

2016

I Am Resolved to Make 2017 a Great Year!

Who Do You Say Jesus Is?  
Mathew 16:13-16

Who did people say Jesus was in His day?  
Mark 6:14-16, 20

Who do people say Jesus is today?  
John 1:12-13

Who is Jesus?  
Isaiah 53:1-12  
John 14:5-7

Who do YOU say Jesus is?  
Matthew 16:16  
Revelation 3:19-22

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### SCHEDULE

#### Sunday

Bible Classes for all ages 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

#### Tuesday

Ladies Class 10:00 a.m.

#### Wednesday

Bible Classes for all ages 6:30 p.m.

### ELDERS, DEACONS AND STAFF

<b>Elders</b>		<b>Deacons</b>	
Eric Bliss	757-6338	Milt Baldwin	588-6574
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### OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Nursery Attendant	Bible Hour
Linda Chadwick	Kim Senior
	Debbie Falcon

### WEEK OF JANUARY 29, 2017

Bible Class	AM Worship	PM Worship	Weds. Class	Offering
58	95	55	27	2651

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### FEBRUARY 5, 2017

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Song leader: Glen Thompson

Welcome.....David Senior

301 I Will Sing The Wondrous Story  
979 The Longer I Serve Him

Prayer.....Mike Cottam

294 I Must Tell Jesus  
514 On The Cross of Calvary

Lord's Supper.....Milt Baldwin

959 Poured Out Like Wine

Offering.....Brian Donaghe

624 The Church's One Foundation

Scripture Reading: ..... Martin Casey

Message....."Who Do You Say Jesus Is"?.....Eric Bliss

760 Who Will Follow Jesus  
847 Bind Us Together

Closing Prayer.....Dave Gastellum

PM .....Time of devotion and song

## ROY'S VACATION

Roy is visiting a congregation on the Central Coast this morning. He will be back in the office tomorrow February 6th.

## YOUTH ACTIVITY DAY

The Youth Activity Day is today. All youth are welcome to stay after morning services for a day of fun and fellowship together. If you have any questions please see Dave Gastellum or Matthew Dudley.

## FEBRUARY CALENDARS ARE OUT

The February calendars are available on the back table. Please pick one up and review your monthly assignments. Let us know if there is a conflict so we may cover it in advance. Thanks!

## ELDER/DEACON SUBMISSION

We are in the process of Elder and Deacon selection. If you were not here last week there are forms on the back table of the auditorium for your selections to be submitted. Please prayerfully consider this and return them to one of the elders.

## SKILLED NURSING FACILITY

Please remember those of our number and others residing in the SNF: **Dave Swain, Larry Lang, Walter, Jim and Mavis, Mary, Lillian Mock, Sam and Victor, Donna, Jane, Betty, Ileana, Angelina, Carolyn, Agrippina, Frances, Nancy, David, Diana, Angela, Joyce, Mary, Carole, Danny, Sonia, Elaine, Eleanor, Rosalie, Mary Alice, Elva and Manuel.** Keep them in your prayers for peace and comfort.

## PANTRY

Our food pantry is available in the foyer for those in need.

## PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

**-Kara**, granddaughter of **Jan Hayes**, had her surgery this past week. Please keep her and the rest of the family in prayers as she heals. Also remember **Sherri** as she travels to spend time with her and the family.

**-Judith Scharnagel** had surgery on Wednesday and is home recuperating. Please keep her in your prayers and **Charles** as he cares for her.

**-Dorothy Cunningham** is preparing for her transplant surgery. Please keep her, Bill and Sara in prayers as the time gets closer.

Please remember **Kevin Thompson** as he continues to heal from his foot surgery and is laid up for a lengthy time. Also remember **Ann** as she cares for him.

**-Shawn Battison** will have shoulder surgery this Friday. Please keep her in prayers for a speedy recovery and for **Veda** as she cares for her.

**-Hurshell Weldon** is out of the hospital and doing some better. Please remember him in prayers for healing and strength.

**-Sheena Williams** asks for prayers for her kids and their peace of mind. Also for a prayer of protection around all of God's children.

**-Frankie Ward** asks for prayers for his friend's sister who has a brain tumor.

## BRIDGE HOUSE PRAYER REQUESTS

Continue to pray for those living at the Bridge House.

## THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Patience and perseverance have a magical effect before which difficulties disappear and obstacles vanish.

—John Quincy Adams

## SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

*Finally, be strong in the Lord,  
and in the strength of His might.*

—Ephesians 6:10

## ENCOURAGING WORDS

### Our Special Time with Our Savior

I want you to consider this thought for a moment—The most sacred time in the life of the Christian each week is when he or she communes with Jesus at His feast. When we partake of “the Lord's Supper” each week, it is not a time that we can approach nonchalantly (**1 Cor.11:27-30**), rather this feast demands our closest attention and our deepest concentration!

Those precious minutes each Sunday during which we partake of the sacred elements can be tough to keep our focus. Some struggle with keeping their attention focused during those reflective moments. Some get frustrated when there are distractions throughout the auditorium while they are partaking. May I suggest to you, during this most sacred time, that we must grab hold of and purposefully direct our thoughts back to the cross. The words “remembrance,” “examine” and “discern” in **1 Cor. 11:23-29** emphasize that our thoughts, our minds and our hearts are required. We must concentrate. But, how can we overcome distractions?

**Read.** Minds wander easily, but with written words in front of us, we can stay focused. Read the accounts of Jesus' suffering and crucifixion in Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. Read **Isaiah 53**, **Psalms 22** and other reflective passages. Read the words of a meaningful hymn. Take time during the week to write our own personal meditation for communion, and then read those words as you partake. Don't just read these things as a “routine”, focus on the depth of each word.

**Pray.** Give thanks to God for the suffering and sacrifice of Jesus, which brings us atonement, forgiveness and promise. Give thanks to God for His love, His grace and His mercy. Give thanks to God for the body and the blood of our precious Savior.

**Redirect.** Distractions are inevitable. But, the power of the mind can overcome distractions and even use the distractions themselves to redirect one's thoughts. Babies will cry while you're partaking, and when they do, imagine how babies must have been crying at the cross. People will whisper behind you and may even laugh at something, and when they do, imagine how people must have been whispering and laughing at the cross. People will goof off and play games, and when they do, imagine those soldiers playing games for Jesus' garments, while he suffered.

We must “remember” Him, “examine” ourselves and “discern” His body! Let us focus our minds as we commune!

R. Senior