



NORTH OAKS CHURCH OF CHRIST

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27570 Whites Canyon Road
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SEPTEMBER 7, 2008

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome to our worship this morning. We rejoice in this special time with God and you. Please remember to turn off your electronic devices.

966 - Amen

Short Scripture

718 - *We Shall Assemble*

Worship Blessing

396 - *No Not One*

Short Scripture

364 - *Come, Share The Lord*

Communion

792 - *My Eyes Are Dry*

Contribution

Children's Worship

Scripture: 1 Cor. 10:13

712 - *Jesus is Coming Soon*

749 - *The Battle Belongs to
The Lord*

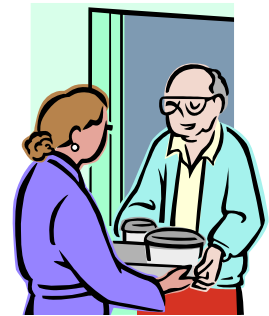
Sermon: *"Do all for God's Glory
with Consideration of Others."*

959 - *Just a Little Talk
With Jesus*

Announcements

Family and Closing Prayer

*"True faith produces a life full of actions,
not a head full of facts."*



Today at North Oaks

Volunteers Needed: We need volunteers to meet at 1:00 p.m. after service and help organize our recyclables for the youth group in bags: cans, bottles, etc. All ages welcome!!! Get lunch and then come back to church to help. Questions: Dan Stegall



Youth Devotional—immediately following the evening service at the Jeffris' home.



Ray's Website: (<http://rays-rama.tripod.com>) for weekly Bible reading and quiz.

A very warm welcome is extended to all our visitors. Please fill out a Visitor's Card. There is a nursery available for infants and toddlers and Children's Bible Hour during the 10:00 a.m. worship service (children will be dismissed to attend Children's Bible Hour following the communion service.) We are happy to have you with us and hope you will come back and visit us again.

CALENDAR

September 7 Youth Devotional at the Jeffris' home
September 13 Youth Group Family Night/Dinner 6:00 p.m. Multipurpose Room
September 14 Elders/Deacons Meeting
September 18 Habitat for Humanity
September 18 Ladies' Class @ 11:00 a.m. Multipurpose Room
Sept. 19-21 Antelope Valley Ladies Retreat (Big Bear) (see Julie Vetri re carpooling)
September 20 Walk-A-Thon for Hunger
September 20 SCV River Rally Clean Up
September 21 Youth Devotional at the Spear's home
October 10-11 Van Nuys Church of Christ Annual Lectureship
October 12 Harry Hamilton (our missionary from Chile) Will Visit North Oaks
October 25 Make a Difference Day

Family News

Jacquelyn Stronberg has been hospitalized with an infection.

Charles Bice-Bey is in Kaiser Hospital in Anaheim due to a leg infection. He is still undergoing tests. His number at the hospital is 714/279-5019 and he's in room 519.

Keep **Jacquelyn** and **Charles** and his family in your prayers.

Directory Change— Rozell and **Renee Poignard's** home telephone number: 661-775-2920

Please note the date for the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer is September 13-14—Traci Frommer (Bob Gill's daughter) is walking for a total of 39 miles for the upcoming Avon Walk for Breast Cancer, September 13th and 14th. As a participant, Traci is required to raise \$1800 that will all go towards research for finding a cure for breast cancer. She will be walking in honor of a close family friend who recently lost her battle to cancer, as well as for other women she knows who are survivors. If you choose to make a tax deductible donation, you have two options: go to www.avonwalk.org, click on donate, support a participate, Los Angeles 2008 and enter Traci's name. You may also write a check payable to Avon Walk for Breast Cancer, and either give it to Traci or mail it to: Traci Frommer, 29070 Flowerpark Drive, Canyon Country, CA 91387.

Youth Update

September 7 Sunday—Devo at Jeffris' home

September 13 Saturday— Youth Group Family Night. All families of the youth group (new families too!) come join us in the Multipurpose Room at 6:00 p.m. for dinner and getting to know each other! Please RSVP to Dan Garcia and plan to bring your favorite dinner or dessert dish. This event is open to all youth group and their families. Not only will there be good fellowship, food and getting to each other but the Dan's will update you on what is going on and what is planned for the next year in the youth group.



September 20 Saturday—Youth group participating in the SCV River Rally Clean up. All youth who will be helping (hopefully a lot) please sign up with the Dan's. We will need parent's signature for kids under 18 years old.



September 21 Sunday—Devo at the Spear's home

Improving Attitudes in the Church

1. Tell yourself over and over since you are not perfect, you would not fit into a “perfect” congregation if one existed.
2. Instead of picking out the worldly members to point to, select the sincere, dedicated, spiritual members and thank God for them.
3. If you are old, treat the young with the consideration you desired as a young person. If you are young, treat adults with the respect you will want when you are mature.
4. When you are tempted to criticize others, be sure to pray earnestly for them first. This may not change them, but it will do wonders for your attitude.
5. When you see a work neglected, instead of being critical, offer to help.
6. Never blame others for your own failures. Every individual can be faithful to God in spite of the bad examples and discouraging attitudes of others.
7. Remind yourself every day that the only way you can improve the world or the church is to begin with self.
8. Constantly look for the good qualities in each brother and sister in Christ; make a mental note of the good points each possess.
9. Constantly strive to increase your circle of friends in the church. Try to do something for each.
10. Every church has problems. Constantly ask yourself, “Am I a part of the problem, a part of the solution, or merely a critical spectator?”

Bulletin Digest

Prayer Concerns

If you would like to pray privately today with an elder, please see one of the ushers in the lobby and they will see that an elder is notified of your need.

Jerry Dunn, Jr. (son of Jerry & Paula Dunn) - personal problems

Georgia (sister of Paula Dunn) - cancer

Bart Lewis (brother-in-law of Julie Vetri's daughter) - aggressive cancer (2 months to live) - pray for comfort and strength for his family.

Jennifer (friend of Julie Vetri's daughter) - family problems

Joseph (son of Mary Jones' friend) - was injured in a fall

Rose (Mary Jones' niece) - recovering from a double mastectomy

Lola Webb—surgery (to be schedule) - keep Lola and her family in prayer

Carl (brother-in-law of Bline) - spiritual guidance

Guillmette Family (friends of the Blines) - their son, Brad, seriously injured in car accident (on his way to college)

Hazel (aunt of Lorraine Spear) - heart attack—pray for healing

Kerr Family (friends of Terranova family) - death of husband and father. Also Elizabeth Kerr fell off her horse last week and was hospitalized.

Prayers of Thanksgiving:

Dale Smith & Family—“Thanks to everyone for the cards and flowers.”

Eloise Thate—“Thank you all so much for your phone calls, beautiful cards, and especially your prayers that sustained me while I was ill.”

Russ & Jackie Lowe—“We are glad to be back with our church family here. Thank you for your prayers for our safety. Jackie's Mom, Clara, is doing well—she sends her love to her ‘family’ here.”

Tina Jackson—“Terrill and I would like to offer a prayer of thanks for the beautiful baby shower the North Oaks ladies hosted for us last Lord's day. Our hearts are overwhelmed with gratefulness and gratitude for the most awesome church family. Thank you so much.”

Keep in Prayer: *Ann Alba* (friend of Caroline Mason) who has an inoperable brain tumor; *Gerda Bassler* who has health problems; *Charles Bice-Bey* who has chronic leg pain and needs surgery (also needs a desk job); *Cora Dalrymple* who has health problems; *Tina Jackson* (expectant mother); *Jean* (daughter of Gina Carpenter) who has a high risk pregnancy; *Alice Johnson* (sister of Julie Vetrie) - esophageal cancer; *Kim Rincon* (friend of Bob Gill) who has health problems; *Dale Smith* who has a blood clot in his leg; *Kay Taylor* who has health problems; and *Joan Walter* who has cancer.

Worship Assignments

Schedule of Services

Sunday
 9:00 a.m. Bible Class
 10:00 a.m. Worship
 6:00 p.m. Worship

Mid-Week Life Groups

Minister

Ray Davis
 ray@northoakschurchofchrist.org
 Office Hours:
 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.
 Mon-Thurs

Associate Minister

Ron Sherman
 ronshewin@msn.com

Youth Ministers

Dan Garcia
 Dan Stegall

Elders

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 Mike Faragher
 Joe Herrington
 Mike Rupel
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Deacons

Drexel Branstetter
 Dan Garcia
 Rick Head
 Bret Lunde
 Dan Stegall

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Harry Hamilton—Chile
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 City of Children
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 Tracie Bowdoin
 (Tracie91342@yahoo.com)

Showers—Katie Stegall

Meals for Funerals/Shut Ins—
 Faye Thomas/Janet Faragher

September 7

Greeters: P. Campos/K. Cedeno

Usher: T. Jackson

Control Room: Thomas Jeffris

Welcome

Song Leader—Mike Rupel

Worship Blessing

Ken Perkins

Lord's Supper & Collection

Mike Faragher

Prayer for Fruit of the Vine

Dave King

Servers

Larry Akabike/Paul Johnson

Side Servers

Matt Rupel/Kyle Bowling

Scripture

Bret Lunde

Family Prayer

Joe Herrington

Announcements /Closing

Dan Stegall

Tonight at 6:00 p.m.

Song Leader: Mike Bline

Speaker: Ron Sherman

September 14

Greeters:

Usher:

Control Room: Ashley Johnson

Welcome

Song Leader—Ron Sherman

Worship Blessing

Kenny Cedeno

Lord's Supper & Collection

Mike Bline

Prayer for Fruit of the Vine

Bret Lunde

Servers

John Siegmund/Rozelle Poignard

Side Servers

Zach Smith/Anthony Terranova

Scripture

Nelson Vasquez

Family Prayer

Steve Bowling

Announcements /Closing

Dan Garcia

Next Week at 6:00 p.m.

Song Service