

**Sunday:**

Bible Study: 9:45am  
 Morning Assembly: 10:45am  
 Evening Assembly: 6:00pm

**Adult Classes AM**

John Pendley - 'Society, The Bible and the Church' (Auditorium)  
 Dick Maynard - 'Life Lessons, The book of Exodus' (#7-8)  
 Spanish Speaking Class - (#16-17)

**Wednesday:**

Ladies' Bible Study: 10:00am-on hiatus for the summer  
 Children's Program: 6:00pm  
 Evening Bible Study: 7:00pm

**Adult Classes PM**

Judy Bourgeois - 'What Love Is' (Room # 2)  
 Dale Gifford - 'The Gospel of John' (Auditorium)

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**Elders**

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 Paul Watson 916-425-9538

**Deacons**

Jose Ayala	Robert Goff	Geoff Lacefield
Larry Spencer	David Webb	John Wendt
Trent Wilson		

**Those Serving in Ministries**

Audio/Video	Robert Goff	Grounds Maintenance	Keith Altom
	Brandon Goff	Meals for Occasions	Valree Petty
	Taylor Goff	Missions	Jim Oestreich
Benevolence		Showers	Ministry Available
Building Coordinator	Donna Johnson	Supplies	
Building Maintenance	Larry Spencer	Telephone Hotline	Valree Petty
Bulletin	Sharon Vance	Treasury	David Webb
Card Ministry	Ladies Class	Tributes	Betty Maynard
Education Coordinator	Trent Wilson	Youth/Youth Activities Coordinator	-
Flowers	Wanda Headrick		Geoff Lacefield
	Marie Pitt		

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**THE SMELL OF BRIMSTONE**

The smell is oppressive. In fact, the smell, the heat, the sunshine dimming smoke has cast a pall across most of Northern California. The same question is on the lips of all of everyone - "how long will this go on?" With both major fires west of our position still growing, the answer seems to be - "Not soon!"

Since the smell of brimstone and the raining down of ash on our heads seems to be our lot for the foreseeable future, perhaps a few observations concerning prayer would be in order.

We need to pray fervently for several things. We are uncomfortable with the smoke but a thousand of folks have lost their homes and earthly goods. Some have lost their lives. Pray for God to bless them. Several thousand fire fighters are in extreme danger trying to save lives and property - pray for their safety and success.

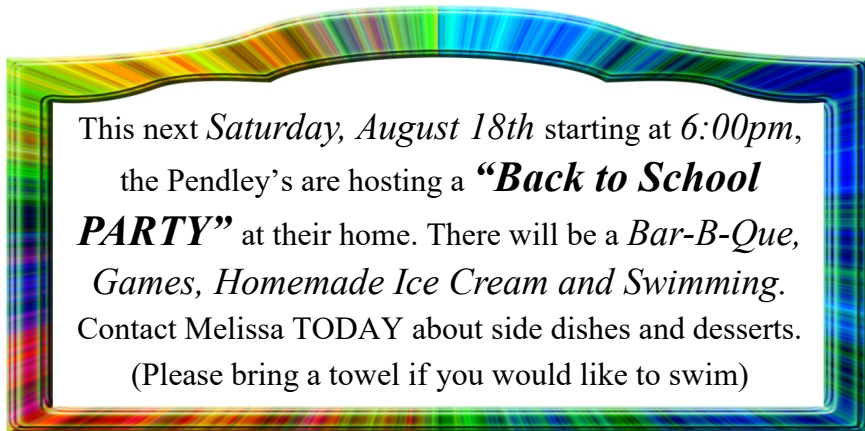
Finally, we need to pray that all Californians and in fact our nation turn to God and repent.

There is a spirited debate as to whether or not such disasters are God's doing. The scriptures are unequivocal. Amos 3:6 "...Does disaster come to a city, unless the Lord has done it?" Isa. 30:33 (speaking of judgement on wicked Assyria) "For a burning place has long been prepared...its pyre made deep and wide, with fire and wood in abundance; the breath of the Lord, like a stream of brimstone, kindles it."

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Many Christians are loath to blame God for natural disasters. They are afraid that people will turn away from such a harsh, "angry" God. God, on the other hand is concerned that we will not blame Him. A dismissive attribution of disaster to a capricious "mother nature" can cause folks to miss God's purpose in judgement. Isaiah 26:9 "My soul yearns for you in the night; my spirit within me earnestly seeks you, for when your judgements are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world learn righteousness." Our God wants people to be righteous. He wants us facing Him! Natural and man aided disasters are God's way of getting us to stop our evil ways and look to Him. Repent, pray and pray that our nation receives the message God is sending in "the smell of brimstone". ~ Dale ~



Do not ask the Lord to guide your footsteps if you are not willing to move your feet.

*Reading Through the Bible - Aug. 13-Aug. 19*

Monday: Isaiah 24:7-28:22	Tuesday: Isaiah 28:23-32:20
Wed.: Isaiah 33:1-37:29	Thursday: Isaiah 37:30-40:31
Friday: Isaiah 41-44	Saturday: Isaiah 45-49
Sunday: Isaiah 50-54	

PRAYER REQUESTS

- ♥ Edith Cathey is not doing well and has been put on 24 hour hospice. Please keep Edith and her family in your continuous prayers.
- ♥ Judy Bourgeois has been suffering from a never-ending migraine headache for quite some time. Medication has eased the pain somewhat, however she still has some pain that does not go away.
- ♥ Charlsie Moore has requested prayers for herself and also for her family. She has several people in her family who are suffering with different health issues. Charlsie would like her family here in Roseville to know that she misses worshipping here and sends her love to each and every one.
- ♥ Jim Oestreich has requested prayers for Brittany Hartshorn and her family. Brittany is a brave 14 year-old who has endured serious abdominal surgery and is faced with multiple physical challenges.

♥ The latest update from Richard Lewis regarding Warren Turney... Warren is now in a care facility in Florence, Oregon. He is in need of constant prayer. His wife, Susan is staying with Richard and Sharron Lewis. Cards can be sent to:

Warren Turney, E/O 120 Shoreline Drive, Florence, OR 97439

*Please Continue to Remember in Prayer:*

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|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| •Jene Armstrong | •Mary Barbieri | •Sharon Berger  |
| •Ann Hurd       | •Dean Kelley   | •Charlsie Moore |
| •Dan Robinson   | •Ruby Spencer  | •Minnie Whicker |

(• indicates Hospital/Convalescent/Home Bound)

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| Willie Burns   | Edith Cathey      | Odell Cathey     |
| Janet Clark    | Jim Darghty       | Dotsy DiCristina |
| Rick Gentle    | Harriet Greenacre | Bill Headrick    |
| Wanda Headrick | Kiira Kinkle      | Hannah Lopez     |
| Xavier Lopez   | Diane March       | Marie Pitt       |
| Nancy Pitt     | Judy Ritter       | Karen Spencer    |
| Roger Steele   | Ojia Stevens      | Ruth Sweat       |
| Dan Thomure    | Warren Turney     | Gale Washington  |
| Ken Whorton    |                   |                  |

## Roseville Church of Christ Calendar

### August

- 18 - 9:00am, Elder/Deacon Meeting\*
- 18 - 6:00pm, Back to School PARTY at the Pendley home
- 19 - Potluck for Families with Children\*
- 24 - 7:30pm, Area-Wide Singing, Galt CoC
- 31 - 6:00pm, Friday Night Lights (Youth), Parkway CoC

### September

- 11 - 11:00am, Area-Wide Senior Saints, Cordova CoC
- 13-15 - Northern California Ladies Retreat, Lassen Pines
- 15 - 9:00am, Elder/Deacon Meeting\*
- 16 - Potluck for Families with Children\*
- 22 - 9:00am-1:00pm, Annual Fall Ladies Day, West Visalia CoC
- 28 - 6:00pm, Friday Night Lights (Youth), Parkway CoC
- 30 - 5th Sunday Schedule\*

*Please check the flyers in the lobby for more information.*

(\* Denotes location is here at the building)

### *Northern California Ladies' Retreat*

*September 13, 14, 15, 2018*

*"For Such A Time As This"*

This retreat is an annual event just for the LADIES! Starting with dinner on Thursday night, all of your meals are provided and the staff does all of the cleaning after the meals. There will be lessons, devotionals, praise, prayer and sharing in laughter and fellowship with sisters from many different congregations. Cost is only \$105.00 and flyers are in the lobby.



### *BIBLE TRIVIA*

What was the apostle Paul's rule toward people who refused to work?

- a) They should be prayed over.
- b) They should not eat.
- c) They should be disciplined by the church.

*Answer from last week -*

*Right after Jesus brought the little girl back to life, He healed b) two blind men. (Matthew 9:24-29)*



### *Birthday*

18 - Lee Jones

### *No Anniversaries*

### *Prayer/Communion Schedule for August 19th*

1st Prayer: John Pendley 2nd Prayer: Larry Smith

Communion Table:

Jason Winalski, Wyatt Winalski, Rick Nappier

Closing Prayer: Jim Oestreich

If for any reason you are unable to serve,  
Please contact John Wendt as soon as possible.