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To Our Church Family,
Thank you so much for your
thoughtful concern for me during
my surgery to remove my appendix.
Your calls, visits and prayers were
appreciated. Vic Hardy

Thank you for your prayers for safe
travels to Arkansas. We had a won-
derful experience on the Harding
Campus. The Valerie Family,
James, Sara, Elizabeth & Priscilla

"My heartfelt thank you to Andy
Frizzell and the young men who
pulled weeds in my backyard
during Spring Break. You were
awesome and I appreciate each
of you more than you know.
Thank you for serving during
your free time. It was deeply
appreciated."

JoAnn Glock

Sunday, April 15, 2012

Today's Worship Schedule _____

Song 528 *I Know That My Redeemer Lives*

Call to Worship *Tim Parish*

Song 647 *Soldiers of Christ, Arise*

Prayer *Tim Douglas*

Song 453 *Love Lifted Me*
287 *There Is a Redeemer*
315 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

Communion *Bruce Sharp*

Song 679 *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*
(Dismiss Children for Children's Worship)

Sermon *What Does God Want From Me?*
Mark 12.28-31 Tim Parish

Song 535 *The Glory-Land Way*

Closing Prayer *Jeff Smith*

Sunday Evening Services 5 pm

Baptism of the Holy Spirit Part 2 Tim Parish

VISITORS

Out of Town: Charles & Patricia Gentry, Irvine, CA; David & Ellen Tostado, Lathrop, CA; John & Dana Lawless, Mariposa, CA.

Local: Stella Anderson, Mary Juarez, Kevin & Connie Casey, Victoria Flintroy, Jane Hoffman, Sylvia Stephenson, Monique Vargas, Melisa Bonias, Darlene Jenkins

Attendance: AM 811 Class 500 Sunday Night 139
Wednesday Bible Study 330 Thursday Bible Study 24

Weekly Contribution: \$11,977 Weekly Budget: \$13,350

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Discipleship Ministry Meeting Scheduled

**For All Hosts and Callers
Today, April 15th
Room 103 @ 3:45 pm**

Tahoe Family Encampment July 21-27, 2012

It won't be long before summer will be here and another chance to enjoy the wonderful Tahoe Family Encampment experience. Camping and motel reservations are coming in steady, therefore, we are reminding those who have not yet made reservations. You need to call or email Pat @ 916-989-4885 or pmethvin1968@comcast.net ASAP! Don't delay, so you won't be left out...get your reservation request in today. For **camping reservations** at Tahoe Valley Campground, call Pat @ the above phone number or email address.

All Ladies are invited to a Come-N-Go Baby Shower for Jaimee Tuttle Today April 15th in the Fellowship Hall at 3:30. Registered at Target & Buy-Buy-Baby. Come share this time with Jaimee.



COMING EVENTS

**Today — Baby Shower for Jaimee Tuttle 3:30
4/18/2012—PrimeTime—Pork Chop Dinner**

May 22-June 2—Appointments with Lifetouch for New Pictorial Church Directory. (More info coming)



Welcome Guests

PRAYER REQUESTS

Coming forward last Week:

Angel Carrillo— Thank you family for your prayers for Kiki's trip, all is well, he didn't place but it was an experience he will never forget. Pray for my Aunt Mary in AZ. She is very sick with cancer and Father forgive me when I fall short. Sometimes I let frustration overcome me and give into having a bad attitude, I need to not forget you never get frustrated with me, I am so sorry Lord. I love you.

Rodessa Jones— Please pray that whenever I speak to my landlord, that he would work with me, so I will not have to move right away and I can continue to live there until they resolve this housing problems.

Roy Hightower— Thank you Lord for all you have done and all you are going to do. Thank you WPCOC, a place where I feel at home, thank you for all the loving people here at Woodward Park, thank you for bringing me here.

Frederick Goodrich— Continue to pray for us men at the house on the rock!!! Also someone stole my bike, less then a month ago.

JoAnn Glock— Don Troxell has learned from his MRI that he has a tumor on the brain. He will go to San Francisco for a special procedure as soon as arrangements can be made. Please keep Don and Elise in your prayers.

Linda Miranda— A healing prayer request for my Aunt Elsie Tostado who has been ill for many weeks now and recently diagnosed with a chronic condition. I am also requesting prayers for my cousin Joe Tostado for a good outcome as he undergoes major surgery this week and will be receiving chemo therapy as well.

Anaiah Bowden—Pray that my mom's baby comes out safely.

Gayla Parker— Pray for Jordin's father who recently lost a child at birth. Comfort and watch over him and his family. Thank you Lord for a wonderful church family who looks out for each other and are always here in love and peace. Thank you for my extended family, the Gissell's, Jordin's grandparents who are helping me in many ways. Bless them.

Fred & Violet Lehnick— Jim Moore's wife, Phyllis, is in the hospital having mini-strokes. Jim asked for prayers on her behalf. Jim is a co-worker of Fred's at Lowes.

Arnold & Lorrie Centeno— Please pray for Sierra and Hanna Walkingstick dad, my brother, that he would be open to studying the bible.

Bruce Lee— Please continue to keep my name on the prayer list. Please add my grandson to the prayer list too. I have lost 120 pounds and feel great. I thank God and the congregation of CoC for their many blessings. Amen.

Yesenia Carrillo— I want to pray for my eyes to get better.

JD Partain—Please pray for my friend, Stella Anderson. She was hospitalized on Tuesday with a massive stroke. She's been attending church with me.

Cesar & Ixchel Gamez—Ixchel is 12 wks pregnant. Please pray for good health for her and the baby. Both dad and big brother are pretty excited.

Pray for Hala Habashy, Sunset alumni and dear friend to our family, living in Egypt. She is ill with liver problems.

Praise: Thanks to all who served in one way or another to go to Mexicali. 20+ people were blessed by your gifts, plus 23 of us that took the trip.

I am truly blessed with such a wonderful Christian family.



The lovely flowers, cards, food and calls have been greatly appreciated. Thank all of you for your loving kindness in memory of my sister. God Bless!

In Christian Love, Donna Woods

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SCHEDULE

2's & 3's— Allison Pettey, Breanne Avedikian, Megan Lee
K-2nd grade— Justin & Jacky Flint
Puppets— Breanne Avedikian & Allison Pettey



TIM TALK

The following is from a blog I read by a preacher named John Dobbs. As you read it, may you be reminded that **YOU** are a part of God's unlikely plan to change the world for His glory. Until we meet again...TWP

Your Plan to Reach the World?

If you were putting together a plan to rescue the world from sin and the devil, how would you go about that?

Would you employ Superman - able to do amazing things in a flash - to move directly into all of the dark corners to rid the earth of crime and pain? He could be a shining example and admired by all as he flew around the world making sure that justice and right prevail!

Or would you decide to put Darth Vader to work in your behalf. Using his ultra-sensitive abilities to detect rebellion he could squash any effort that worked against your plan. He would rule with fear and threat, but effectively eliminate enemies one by one. Some may not like his ways, but when his heavy breathing enters the room all plans to overthrow him are thwarted!

I think it's a good thing we're not in charge of coming up with this plan. As we look across the gallery of world history we see both of these kinds of approaches and the result has been disastrous.

God's plan to save the world is just ... unthinkable. When the Spirit inspires Peter to write, he doesn't address the elite and powerful. He writes to the scattered, crippled, persecuted, on-the-run, nothing-to-lose believers. He doesn't try to tell them to just hang on until help arrives. They ARE the help, bringing the life-giving message throughout the known world.

That rag tag band of afflicted and disoriented strangers were chosen by God. He called them royal. He made them holy. He called them to priesthood - serving from the lowest of positions in this world. God expressed his mercy and empowered the least likely to change the world.

And here we are.

Dear Woodward Park Family,
George was aware of your kindness to us. Thank you for your continued prayers, cards, visits and many plants and flowers, food, your attendance at the viewing and the burial service. Thank you for the memorial service. The lovely luncheon prepared for us after the memorial service by the Ken Moshier group was wonderful.

May the Lord bless you all!

The Adrian Family
Marge, Bob, Carol & Robin
Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren



YOUTH EVENTS

This Week:

TODAY! Sunday Morning in Mariposa: 4/15: We are in Mariposa this morning. Andy will be teaching class and our boys will be preaching and leading services. Thanks for your encouragement. If you would like to write a note of encouragement to the guys involved: Trent Bacus, Tyler Hinton and Scott Lock are preaching; Daniel Cliff, Grant Lane, and Ethan Yarbrough are leading singing; Richard and Jonathan McDermott and Gage Ervin are taking care of the Lord's Supper.

TODAY! Family Devo @ the Perry's: 4/15: 75 W Athens Clovis: 5pm, Bring sodas, sides, and desserts

Next Week:

MiP: Hoover: 4/17: Meet the Bacus, 715am

Future

Combined Devo: 11th-12th and College Age: 4/22: Meet at the Davis' at 7pm

Ministry Cluster Picnic: 4/28: Mark your calendars and look for more details in the weeks to come. This is for UP, Young families, God Squad, College and Youth and Family ministries!

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.

Press the Bar—Feel the Pain

from "The Blessing" by John Trent PhD & Gary Smalley
Researchers trained mice to press a bar in a cage and would drop a pellet of food. Mice are extremely motivated by food; they quickly learn to press the bar and get it. But as the mice slept, the experimenters would link up an automobile battery to the back of the metal bar. The next time the little mouse got hungry, he'd walk over, press the bar and *zzzaap!* He received the pellet alright, along with a tremendous shock! Reeling and disoriented, the mouse would overcome his confusion and gingerly reach out and press the bar again to receive the pellet of food and *zzzaap!* A second shock! Sadly the little mouse eventually learned that the shock was too great even for the pellet of food and would die.

I think sometimes that mice may be smarter than mankind because our appetite is so insatiable for "things," that even the "shock" of the *rat race* we exist in, won't deter us from our consumption. We are distracted by "busy-ness" and don't see the importance of being still (resting) and contemplating God and His plan for us.

Lord, help me to be diligent in maintaining a meaningful prayer life, remembering that time spend with You gives my life meaning and fruitfulness.

Michael Clanton