



First Christian Church of Orange
Disciples of Christ

Church Life

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"WILDERNESS 101"

March 9 through April 23, 2011

*"Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness
to be tempted by the devil." - Matthew 4:1*

Every year we enter Lent as on a journey that begins with Jesus' own sojourn in the wilderness. Neither the journey nor the wilderness comes naturally anymore to Americans, who long ago completed their journey and tamed their wilderness. To be sure, we are a highly mobile people, but we don't seem to be going any-place special. We move from town to town, job to job and marriage to marriage, but the telos of our wanderings and the satisfaction of our longings remain elusive. Where are we headed?

This year our focus will be on the *Wilderness Experience*, which Jesus had and which is often part of our own lives. How do we experience wilderness? Do we ever get out of it? What do we consider to be the Promised Land? Do we ever get there?

Join us each Sunday, and on the Web as we Blog in Lent, and as we explore these important questions.

ASH WEDNESDAY

March 9, at 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel

Join us in the Chapel as we begin the season of Lent with a service of preparation and ashes. You can come in the morning on the way to work, or in the evening... (Child care will be available for the evening service.)

Keeping in Touch...



Life is short, and then you die. So whatever is bugging you today, there will be something else to bug you tomorrow. Or the day after. So maybe you should do something special...

Remember that great story by Ann Wells in the Los Angeles Times a few years back.

"My brother-in-law opened the bottom drawer of my sister's bureau and lifted out a tissue-wrapped package. 'This,' he said, 'is not a slip. This is lingerie.' He discarded the tissue and handed me the slip. It was exquisite; silk, handmade and trimmed with a cobweb of lace. The price tag with an astronomical figure on it was still attached. 'Jan bought this the first time we went to New York, at least 8 or 9 years ago. She never wore it. She was saving it for a special occasion. Well, I guess this is the occasion.' He took the slip from me and put it on the bed with the other clothes we were taking to the mortician. His hands lingered on the soft material for a moment, then he slammed the drawer shut and turned to me. 'Don't ever save anything for a special occasion. Every day you're alive is a special occasion.'"

So you know what you should do today. Go out and buy a BIG HUNK. Now before your mind wanders, remember it's that candy bar in the dark brown wrapper and big letters that you probably haven't eaten since 8th grade. And even then you were warned it would rot your teeth or pull out your fillings. Yet even though it may help your dentist buy a new car, and it isn't good for your teeth, it may be good for your spirits.

I'm not suggesting a diet of BIG HUNKS. But it may be a good idea because it is not an idea you have had in a while. And it certainly is not health food. But sometimes there is nothing healthier than doing something out of the ordinary. Eating a BIG HUNK is a symbol of doing something ridiculous that won't kill you or hurt others. Think of the possibilities!

You can find them at the Orange Candy Company on Glassell just north of the Plaza. I walk there often. Life is short. Do something silly that will help you laugh and put life back in perspective. And later you can tell your grandkids about it!

"No pleasure is worth giving up for two more years in a geriatric home." - Kingsley Amis

See you in church,

Stanley D. Smith, Senior Pastor

COME WORSHIP WITH US

"Open Hearts - Open Minds - Open Arms"

LENT 2011

"WILDERNESS 101"

March 13, 2011

LENT 1 WORSHIP
10 a.m. in the Sanctuary

We begin Lent with a look at what Wilderness means to us, and how we can find ourselves in the journey toward Easter. Nancy Brink will bring the message, and bring us up-to-date with Chapman University as well.

Scriptures: **Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7** Psalm 32
Romans 5:12-19 **Matthew 4:1-11**

We invite you to come and worship, bring friends, sing and celebrate God's loving grace. Worship leadership includes **Clyde Barton, Jason Burris, Nancy Brink, Olivia Updegrove, Dean Shepherd, Phil Chap,** and others.

"WILDERNESS 101"

March 20, 2011

LENT 2 WORSHIP
10 a.m. in the Sanctuary

It's a crazy calling that Abram gets, to *"go from where you live and whom you know to a place I won't reveal yet."* God says that if Abram does that, God will bless him deeply. Barrenness will turn into family. Family will turn into nation. Pretty big promise. Would you trust that?

Scriptures: Genesis 12:1-4a Psalm 121
Romans 4:1-5 13-17 **John 3:1-17**

We invite you to come and worship, bring friends, sing and celebrate God's loving grace. Worship leadership includes **Jim and Gail Suggs, Stan Smith, Olivia Updegrove, Dean Shepherd, Phil Chap,** and others.

DISCIPLES WOMEN

MARCH STUDY GROUPS

LONG GROUP meets Wednesday.

March 2, 11:30 AM, in the Fireside Room. Carol Worthy and Beverly McMillin are Hostesses.



PAL GROUP meets Thursday, March 3, 9:30 AM, in the Fireside Room. Martha Braun is Hostess.

KOINONIA GROUP meets Wednesday, March 16, 7 PM, in the Fireside Room. Charlene Kempf is Hostess.

YOUNG AT HEART GROUP meets Sunday, March 20, at 2:00 PM, in the Fireside Room.

STUDY LEADER for March is Mari Jo Buchtel.

DISCIPLES WOMEN LUNCHEON MEETING is

Thursday, March 10, at 12 Noon. Topic: *WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE PSWR?* Presenter - Susan Gonzales Dewey, Co-Regional Pastor, Pacific Southwest Region.

COMING EVENTS

DISCIPLES MEN AND DISCIPLES WOMEN

BARBEQUE is Sunday, April 3, in the Courtyard and Fireside Room, immediately following Worship. All proceeds go for Outreach.

DISCIPLE WOMEN will make **MOTHER'S DAY**

BASKETS on Thursday, April 28, at 9:30 AM, in the Fireside Room. **NEEDED:** large size toiletries, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, etc. (99 cent stores are a good resource). Slightly used jewelry, purses, etc., are also desired. These baskets will be given to mothers being assisted by the Child Abuse Prevention Agency.

RIPPLE KIDS COMES TO AMAZIN' GREYS

"I'm just a kid, what can I do to make a difference?"

Have you heard this from one of your grandchildren? On **Tuesday, March 15, 2011**, Bridget Belden, founder of Ripple Kids, will give you a way to inspire them to use their natural inclination to help others and take action. Don't have any grandchildren but know a youngster who wants to make a difference? Join us for lunch at **11:30 a.m.**, and learn how Ripple Kids identify community issues, work to resolve them, and make our world a better place – one kid at a time.

Call Marge Carter or the church office at 714-538-9681 for reservations. Create the ripple effect - bring a friend. Cost for lunch is \$8.00 per person.

WEEK OF COMPASSION

CONCLUDES SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

For 67 years, The disaster relief and humanitarian assistance program fund of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), *Week of Compassion*, has been making a difference, sharing joy through these offerings which funds relief and development all over the world. **Your gift to Week of Compassion** ensures that people in need will get what they need. Your gift moves them one step closer to making sure that everyone gets what is rightfully theirs, just as God created the world to be.

YOUNG ADULT LED WORSHIP ON MARCH 6

"BECOMING A FOUNDATION OF THE WORD"

Young Adults? In the church? In our church? YES! They may not always be in worship, but this church has many active 18-35 year-olds. Sometimes you *can* find them in worship, at Bible Study, in leadership at FCCO, at Chapman, or out in the world trying to figure out who they are as people and most importantly as Disciples of Christ.

On March 6th, join around 20 young adults as they look at the Matthew 7:21-29, the parable of the Wise man and the Foolish man. This popular story causes all of us to question what type of foundation that our faith is built upon.

YOUNG FAMILIES ACADEMY

AWARDS PARTY

Sunday, February 27th, from 5 PM to the end. (Child care will be provided at the church from 5-8 PM.) Please bring either a side dish (bread, salad, appetizer), drinks, or desert. Location: Dean and Rose Thomas' home.

ADULT LEARNING / SEARCHER'S CLASSES

February 27 - March 13 - "God in America" - Mary Lou Savage, Facilitator

March 20 - 27 - "Perspectives between East and West Thinking" - Gayla McDowell

More Happenings

ANOTHER STAFF APPRECIATION THANK YOU

Dear Church Family, Thank you so much for our staff gift. Your thoughtfulness and generosity are greatly appreciated. We are truly blessed to be able to care for the children of FCCO. We look forward to another year of sharing in the lives of your children.

Best regards, Sandy and Michelle Carden

WORSHIP LEADERS

Each week lay members of our congregation enhance our worship experience by participating as Worship Leaders. If this is something you would like to do, please contact the church office, and we will consider possible dates.

STEPHEN MINISTRY WORKSHOP AT FCCO

First Christian Church of Orange will be hosting a regional Stephen Ministry workshop on Saturday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the Fireside Room. If you are interested in learning more about Stephen Ministry, possibly becoming a Stephen Minister yourself, or exploring this vital ministry at FCCO, you are invited FREE OF CHARGE to attend.

Sign up with the church office, speak to one of the Stephen Ministry Management Team members: Mari Jo Buchtel, Judy Crum, Bev Weatherill, Kathy Vail, or Estelle Worden.

CHAPMAN FOUNDERS DAY 2011 CELEBRATING 150TH ANNIVERSARY

Chapman University is turning 150 years old this year and a central campus celebration will be held at our 28th Annual Founders Day, **March 18 & 19, 2011**. The **two day** event held on the Orange, CA campus has many strong options for participants to enjoy under the theme, **ReNew**.

Detailed information and online registration is available at www.chapman.edu/church_relations/founders.asp. Questions? Please call **Office of Church Relations at Chapman 714-997-6760**. Reg. forms are also available in the Church Office and in the narthex.

SAVE THE DATES

April 10, 2011 - Variety Show

April 29 - May 11 - PSWR Men's Retreat at Loch Leven

May 1, 2011 - 25th Annual Orange County AIDS Walk

ELDERS PRAYERS IN WORSHIP



March 15, 2011

COMMUNION PRAYER:

God of Love, we thank you this morning for this symbolic meal. As we break this bread, we remember there are many who do not have enough food, and as share this cup, we recognize the need for clean water to conquer thirst, make crops grow, and control disease. As we share this spiritual meal, inspire us to follow the examples of; your Son, Jesus, who fed the hungry and healed the sick. In His name we pray. Amen.

- Don Latimore

February 20, 2011

COMMUNION PRAYER

Heavenly Father, You have given us this table to remind us of your love. We come to this table today to receive your comfort and blessings for our lives. You have shown us your love through Christ's sacrifice on the cross. You have shown us the way to live a positive Christian life, and how to reflect your love and your will through us. Bless these elements in our lives, and be with us throughout the week to come. In Jesus name. Amen.

- Don Latimore

OFFERING PRAYER:

God our creator, we hear your call for compassion. You have provided us with abundant life, and we choose to share some of our bounty as one in the Body of Christ with those less fortunate. We make a difference by sharing joy through these offerings which fund relief and development all over the world. We pray in your Son, Jesus' name, Amen.

- Don Latimore

2011 GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Event Registration Forms for the 2011 General Assembly, "Tell It!", are available in the church office or on line at www.disciples.org/ga. **Early Registration deadline is April 2, 2011**, saving \$50! The General Assembly will be held Saturday, July 9 through Wednesday, July 13, 2011, in Nashville, TN.

IN ADDITION Dr. David Matson and Dr. Ed Linberg will be leading a **DISCIPLES HERITAGE TOUR** immediately following the General Assembly, July 13-20. Sites include Cane Ridge Meeting House, Kentucky Horse Farm Park, Transylvania University, Bethany College, a river cruise on the Gateway Clipper and the Brush Run Church. If you are interested contact Becky Knaup at Sunny Hills Travel, 714 879-8540 or becky@sunnyhillstravel.com.

News from the Pews

OUR CONCERNS

Please continue to pray for: **Mary Walker, Gwen Shaw, Mary Dotson, Ken and Lois Worden, Paul Roberts, Doris Luraschi, Nikolas Mills, Betty Gregg,** and . . .

Madison Raheb - Continued prayers for shrinkage of 8-year-old niece's brain stem tumor. (Ruth Raheb & Kathy Sorensen)

Stedney Phillips - recovering from H1N1 flu and pneumonia. (Wendy Rosenquist)

Jesse Mendoza - on hospice care. (Shami Espinoza's uncle)

OUR WORLD-WIDE CONCERNS

Middle East unrest

New Zealand earthquake

Families and friends of **Jean and Scott Adam**, of Marina del Rey and **Phyllis Macay and Bob Riggle** of Seattle, Washington, murdered by Somali pirates on February 22.

OUR CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations on recent FCCO Engagements!!

Jessi Causey is engaged to **Ed Proctor**

Jazmine Harnishfeger is engaged to **Kris Brand**

Charisse Knorr is engaged to **Jason Craine**

Josh Reynolds to **Kristen Ann Jones**

Bre Resto is engaged to **Ray Delgadillo**

Sarah Hunt - Thanks for all the prayers for control of my blood pressure and shortness of breath. After 2-1/2 weeks, managing lower.

Francisca Ramirez - mother recovering from successful surgery. (Jose Juarez's)

The logo for the newsletter features the word "Newsletter" in a blue, serif font with a yellow underline. Below it, the word "DEADLine" is written in a large, red, bold, serif font with a white outline.

The next Church Life Deadline is **March 7, 2011**.

MARCH 2011 BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Removed to ensure individual privacy.

First Christian Church of Orange - March 2011

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 10:30 AM Bible Study (Lib)	2 11:00 AM DW Long Group (FSR) 4:00 PM Personnel Committee (Office)	3 9:30 AM DW PAL Group (FSR) 5:15 PM Orange Pealers 6:15 PM Chancel Ringers 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	4	5 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM Stephen Ministry Wrkshp (7 AM-2 PM) (FSR/Sanc.)
6 Young Adult Led Worship 9:00 AM Adult Learn/Searchers (2A) 10:00 AM WORSHIP (Sanc) 2:30 PM Jam Group (Chapel) 3:30 PM Childrens Choir (Chapel) 4:00 PM Kids Groups 4:30 PM Youth Choir (Chapel) 5:30 PM Youth Groups 8:30 PM Young Adult Bible Study	7 Church Life Deadline 10:00 AM Staff Mtg (Lib) 7:30 PM Trustees' Meeting (Office)	8 10:30 AM Bible Study (Lib)	9 Publish Church Life ASH WEDNESDAY 7:00 AM Ash Wednesday Worship (Chapel) 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM PSWR NCD (FSR & Library) 4:00 PM Stephen Ministry Management Team (Office) 7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Worship (Chapel)	10 12:00 PM DW General Meeting (FSR) (What's Happening in the PSWR) 2:00 PM Stewardship & Giving Team Meeting (Library) 5:15 PM Orange Pealers 6:15 PM Chancel Ringers 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	11	12 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 5px auto;">Midnight-Turn c locks AHEAD 1 hour</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 5px auto;">12:00 PM - thru Noon Sat. PSWR DW Convocation 2011-"Cool Kids"</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 5px auto;">PSWR DW Convocation, Doubletree Hotel</div>
13 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS 1st Sunday in Lent 9:00 AM Adult Learn/Searchers (2A) 10:00 AM WORSHIP (Sanc) 11:30 AM DM Make Sandwiches 3:30 PM Childrens Choir (Chapel) 4:00 PM Kids Groups 4:30 PM Youth Choir (Chapel) 5:30 PM Youth Groups 8:30 PM Young Adult Bible Study	14 10:00 AM Staff Mtg (Lib) 5:45 PM LEADERSHIP NIGHT (FSR) 7:00 PM Committees, Task Groups, Teams 8:30 PM Area Meetings (FSR)	15 10:30 AM Bible Study (Lib) 11:30 AM Amazin' Greys (FSR) 7:00 PM Pastoral Relations Spt Grp (Lib)	16 7:00 PM DW Koinonia Group (FSR)	17 11:45 AM DOC District 7 Clergy Lunch (FSR) 5:15 PM Orange Pealers 6:15 PM Chancel Ringers 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	18	19 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 5px auto;">Chapman Founder's Day</div>
20 2nd Sunday in Lent 9:00 AM Adult Learn/Searchers (2A) 10:00 AM WORSHIP (Sanc) 11:30 AM DM Make Sandwiches 2:00 PM DW Young at Heart 2:30 PM Jam Group (Chapel) 2:30 PM Pastor's Class (Library) 3:30 PM Childrens Choir (Chapel) 4:00 PM Kids Groups 4:30 PM Youth Choir (Chapel) 5:30 PM Youth Groups 8:30 PM Young Adult Bible Study	21 Church Life Deadline 10:00 AM Staff Mtg (Lib) 5:45 PM Stephen Ministry (FSR) 7:00 PM COUNCIL OF MINISTRIES	22 10:30 AM Bible Study (Lib)	23 Publish Church Life	24 9:30 AM DW Board Meeting (FSR) 5:15 PM Orange Pealers 6:15 PM Chancel Ringers 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	25	26 9:30 AM PSWR Regional Board Meeting (FSR) (8:45AM-3 PM)
27 3rd Sunday in Lent 9:00 AM Adult Learn/Searchers (2A) 10:00 AM WORSHIP (Sanc) 2:30 PM Pastor's Class (Library) 3:30 PM Childrens Choir (Chapel) 3:30 PM S-N-T @ Grand St Ctr 4:00 PM Kids Groups 4:30 PM Youth Choir (Chapel) 5:30 PM Youth Groups 8:30 PM Young Adult Bible Study	28 10:00 AM Staff Mtg (Lib) 7:00 PM Elders' Meeting	29 10:30 AM Bible Study (Lib)	30	31 5:15 PM Orange Pealers 6:15 PM Chancel Ringers 7:30 PM Chancel Choir		

March 2011 Serving Schedule

SERVING SUNDAY, MARCH 6 Young Adult Led Worship

Worship Leaders:.....Bre Resto, Beth Parker, Nicole Allbee, Kim Harper, Karley Labate, Jared Wallace, Becky Vance, Alex Leslie, Stephen Pollard, Kevin Kamp, Stephanie Burris, Michelle Stillson, Andy Holmer, Mark Perring, Erika Sanders, Valerie Reynolds, Jordon Burby, Jason Burris, Johnathan Pollard, Molly Wilson, Kim Perring, Trevor Johnson, Rob Updegrove, Aly Mills, Delany Withey, Brandon Harper

Children's Time:.....Charisse Knorr, Chris Allbee

Elders:.....Shami Espinoza, Jason Burris

Diaconate:

Serve:..... Stephen Pollard, Kevin Kamp, Alex Leslie, Becky Vance, Kim Harper, Stephanie Burris, Michelle Stillson, Suzanne Gettman, Randy Gettman

Prepare:..... Jenice Carter, Randy Carter

Clean-up:..... Sandy Hansen, Natalie Nevin

Acolytes:..... Olivia Updegrove, Ella Foster-Weaver

Worship & Wonder:..... Pam Latimore, Sue Miller, Gabe Spuckes

Greeters:..... Alex Leslie, Shami Espinoza, Charisse Knorr, Molly Wilson, Andy Holmer

Counters:..... Cheri Stevens, Marc Harper

Ushers:..... TBD

Sound Technician:..... Chris Allbee

Image Technicians:..... Rob Updegrove, Stephen Pollard

Welcome Table:..... Gabe Spuckes

Scrip:..... Marc and Lura Harper

Open/Close:..... Buildings and Grounds

Coffee Prep:..... Lura Harper

Youth Supper:..... Vance and Chap Families

CHANCEL FLOWERS - Joyce Payne in memory of Ed Payne.

SERVING SUNDAY, March 20 2nd Sunday in Lent

Worship Leaders:..... Jim Suggs, Gail Suggs

Children's Time:..... Nora Jacob

Elders:..... Della Gabelsberg, Jim Gabelsberg

Diaconate:

Serve:..... David Ruby, Jenice Carter, Randy Carter, Sandy Hansen, Natalie Nevin, Kay Melcher, Chie Chap, Cindy Shrout, Roger Worden

Prepare:..... Ruth Raheb, Kathy Sorensen

Clean-up:..... Jim Ruby, Nanci Carol Ruby

Acolytes:..... Jessica Arnold, Bob Hunt

Worship & Wonder: Pam Latimore, Mari Jo Buchtel, Gabe Spuckes

Greeters:..... Della and Jim Gabelsberg

Counters:..... Christine Baker, Martha Causey

Ushers:..... Craig and Kathy Vail

Sound Technician:..... Paul Coleman

Image Technician:..... Kevin Kamp

Welcome Table:..... David Burch

Scrip:..... Martha Causey

Open/Close:..... Buildings and Grounds

Coffee Prep:..... Clarice Friedline

Youth Supper:..... TBD Families

CHANCEL FLOWERS - TBD

SERVING SUNDAY, March 13 1st Sunday in Lent

Worship Leaders:..... Clyde Barton, Jason Burris

Children's Time:..... Cheryl Gettman

Elders:..... Meryl Benjamin, Clarice Friedline

Diaconate:

Serve:..... Ruth Raheb, Kathy Sorensen, Jim Ruby, Nanci Carol Ruby, David Ruby, Kay Melcher, Chie Chap, Cindy Shrout, Roger Worden

Prepare:..... Cathy Perring, Tom Perring

Clean-up:..... Mark Perring, Courtney Bramstedt

Acolytes:..... Christan Blaser, Madison Oliver

Worship & Wonder:..... Lura Harper, Joyce Miller, Marilyn Miller

Greeters:..... Dana and Bryan Gray, Kay Melcher

Counters:..... Bruce Borden, Roger Worden

Ushers:..... Vince and Penny Fraumeni

Sound Technician:..... Paul Coleman

Image Technician:..... Tyler Row

Welcome Table:..... Don Latimore

Scrip:..... David and Vickie Burch

Open/Close:..... Buildings and Grounds

Coffee Prep:..... Sharon Addington

Youth Supper:..... Row and Johnson Families

HOME COMMUNION

Elders:..... Don Latimore, Dan Oliver, Barbara Post, Carol Quartucci

Diaconate:..... Mike Reynolds, Charlene Kempf, Nita Walker

CHANCEL FLOWERS - Nick and Linda Smith in honor of their 35th Wedding Anniversary on March 16th!

SERVING SUNDAY, March 27 3rd Sunday in Lent

Worship Leaders:..... Jim Gabelsberg, Della Gabelsberg

Children's Time:..... Eileen Vincent

Elders:..... Donna Gladson, Carol Harnack

Diaconate:

Serve:..... Cathy Perring, Tom Perring, Mark Perring, Courtney Bramstedt, Jenice Carter, Randy Carter, Sandy Hansen, Natalie Nevin, Chie Chap

Prepare:..... David Ruby, Kay Melcher

Clean-up:..... Cindy Schrou, Roger Worden

Acolytes:..... Meghan Qualls, ShaeLyn Row

Worship & Wonder:..... Joyce Miller, Cathy Perring, Lura Harper

Greeters:..... Cindy and Steve McHale

Counters:..... Gene Miller, David Burch

Ushers:..... Don and Pam Latimore

Sound Technician:..... Paul Coleman

Image Technician:..... Stephen Pollard

Welcome Table:..... Craig Vail

Scrip:..... Ron and Stephanie Pollard

Open/Close:..... Buildings and Grounds

Coffee Prep:..... Stephanie Pollard

Youth Supper:..... TBD Families

CHANCEL FLOWERS - Marc and Lura Harper

FCCO YOUTH AND KIDS

REGULAR SUNDAY PROGRAMMING

3:30 PM CHILDREN'S Choir (Chapel)
4:00 PM KIDS' Groups
4:30 PM YOUTH Choir (Chapel)
5:30 PM YOUTH Groups
8:30 PM YOUNG ADULT Bible Study

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH CHOIRS PERFORMANCE SCHEDULES

April 3 Children's and Youth Choirs
April 24 Children's and Youth Choirs
EASTER - 11 AM Service
May 22 Youth Choir - YOUTH SUNDAY
June 5 Children's Choir

2011 SUMMER CAMP DATES AT LOCH LEVEN

April 9 and 10April Work Camp
June 26 through July 2Jr. Camp
July 6 through 9Mini Camp
July 17 through 23Chi Rho Camp
July 24 through 30CYF I Camp
July 31 through August 6CYF II Camp

PASTORS' CLASS

Each year we offer a class for fifth grade and older youth to learn more about the church and membership. It is a great opportunity to find out what it is to be a "disciple" of Jesus Christ, and to learn about the history of First Christian Church of Orange.

If you are interested, call the Church Office (714-538-9681) or sign up on your Welcome Card on Sunday morning.

The classes are scheduled Sundays from March 20 through April 17, from 2:30 to 3:30 PM, in the Library.

Our goal is that those attending will be ready to join our church family on Easter Sunday.

Who We Are

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Church Staff

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Admin. Secretary Linda Smith
Bookkeeper Wini Chuidian
Minister of Music & Arts Dean Shepherd
Organist Phil Chap
Children & Youth Choir Director Jazmine Hamishfeger
Children & Youth Choir Accompanist Pam Wykoff
Chi Rho Coordinator Natalie Nevin
CYF Coordinator Nicole Allbee
JYF Coordinator Dana Gray
YD Coordinator Sandy Reeley
Custodian Miguel "Mike" Cosme



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