

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Keith Arguello's mother, Aurelia, Keith's brother-in-law, Craig Falkman; **Michelle Arguello's** Mom, Colleen Anderson; Brady Asanovich; David Barrera; Jackson Barrera; Jordan Andrews; Mary Andrews' friends, Kathy Fox and Carol Whrer; **Kim Baird's** friend Bruce; **Mark Baird's** mother Patty Baird; Wes and Marilyn Bean's son in law, David Franz; **Leanne Becker's** friend's sister, Katie Doble, and her cousin's daughter, Deborah and baby Ryland, and her friend's daughter, Natalie and her friend's step-daughter Brianna; **Wes & Marilyn Bean's** daughter Sonya; **Lauralee Best's** niece, Gale and friend, Rachel; **Stephanie Brueggemann's** brother, Dan Molden; **Jen Christians'** brother, Matt; **Olivia Cineas'** friend, Shelley Hokins & father, Dave Robertson; Konnor Downey's father; **Tom and Barb DeHeer's** Friend, Cathy Larson and Rebecca; **Pastor Ebassa's** friend, Ryan Garzina; **Jana Ebnet's** brother, George Smith; **Toni Ebnet's** cousin, Cassidy Roensch; the **Engelhardt's** brother-in-law, Rob Jenkins; **Brian Evans'** mother, Martha Evans; **Brian and Sondra Evans'** niece, Tiffany and their friend, Lisa and the Hovey family; **Brandy Faker** - friend Deanne, friend Harold; Leslie Farmer's daughter, Lauren; **Dakota Fittje; Fittje Family;** Sue Gardner; **Becky Geiger's** grand-nieces, Ava and Bella; **Andre Gignac's** Father, Wilfred "Bill" Gignac, cousin, Bob Dyer, and Uncle Antonio "Ze" Rossi; **Becky Goode's** friend, Jacob Day, and Don Heacock; **Jennifer Havelka's** mother, Hilde; **Becky Heacock's** niece, Jenn Seckinger; **Roberta Hill's** brother, Roger Sherman; **Colleen Hopwood's** sister, Becky McBride; **Lindsay Iannone's** friends, Connolly Family **Jennifer Johnson's** mother, Bobbe Johnson; Michael and Susan Kaduk; **Helen Karol's** Aunt, Ann Vandevate; **Lee Karol's** broth, Marty Karol; **Michelle Karol; Amy Kopp's** friend, Bethany; Emily Kegarzedeh's brother, Cate Papula's friends, Rose & Gage; **Roger and Terry Korsvold's** sister-in-law, Carolyn, nephew, Dan Poss and their sister-in-law, Josh Korsvold; **Terry Korsvold's** brother, Rich; **Diane Kundracik's** Son and Daughter in law, Nicholas and Leslie, **Diane's** niece's husband, Philip and her friend, Alex Jacobs; **Patrick Kundracik; Ken Lambert; Noah Leeman's** Uncle Colin: Rakenna Loughridge's friend, Aspen; **James Lutter's** friend, Brandon Wheeler; **Stepahnie Lutter's** friend, Leslie Coy; Jodi McKillip; **Daria Martin's** Friend Amy; **Susan Miles'** mother, Doris Cioch; **Jacob Millington; Josh Millington; Patty Mosiman's** friend Alexa Bonomo; **Kim Ness'** friend's son, Baby Truett Rosenlund; **Sandra Papke; Ashley Perrino's** friend Mary Woods; **Samantha Petersen** and Sam's friend's sister, Taylor; **Sharon Purdue and family; Lena Raile; Lena Raile's** son Alan, and her son and daughter-in-law Faron and Lila; Wanda Martin **Steve Rea's** daughter, Mechelle Rea-Alona, Dorothy Fleming; **Loretta Rea's** Mom; **Steve Reichenbach's** mother; Deb Rister's Father, Wayne and mother in law, Lotus; **Roger Ryman's** sister, Shirley Lindberg; **Justin Scariano;** Justin's Mom's Co-worker, Justin's grandmother, Vanee Tollefson; James Schneider; Kent Downey;

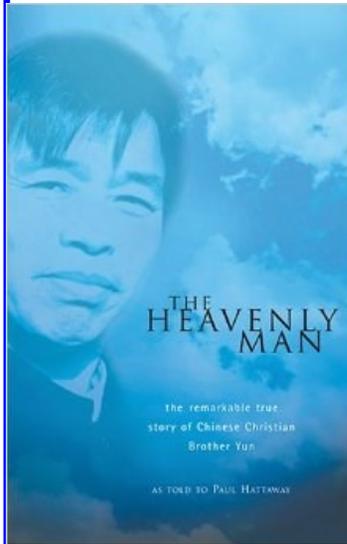
Mark Scott; Megan Scott; Elizabeth Scott's sister and brother-in-law, Claire and David and her nephew, Noah; **Karen Shirley's** friends, The Littrells, Matt & Hayley Smith, Lowell Bush, Glenda Oldham, Lisa Gelrath; **Greg & Diane Smith; William & Carolyn Smith's** daughter, Kimberly; Hope Smith, Helen Smith & Family; **Dean Stange's** Uncle, Ray Stange, Father, Don Stange and friend David Gutfahr; **Clay Stephen's** mother, Westalene and nephew, Eric Schroer; **Finn Twete's** teacher, Mrs. Hodges; **Deb Van Sicklin's** Uncle Russell; **Tom Van Sicklin's** mother; **Sheri Wagner; Dottie Watson's** daughter, Kathy Van Der Heyden; **Mike and Deb Weitenhagen's** friend Cal Townsend; **Steve & Bev Williams'** friend, Nancy Mamos; **Eileen Woodzell's** mother; **Brad and Jen Zwink's** friend, Clark and Deanne and Jen's mother and brother, Pat; our political leaders; our church and its leadership; and for our troops in harm's way.

PRAYERS FOR OUR MEMBERS SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES: Jeremy Caldwell, Adam Knauff, **Kurt Scholer, Colin Scott,** Matt Stark, **Weston Iannone, Dan Millington,** Jason & Ashley Trahan, **Blayze & Dakota Fittje**

An Evening with Brother Yun (The Heavenly Man)

If you have ever read "The Heavenly Man" you were no doubt moved by it. In March, Brother Yun will be speaking in Castle Rock. His story is a remarkable one of God's Sustaining power.

"I feel sorry that so many Christians live in bondage though Jesus Christ has signed their release form with his own blood. When you've been set free, you should act like it" - Brother Yun



LOCATION: CASTLE VIEW HIGH SCHOOL
DATE: MARCH 12TH
TIME: 6:00 PM

All are welcome to this community event!

A free will offering will be lifter for the Back to Jerusalem Ministry.

For more information on Back to Jerusalem, please visit: www.backtojerusalem.com

Contact us for directions or more information on this event.

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balancing life's demands

BIBLICAL PRIORITIES FOR A BUSY LIFE

A Ten Session Group Study from Chip Ingram

Please join us in the Sanctuary between services beginning February 19th!

*“Balancing Life's Demands”
Busy, tired, stressed out, and stretched to the limit?*

Do you need help prioritizing your life? If so, you're not alone. The frantic pace of life is wearing many of us out. Our biggest struggle is balancing all of the stuff we have and do. Every week we juggle a long list of "to do's." Go to work ... church ... school ... gym ... grocery store ... spend time with kids, friends, family, etc. Repeat. But have we ever slowed down long enough to evaluate our priorities or even find out what *God's* priorities are for our lives? God knows that when the stuff of our life gets out of balance, devastating things happen. That's why He wants to help us get our lives back in balance!

Join us for this 10-week study beginning February 19th. We will meet in the Sanctuary during the Sunday School Hour. Child care is available upon request.

Monthly Recommended Reads from Pastor Ebassa Berhanu

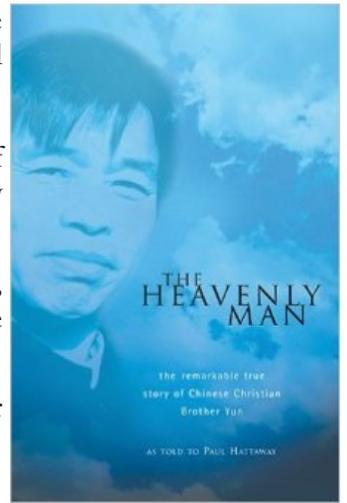
As a new feature in our church, Pastor Ebassa will be recommending books to read every month. We encourage you to pay close attention to the weekly announcements and newsletter to see what the next reads are.

The second book he recommends is "The Heavenly Man," by Brother Yun, and Paul Hattaway.

This book is a dramatic autobiography of one of China's dedicated, courageous, and intensely persecuted house church leaders.

We are also very excited to announce that, Brother Yun will be at Faith Lutheran Church the evening of Sunday, March 12th.

Make sure to read the book and mark your calendar; you wouldn't want to miss his visit.



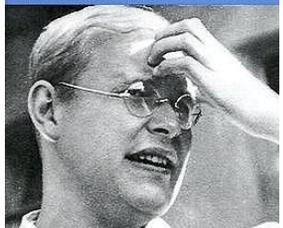
The third book Pastor Ebassa recommends is "Life Together, by Dietrich Bonhoeffer.

Dietrich Bonhoeffer, one of the most influential Christian martyrs in history, bequeathed to humanity a legacy of theological creativity and spirituality that continues to intrigue people from a variety of backgrounds. Dietrich Bonhoeffer Works, a sixteen volume series, offers a fresh, critical translation of Bonhoeffer's writings, with introductions, annotations, and interpretations. The stimulus for the writing of Life Together was the closing of the preacher's seminary at Finkenwalde. The treatise contains Bonhoeffer's thoughts about the nature of Christian community based on the common life that he and his seminarians experienced at the seminary and in the "Brother's House" there. Bonhoeffer completed the writing of Life Together in 1938. Prayerbook of the Bible is a classic of Christian spirituality. In this theological interpretation of the Psalms, Bonhoeffer describes the moods of an individual's relationship with God and also the turns of love and heartbreak, of joy and sorrow, that are themselves the Christian community's path to God.

Dietrich Bonhoeffer: Works, Volume 5



LIFE TOGETHER PRAYERBOOK OF THE BIBLE



Baskets of Promise – Lenten Service Opportunity

This Lent we're joining Lutheran World Relief's **Baskets of Promise** campaign. Each week, we'll collect a different item that we'll use to assemble Personal Care Kits that give people around the world tools to stay healthy in life's most challenging situations.

HERE'S OUR COLLECTION SCHEDULE:

February 19th
Bath Towels *(light-weight, max 52"x27", dark color recommended)*



February 26th
Toothbrushes *(adult size, 1 per pkg & in original packaging)*



March 5th
Combs



March 12th
Nail Clippers

(metal, attached file optional)



March 19th
Bars of Soap

(4 to 5oz., any brand in original wrapping)



March 26th
All Items

We will collect all items needed to complete kits, and we will collect offering to help ship kits. Each kit costs \$2.65 to ship.

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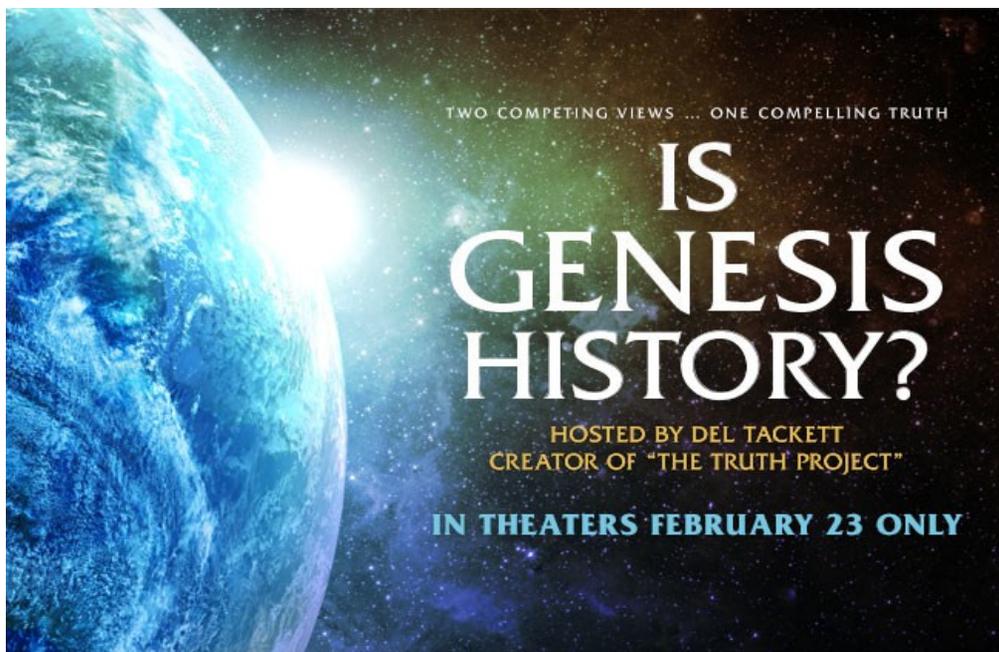
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Thank you for your support!



Dear Member/Friend of CRS;

We are excited to announce the upcoming theatrical release of the movie “Is Genesis History?” It is a rare opportunity for Christians to see a movie in a theater that presents the Bible as God’s word and provides scientific evidence supporting biblical creation. Hosted by Del Tackett (The Truth Project), the movie features interviews of some board members for the Creation Research Society as well as several other well known and respected creation scientists.

Theater locations, trailers, and additional information about “Is Genesis History?” can be found at <http://isgenesishistory.com/newsletters/eblast1/>

We hope to see you there! Please feel free to pass this information to anyone you think might be interested in this movie.

Thank you,

The Creation Research Society

Monday Night Women’s Bible Study Starting February 13th from 7pm to 8:30pm

Please join us as we walk through the book “I Will” and study the 9 traits of the outwardly focused Christian.

Car Wash Card Fundraiser

Car Wash Cards are available through Kevin or any of the FLY youth. Cards cost \$10 and entitle the purchaser to a ‘Best Express Exterior Wash’ at Moto Spa. Proceeds from the sales benefit FLY youth and help our Youth Program thrive.

Fat Tuesday Feast



Save the Date!

This year Fat Tuesday falls on February 28th and our High School Youth will be hosting an amazing dinner as a fundraiser for their New Orleans summer service trip. You will be entertained, served excellent food and given an opportunity to hear more about the lives of our High School students. This year we will be serving traditional New Orleans cuisine.

Ticket sales will start February 5th! Mark this event on your calendar, you won't want to miss this special night.

Cost: \$10 Adults, \$5 Kids and \$25 for families.

Time: February 28th 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Wednesday Night Life Group for Men

Meets every Wednesday at FLC Library starting at 8 pm (alternate meeting site: Pastor's Office)

This new group of faithful followers of Jesus Christ are forming now and invite all men of Faith Lutheran to come visit and see if this is for you.

For sure it will have as its core values brotherhood, service to others and study of scripture.

We seek a higher calling to Jesus through prayer and meditation on His Word.

If you would like more information, please feel free to contact:

David Havelka at [303-660-6201](tel:303-660-6201).

Carl Kopp at [303-660-0140](tel:303-660-0140).