

Week of September 28

L.A. Joint Meeting

Lord's Day, October 19 the whole church in Los Angeles will gather at L.A. Trade Tech College at 10 a.m. (same location as in April). May the Lord really use this time to blend all of us together for the sake of the impact of His testimony in Los Angeles.

ITERO

The International Training for Elders and Responsible Ones will be October 9 to 11 in Toronto. Lord's Day, October 12, the trainees are invited to a blending meeting with the churches in Canada.

The burden of this training is that the Lord will make us all able ministers of the New Testament, effective building material for the universal building up of the Body of Christ, and good stewards and serving ones in our respective local churches.

UCLA

UCLA classes will begin Thursday, October 2. As the new school year begins, please join us to pray that the Lord would gain material for His building from this campus. We have been touching the Lord's heart for people, and are burdened to emphasize going to meet students rather than simply inviting them to events. The Wednesday before school starts, we will visit students we've contacted both over the summer and at the club fair on Tuesday. Around 80 of the summer contacts have indicated that they would like to be visited, and more have been visited in the last few days. Please pray that in these visits we would be one with the visiting God for the accomplishment of His purpose.

Bibles for America

From September 12 to 17, BfA staff members joined local saints to distribute free Bibles and ministry books at an assortment of venues and college campuses in San Luis Obispo, Santa Rosa, Berkeley, Sacramento, Merced, and Visalia. On the last day, at Visalia's College of the Sequoias, the saints set up a table and gave away their last 40 Bibles; based on the openness of students, they could have given away many more.

The saints were well-received at every venue. People approached with questions like, "What does it mean that we will perish?" and comments like, "I read the first page of The Normal Christian Life, and I want more!" A total of 240 Bibles and 360 ministry books, as well as hundreds of brochures and gospel tracts, were distributed during the tour.

Please pray that the word will continue to run in Central and Northern California, and that the many seeds that were sown during the tour will take root and bear fruit. Pray also that the local saints will be strengthened into the inner man as they follow up with recipients who requested further contact.

Bulgaria

There will be a conference in Sofia, Bulgaria October 3 to 5. Many new people are expected. Pray for the furtherance of the Lord's move here.

Düsseldorf, Germany

The full amount for the purchase of the meeting hall in Düsseldorf has now been received through the gifts of the saints. We thank the Lord for this! The prayer of the saints for this matter has therefore been answered. Praise Him!

Announcements

1. **Morning revival:** week 29 of *Crystallization-Study of Genesis*.
2. The **fall college conferences**, "The Age of the Jubilee.," will be at Big Bear. USC/downtown will go November 7 to 9, and UCLA/Westside plus CSUN/Valley will go November 21 to 23. Details and brochures are available at www.college-conference.com.
3. The **winter training** will be December 22 to 27 in Anaheim. Some video trainings in L.A. will begin December 22, some later. Registration should be completed by October 26. Donation is \$155 for Anaheim, \$80 for video.
4. There will be a **Southern California Korean-speaking conference** on October 25, 9 am to 9 pm in Anaheim. This will be a respeaking in Korean of the ITERO in Toronto. Registration is required, due October 12, with \$15 for two meals and outlines. There will be child care service.
5. There will be a **Southern California Blending Conference** on November 15, 4 to 9 pm in Anaheim. Translation will be provided for Chinese, Korean, and Spanish; bring an FM radio. Limited childcare will be available; details will be announced later.
6. The **International Thanksgiving Conference** will be November 27-30 in San Antonio, Texas. There will be translation into Chinese, Korean, Spanish, and Portuguese. Care for children kindergarten through 6th grade will be provided; register by November 1. Information is at <http://www.churchinlosangeles.org/prayer/>.
7. The annual **Iberian conference** will be December 5 to 7 in Lisbon, Portugal. Registration deadline is October 15. Information is at <https://amanatrust.org.uk/events/eventdetails.php?eventid=470>.
8. The **2015 International Chinese-speaking Conference** will be in Taiwan February 21-22. There will be translation into English and other languages as needed. All who plan to attend should register by November 30; register through the church here. There will also be optional church visiting trips before and after the conference. Information is at <http://www.icsc2015.org/about/index>. The registration coordinator for the church in LA is brother HongChang Lin (310) 904-3483 in hall 3.