

Clarksburg Community Church

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CHIMES NEWSLETTER

A Monthly
Publication for
Members &
Friends
of the
Clarksburg
Community
Church
**April
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No Other Gospel

⁶I am astonished that you are so quickly deserting the one who called you to live in the grace of Christ and are turning to a different gospel—⁷which is really no gospel at all. Evidently some people are throwing you into confusion and are trying to pervert the gospel of Christ. ⁸But even if we or an angel from heaven should preach a gospel other than the one we preached to you, let them be under God's curse! ⁹As we have already said, so now I say again: If anybody is preaching to you a gospel other than what you accepted, let them be under God's curse!

¹⁰Am I now trying to win the approval of human beings, or of God? Or am I trying to please people? If I were still trying to please people, I would not be a servant of Christ.

Paul Called by God

¹¹I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that the gospel I preached is not of human origin. ¹²I did not receive it from any man, nor was I taught it; rather, I received it by revelation from Jesus Christ.

Galations 1: 6-12

FROM THE PASTOR

April is tax month in America. Taxes are nothing new and have been part of living in every civilization. Jesus was asked about paying taxes to Caesar, and he used the opportunity to teach us what we owe to God. "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's." (Matthew 22.21 and recorded in Mark and Luke)

Just as we owe taxes to our country, we owe King Jesus our offerings. Giving to the church is the most common way, but many also give to other missions or charities or even directly to individuals in need. We pay tribute to our God with money.

Just as many give public service to our country, such as military service and local agencies and voting, we owe King Jesus our service. Again, many participate in missions and programs in the church that benefit others, or in the greater community. But we are also to be willing to love and serve our neighbor in the course of everyday life. Jesus gave us the example when he said, "the Son of man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give life..." (Matthew 20.28) We pay tribute to God with our service.

Just as we pledge our allegiance to our flag and country, and learn our history and laws and live as responsible citizens, we also profess our faith in King Jesus, and study the Bible and live as citizens of his eternal kingdom. The law of God is

best summed up in Jesus' words to love the Lord your God and to love one another and your neighbor as yourself. We pay tribute to God by living a Christian life.

Pastor Dennis

CHURCH WEB SITE AND E-MAIL

To access the church's website, Go to www.clarksburgcc.org
Pastor Dennis also has an e-mail address: pastordenniscc@gmail.com

Worship in April		
Services Begin at 11:00		
Apr 3	Phil Ogilvie, Guest Preacher	Communion
Apr 10	Gospel Service	
Apr 17	"No Other Gospel" Galatians 1.1-12	
Apr 24	"Salvation by Faith" Galatians 3.1-14	

MEN'S GROUP

THE CLARKSBURG COMMUNITY MEN'S GROUP will meet for breakfast, fellowship, and a discussion of the life of Peter, Saturday morning, April 16th, at 6:30 AM. See Steve Heringer or Dennis Montzingo for details or questions.

SENIOR LUNCH

The Seniors shared a great lunch in March. We all enjoyed the wonderful music of the "Rotary Rooters" before lunch. They played for an hour and what an outstanding program they presented! We invite all of you seniors to come join your peers for lunch again on **Tuesday, April 19** (always the 3rd Tuesday of the month). Bring a friend and join the fun. If you need a ride, please call Lorna at 744-1617 (home) or 744-1422 (office). We look forward to seeing each one of you.

SPECIAL CREATIVE GOSPEL SERVICE

Worship Committee and Music Committee are planning a special service in celebration of the Gospel for **April 10**. There will be lots of music, special numbers by the Choir and singing of Gospel songs, along with dance and scripture and prayer. There will also be special opportunities for all the children to participate as well.

CHIMES Submissions

Please send your articles and information by the 20th of the month to djrunningonempty@gmail.com



Second Sunday Potluck

We will gather on April 10 for Second Sunday Potluck immediately following the worship service. Please plan to stay for a fun time of great food and fellowship as we share lunch together. Bring something to share for the meal. Questions? Contact Margie Montzingo at 744-1364 or margiemontzingo@gmail.com

Passing

We were all saddened to hear of the passing of **Sandy Gorter**, daughter of the late Jack and Janet Gorter. Sandy passed away peacefully on March 11, surrounded by family. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Gorter family.

We also offer our prayers to Arnie & Elaine Vierra whose son, **Gregg**, passed away on February 28. Greg was 41 years old, married, father of two and a Sac County Sheriff. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.



ANGELS WITH WHEELS

Do you find yourself here in Clarksburg in need of a ride? Perhaps you need a few groceries, or you have a hair appointment, or maybe you need to pick up a prescription, or go to the doctor, but you can't drive.

We think we can help. Here is a list of names of some Clarksburg friends who are willing to get you to where you want to go.

Give a call and see if they can help:

- Kathy & Joe Gomes - 744-1511
- Lorna & Richard Bagby - 744-1617
- Cynthia Yelland - 744-1520
- Greg & Maria Rowsey - 744-1087
- Donna Heringer - 665-2752
- Patty & Greg Merwin - 775-1553

It's a Boy!



Introducing Sawyer Alton Shipley

Hal Shipley is excited to welcome his new grandson on March 2, 2016. He was born at 8:50am and weighed 8lbs 5oz and was 22 inches long.

DHA/CMS presents the Musical 'Mulan'

April 7, 8, 9 at 7:00 pm
CMS auditorium
Admission; free

Dinner before the show:
\$15 for the dinner and
priority seating to the
show

Questions? Contact
Karlin Merwin [\(916\)212 1485](tel:9162121485)

Mission Trip to Esquipulas Nicaragua April 1-8, 2016



❖ The Team

- Sam Fabila, Kathi & Joe Gomes, Lee Harris, Pastor Montzingo, and Shannon Ogilvie

❖ The Mission

- The Institutos Biblicos de America Central (IBAC) is committed to "Biblical, Theological and Pastoral training for Latin American pastors." Dr. Jim Wilson began this mission in 2001 as part of Reach Global Latin America of the EFCA, and the training courses are currently being taught in 18 locations in Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Panama. IBAC provides curriculum, teachers and translators, and organization. The host city & churches provide the site, local administration and people; about 50 will attend and represent churches in & around Esquipulas. Our

church provides the financing, prayers, and participation.

❖ Our Role

- This will be the third trip for our church. The courses will be on preparing and delivering sermons and Bible teaching. Dennis and Sam will be teaching some of the sessions along with five other teachers from IBAC and Nicaragua. Shannon, Lee, Kathi and Joe will be working with the local elementary school introducing 6th graders to English. In many tangible and intangible ways we will all be helping to build fellowship and faith in the universal body of Christ.

❖ Cost

- The cost will be around \$4000 for the week long mission and \$4200 for transportation, totaling \$8200.

❖ How you can help

- We invite you to participate by contributing directly or through fundraisers, and by committing to praying for us and the mission. Checks may be made to: **Clarksburg Community Church PO Box 36 Clarksburg Ca.95612**

PRAYER WALK

PRAYERS FOR OUR COUNTRY, SCHOOLS,
CLARKSBURG,
AND OTHER CONCERNS AND WE CHERISH
THE HELP OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

MEET IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH AT 8:00
AM SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 2016 AT 7:30

ALL ARE WELCOME!

WATER WILL BE PROVIDED.

WEAR YOUR WALKING SHOES!

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

CLAUDEAN THOMAS

