

Minister's Message

Today is our annual car show. **Avery Henderson** and his team have done an amazing job of continuing this 20-year tradition. The amount of legwork needed to put on the car show is difficult to imagine. New people are stepping up to help out in many ways.

How can you help? Well, you might volunteer to clean up or assist in some other way. You can also look for ways to be a good neighbor. Our kindness toward "strangers" can leave a lasting impact on people. Plus, this is also a day for celebrating God's creative abilities. God created humans with the capacity to do great things. The show cars at today's event are just one small sign of God's gift of creativity and ingenuity. We are blessed to host this event!

Another great blessing is our growing partnership with Love INC and Evangelicals for Social Action. I'm grateful to have **Alan Doswald** as our speaker today. He is the executive director of ESA/Love INC. They help churches collaborate to make a difference in helping people in need.

Alan is a lifelong Fresnan. He's a Fresno State grad who has dedicated his life to improving ministry cooperation across Fresno. I've been personally blessed by him, and our church has been able to assist hundreds of people over the years because of the screening and oversight Love INC provides. As we learn to love our neighbors, we need great partners like Alan and Love INC.



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Welcome! If you're **visiting** with us today, please give us your name & basic information on *the card below*. **Tear it off and place it in the offering basket** later in the service. We invite you to experience God's grace among us and to think about joining this fellowship of believers.

Name(s): _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Prayer Request: _____

Comments: _____

People, Times & Places

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Coordinator: David Morris

For the Record Attendance

Worship (4/29)	183
Bible Class	155

Contribution Report

Last Week (4/29)	\$ 5,256
Weekly Average	\$ 8,862
Weekly Budget	\$ 7,770

WEEKLY ASSEMBLY

9:00 AM

SUNDAY CLASSES

10:40—11:30

Adults

The Patriarchs:
A church-wide study of Genesis 12-50

Today: The Rise of Isaac
(Genesis 22:20-25:11)

Teacher: **Cassandra Stafford** Rm 405

Teacher: **Ryan/D'Andra Buchanan** Rm 411

Teacher: **Gary/Grace Pendleton** Rm 700

Youth Group

Jr. High & High School Rm 600

Kids' Classes — aka *Uptown*

(10:20-11:30)

Nursery Rm 303

Nursery

Our nursery, for children up to 30 months, is available during worship and classes in **Room 303**.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class

Resumes September 2018

Wednesday

Men's Breakfast

Country Waffles ~ 7141 N Cedar Ave.
@ 7-8:15 a.m.

Wednesday Night Dinner

Fellowship Hall
6 p.m.



The College Church of Christ exists to encourage & equip Christ-followers as they live out the mission of God in their homes, schools, work-places, and neighborhoods.

This Morning's Order of Worship

On Zion's Glorious Summit

Call to Worship ~ Sandra Henderson

All to Us

Just as I Am

O Praise the Name

On Zion's Glorious Summit

Invitation to the Lord's Table

~ AJ Sanchez

Offering ~ Amber Pierce Elliott

Holy, Holy, Holy

A Shield About Me

Church News & Prayer for Illumination

~ Kyle Mason

Message ~ Alan Doswald

"Loving Our Neighbors"

Time of Response

He Will Rejoice Over You

Closing Blessing ~ Dale Drury

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

Preschoolers children can be taken to the foyer during the time of response. Teachers will guide them to their classes. K-6 kids can leave during the final song.

The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases, His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness. "The LORD is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in Him."

(Lam 3:22-24)

After the sermon, we have a Time of Response. Folks are available to visit or pray with you. You can respond by moving to edge of the worship center.

May 6, 2018

Who We're Praying For...

Church Member Updates:

Elizabeth Talamantez asks that we pray for strength for **Juana Ramirez**; **Gabriel Talamantez** is looking for a job with Sundays off. **Carlotta Wint** has ongoing shoulder pain. **Louise Fraley's** surgery went well and now is in rehab. **Mika Roland** requests ongoing prayers for **Josiah & Elijah**: their 3-month stay in Japan. Condolences and prayers for **Jason Locke & family** as they mourn the loss of his dad, **Larry W. Locke**. **Marsha Rocha's** procedure was successful and she is doing well. Please continue to pray for Marsha and Ron. **Jim York's** surgery at Stanford last week seemed to go well. **Alicia Rivera**: requests prayer over her current work situation and that her son, **Pablo**, may find a job very soon. **Miracle King** requests prayers for continued blessings upon her family. **Mae Pafford**: blessings for all who will be attending camp this summer; prayers for our young people. **Fausto Hinojosa**: Praise for **Viviana's** new job after college graduation. **Dennis Soliday** asks that we pray for his trip to visit relatives with granddaughter. **Stan Watson** asks that we pray for **Julie Watson**: struggling with life.

Ongoing:
Devin Leonard, Stephen Shelley, Jack Gross, Carol Hartsell, Marge Howie, Arthur & Carlotta Wint, Terry Tuell, Carolyn Wilson, Al & Juana Ramirez, Florence Bedoian, John Jacobo, Gloria Chisley, Alice Faris, Ron Rocha, Larry Wiseman, Marie McHone & Bev Drury

Expecting Mothers:
Marianne Anderson, Weezy MacDougall

Extended Family News:
D'Andra Buchanan's gives praise that her dad (**Albert Sanchez**) is out of the hospital and feeling much better. **Jennifer Hartman** requests prayers for **Michael Elmore**: PTSD; praise for Jennifer's graduation. **Sylvia Minjarez's** sister has been diagnosed with lupus. **Evelyn Howe's** daughter **Kim Sani**: continued prayers for dealing with Valley Fever. She is improving day by day. **Beverly Wynne** asks for prayers: finding a job. **April Balch** requests prayers for her sister **Sandy**: health.

Sunday Spring Classic Car Show TODAY 2—6 p.m.



Invite friends and family to our 21st annual car show! This is a big event for both the community and our church family! We look forward to seeing you!

Parking: No parking on the east side of the parking lot/Fellowship Hall. After service cars not in the show should be moved to the field.
Car Show Shirts: Pre-ordered t-shirts can be picked up in the foyer on Sunday. They will also be available at the t-shirt table during the show. If you have any questions, please see **Avery Henderson**.

Activities, Events & Church News



For Your Calendar

- 5/6 Sunday Spring Classic Car Show
- 5/9 Men's Breakfast; Wednesday Night Dinner
- 5/12 Yosemite Bible Camp Work Day
- 5/20 YBC—All Staff Camp Meeting
- 5/28 YBC—Memorial Day BBQ
- 7/15-21 2018 YBC Summer Camp



Michael Rodriguez
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IMPACT: Youth Group News

Today: IMPACT class time in the youth room @ 10:40 a.m.

Tonight: No TNT...but come & help out at the car show instead! 2-6 pm

- 5/9 **Wednesday Night Dinner! 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall**
- 5/12 YBC Work Day
- 5/31 **Last day to registration for Church Camp @ YBC**
- 7/15-21 Church Summer Camp

Be sure to visit the Youth Board near the Nursery!

Camp Registration: April 1—May 31



Church Camp 2018!

Summer is approaching, and church camp will be here before you know it! Camp registration runs from **April 1 - May 31**. Register your kids, completing 4th grade through 12th grade, and make payments on our website. **Shannon Gray** is available in the church office if you need help registering.

Yosemite Bible Camp Work Day Saturday, May 12

Help us to prepare YBC for summer! All skills are needed and welcomed! Let's keep camp beautiful and safe. You will be part of the change for the many people who will be at camp this summer.

8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Lunch is provided.

*See **Tannon Pafford** for more details.

Uptown—Children's Ministry

This month our focus in Uptown turns to the Israelite's entry into the Promised Land under the new leadership of Joshua. Being chosen as Moses' successor to lead a huge nation of people was a tremendous honor. Joshua proved himself to be courageous, daring, loyal, and most importantly submissive to God. Courageous in the face of opposition, Joshua did not care what the popular majority thought. He was utterly committed to his faith in God.

Out of over a million people to leave Egypt for the Promised Land, Joshua's faith and strength enabled him to be one of only two men to reach their destination. It would have been easy for Joshua to develop a big ego and abuse the power he was given. Instead he chose to be a man of humility and integrity throughout his life. He led by example, by serving God and never wavering in his faith. Joshua's challenge to the Israelites, "choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD" still stands as a challenge to us today.

This month our children will be learning what it means to lead by doing what is right rather than what is easy and popular. Everyone wants to be liked and accepted but choosing to follow and serve God isn't always popular. Joshua and Caleb certainly weren't popular or accepted when they gave their report about Canaan but they stood up for the truth.

There will be times that our children will need to stand up for the truth. We hope they will remember Joshua's example and the LORD's instruction in Joshua 1:7 to "Be strong and very courageous...be careful to obey all my laws...do not turn from it to the right or left, that you may be successful wherever you go".

Incentive Sunday will be May 27th. Please contact the **Gonzales** at 281-1351 or the **Elliot's** at 940-4931 if you have questions or are available to volunteer in Uptown.

Children's Ministry,
Robyn Gonzales



Prayer Request:

Date: 5/6/2018

Updates (Address, Phone, E-Mail):

Member Requests & Information

