

# Connections



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*Declaring to each individual their eternal value in Jesus and preparing them for His soon-return!*

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**Submit a Prayer Request**  
227-6829 (Andrew LiVolsi) for  
9am Saturday prayer group

357-4401 (Evelyn Baxter): for  
church prayer chain

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## **Missional Focus: Mission Trips & Garden**

Dear Anderson Church Family,

As we continue progressing through our Ministry calendar for 2015, two unique opportunities to work together are underway: mission trips and a community garden. I will share more about the Community Garden next week. This week I want to focus on our two mission trips—both of which are here in the United States. The first trip is scheduled for May 10-21 at Camp MiVoden. Situated in Northern Idaho in a beautiful area is this faithful camp. Each year they minister to the young and young at heart in a beautiful setting. However, with the amount of use they have comes much work to be done. Everything from yard work and painting to more involved projects is necessary to give them the boost they need for the coming season. Registration is already underway and so if you are in hopes of securing a spot on this trip see John Hansen as soon as possible!

A second trip that is being planned is to Milo Academy in Days Creek, Oregon. Years ago I was a cook in the cafeteria and enjoyed the campus immensely. However, with the continual use of the buildings and the limited staffing, they are also in need of a boost. That is where the Ultimate Workout project comes in June 17-28. This is for young people ages 13+ and it has a participation fee of \$475 each young person who goes. In addition to updates on the various buildings, there will be outreach projects that will involve helping members of the community with various projects and an outreach ministry at a local church. If you are a young person or know of a young person who wants to attend, then contact Pastor Miller or Jake Beaton.

For those who cannot attend, but want to pray for these endeavors, we solicit your prayers. For those who want to help support these trips financially, please mark your envelope “Annual Mission Trip”.

## Staying Connected—Reading Plan Continues Through March

Join us each day during your morning, lunchtime or evening devotions for a time to connect with Christ. The closer we come to Christ, the closer we come to each other. Below is this week's emphasis on the *Desire of Ages*.

<b>Week 6 Day 1</b>	DA Ch. 80 – In Joseph's Tomb	
Day 2	DA Ch. 81 – The Lord is risen	
Day 3	DA Ch. 82 – Why Weepest Thou?	
Day 4	DA Ch. 83 – The Walk to Emmaus	
Day 5	DA Ch. 84 – Peace Be Unto You	
Day 6	DA Ch. 85 – By the Sea	
Day 7	DA Ch. 86	

## Anderson Connections (please see your bulletin for more announcements)

**Discipleship Group—Tuesdays at 6pm.** One of our 5 year goals is to start small groups in our communities. Learn how by joining us each week or by contacting Pastor Miller.

**Folk Mountain Gospel Concert—March 7 @ 7pm.** More online [folkmountaingospel.com](http://folkmountaingospel.com)

**Mission Trips—May 10-21** at Camp MiVoden in Idaho. **June 17-28** will be an Ultimate Workout trip to Milo Academy, Oregon. If you would like to go, then contact John Hansen, Pastor Miller or the Office. Contribute by marking your envelope "Mission Trip" or "Youth Trip".

**Roof/Solar—**Work begins February 16! We have raised over \$10,000 out of the \$50,000 that is needed—we praise the Lord for your faithfulness! Mark your tithe envelope "Roof/Solar".

**Staying Connected Finale:** Coming March 28 during the 11am service and 6pm Agape Feast.

## Area & NCC Happenings

**Northern California Conference call to prayer:** each Thursday at 7:00am. Dial 424-203-8400 then put in the access code: 669648#

**Prayer Retreat:** March 13-15, 2015 at Leoni Meadows. Contact [naomiparson@aol.com](mailto:naomiparson@aol.com) or call (916) 955-4583 for more information.

**Redding Church:** 5:30pm—Adventurers (1st & 3rd Wed.) with Pathfinders (each Wed.)

**Tithe up at Anderson and in our Conference:** +3.57% at Anderson; +1.14% for NCC