



High School Youth Mission Trip, July 8-13, 2018

We had an incredible week in Los Angeles! Our team got to work with lots of ministries and see how they are helping the poor and homeless in the LA area. Every day we helped at a day care for children whose parents work in sweat shops, we served breakfast at a soup kitchen, we worshiped with others at a rescue mission. We handed out breakfast pastries at the park, we played cards and gave manicures at a Retirement center, and we participated in a prayer tour over the entire city! We learned so much and saw things that would break your heart, but we also saw hope and saw love being shared.

We know God showed us things we needed to see and helped us learn care and compassion. We also realized how much we have and how much we take for granted.

The theme verse for the week was Galatians 5:13 "You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love."

Thank you for your support of the youth ministry of Immanuel. We have some amazing young people, if you have not met them yet, you should introduce yourself!



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Sunday morning 9:40 am: Pastors' Study in Graumann Hall led by Pastor Borst and Don Kolafa; **Gospel of Mark:** *Probably the first Gospel written, Mark focus upon the power of Jesus, and presents Him as the suffering servant.*

Tuesday morning 10:00 am: Small Group in Merle **Armentrout's** home led by Don Kolafa, call (951) 217-4328; **OT History Book of Joshua:** *Moses' successor, Joshua, leads the people to capture and settle the Promised Land. "In the Book of Genesis Israel was born. In the Book of Exodus Israel was chosen. In the Book of Numbers the nation was proven. In the Book of Leviticus it was brought nigh by the blood. In Deuteronomy it was instructed. Now in the Book of Joshua it faces conflict and conquest."* (J. Vernon McGee)

Tuesday evening 6:30 pm: Small Group in the Corona home of Gary and Phyllis **Malcolm** led by Don Kolafa, call 847-7405; **Proverbs:** *Wise sayings and observations on life designed to motivate believers to walk in the way of wisdom.*

Tuesday evening 6:30 pm: High School Youth Group in the Youth Lounge led by Jean Beck (On break during the summer.)



Wednesday evening 6:30 pm: Small Group in Bob and Linda **Holcomb's** home led by Paul Sundeen, call (951) 973-8236; **Gospel of Luke:** *Story of Jesus as the perfect Son of Man, focuses on Jesus' humanity.*

Wednesday evening 6:30 pm: Confirmation Class in GPEC led by Jean Beck. (On break during the summer.)

Wednesday evening 6:30 pm: Young Adult Small Group in the Youth Lounge led by Avery Hjulberg; *NT Letter to the Ephesians: All who belong to Christ are bound together as one in His love and in His church.*

Thursday evening 6:30 pm: Small Group in Dan and Karin **Jeske's** home led by Don Kolafa, call 231-7921; **Gospel of John:** *Presents Jesus as the divine Son of God who came to earth in human form.*

Saturday morning 7:45 am: Men's Bible Study in the Conference Room led by Bob Holcomb; *OT History Book of 2 Samuel: David succeeds Saul as king and leads Israel to victory over its enemies.* (2nd and 4th Saturdays)

Saturday morning 9:30am: Women's Bible Study in GPEC led by Lisa Hjulberg, call (951) 288-1015; *Discovering Hope in the Psalms, A Creative Bible Study Experience* by **Farrel, Jones and Dornacher:** *Hope that takes you through the dark valleys of life's journey.* (2nd and 4th Saturdays)

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