

We are happy to announce the birth of our grandson, Mason Cole, born: Oct 10th, Weight: 8.5 lbs, 20 inches long. The proud parents are Jeff and Heather Kowalski. We are thankful for this new blessing in our lives.

~ Randy & Debbie Jacobs

**Mexicali Planning Meeting:
Tonight in Room 103 following
evening service.**

Change of Address:
Glenda Hause
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Fresno, CA 93726 (559) 227-2870

Grief Support Group

Class Meeting Scheduled

Saturday, October 22, 2011
12 noon at M^cDonalds,
First & Nees

**Oct 19th PrimeTime Din-
ner— Delicious BBQ Ribs
with all the trimmings.**

Grab an INVITATION
about our “Iglesia de Cristo”
from the Welcome Center
and share it with your friends
and relatives!

Sunday, October 16, 2011

Today's Worship Schedule

Song 23 Our God, He Is Alive

Call to Worship Andy Frizzell

Song 47 Holy, Holy, Holy

Aspiration Medley

Song 273, 274, 275 276 — Chorus Only

Prayer Terry Hinton

Song 287 There Is A Redeemer

Song 176 Lamb of God

Communion Loren Lee

Mission Presentation Mexicali Work

*Song 957 This World Is Not My Home
(Dismiss for Children's Worship)*

*Sermon "Be Weird!" Matthew 7.13-14
Tim Parish*

Song 778 Be With Me, Lord

Closing Prayer Matt Holcomb

Sunday Evening Services 5 pm

Book of Romans Chapter 5 Tim Parish

VISITORS

Out of Town: Darla Bennett, Portland, OR; Melvyn Flagan, Daly City, CA; Gunter Burket, Murray, KY; Robert Eubanks, Loveland, CO; Cindy Richard, Dallastown, PA; Lois Cieffo, Los Banos, CA.

Local: Mary Miller, Breanna Jones, Edward Marcoe, Lawreniesha Tippens, Summer Sung, Marcus Berry, Tracie Jonasky

**Attendance: AM 694 Class 438 Sunday Night 203
Wed Night 297 Thurs. AM Bible Study 26**

Weekly Contribution: \$13,129 Weekly Budget: \$13,314

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Ladies are invited to a baby shower for **Laura Cargill**. Laura will be having a boy. She is registered at Target and Babies R Us.



When: October 23
Time: 3:00pm
Where: Fellowship Hall

If you would like to purchase books, the office still has copies.

Cedric Thomas— “The Four Pillars of Evangelism”

\$20.00

Gary Villamor— “Peculiar People” \$8.00



For those who had signed up for **Sunset's School of Biblical Leadership**, we will have a 20-min meeting tonight at 6 PM, after the evening services in the Conference Room. **Classes will start this Tuesday and Thursday!**

“God Squad” Harvest Party!!!

October 29, 2011 from 4-8pm, Tara & Brooke Paulsen will be hosting a harvest party. All are encouraged to attend. The cost is \$15 per family. See Gabe or Erin Bacus for more details.



CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SCHEDULE

2—3'S — Allison Pettey, Breanne Avedikian, & Megan Lee

K—2nd grade— Justin & Jackie Flint

Puppets— Breanne Avedikian & Allison Pettey



PRAYER REQUESTS

Coming forward Sunday: Marty & Joe Couto, Cheryl Rowe, Rodessa Jones, Mark Latham, Chanelle Snowden, Mickey Jones



Rodessa Jones— Prayers for a lady named Mary who is ill at St. Agnes Hospital and for Diana Sutherland, and my friend Tracy who goes to Fresno City College, she is having problems, may she find strength! Prayers for me, I have been having anxiety attacks, pray that it will go away. Amen.

Jeanetha Henderson— Thank you Jehovah for the honor of being your servant and going out and preaching your life saving message with love, all praise and glory be to Jehovah my God through grace I am saved by Jesus sacrifice. Thank you for your daily blessings.

Gayla Parker— Praise the Lord. Our sister in Christ, Shanika is back with us. Always keep her and her family in your prayers. Please keep me and Jordin in your prayers also.

Dianne Lee— Pray for Marjorie Jordan for comfort, and health problems, also the same for her husband, Alvin Jordan.

Matthew Peterson— Pray for my friends and family and for a better job.

Darren & Jaimee Tuttle— Thank you so much for the prayers with Jaimee's pregnancy. Jaimee is currently 9 weeks pregnant with a healthy baby. The due date is May 12th, 2012. Please continue to pray for the baby and Jaimee's health. God Bless.

Vincent Monk— I am here because of you Lord and you alone. I thank you and give you all praise and glory. Thank you Church of Christ for all your prayers and kindness.

Don & Elsie Troxell— Don's Cat scan reported that his lung tumor has shrunk just a little. It's been a year and the first time for it to be a little smaller. He will continue his chemo every 3 weeks. Thank you for your prayers and love shown.

Roy Hightower— Thank you WPCOC, thanks for the House on the Rock, thanks for all the things you have done in my life Father, Thank you Jesus for always being there, Thanks for all the things you are going to do.

Jeanette Burns— Continued prayers for my daughter and her family. Thank you.

Frederick Goodrich— Hey church, let's all continue to pray for our new Hispanic congregation, and the Gamez family. They have certainly been an inspiration to me. Lets pray that they bare much fruit. Amen.

Glenna Gammel— Christopher and Kory Dennis will go to the hospital the 17th of this month, instead of the 22nd. The baby's name will be Carter David.

McDermott's— Mary Tarkenton (sister of John Lawless) has a failing liver. Please pray for healing.

Dixie Jones— Thank you for your prayers for my son, Mike Jones. He is here to stay.

Ruby Daddato— Thank you for all the prayers for my daughter, Vickie Franklin. The doctors are confident they got all the cancer. To God be the glory.

Kelley Holcomb— Please pray for my boyfriend, Ray Mason. He is a sergeant in the Army, stationed at Fort Campbell, KY. He is having to face a difficult decision to stay in the service or go to college. God is good all the time.

Rick & Sylvia White— Please pray for my cousin Deb. She has stage 4 cancer and is waiting for the doctors decision on treatment. Also please pray for her spiritual strength.

Marca Ferry— Please pray for Marca Ferry for her healing from surgery.

Alice & Ruben Tostado— Keep praying for our Linda Miranda for her eyes to heal.

David & Lind Law— Oct. 18 is our 31st anniversary!!!

Joe & Marty Couto— Our nephew, Anthony Decker has been diagnosed with neuroblastoma. He had a problem that caused the removal of his eye when he was younger and this seems to be related. Cards of concern and encouragement would be greatly appreciated. Parents: Kim & Troy Decker, 8070 Trevino Court, Sparks, NV 89436.

Cesar Gamez— Pray for the Spanish prison ministry that is going to start this Monday 10/17, that I may speak boldly the word of God. There is a group of 20 plus men already signed up.

TIM TALK

Though 85 percent of Americans call themselves Christians, only 69 percent regard themselves as church members. Only 43 percent will attend church on a given Sunday. Another 22 percent will attend occasionally. Only 22 percent of Americans attend Bible classes on Sunday mornings.

There are now 79 million “unchurched” people in America.

Many of these people are “notional” Christians. They claim to be Christians but do not practice their Christianity by church attendance. These are people who need a church home.

Why do they need a church home? For the same reasons you do. They need the spiritual help and climate going to church provides. They need to hear the Scripture preached and to remember the Lord's death in His supper. They need to praise the Lord in song and to pray about their needs. They need the Lord's help and teaching from week to week.

They also need a church home because we all need our brothers and sisters in Christ. Life has a way of handing us surprises. It means so much to have the support of loving brothers and sisters who will pray with us and for us when we need them.

Solomon was right when he said that “two are better than one” (Ecclesiastes 4:9). There is strength in numbers, and brothers and sisters assure our hearts when they walk beside us in serving the Lord. “Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend” (Proverbs 27:17).

Surely you know someone who needs a church home. Won't you help them? Bring them to the Lord.

—Phil Sanders

Phil works as one of the preachers for *In Search of the Lord's Way*, seen locally on KAIL-TV 53 at 7:30 am every Sunday.

YOUTH EVENTS

TONIGHT! Devo: 11th and 12th Grades w/ College Age: 10/16

MiP: Immanuel: 10/18: 7:15am Reedley

Fresno Service Weekend w/ Lompoc: 10/21-23: The Lompoc youth will be in town to work with us on various projects. We need families to house teens and volunteer to lead service groups on Saturday the 22ND: 9am- 5pm

Corn Maze: 10/22: NEW CORN MAZE ALERT!!! We are headed to the new corn maze at HWY 99 and Ave 7. \$8 OR \$10

Teen Halloween Party @ the White's: 10/29: We will be getting together with some of the teens from Clovis, Sun Garden, and Sierra Vista churches for food and games. Get your costume ready!

For more Youth Group info, check out these websites:
wpcoc.com: you can find all coming events here
yofrizz.blogspot.com: Dates and times with youth group updates. If you are on facebook: Join our group **WPYG** for updates.

IGLESIA DE CRISTO

Domingos (Salón 115): Adoración 9 am
Clase Bíblica 10:30 am

Miércoles (Salón 113): Clase Bíblica 7 pm

Toma una INVITACIÓN del “Welcome Center” y dásela a un amigo o familiar esta semana!

¿Quieres estudiar la Biblia personalmente?
Llámanos al 559-341-6474 y con mucho gusto de visitamos en tu hogar para estudiar de Dios!

“No hay Judío ni Griego; no hay esclavo ni libre; no hay hombre ni mujer, porque todos son uno en Cristo Jesús.” Gálatas 3:28

