

Sunday June 19, 2016

Today's Worship Schedule _____

Song 72 *Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty*

Welcome to Worship *Loren Lee*

Projected Song *Lord, Reign In Me*
Projected Song *Open My Heart*

Prayer *Lewis Robeston*

Projected Song *Faithful*
Projected Song *In Christ Alone*

Communion *Greg Clark*

Scripture Reading *Hebrews 12:7-10*

Song 718 *We Shall Assemble*
(Dismiss for Children's Hour)

Sermon *"Well, What About Dad?"*
John Poole

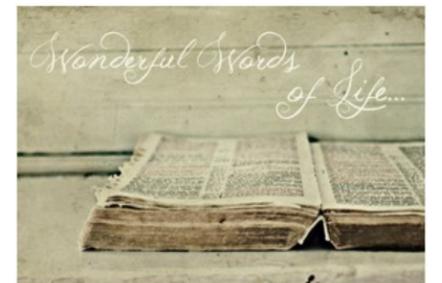
Song 786 *Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You*

Closing Prayer *Matt Holcomb*

Sunday Evening 5:00 pm

"Passing the Reigns"
John Poole

On Sunday morning, July 3rd, we will begin a new series of sermons titled *Wonderful Words of Life*. Today it seems as if bad news abounds and so many aspects of life reflect words of death. In this series we will survey part of the gospel of Mark and identify key words of encouragement and hope. Please join us for seven sermons this summer as we receive blessings of good cheer from our God who loves us.



**What A Wonderful Blessing
to Worship Together Today!**



VISITORS



Out of Town: Glenda Banning, EHT, NJ; Tabitha, Penelope & Sophia Gilscarbo, Summamish, WA; Duane & Sharon Henton, Tacoma, WA; Berdie Horn, Kerman, CA; Joy Hendrix, Kerman, CA; Christopherson Family, Madera, CA; Ford Family, Ivanhoe, CA

Local: Richard V. Rogers, Barbara Koomjan, Amalia Valle, Sheryl Swegart, Jason Sponhaltz, Jan Chaffee, Lina Kherfan

Attendance: AM: 655 Class: 461 Sunday Night: 198 Wednesday Night: 287

Weekly Contribution: \$12,950 **Weekly Budget:** \$13,350

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This Wednesday Night
June 22nd @ 6 pm

Wednesday Night

Bring Your Own &
Make Plans to Join Us



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Save The Dates

September 23-25th, 2016

EQUIP 2016

"Our Strange, Alien Existence"

Children's Hour Today _____

2's & 3's—Courtney Espinoza
4's & 5's—Kevin Hinton
K-2nd—Joel Venkatesan
Opening—Joel Venkatesan
Puppets—Ryan Venkatesan



PRAYER REQUESTS



Jennifer Carter—My cousin, Conner Bethel, has a cyst on his brain. Pray that his surgery goes well and that his family has safe travels to UCSF.

Heidi Hastie—Pray for housing for me and my three kids.

Pam Etherton—Please pray for John's health.

Brian Burns—Pray for my father Greg Burns, he is dealing with back issues.

Adelita Martinez—I ask my Christian family for help with prayers for two friends, John Mellow and Billie Saenz who both had strokes. Pray for strength in their faith to give hope.

Dean Berry—Please keep my daughter Vicky in your prayers.

Sharon Walsh—Please continue to pray for my friend Cheryl Jones. Pray for my son and his wife who are having marital problems. I would like to report that my boss's cancer was clear after his surgery.

Lewis Robeston—Loretta had surgery on her knee, she's okay, praise God!

Vincent & Stephanie Monk—Thank you Father for providing for us. We love you Lord.

Ramon Tostado—Pray for people to stay strong no matter the temptations. Stay with the spirit, in the spirit, and by the spirit.

David Reddell—Please continue to pray for Wendy. Her test results showed the cancer is contained, praise God!

Marlene Mack—Pray for me and my kids.

Jeanetha Henderson—I love you Lord Jesus, forgive my sins. Pray your word continues to reach the lost.

Mark Latham—Please keep my children Nickolas and Britany as well as my grandson Fionn in your prayers, that God looks out for them in all things.

Shani Mata—I would like to thank the Church for all the help, support, and prayers.

Linda Vermilya—Prayers for my future daughter-in-law Keri Larson, she is having surgery on 6/13 for ovarian cancer.

Rodessa Jones—Prayers for all the lost souls. Pray that I continue to keep my light shining to others.

Ruben & Alice Tostado—Pray for our daughter Linda Miranda to get well.

Barbara Edwards—Pray that God helps me find a job.

Glenna Gammel—My tests results came back okay.

Sermon Notes

"Well, What About Dad?"

Societal changes have created tension in the family unit.

- Divorce has become increasingly common.

- Radical feminism (and to certain degrees the LGBT community) have gradually succeeded in questioning the value of _____ in marriage and the family.

- The media, TV and movies, typically depict men as _____, incapable of doing anything _____.

- In vitro fertilization has allowed women to have babies without a man.

- Proverbs 1:8-9; 6:20

- 1 Corinthians 7:13-14

- God has placed a high value on *both* a _____ and a _____ being in the home.

- Biblically, fathers are _____ in the home.

- A Christian father is likely to have significant advantages over a man who isn't Christian.

- 1 Samuel 12:19. Samuel was a _____ for Israel.

- Godly fathers make a _____ in the life of their children.

- Contrary to what society says, there is a place for a father in the home, and a stronger place for a Christian father.

- But... what if there is no father in the house? **Psalm 68:4-6.**

News from our Hmong Congregation

The following people were baptized into Christ on April 24th and May 22nd:

Evan Her, Faith Her, Kenney Heu, Jade Heu, Song Xiong, Shoua Lee & Chong Sher Xiong

Brother Chong Sher Xiong is a third generation spiritual shaman (medicine man) in his family. I studied with him and his wife, Shoua Lee and his sister, Song Xiong for a long time. Finally, on May 22, 2016, Brother Chong Sher Xiong accepted Jesus as his Lord and Savior and he was baptized along with his wife and his sister.

After the conversion, members of the Hmong congregation went to Brother Chong's home and followed up with a Bible study on the topic of how God disapproves of idol alters and shrines. He gladly approved for us to remove his shaman shrine and destroy it. He was very happy with his new birth in Christ.
Thao Vang, Hmong Minister

