

## *The Incomparable Christ*

**I. Jesus is the full & final word of God**    *Hebrews 1:1-4*

**II. Draw near to Jesus**    *Hebrews 4:16*

**III. Hold fast to Jesus**    *Hebrews 10:23*

**IV. Keep the faith**    *Hebrews 10:25, 38-39*

**V. Jesus Christ is the supreme savior**  
*Colossians 1:17-18; Hebrews 5:8-9; 1 Peter 3:21*

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### HOW DOES ONE BECOME A MEMBER OF THE CHURCH?

One does not “join” the church. **The Lord adds** to the church those who are being saved (Acts 2:47). To be saved, one must do the will of God (Matt. 7:21-23). The will of God as expressed by the New Testament, for the sinner outside the body of Christ must:

**HEAR THE GOSPEL**  
Romans 10:17

**BELIEVE IN CHRIST**  
John 8:24    Hebrews 11:6

**REPENT OF THEIR SINS**  
Acts 17:30 & 26:20

**CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST**  
Matt. 10:32    Rom. 10:10

**BE BAPTIZED FOR THE  
REMISSION OF SINS**  
Mark 16:16    Acts 2:38    Acts 22:16

**BE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH**  
Rev. 2:10

#### MINISTER

Joseph Gormany  
Fernando Barraza

#### ELDERS

Tommy Thompson  
Leroy Smith  
Guillermo Melendez

#### DEACONS

Franchot Randolph  
Fernando Barraza  
Bradley Rhodes

#### WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday  
11:00 A.M.

#### BIBLE STUDY

10:00 A.M.

#### SPANISH SERVICES

Sunday Worship 2:00 P.M.  
**Spanish Bible Study**  
*Postponed due to COVID-19*  
**Thursday Bible Study 7:00 P.M.**  
via ZOOM

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## THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING TODAY!!

On June 15, 2021 the state of California and Cal OSHA lifted their mask mandate in most settings. The church leadership has decided to follow the state's example. Effective immediately, if you have been fully vaccinated, you no longer have to wear a mask while attending worship services, unless you choose to do so. No other changes to the order of services, or our worship schedule, will be made at this time.

*Thank-you from the Melrose Elders & Deacons.*

**JAN THOMPSON** was taken to the hospital this week with severe heart pain. She had 2 stents put in place. She is hoping to be released possibly today and then will have to go to rehab for a period of time. Please remember Jan in prayer.

**MIKE SULLIVAN**, John's brother, went home to be with the Lord on Sat. August 21. He was battling COVID, along with other serious health issues. Hi funeral was held on Friday, August 27. Mike was a longtime, devoted member of the church.

Please keep his wife, Kelly, and the rest of the family in prayer for peace of mind. **LENA TOLBERTSON** was in the ER 2 weeks ago with a slight internal bleed. They took her off blood thinners and she is slowly getting better. She doesn't get dizzy.

Her blood sugar has become a secondary problem. Please continue to pray for Lena. **DEE STARR** has completed her radiation treatments for the cancerous module in her right lung and *the malignancy has stopped growing*, She will see her Oncologist in 3 months. She is still weak; having problems both with breathing and acid reflux.

Please remember Dee in your daily prayers.

**DEBBIE YENAWINE** is taking the steps and initiative to do what she needs to do to battle and overcome some personal issues, She needs prayers from our congregation.

**STEVE OLLIER**: In August, Steve will review a new set of X-rays with his surgeon. Steve will cataract surgery on his left eye in August. Please keep Steve in prayers.

**DAVID TOLBERTSON** has been recovering nicely and will start back to work next week after suffering 2 heart attacks. Keep in prayer, please.

**NORMA SORINO** has several family members that have been suffering from various illnesses. Please remember the entire family in your daily prayers.

**ESTHER MARTINEZ** is suffering from sever bronchitis. Please keep her in prayer.

### CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

**THE ALTOM FAMILY's** peace & comfort following the loss of both Ruth & Ken

**MICHAEL MORENO** as he go thru procedures necessary for future heart transplant

**SARAH MULLER** to keep improving after a bout with pneumonia.

**ANN SMITH**, that her anxiety continues to improve.

**SANDY WATTS** that injections in her eye will prevent or delay blindness.

**ADA GAGEN**, 5 yrs old, to have improved health conditions.

**FREDDY MUNOZ** as he has been deployed to South Korea.

**ESTHER MARTINEZ'** mother as she recuperates from recent cancer surgery.

**\*Send prayer requests, news & updates to: [melcobulletin@yahoo.com](mailto:melcobulletin@yahoo.com)**

## COMING EVENTS

**TOMMY THOMPSON** will deliver the message this morning; "*The Incomparable Christ*".

### Order of Morning Service

Opening Announcements

Song # 1

Lord's Supper

Offering

Song #2

Sermon

Song #3 / Invitation

Closing Announcements

Closing Prayer

The upcoming schedule of church gatherings will be as follows until further notice:

**Sunday Morning Bible Study** - 10:00 am

**Sunday Morning Worship** - 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

**Sunday Evening Worship** - Not Offered

**Wednesday Evening Bible Study** - Not Offered

LADIES BIBLE CLASS: SAT, SEPT. 11 & 25 @ 10:00 am at the church bldg.

*Lesson will be from the book.*

IN SEARCH OF THE LORD'S WAY with PHIL SANDERS will be shown on KFMB @ 7:00 am on Sunday mornings. This program is a wealth of info, resources and the preaching of Christ & you are encouraged to see for yourself.

*Ruth & Ken Altom's Life Celebration will be held at 3:30 pm on Sunday, Sept 5 at the Encinitas Church of Christ, located at 926 Second St. in Encinitas, CA.*

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that a donation be made to Florence for Youth in Action. You can get info on how to donate at [florenceforyouthinaction.org](http://florenceforyouthinaction.org). This institution appears to be similar to the Children's Relief Fund that Melrose supports

### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

5 Cheryl Knoblock

12 Deanna Gallardo