

The Lemoore Caller

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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.....	3 rd Sunday of month after worship
Elder's Meeting.....	last Tuesday of the month
Business Meeting.....	1 st Monday of the month

Trust in God

"But blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose confidence is in him. He will be like a tree planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream. It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green. It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit."

Jer. 17:7-8 (NIV)

So I ask, are you trusting in Jesus for all your needs, in every area of your life? There is confidence in knowing that He will be with you in every situation, and that He promises to never leave or abandon you. (Heb. 13:5) If you will trust in the Lord He will be there to help with decisions, temptations, illness, social situations, and whatever you may encounter. You will find renewed trust, hope, and a deeper walk with Him.

When your trust and confidence is in the Lord, you are blessed. It's His promise!

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June 12, 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 June:

Communion Prep. & Greeters:

Alice Fall & Lora Virden

Men Leading Services for June 12th:

Song Leader: Gary Curtis

Opening Prayer: Richard Bullough

Prayer List: Gary Cole

Lord's Table: Lead – Randy McCord

Taylor Radcliff, Herminio Gutierrez, Jeff Mason

Scripture Reading: Gary Rice

Announcements: Garth Radcliff

Closing Prayer: Lynn Atkinson

Alternates: Frank Baldwin, Craig Case,

Craig Standridge

P.M. Song Leader: Gary Curtis

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

Wednesday Night Devotional Schedule for

June 15th: Songs: Brandon Greene

Speaker: Randy McCord

Announcements: Gary Curtis

Prayer: Gary Cole

Upcoming Events!

June 18th – Youth Devotional at Denise and Sarah Dean's house

June 26th – Birthday Fellowship has been postponed till July 17th

June 22nd – 26th: Morro Bay Family Retreat

July 23rd – 29th: Tahoe Family Encampment

June 29th – Singing at Caruthers

July 9th – Grizzly Baseball Game at 5:00 p.m.

July 16th – Visalia Youth Devotional

August 13th – Fresno Chaffee Zoo

August 20th – Youth Devotional in Lemoore

Youth Devotional - Saturday, June 18th at the home of Denise and Sarah Dean. Dinner included - Please see Denise for more details.

5th Wednesday Singing - On June 29th, we will be joining the Riverdale and Caruthers congregations for a Wednesday Night Singing. We will meet in Lemoore at the building at 6:00 p.m. and car pool to Caruthers.

New Church Directories: If you have not already picked up your new directory, they are available in the foyer. If there is not a directory with your name on it, please see Wilma Cole. Also, don't forget to shred your old directory, in order to keep members personal information private. Thank you for your cooperation and a big thank you to Wilma Cole and Frances Aguirre for all the work to assemble the new pages.

June Birthday Fellowship Postponed: Due to June being such a busy month, the birthday fellowship has been postponed till July. On July 17th, a birthday fellowship is being planned to celebrate June and July birthdays and anniversaries.

Do Not Worry

Do not worry, neither should we fret,
For I know that my Lord isn't through yet.
He has a plan, though not yet known
But He will not make us stand alone.
Keep the faith, no need to explain,
For in His grace, we cannot wane.
When trials come and they surely will,
Let your worries vanish and wait until
He reveals your task and gives you strength,
To do His will and serve at any length.
If He would take notice of a sparrow's fall,
Then He will not forsake any of us at all.
There are many times when we give up,
But Jesus took of that bitter cup
So that whatever may happen, He'll be there
And all of our burdens,
He will be willing to bear.

Prayer List

Lynn Atkinson recovering after a bout with Bronchitis.

Edna Rice is doing better after a short hospital stay.

Ron Edwards, Betty Edwards' nephew is in the hospital with pneumonia.

Emily Baldwin, recovering from foot surgery. She must stay off her foot for several weeks while it heals.

Rosa Gutierrez will be going through medical tests, due to an anxiety attack.

Debbie Souza has been suffering with the flu.

The Garman Family's 3 year old grandson, Trevon, from Delano, has been diagnosed with a brain tumor and will be undergoing treatment.

Theresa, a longtime friend of Alexa, (Joyce and Gary Curtis' daughter), is battling cancer that has metastasized and is now in her spine.

Casey Case, Jr., grandson of Clofas and Jeanne Case, has been diagnosed with Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma. Please pray for Casey and his family as a treatment plan is being designed and a date to begin treatment is being scheduled.

Van Bass fell and fractured his tail bone.

Craig Hall from Arkansas, a friend of Elizabeth Puckett has been in a serious car accident. He is in the hospital in critical condition and will require multiple surgeries.

Richard Bullough is scheduled for kidney surgery June 28th with a second surgery to follow about a month later. It will be at UCSF. Prostate surgery is planned for later in the year.

Suzanne Mason had surgery and is recovering well, although she is tired and weak.

Charlotte Mendes, Dixie Blair's sister, has been admitted to Hacienda Healthcare.

Katelyn McCord has been diagnosed with 3 herniated disks in her neck. She will need to consult with a pediatric neurosurgeon.

Angelia, a cousin of Elizabeth Puckett will be going through medical testing.

Sonya Beck, a friend of Elizabeth Puckett has finished cancer treatment, but is still under doctor's care for further testing.

Jeff O'Neal, a friend and coworker of Jeff Mason, as he has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer. He has had surgery, and has begun chemo therapy, but is very sick with a fever as a result.

Pablo de Gracia's father will be meeting with doctors to discuss impending surgery.

Pat Methvin – health issues due to medications needed following liver transplant.

Doug Standridge – recovering after a cardiac procedure and hopes to be back on the kidney transplant list soon. He is scheduled for a consultation in June with doctors in the Bay Area.

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.

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.

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

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

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

Members of the armed forces: those on deployment and those closer to home. Please remember them all in your prayers, as we pray they are safe and we thank them for their service.

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

Dear God

*I wanna take a minute,
not to ask for anything from you, but simply to
say "thank you", for all I have.*

1 Chronicles 29:13

*Now, our God, we give you thanks, and
praise your glorious name.*

“The Importance of today”

A question we need to ask ourselves from time to time is, “How do I spend the blessed currency of time?” “Right now” is something each one living on the earth has in common and while multitudes of precious souls are being born into this world “right now,” multitudes of precious souls are also hurdling into eternity “right now.” Many of the souls leaving their earthly body wish – “right now” – they had a few more minutes to do things they must leave undone.

“Today” Is All We Have!

Today is the most important time for each one of us– because it is all we have! We are not promised next year, next month, next week, or even tomorrow. Today is important because it is when we can make the “choice” to obey, to encourage a brother or sister, to take the first step in living a life for Christ... to find one’s life in losing it (Matthew 16:25).

What Is Your Life

James says that our lives are as a vapor that appears for a little while and then vanishes away (James 4:14). Our life, like the morning fog, vanishes in the heat of the sun. A day in our earthly life is a valuable and precious gift because it is soon over.

Sin Deceives Us

Sin may deceive us by telling us, “You’ve got time”. Therefore the inspired writer of the book of Hebrews tells us to “But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called “today,” that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. (Hebrews 3:13 NKJ).” James states, “Come now, you who say, “Today or tomorrow we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit”;¹⁴ whereas you do not know what *will happen* tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away.” (James 4:13-14). The saying, “The road to hell is paved with good intentions” means that intending to take care of important duties at a future time is the pathway to eternal ruin.

Though we plan to do something good (study the Bible, obey the gospel, teach the lost, call a discouraged brother or sister, visit the sick, minister to the needy) our hectic schedules crowd out our good intentions. We may forget that there will not always be a “tomorrow”.

The Importance Of Living “Today”

“We are not promised tomorrow. “Today” is all we have. James gives us instructions on what our attitude should be concerning “Tomorrow”. “Instead you ought to say, ‘If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that.’ But now you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil. Therefore, to him who knows to do good and does not do it, to him it is sin” (James 4:15-17 – NKJV). We must, like the five wise virgins, make preparations for the Lord’s second coming. Will Jesus find us “watching” and “waiting”? (Matthew 25:13).

Brethren, let us imitate saints of the first century of whom it is said, “And every day, in the temple and at home, they ceased not to teach and to preach Jesus as the Christ” (Acts 5:42 – ASV).