

Songs For Today:

THIS IS THE DAY

This is the day, that the Lord has made
I will rejoice, and celebrate
This is the day, that the Lord has made
I will rejoice, I will rejoice and celebrate

He goes before me, He walks beside me,
He lives within me, He's the lover of my soul
He's my defender, He's my provider,
His overflowing mercies are brand new everyday

INDESCRIBABLE

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea
Creation's revealing Your majesty
From the colors of fall to the fragrance of spring
Every creature unique in the song that it sings
All exclaiming

Indescribable, uncontainable,
You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name.
You are amazing God
All powerful, untameable,
Awestruck we fall to our knees as we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God

Who has told every lightning bolt where it should go
Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow
Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light
Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night
None can fathom

Indescribable, uncontainable,
You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name
You are amazing God
All powerful, untameable,
Awestruck we fall to our knees as we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God, You are amazing God

Indescribable, uncontainable,
You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name.
You are amazing God
Incomparable, unchangeable
You see the depths of my heart and You love me the same
You are amazing God
You are amazing God

*If you missed a Sermon or want to hear it again, go to
<http://ccpc.mypodcast.com>*

Today's Special Music

"Come For Me" is by Charlie Hall
off his CD "Flying Into Daybreak"

Come For Me

Jesus come take me away, I long to see Your face
This world is broken yet beautifully made,
Jesus come take me away
Jesus I'll patiently wait, till like a vapor I'll fade
Help me fulfill all your dreams for these days,
Jesus I'll patiently wait

You'll come again with a shout,
like a thief in the night you'll come riding on clouds
Finally the voice I have followed for life
has a glorious face that is lit up with light
And you'll come for me, no more pain, peace,
No more fear, release
just lost and consumed with my glorious King,
And you'll come for me

Jesus today I am tired, I need your music to come and inspire
I give myself to be refined in this fire,
but Jesus today I'm so tired
Come for me

I WANT TO KNOW YOU

In the secret, in the quiet place
In the stillness You are there
In the secret, in the quiet hour I wait, only for You
'Cause I want to know you more

I want to know You
I want to hear Your voice
I want to know You more
I want to touch You
I want to see Your face
I want to know you more

I am reaching, for the highest goal
That I might receive the prize
Pressing onward, pushing every hindrance aside, out of my way
'Cause I want to know you more

FALLING ON MY KNEES

Hungry I come to You
For I know You satisfy
I am empty but I know
Your love does not run dry
So I wait for You
So I wait for You

I'm falling on my knees
Offering all of me
Jesus You're all
This heart is living for

Broken I run to You
For Your arms are open wide
I am weary but I know Your touch
Restores my life
So I wait for You
So I wait for You



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Presbyterian Church in America
8:30 AM & 10:00 AM

SERVICE ORDER:

Opening Song
"This Is the Day"

Announcements
Lisa Gergley

Worship Singing
"Indescribable"
"I Want to Know You"

Scripture Reading & Prayer
Marty Scales

Special Music
"Come For Me"
Scott Head

Greeting One Another
High School & Jr. High Sunday School Dismissal

Message
Great Parables of Jesus Christ
Part 5: "The Parable of the Talents"
Marty Scales

Offering & Closing Song
"Falling On My Knees"

Refreshments & Coffee
Join Us between services!

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News and Views of Canyon Creek Church

March 21, 2010

GREAT PARABLES OF JESUS CHRIST

parable ɪˈpærəbəl | noun
a simple story used to illustrate a moral or spiritual lesson, as
told by Jesus in the Gospels.
ORIGIN Middle English : from Old French parabole, from an
ecclesiastical Latin sense 'discourse, allegory' of Latin parabola
'comparison,' from Greek parabolē.

FEB. 21 - THE PARABLE OF THE SOWER
FEB. 28 - THE PARABLE OF THE UNMERCIFUL SERVANT
MAR. 7 - THE PARABLE OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN
MAR. 14 - THE PARABLE OF THE RICH FOOL
MAR. 21 - THE PARABLE OF THE TALENTS
MAR. 28 - THE PARABLE OF THE TENNANTS
APR. 4 - THE PARABLE OF THE VINEYARD WORKERS

WELCOME VISITORS!

We're happy to have you with us today at Canyon Creek Church. Our goal is that the worship service will touch you with God's love and power and help you face the week ahead. There are many other opportunities for you and your family to receive support or get involved in the life of our community. **Please stop by the visitors table** -- we would love to tell you more -- or you can visit www.canyoncreekchurch.com.

SUNDAY MORNING CHILDREN & YOUTH PROGRAMS:

- **Nursery:** Available for infants (ages 0 - 12 months); located in the infant/toddler center
- **Canyon Creek Kids:** Children are dropped off and picked up in their classrooms :
- **"The Sunday Saga"** - Junior High worship & study time located in Room 204 at 10 AM Service Only
- **High School** - High School Sunday School located in Room 201 at 10 AM Service only

If you have made some kind of spiritual decision as a result of today's service, or if you would like to know more about how to become a Christian, simply fill out a Get Acquainted Card, indicate your desire or need and place it in the offering bag. Pastor Scales will mail you free material to help you grow.

Your Tools Needed!

The "Mission to Mexico" tools team is seeking to borrow some tools for our upcoming trip. Please stop by our table after the service to see our list of common tools that you may wish to loan us for a week while we serve in Mexico. Some examples include shovels, wheelbarrows, ladders, etc. Your help enables the group to cut costs and put these tools to use in the best possible way, helping others. Please visit our table or contact Dave Peters at 925-549-9000 or Steve Roebuck at 925-858-0332.

Easter Brunch

We will have our annual potluck Easter Brunch on April 4 after each service. This year we will be having a continental breakfast. Please sign up to bring pastry items, juice, fruit, deviled eggs, breads or cookies!

Breakfast & Ballgame - May 22

Both A's and Giants fans will come out winners in our May 22 Doubleheader, and everyone (going to the game or not) is welcome. First, a continental breakfast starts at 9 AM, with discussion on chasing power and glory - like our heroes do! Then sandwich making for the game - compliments of our men - with carpools leaving by 11 AM. Join us for this fun family day together - see Dave Barry for game tickets (\$38 each). Game time is 1:05 PM.

2nd Service Discussion Group

Takes a "spring training" break this week; will resume next Sunday.

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Registration for the 2010 Vacation Bible School will begin Sunday, March 28 in the playground after both services.

We will be offering two sessions this year to accommodate more children. The AM Session will be for K - 2nd grade from 9 - 11:30 AM. The PM Session will be for 3rd - 5th grade from 1 - 3:30 PM. The cost will be \$90 per child. Extended care for families with children in both sessions will be offered from 9 AM - 3:30 PM. The cost will be an additional \$40 per child. All day care will be available from 7 AM - 6 PM for all children for an additional \$100 per child.

Please come ready to register at the [priority registration](#) for Canyon Creek congregation on the 28th. Registration for Little Bridges families will be open on March 29th. Cash, checks & credit cards will be accepted.

Mom's Group

The Mom's Group at CCPC consists of moms and their children ages newborn through preschool age. We get together every month for fun and fellowship. Every other month the moms get together without their children to fellowship together at a local restaurant. That's just 6 nights a year but it is well worth it and well deserved. If you would like more information, please contact Lisa Sears at sears-family@sbcglobal.net.

Blood Drive

We are having a blood drive on April 25 from 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM in our parking lot. Please consider giving this gift of life. To sign up for an appointment time please go to www.bloodheroes.com. Click on "Donate Blood" and enter Sponsor Code: creek.

Mission to Mexico Trip 2010

Help our fund-raising effort (each participant needs to raise \$750) in one or more ways.

Eat at Chevys anytime TODAY **March 21**. They will donate 25% of the proceeds to our missions trip. Pick up a flyer for you and your neighbors and friends and join the party!!

Come to the information booth in the courtyard or gathering hall (depending on weather) for more information.

On **Saturday, April 10** our very tired workers will come home. Please consider being a part of welcoming them back and helping them unload all the tools and gear at around 2 PM.

Then on **April 18** come out to hear first hand stories and see the slides of the trip at our potluck dessert. Bring the whole family so younger students can hear about a trip that may be in their future!

Small Groups

We have many small groups at Canyon Creek. If you have not signed up for a group but are interested in doing so or just want more information about what small groups are, please contact either Dale Holmgren at dholm@canycreekchurch.com or Travis Marsh at tmarsh@canycreekchurch.com.

Learn More About Us

If you are new and want to know more about Canyon Creek Church and how to get connected, stop by our welcome table in the lobby near the stairs. You'll get a newcomer packet with helpful information. We would love to answer any questions you have about our church and help you get involved.

Get Acquainted Cards

In the seat backs you will find Get Acquainted Cards. We encourage you to fill one of these out if you are visiting for the first time, have come before but never filled out a card or if you have any request or comments for us.

We use these cards as a starting place to get to know you. We want to know that you were here so we can acknowledge you, answer any questions you may have and/or provide you with any additional information you request.

Please take a moment to introduce yourself!

HIGH SCHOOL

Sunday Morning:
High School - Students get dismissed to Room 201 during 10 AM Service only
High School Youth Group: "The Refuge"
Tuesdays - 7:15 - 9:00 PM

JUNIOR HIGH & CHILDREN

Sunday Morning:
Junior High - Students get dismissed to Room 204 during 10 AM Service only
DiscoveryLand (PreK-5th Grade)
Children are dropped off and picked up in their classrooms
Junior High Youth Group: "Stronghold"
Wednesdays - 7:15 - 9:00 PM
Wild Night: 4th & 5th Grade - Fridays - 7 - 8:30 PM - next meeting 3/26/10

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for Chris Brack's cousin, Troy Papazian, who was just diagnosed with Niemann-Pick Disease. He is only 21 years old and has a one year old daughter. This is an incredibly rare genetic disease with only 1,200 cases worldwide.

Pray for encouragement for Laura Lawson (Chris & Karen's daughter), recently diagnosed with RP (retinitis pigmentosa), a serious eye disease. Pray that she will not completely lose her eyesight.

Pray for Zachary Bullock (2 1/2 years old) and his family as they continue to find ways to give him the nutrients he needs and keep his pain manageable.

Pray for Laura Jimenez and her family as they grieve the loss of her husband, John.

Give praise that Pat Belzer's great nephew, Lincoln, should be fine with some dietary changes.

Pray for Ann Hughes' friend, Grant Collins who has been diagnosed with colon cancer.

Pray for wisdom for the doctors and success for the treatments.

Pray for Joan Scrogg's cousin, Patrick Lindley who has been diagnosed with a rare liver disease. He is only in his late 40's. Pray for a donor and for wisdom for the doctors.

Pray for Anna Lucchesi's friend, Virginia, whose cancer has returned.

Pray for Jesse Rivera's cousin, Wendy Casiano, whose cancer has spread throughout her body. She is a loving mother of three very young children. Pray for wisdom for the doctors and a miracle.

Give praise that Dana Calvert's mom, Andrea Allen, is responding to the treatment and is continuing to improve.

Pray for Gini Arent's friend Kathy Phillip who had a massive stroke.

Prayer Group

We have a prayer group that will take your prayer requests and pray on the needs you have expressed. You can make prayer requests by filling out a Get Acquainted Card on Sunday mornings and putting them in the offering bag or emailing prayer@canycreekchurch.com. Please indicate whether or not you want this to be a public prayer, listed in the Currents or kept confidential. All are welcome to join us on Monday nights in Room 203 from 7:00 - 8:00 PM.

How Are We Serving?

CITY TEAM MINISTRIES, a Christian men's shelter with ongoing needs from mentoring to men's toiletries. Special needs may include clothing, food, or cash donations. Contact John Garcia to volunteer or with questions at jrgarcia37@sbcglobal.net.

GOSPEL FOR ASIA. Gospel for Asia missionaries share the Good News of Jesus in more than 10 Asian nations: India, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Myanmar (Burma), Bangladesh, Thailand, Bhutan and others that cannot be named for security reasons. Although many of these countries oppose or are even closed to Western missionaries, the people are open to hearing about Jesus from people just like themselves--native missionaries. To learn more and help support these native missionaries, contact Bobi Vieira at bjv234@comcast.net.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD provides shoeboxes filled with toys, school supplies, personal hygiene items to disadvantaged children. In 2009 we collected 130 boxes. Thank you for your participation.

SHEPHERD'S GATE needs volunteers to help provide monthly meals to women and their children. Always in need of food or monetary donations. Questions on how to contribute or volunteer? Contact Debbie Cavin at dcavin@canycreekchurch.com.

VALLEY PREGNANCY CENTER - Save the Date! Get ready to support the annual Walk for Life on Saturday, May 15. This year's walk is at the Alameda County Fairgrounds and will be followed by Pancakes with Pastors. Details coming soon or contact Renee Olsen at reneeolsen@comcast.net.

CALENDAR

THIS WEEK

TODAY - Chevys Fund Raiser - all day

March 22 - Quilting Group - 7:00 PM

March 23 - High School Refuge - 7:15 PM

March 24 - Jr. High Stronghold - 7:00 PM

March 26 - Wild Night - 4th/5th Grade - 7 PM

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 28 - Priority Registration for VBS

March 30 - High School Refuge - 7:15 PM

March 31 - Jr. High Stronghold - 7:00 PM

April 3 - Men's Round Table - "All You Need is Love?" - 7:30 AM

- Packing Day for Mexico Trip

April 4 - Easter Brunch - after each service

April 4 - 10 - Mission to Mexico trip

April 10 - Unpacking Day from Mexico Trip

April 18 - Mission to Mexico Potluck Dessert

April 25 - Blood Drive - 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

May 22 - Brunch/Ball game Doubleheader - A's vs. Giants - 9:00 AM

June 14 - 18 - Vacation Bible School

September 10 - 12 - Men's Retreat

Online Giving

Did you know you can make a donation by using the PayPal link on our web site? Go to www.canycreekchurch.com and click on the donations link at the bottom of the main page.

2010 Financial Update		
Last week's tithes & offerings:	\$	8,838
Weekly budget amount:	\$	17,500
YTD Tithes & offerings:	\$	159,875
YTD Budget amount:	\$	192,500
<i>To inquire about electronic donations, please E-mail phyllis@canycreekchurch.com</i>		