

Minister's Message

It's camp week. Which means a lot of things—some obvious and others not quite so apparent.

First, it means that our numbers are way down this morning. About half of our people are already up at Yosemite Bible Camp getting all things ready for the start of camp. If you're delivering campers today, remember that check-in is from 2-4:00. And more importantly, CHECK-OUT time is Saturday morning at 9:00 SHARP.

Second, camp is essentially a springboard for much of the ministry that occurs within our church. It energizes so many people and culminates in important life decisions for others. This is more than just a fun week up in the hills. Many youth intentionally wait to make their commitment to Jesus up at

camp because it's such a beautiful and encouraging setting.

What can you do to be helpful this week? Come up and visit!

We'd love to have you pop in for an hour or so and visit. It's always great to have church folks stop by to say hi. Call or text me (or Tannon or Sandra) if you think you will swing by one day.

You can also help us a lot by simply praying for our campers and staffers. By the end of the week, exhaustion sets in and nerves can occasionally fray. Also, some kids come to camp with various problems buried deep within them. This is the kind of week where these things naturally come out. So we need your prayer covering over all these little ones!



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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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July Collection Servants

*David Morris, Carl Wooten,
Tony Dellamaggiore, Dee Lemley,
Steve Lewis, Colin Frame,
Dirk Elliott & David Norby*
Coordinator: Ellery Ellis

For the Record Attendance

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| Worship (7/8) | 200 |
| Bible Class | 126 |

Contribution Report

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| Last Week (7/8) | \$ 9,025 |
| Weekly Average | \$ 8,983 |
| Weekly Budget | \$ 7,770 |

WEEKLY ASSEMBLY

9:00 AM

SUNDAY CLASSES

10:40—11:30

Adults

Teacher: **Michael Rodriguez** Rm 405
No Class Today
Resumes Sunday, July 22

Teacher: **Jason Locke** Rm 411
War & Violence in Christian Thought

Teacher: **Dale Drury & Sandra Henderson** Rm 700
*Gender Roles in the New Testament
& in the Church Today*

Youth Group

Jr. High & High School Rm 600

Kids' Classes — aka **Uptown** (10:20-11:30)

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| Nursery | Rm 303 |
| Space for Moms | Rm 306 |
| Pre-School—Grade 6 | 500 Wing |

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

Resumes September 5, 2018

Wednesday Night Dinner

Resumes September 5, 2018



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

To God Be the Glory

Call to Worship ~ Lee Smith

To God Be the Glory

Lord, We Come Before Thee Now

Spirit of the Living God

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

I Worship You, Almighty God

Invitation to the Lord's Table

~ **Blake Sheehan**

Offering ~ David Morris

O to Be Like Thee

Holy Spirit, Breathe on Me

Church News & Prayer for Illumination

~ **Stephanie Norby**

Message ~ Jason Locke

"The Gift of the Promised Spirit"

Time of Response

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Closing Blessing ~ Jason Locke

I Worship You, Almighty God

Preschool 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.

O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever. O give thanks to the God of gods, for his steadfast love endures forever. O give thanks to the LORD of lords, for his steadfast love endures forever.

(Psalm 136:1-3)

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.

July 15, 2018

Who We're Praying For...

Church Member Updates:

We give our love and sympathy to **Casey McHone** and family following the death of **Marie**.

Terry & Ruth Hutchison were to return yesterday from their work at a clinic near Mexico City.

Remember all those who will be up at **Yosemite Bible Camp** this week.

Prayers for **Elizabeth Valerie** (starting grad school at Harding in Arkansas in August) and for **Priscilla Valerie** (summer classes) and for their upcoming drive across country.

David Morris learned that he will NOT need back surgery at this time.

Ongoing:

Deb Leahy, Bill & Marvidean Joslin, Janice Kelly, Jack Gross, Marge Howie, Arthur & Carlotta Wint, Carolyn Wilson, Al Ramirez, Florence Bedoian, John Jacobo, Alicia Rivera, Gloria Chisley, Alice Farris, Larry Wiseman & Bev Drury

Expecting Mothers:

Weezy MacDougall

Extended Family News:

Monique Turks' mom **Julie Holmes** is home from the hospital.

Chelsea Ruland (daughter of **Greg & Mona**) is still recovering from major shoulder surgery.

Amy Ramon (niece of **Pat McKinzie**, daughter of **Sandra Dohmen**) suffered a stroke and is in San Jose for treatment.

Evelyn Howe requests continued prayer for **Kim Sani** (Valley fever).

Terri Mason asked us to pray for her sister **Toni** who has breast cancer. She will have to go through surgery and radiation.

Alice & Jay Farris' granddaughter **Ali Rash** was able to visit family in California; continued prayers for healing (breast cancer).


Jack Shields requests prayers for **Avon Shields**: cancer.

Terry Cowger reports that her friend **Carol** is doing well after 2nd hip surgery.

Kanya Ellington asks that we pray for **Marcus Odhiamous**: a baby born prematurely.

Gary & Grace Pendleton want us to pray for their daughter **Lori Ferguson**: pregnant with third child.

Activities, Events & Church News



Glory Chasers
Women's Summer Bible Study

When: Tuesdays beginning @ 6 p.m.
June 19 to August 14

Where: Her Space, 7543 N. Ingram Ave
#106, Fresno

Cost: \$20/person for registration
and book.

IMPACT: Youth Group News

Today:

Class will resume Sunday, July 22.

Tonight:

TNT will resume Sunday, July 29.

Wednesday:

Mid-Week Gatherings will resume
July 25.

IMPACT Calendar:

7/15-21 Church Summer Camp

**Be sure to visit the Youth Board
near the Nursery!**

Youth Group Mid-Week Gatherings

Join us each Wednesday throughout the summer for food & fun from now until August 8. **No gathering on July 18.** See **Ashley Henderson** to make sure you are on the **Text Message Information** list for updates.



Church Camp @ YBC

Church Camp Starts Today!
Camper arrival times are from 2-4 p.m. today. Please park on the baseball field and proceed to the cafeteria to check-in. Be in prayer over our campers and staff.



Mark Your Calendar

» UPCOMING EVENTS

- 7/17 Glory Chasers Women's Summer Bible Study
- 7/15-21 Church Camp @ YBC
- 8/26 Back-to-School Sunday
- 9/7-9 Men's Retreat

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The act of waiting can be one of the most stressful, anxiety-ridden, helpless things we are often required to do in this life.

Waiting for results of a test.

Waiting for a good job to come our way.

Waiting for a difficult season to pass.

We grow tired and impatient and might even doubt that God is listening to our cries at all. We do everything we can do to "fix" the situation or make it conform to what we think we need, but the truth is, if it isn't of God, it isn't useful.

So we wait. We pray.

What else can we do? I don't know about you, but there is absolute comfort in scripture. It reminds me of things I forget in times of desperation. Maybe you are in a period of waiting. Maybe you have some anxiety dwelling on your heart. Rest in these words.

James 1:12

Happy are those who remain faithful under trials, because when they succeed in passing such a test, they will receive as their reward the life which God has promised to those who love him.

Romans 12:12

Let your hope keep you joyful, be patient in your troubles, pray at all times.

By Worship
Minister,
**Sandra
Henderson**



Prayer Request:

Date: 7/15/2018

Updates (Address, Phone, E-Mail):