Tournament

April 22nd-23rd – Men's Retreat at YBC

June 22nd – 26th: Morro Bay Church of Christ Family Retreat

July 23rd – 29th: Tahoe Family Encampment

Cole Ranch Campout! March 8th – March 12th. The camp-out will be a great time to share days together. Check your calendars and see if these days fit your schedule. Gary and Wilma will be there Tuesday through Saturday and plan to drive to Parkfield for lunch on Thursday. If your available time is limited and you can only go for one day, you are welcome to do so any of the days. It is only about a 45 minute drive there. Also, if you would like to go to lunch on Thursday in Parkfield, let Gary and Wilma know.

2016 - Celebrating 70 years - Lemoore Church of Christ! May 20th - May 22nd will be a time to come together and commemorate the establishment of Lemoore Church of Christ. Mark your calendars and plan to be here as we will welcome speakers including Carroll Davis and Paul Methvin. All three days there will be special events to attend including a potluck style meal after morning worship on Sunday. More information will be available as time draws near.

"Remind" – the new messaging system: If you have not activated the system on your smart phone or e-mail address, please talk to Brandon Greene. This is a great way to get messages out quickly to a large number of people.

Bible Bowl 100% Recipients: Those that earned a 100% on the quiz over Matthew 26 were.... Taylor Radcliff, Garth Radcliff, Brandon Greene, Becky Bullough and Betty Edwards. Way to go!

Church Directory Update! Over the next few weeks, please check the copy of the church directory that is on the table in the foyer. If you have an update to make to any of your information, please do so. Also, if your picture is not in it, or if you would like a new picture, please check with Wilma Cole.

Sermon for Today: "Building Our Relationship with God"

Care Packages: *We are planning to send care packages to 3 of our members who are away. Erin Bullough has traveled to Australia to attend medical school for 2 years, Elizabeth Puckett is in Fallon, NV with the Navy currently in support of The Top Gun Program there and will be away for 3 months. Derek Cathey is out to sea with the Navy and will be out for several months. All of these members will appreciate our support and special gifts we will send. Three boxes will be in the foyer, each with a name. We would like to collect gifts of spiritual literature such as books, cards, pamphlets and website information that may be helpful in continued study of Christ. Also, prepackaged snack foods, (as home baked goods do not travel well in the mail). Please do not include any items the mail would consider "hazardous", such as toiletries and personal items. We would like to collect all items by March 13th. Thank you.*

Prayer List

Don Chamberlain was taken back to the emergency room and admitted into the hospital.

Lucile Chamberlain – we want to keep Lucile in our prayers as well, as Don's time away from home is very concerning and has been quite an adjustment.

Glen Fraley recovering from foot surgery.

Mary Young, Brandon Greene's grandmother is scheduled for surgery March 15th.

Goldie Neal, Donna Case's mom will have eye surgery on March 1st.

Doug Standridge – recovering after a cardiac procedure and hopes to be back on the kidney transplant list soon.

Whitney Broaddus will travel to San Diego for a cardiac procedure.

Maude Buck as she has been in the hospital with stomach issues.

Pat Bennett, wife of Hanford's former preacher, experienced a heart attack.

Bradley, a friend of Taylor Radcliff, appendix burst.

Bill Curtis, Gary Curtis' father, improving after being very ill with an infection.

Eldon Lewis, a nephew of Eula Rhoads – suffering with pneumonia and is in the hospital.

Stoney Dodd recovering after a cardiac procedure on Feb. 11th.

Richard Bullough will be consulting with doctors in San Francisco.

Vivian Cotta- dealing with personal matters; she will hopefully be able to return to worship service soon.

Anna, a niece of Donna Lane, experiencing personal struggles

Paula Ali, a relative of the Standridge and Souza families has been diagnosed with Stage 3 Cervical cancer.

Stacey Ballantyne, Suzanne Mason's sister – cancer has spread and now she is also suffering from lymphedema. She also has other health concerns which will require additional medical tests.

Barbara Fisher, a neighbor of Darlene Wilson has moved to a rehab hospital in Hanford, after having been in the hospital.

Rita Frankmore has been very ill as she has struggled with ongoing health problems.

Johnny Goodson, a cousin of Mark Lane is recovering well after open heart surgery and is expecting to have gall bladder surgery soon.

Shae McNeeley – ongoing health issues related to a heart and lung transplant.

Lois Gable, a friend of the Lane family has been diagnosed with cancer.

Cami Cassaday, Suzanne Mason's cousin, has been diagnosed with breast cancer.

Irene Aguirre, as she suffers with Macular Degeneration that is causing her eyesight to deteriorate.

Beverly Rice, aunt of Donna Lane has been diagnosed with liver cancer.

Jamie Smith, Jack Otto's granddaughter, has Stage 4 Multiple Sclerosis.

All Members of our Military and their families.

Our brothers and sisters that are traveling:

whether it is for vacation, medical appointments or to be with loved ones, may they all have a safe trip.

Our Mission Work

*Our Preachers in Nicaragua

*Agape Village

*Crossover Ministry

*Manuelito Children's Home

*Church of Christ in Branson, MO

*Church of Christ Disaster Relief Fund

March 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 Annabelle Oliveira Emily Standridge Alex Stafford	5 Shirley Garretson Flavio Gutierrez, Jr.
6	7	8	9 Ruth Lacey	10	11	12 Randy & Janice McCord
13 Daylight Saving Time Begins Theresa Baldwin	14	15 Hannah Hubble Lynda Martyn	16 Paige Case	17 Becky Bullough Grant & Lynda Martyn	18 Raquel Gutierrez	19 Logan Tischmacher
20 Gavin Mason	21	22 Alex & Hannah Hubble Kylie McCord	23	24	25 Rick Worrell	26 Christian Mason
27 Easter Julissa Michelle Lopez	28 Nichole McCord	29	30	31 Braxton Rice		

"Our Town"

Our town has a cemetery, but heaven doesn't. There are no hillsides dotted with the markers of loved ones 'across Jordan.' You won't find silent cities of the dead in heaven, for no one ever dies there! John wrote, '... there shall be no more death ...' (Revelation 21:4).

Our town has a hospital, but heaven doesn't. This time of year the hospitals are filled with the sick, but there are no sicknesses, diseases, or injuries in heaven. Sickness came into the world as a result of sin, and all those ill effects are reversed in heaven. John said, '... the former things are passed away' (Revelation 21:4).

Our town has a jail, but heaven doesn't. We live in a wicked society. Every night the news tells us about those who were robbed, raped, assaulted, extorted, beaten, or killed the night before. We rush to fasten our windows, bolt our doors, and secure our homes.

But did you know that there will be no bad news in heaven? The doors on those mansions have no dead bolts, the windows have no locks, and there are no burglar alarms. 'And there shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination, or maketh a lie: but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life' (Revelation 21:27).

The wedding feast is by 'invitation only' and nobody crashes that party! Heaven doesn't need a jail, for there will be no criminals there.

Our town has a nursing home, but heaven doesn't. We daily see the aging process in our loved ones and ourselves. Our skin wrinkles, our vision dims, our strength fails, our hearing goes, our energy wanes (cf. Ecclesiastes 12:3-7). But in that land there are no retirement homes and no nursing facilities. In heaven we receive new, incorruptible bodies (2 Corinthians 5:1-6).

Our town has a funeral home, but heaven doesn't. Hardly a week goes by without some sadness mixed with our blessings. We face heartaches, and sometimes heartbreaks, far more frequently than would be our choice. We find ourselves visiting funeral homes to bid farewell to our loved ones.

But the Bible says, 'And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes, and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying ...' (Revelation 21:4).

Our town has a drug store, but heaven doesn't. Here we have to deal with headaches, arthritis, and a million other pains. There are no drug stores in heaven! Because nobody has any sickness! John wrote, '... neither shall there be any more pain ...' (Revelation 21:4).

That day is coming! In the land where we are staking our claim, the devil has no passport. In fact, he will have been cast down into the lake of fire and brimstone (Revelation 20:10). His helpers, too, who are personified as the beast and the false prophet by John, will be cast into that lake (Revelation 19:20). There are no porn shops, beer stores, or casinos in heaven (cf. Proverbs 20:1; Ephesians 6:18).

Don't you want to go to such a place? Have you made your reservations by trusting in Jesus, submitting to His will, contacting His blood, and reaching His grace? His requirements for salvation are found in His Gospel. These include: learning about Him (John 6:44-45); believing in Him as God's Son (John 8:24); repenting of all sins for Him (Luke 13:3); confessing faith in His deity (Romans 10:9-10); and being baptized into Him (Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16). He then asks that we live faithfully unto death (Revelation 2:10). Then we will be ushered into a place that is not really much like our town!