



Faith



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Grace Brethren Church Of Norwalk

August 14, 2011

WELCOME!

We are glad you are here today. We hope you enjoy worshipping with us this morning and you have a blessed day! Pastor Jeff Patton

Today at Grace —

Sunday School Classes Today: 9:30 am

Class: 3-5 years of age

Teacher: Caroll Perkins

Room: KB

Class: 1st Grade thru 6th Grade

Teacher: Robin Predmore

Room: 1B

Class: DRIVEN (Junior High & High School)

Teacher: Timothy Lansing

Study: Studying the Scriptures

Room: Youth Garage

Class: Young Adults / Career

Teacher: Dave Goodwyn

Study: Building Christian Character

Room: 6A

Class: Adults

Teacher: Pastor Jeff Patton

Study: Living by the Book

Room: 6B

Class: Adults

Teacher: Ron Muir

Study: Growing in Christ

Room: Conference Room

Grace Worship Service: 10:45 am

Kids in Action: 10:45 am

Movers and Shakers – Birth to 2 years old in the Nursery

Settin' the Stage – 3 years to Kindergarten – JUDY TORRES & KYLE

Center Stage – 1st to 5th Grade - MARTIN & HEATHER REYNAGA

Evening Prayer Service: 6:00 pm

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Upcoming Events —

This Week:

Elder Board Meeting	7:00pm, Tuesday
NO FAMILY NIGHT	
Worship Team Practice	8:00pm, Wednesday
CEF Training Meeting – La Mirada	9:30am, Thursday

For those Serving —

Ushers for the Month of August

Tim Lansing, Victor Pearce, Eddie Morales, Glenn Wilson

Nursery – Today 8/14

9:30 am Kristina Wilson
Jennifer Gonzalez

Nursery – Next Week 8/21

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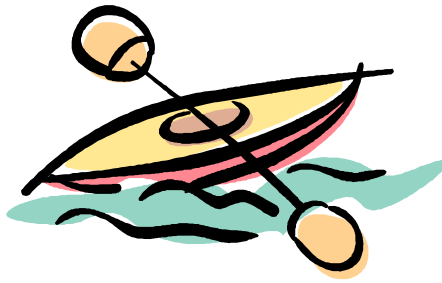
10:45 am Leticia Posada
Robin Predmore

10:45 am Dee Muir
Susan Klements

For the Record —

8/7/11 Giving:

Weekly Budget:	\$2,594.00	Offering Last Week:	\$3,005.75
S.S./CE Commission:	\$11.25	Grand Total/All Offering:	\$3,975.00
Air conditioning:	\$292.00	Total Air Conditioning:	\$1,046.00
Quiroz Love Gift	\$110.00	Church Loan Giving:	\$180.00
Patton's – Monthly Need:	\$170.00	Received this month:	\$102.00
O'Dell's – Monthly Need:	\$170.00	Received this month:	\$102.00
Morris – Monthly Need:	\$170.00	Received this month:	\$102.00



DRIVEN NEWS

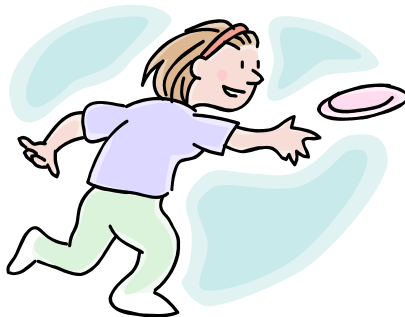
August 17 – DRIVEN Frisbee Golf at 6:30pm

August 22 – SHAVE IT Fundraiser (Norwalk) from 12:00-9:00pm (EVERYONE IS INVITED!)

August 24 – DRIVEN (at church) at 6:30pm

August 28 – DRIVEN Kayaking - \$12 (Meet at Grace) from 12:30-5:00pm

August 31 – DRIVEN Pool Party at 6:30pm



GRACE BRETHREN CHURCH OF NORWALK
"100 Years of Faithfulness"
CELEBRATION

DATE: Sept. 18, 2011

TIME: 9:30am Welcome Reception

10:45am Worship service

1:30pm Picnic at La Mirada Regional Park

THEME: 100 years of God's faithfulness

PASSAGE: *Psalms 108:4 "For great is your love, higher than the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies."*

TODAY'S COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Picnic Games Committee— Again today right after the worship service outside the Nursery – see Lisa Patton

Food Committee (+ Fellowship Comm.) – Today right after the worship service in the Conference Room – see Eddie Morales

**DID YOU GET YOUR POSTCARD INVITATION?
IF NOT, PLEASE LET LISA PATTON KNOW SO
SHE CAN GET ONE TO YOU.**

**PLEASE R.S.V.P. IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING
THIS SPECIAL EVENT. THANKS SO MUCH.**

WOMEN OF GRACE NEWS

**ALL LADIES OF THE CHURCH,
JOIN US FOR AN AMAZING RETREAT
ON NOVEMBER 11-13, 2011.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION,
PLEASE SEE THE BROCHURE DETAILING
THE SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN
CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS RETREAT
Located out on the table in the foyer.**

LET'S TAKE A GROUP THIS YEAR!

Contact person: Beverly Adams

**Total Cost:\$160
\$60 is due by TODAY, August 14, to Beverly.
Remaining balance is due by October 31.**

JEREMIAH 18:6b

*"Behold, like the clay in the potter's hands, so are you in my hands,
O house of Israel."*





Ladies' Gala

October 8th at 5pm

Please save the date!

Looking forward to the next Ladies' night out! Watch for a questionnaire to be handed out in the next couple of weeks for Secret Sister. Instructions will be on the questionnaire and you will get your secret sister's name at our next gathering on September 24th at 5:00pm. Don't miss out, it is sure to be lots of fun. Sisters will be revealed at our Christmas party. Also, a sign-up sheet is coming around today to sign up to help with the Ladies' Gala on October 8th. Please sign up in an area that you are interested in serving. Thank you.

AFTER SCHOOL GOOD NEWS CLUB MANDATORY BASIC TRAINING COURSE 2011

This training is designed to help you establish and maintain a Child Evangelism Fellowship After School Good News Clubs in your public school, so the children can learn the Bible and hear about Jesus! If you are a teacher, counselor or helper (new or prospective) you must attend one of the three basic training courses below:

- 1. Tuesday, July 19 (Session 1) and Thursday, July 21 (Session 2) from 6:30 – 9:30 P.M.*
- 2. Saturday, August 6 from 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Bring sack lunch)*
- 3. Thursday, August 18 from 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Bring sack lunch)*

Place: Mid-Cities CEF Office, 11900 La Mirada Blvd. #11, La Mirada, 90638

Topics Covered:

- All required preparation, forms and paperwork explained*
- How to approach your principal*
- Recruiting others to join your team*
- How the Good News Club works: all activities and materials explained and demonstrated*
- How Child Evangelism Fellowship works with and supports you*
- Curriculum will be available for purchase*
- Plenty of time for Q & A*

** No cost to attend*

** No child care available*

Share this information with your church and friends. Invite others to come. A minimum of 5 people are required to hold the training, so be sure to make your reservations by calling Nina NOW at (562)943-7188.

Congregational Scripture Reading

Psalm 40

- Pastor: I waited patiently for the LORD; and He inclined to me and heard my cry. He brought me up out of the pit of destruction, out of the miry mud,
- All: And He set my feet on a rock making my footsteps firm. He put a new song in my mouth; a song of praise to our God; many will see and fear and trust the LORD.
- Pastor: How blessed is the man who has made the LORD his trust, and has not turned to the proud, nor to those who lapse into falsehood.
- All: Many O LORD my God are the wonders which You have done and Your thoughts toward us; there is none to compare with You. If I would declare and speak of them they would be too numerous to count.
- Pastor: Blood sacrifice and meal offering You have not desired;
- All: My ears you have opened!
- Pastor: Burnt offering and sin offering You have not required. Then I said,
- All: Behold I come, in the scroll of the book it is written of me.
- Pastor: I delight to do Your will O my God; Your law is within my heart. I have proclaimed glad tidings of righteousness in the great congregation;
- All: Behold I will not restrain my lips, O LORD You know. I have not hidden Your righteousness within my heart; I have spoken of Your faithfulness and Your salvation; I have not concealed Your lovingkindness and Your truth from the great congregation.
- Pastor: You O LORD will not withhold Your compassion from me; Your lovingkindness and Your truth will continually preserve me. For evils beyond number have surrounded me;
- All: My iniquities have overtaken me, so that I am not able to see; they are more numerous than the hairs of my head, and my heart has forsaken me.
- All: Be pleased O LORD to deliver me! Make haste O LORD to help me!
- Pastor: Let those be ashamed and humiliated together who seek my life to destroy it; let those be turned back and dishonored who delight in my hurt. Let those be desolated because of their shame who say to me, "Aha, aha!"
- All: Let all who seek You rejoice and be glad in You; let those who love Your salvation say continually, "The LORD be magnified!"
- Pastor: Since I am afflicted and needy, the LORD is mindful of me.
- All: YOU O LORD are my help and my Deliverer; do not delay, O my God.