

# Congregational LIFE

## THE VETERANS OF ORANGE COUNTY

### Help Send Letters to Troops in Need

Our veterans at the Crystal Cathedral, who feel deeply that it is an honor to serve our country, have established a program to send mail to the Third Infantry Division in Iraq. Would you like to help us in this mission?

What we need are personal letters written to these soldiers. Unfortunately, because they see the same negative news that we see here at home, now



Pastor Chuck Trout

more than ever they need to know that we are behind them. Their morale is high and we must do all we can to keep it that way. Remember, "We are free because of the brave!" My prayer is that each of you will take the time to write to one or more

of our brave soldiers. Tell them that you appreciate them, that you are praying for them, and you wish them well. The Commanding General of the Third Infantry Division has assigned specific individuals in each of his organizations to receive these letters and distribute them to the soldiers who receive little or no mail from home.

Each area of the U.S. has been assigned a specific person to handle the incoming letters. Our representative is SGT Tricia Daniels. Please use the following address, with the exact wording, placed on four lines as shown:

SGT Daniels, Tricia (Any Soldier Mail)  
HHOC, STB-3ID Unit # 42167  
Camp Victory, Iraq  
APO, AE 09342

Place a 41-cent stamp on the envelope. You may place your return address on the envelope if you wish. Time permitting, some will write back to you. The Division will be in Iraq until mid-2008, so we need to keep the letters rolling. We, the veterans of the Crystal Cathedral and our troops, thank you for your support!

## LOGOS BIBLE STUDY

### Now Studying Luke & Acts – Join in at Any Time!

By Anita Sherbanee, Elder

Each Monday night throughout the academic year, almost 300 people attend this truly ecumenical Bible study taught by teacher extraordinaire, Dr. Bill Creasy, whose lively and animated style of teaching brings the Bible to life like never before. It is lecture style, and there is no homework! Just bring your Bible, and come and listen!

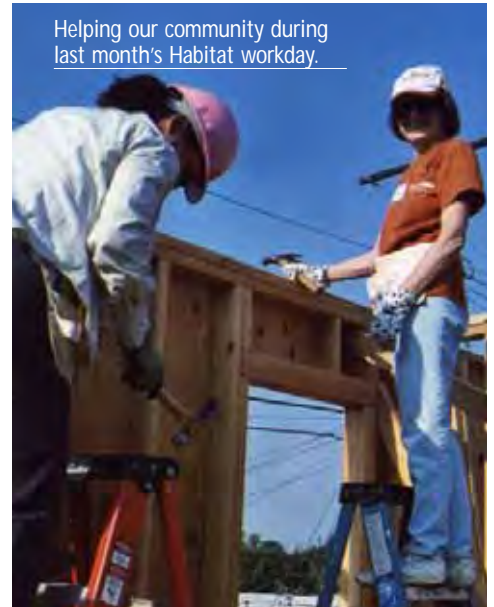


Dr. Bill Creasy

On Monday evening, 7 – 9 PM in the Freed Theater, we continue the fall quarter of The Bible Plain and Simple with a study of the New Testament books of Luke and Acts. The Gospel of Luke presents a detailed, historical account of the life of Jesus Christ. In the Book of Acts, Luke gives us an account of the events surrounding the growth of the early church.

You can begin this series of classes at any time and catch up on any lectures you may have

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Helping our community during last month's Habitat workday.

## CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL MISSIONS

Dr. Beverly Muffin, Director

### COMMUNITY MISSIONS

#### New Habitat for Humanity Construction Day!

Join Crystal Cathedral friends on Saturday, Friday, October 5, for a work day in Fullerton. Carpool, coffee, cookies, water, lunch, and great fellowship will be provided! For more information or to register, call Gudelia at 714-971-4047.

#### Simple Things Make the Biggest Difference


*Paperback books needed – see story, pg. 4!*

We are Jesus' hands and feet. Your time and donations are needed. Your Crystal Cathedral is doing good in the neighborhood, blessing the children of nearby Lampson School, encouraging children who live in low income housing through Kidz Klubs and Matthew's Children, and providing basic necessities to O.C. and L.A. rescue missions, shelters, and halfway houses. Items that they seek include:

- Children's Books
- Diapers
- Warm Blankets
- Soap
- School Supplies
- Shampoo
- Men's Socks,
- Toothpaste
- T-Shirts & Sweaters

Please bring any of these items to Tower-8 or place in the barrel on the Plaza on Sunday mornings and watch how the smallest things bring the biggest blessings to those in need in our community!

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# Experience the CC

Discover who we are and what we believe. Explore how you and your family can belong to our community that wants to care for you and help you make a difference in the world. Learn how we, at the Crystal Cathedral, come to:

- ◆ KNOW GOD THROUGH WORSHIP & PRAYER
- ◆ LOVE PEOPLE THROUGH FELLOWSHIP & CARE
- ◆ SERVE THE WORLD THROUGH GIVING & GROWTH

Sundays, JANUARY 27 - FEBRUARY 17, 2008, 8:30 AM – NOON.  
Call 714-971-4062 to let us know you're coming!

# care & kindness

## CARE MINISTRY

### Need to Talk?

You may call:

714-NEW-HOPE (Adults).

714-NEW-TEEN (Teens).

Family Counseling Center, 714-971-4222.

Care Ministry, 714-971-4032.

Crystal Cathedral Pastor, 714-971-4098.

## NEW HOPE

### Carl Alvarez: Serving Helped Him Find Wholeness

By William Gaultiere, Ph.D., Executive Dir. of New Hope

Carl Alvarez, New Hope's Counselor of the Month for October, often thinks about a particular caller who a long time ago said, "Thank you!" When he feels that maybe he's too busy to continue volunteering as a New Hope Counselor at the Crystal Cathedral he remembers what this caller said after a very ordinary conversation. When he feels down and like maybe he's not making a difference he thinks back on this caller's words of appreciation: "You're doing a great service with a great organization. You've helped me and I'm sure you've helped many others – even if they didn't say so."

"I feel more whole than ever and New Hope has played a huge role in that!"

We all need to hear words of appreciation, to know that our life is contributing something positive to others. There was a time that Carl thought he'd never feel that joy. Like a number of our counselors, he came to New Hope in response to a personal tragedy. In 1984, when he was just 19 years old, his brother gave up his life through suicide. Carl was devastated. He was left with an overwhelming hole in his soul that wouldn't go away. For years he responded to the emptiness by saying that he wanted to volunteer on a crisis hotline, but it wasn't until 1997 that he put his words into action and joined New Hope. He's never looked back! He says, "I feel more whole than ever and New Hope has played a huge role in that!"

When I talk to our New Hope Counselors I always wonder, "What's their secret? Why do they give their time and their heart to care for strangers in pain?" For Carl it seems to be the opportunity to work with God to bring about something good from the horrible loss of his brother.

Every shift at New Hope Carl does this, but a

recent call stands out to illustrate the miracle of God's redemption. A 19-year old young woman called New Hope with thoughts of suicide. She was the same age as Carl's brother who completed suicide! A voice inside Carl's head (perhaps it was the Holy Spirit reminding him of his New Hope training?) said, "Listen to her. Don't react!" So, he listened to her as she shared about the things that were depressing her, like growing up in a troubled household. Then Carl simply reflected back to her his understanding of her state of being. He stepped inside her life without preaching and judging and simply offered compassion and by doing so he and the caller both found the serene place inside her tornado. She had new hope! She thanked Carl, saying that he had been the first person to really listen to her and had really encouraged her.

Another secret to Carl's success is that before his Wednesday night shift Carl prays to ask God to guide him with his words and responses to the callers. This helps him to get in touch with God's presence with him on the phones and to follow God's Spirit in his everyday life!

Carl lives in Huntington Beach with his wife and son and he works as a music products manager for Virgin Entertainment Group in Los Angeles. He was raised by his grandparents who live in Redlands, CA and he remains very close to them to this day.

### New Hope Training

Learn life skills to help you in relationships with family, friends, and God, and in your capacity to serve God by offering care and encouragement to those in need who contact us by phone or online. For more information, call 714-971-4123.

## DR. KOK'S KORNER

### Ministering Elders to Be Nominated

The Ministering Elders serve the church in many ways. They connect with other members giving kind friendliness; they serve Holy Communion; they pray for the meetings on Sunday mornings; they greet and extend hospitality. Please send your suggested name for nomination to Pastor Jim Kok, Tower of Hope, Floor 10. (For more details, see story, pg. 4.)

### Kindness Behind a Piano Bench

When a group of our church members was gathered at our retreat Center at Rancho Capistrano, they sat down for a songfest. However, something was missing that frustrated their plan. There was a piano, but the piano bench was missing. A search party set out into all the adjoining rooms and buildings but all returned empty handed.



Jim Kok presides over the 50+ Hawaiian-themed event. This month's details, pg. 11.

Naturally, a suitable chair was found and that worked all right. However, the piano didn't look right standing there with a folding chair where the bench was supposed to be.

Following the retreat, Mr. Ken Waltz, a master craftsman and dedicated church member, lamenting the missing piano bench, was told about an unused old relic of a piano bench in someone's attic. He inquired, and it was eagerly given him.

Ken found it to be a classic old piece. So, he dismantled it, reassembled it, painted it to match the Ranch piano, and brought it to its new home. That, I think, is a unique form of kindness in action.

### Sprinkle, Spill, and Spread a Little Kindness

By Jim Kok, author of *Miracle of Kindness*

There is a lot of good inside every person that never gets spread around. It just sits there. There is appreciation and admiration in everyone that never goes anywhere. Such thoughts and feelings can help many people if we just start sprinkling some of it on the people we meet.

The cashier at the supermarket, the bank, the car wash, needs a kind word and a smile. Everybody has that need inside him and most often we never give it to anyone. Loving-kindness is like spirit-nourishing vitamins. It will heal the cashier's hurts, fears and loneliness if it is poured on him. It only takes 20 seconds to plant a major gift in her heart—"I like your smile." Or, "You are a pleasant person." Or, "You are a good worker."

Such words, and a smile, plant Hope in another person's heart. They send the message that there is goodness and kindness in this world, not just meanness. There is love, not just selfishness. There is good, and if there is good, there must be God. Hope is born!

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Dr. Jim Kok, Pastor of Care Ministry  
Dr. Bill Gaultiere, Director of New Hope

It is so easy to make this world a better place. Start spilling some of your kindness on the people you meet.

**CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL FAMILY COUNSELING CENTER**

**Let Us Help You!**

By Burton N. Winer, MBA, MA

To help you and your family, the Family Counseling Center team includes counselors with special interests in helping parents, children, and adolescents, and in the issues of career development, stress management, relationships, recovery, and more. There are affiliated bilingual counselors for those speaking Spanish, Vietnamese, and Korean.

The Family Counseling Center continues its counseling support effort to reflect our mission serving families and individuals during the life challenges of pre-marital, marital, family, career, and everyday coping issues. Parenting with Loving Control (PLC) multi-family sessions are available in Spanish and English each month in the Orange County area by calling 714-538-6387.

Just call the Family Counseling Center at 714-971-4222 for an appointment and a counselor will return your call.

**SUPPORT GROUPS**

**No Cost to Attend – Just Show Up!**

For more information about these groups sponsored by Crystal Cathedral Care Ministries, call 714-971-4098.

- A.C.A. (Co-ed): Thu., 7:30 PM, FLC-236.  
Adult children of alcoholic parent(s), journaling focus.
- ACES: 1st Tue., 7 PM, FLC-234. Advocates for Children in Enforcement of child Support.
- AL-ANON (Men): Thu., 8 PM, FLC-230.
- AL-ANON (Co-ed): Fri., 8 PM, FLC-230.
- ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE: 4th Fri., 1 PM T-3.  
Caregivers support group.
- BEREAVED PARENTS/USA: 3rd Mon., 7 PM, FLC-235. Those who have lost a child (of any age).
- GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS (COED): Tue., 8 PM, FLC-221. Overcoming.
- MEN AT PEACE: Thu., 7:30 PM, FLC-FRH3.  
Dealing with anger and/or depression. (May meet court-ordered requirements; check with officer of the court.)
- SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE: 1st/3rd Sun., 1:30 PM, T-2. Adults who have lost loved one to suicide.
- THE UNWELCOME JOURNEY: Thursday, 7 PM, FLC-3. Widowed persons group.

**CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL, ACADEMY & PRESCHOOL**

**PRESCHOOL**

**"Welcome Back" Returning Families**

By Marlene Kikta, Preschool Director

The first month of the new school year got off to a great start at the Crystal Cathedral Preschool. We extend a warm welcome to all of the new preschool families that have joined us and a "Welcome Back" to our returning families. At our Staff In-Service our teachers prayed for each child by name! It is our prayer that the students will be richly blessed by their preschool experience. Join us in our journey as we enjoy a school year filled with delightful learning experiences and opportunities to grow!

At this time we still have room for additional children. Please contact us at 714-971-4141 if you are interested in a tour of our wonderful facility. We invite you to meet the staff and see what exciting things our children are learning each day! The Preschool is open Monday – Friday from 7 am to 6 pm. Accredited by NAEYC, the preschool offers a developmentally appropriate curriculum, low teacher-student ratio and an emphasis on Christian education.

**ACADEMY & HIGH SCHOOL**

**Celebrating 30 Years of Excellence**

By Susan Lashier, Teacher, Crystal Cathedral Academy

A new Scholarship Fund has been created under the Arvella Scholarship Foundation with the purpose of helping families in need within the community.

Available to new, first-year K-5 students, the fund was developed based on the principle, "Ask, Believe, and Receive." Students receiving scholarships must maintain a G.P.A. of 3.0 or equivalent and satisfactory or above in citizenship. Those wishing to apply, or to make a donation to the fund, please call Kristen at 714-971-4159.

The Crystal Cathedral Academy is a K-12 Performing Arts School offering Visual Art, Drama, Music, and P.E. classes twice a week in addition to a dynamic, accelerated general curriculum. The school was founded on the principles of positive Christianity and continues to be an example of abundant giving to the community.

Three of our precious preschoolers.



**HOUR OF POWER** SUN LIFETIME CABLE 8 AM EAST/PAC 7 AM CENTRAL **ALSO** K-CAL 9 10AM PAC **SAT** TBN 6 PM PAC 9 PM EASTERN 8 PM CENTRAL

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missed. Past lectures of The Bible Plain and Simple are available on MP3 discs (\$85/quarter). You may register for the spring quarter at the Box Office (714-544-5679) or, for further information, contact Logos Ministries at 310-915-2007 (logosmin.org).

**SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP**

**Speaker Schedule: Career Builders**

By Robbie Motter, Career Builders Communications

Every Sunday, our Career Builders fellowship class presents excellent guest speakers, 9:30 to

10:30 AM, Tower of Hope, Floor 3. Just drop in and join us to be encouraged by your fellow Career Builders and these upcoming guests:

- Oct. 7: Career Builders Toastmaster event.
- Oct. 14: Jodie Palumbo, "How to Market YOU for that Perfect Job."
- Oct. 21: Keith O'Neill, PhD, "How to Make Better Choices and Unlock Your Potential"
- Oct. 28: Lynn Joseph, PhD, "What Color is Your Parachute."

For more information on Career Builders, contact Robbie Motter at 1-888-244-4420 or rmotter@aol.com.

# family ministries

Family Ministries  
Sheila Coleman, Director  
Children's Ministry  
Linda Poit, Director

Student Ministry  
Janie Zinn, Director  
Ministry to Couples & Parents  
Bob & Michelle Cavinder

## FAMILY

### CHILD/YOUTH AUCTION

By Sheila Coleman, Director of Family Ministries

"A NIGHT OF CRYSTAL REFLECTIONS:  
ILLUMINATING A CHILD'S DREAMS!"

Saturday evening, October 6  
In the beautiful Welcoming Center  
Silent Auction/Hors  
D'oeuvres: 6 - 7:30 PM  
Dinner and Live Auction: 7:30 PM.  
Reservations: 714-544-5679

See more details,  
pgs. 1 & 16



## Sunday Worship

WE'RE GROWING!

Every Sunday, 9:30 & 11 AM

In the Freed Theater (Welcoming Center, Garden Level)

- ▶ Live Music/Worship Band
- ▶ Live Message & Interview Video Feed
- ▶ Live Connection with Others

Whole families with kids of all ages are worshipping with us together as families. Bring your family or a friend, or come by yourself a be a part of the C3 family. You'll experience the warmth of community and a dynamic and heart-felt worship style designed with you in mind.



Your host pastor Kim Kimpel, plus Kyle Bonenberger with the Kyle Steven Worship Team, and the entire C3 family will help you to feel at home,

connect with God, and build rich, lasting relationships in this wonderful, growing community. Following both services, Pastor Kim, along with Pastor Bob and Michelle Cavinder, will be available to help you get connected as you stay, have a cup of Starbucks® coffee, and meet other young families and new friends in PJ's Heavenly Café.

See you this Sunday!

## PARENTS

### LIGHT ALWAYS OVERPOWERS THE DARK

Dear Sheila,

My husband and I have three young children. Recently, our three-year-old began waking at night crying. I've allowed her to sleep in our bed, but my husband thinks she'll outgrow her fear better by staying in her own bed. What can we do to help our daughter feel less fearful at night?

—Afraid of the Dark

Dear Afraid,

With four boys of our own, born within seven years, my husband and I would never have slept except for the comforters we set out on the floor around our bed. The boys knew that, if they became afraid in the night, they were welcome to come in (if the door was open) and plop down



on the floor next to our bed. Many mornings we struggled to get out of bed without stepping on a little boy sleeping peacefully on the floor. Eventually, all our boys outgrew their fear of the dark.

We also used these times to teach our boys spiritual lessons about darkness and light. For our family

devotions, I would take a suitcase and tell the boys it was filled with darkness. I'd ask them, "What do you think will happen if I open the suitcase? Will all the darkness spill out and make the room dark?" They would laugh and say, "Of course not, Mommy!" I would also take them into a dark closet, and turn on a small flashlight, amazing them with how such a tiny light could overpower the darkness.

Jesus said, "I am the light of the world." What a powerful lesson to teach our little ones, and it's a good reminder for us adults, too!

— Dr. Sheila

Do you have a question for Dr. Sheila? Email your question to [asksheila@crystalcathedral.org](mailto:asksheila@crystalcathedral.org).



# YOUTH



## KIDS

IT'S ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW AT KPP!

The everyday world disappears and Kid Power Plant comes alive! Children are drawn into Kid Power Plant each week because it is so fun and there's always something new and different to discover and learn!

Each Sunday morning, during this revolutionary experience for preschoolers and elementary-aged children, the hands-on activities and the relationships with friends and leaders allow our children the opportunity to "ignite" their inherent potential (Philippians 1:6), "connect" to their God-given plan and dream (Jeremiah 29:11), and "transform" through a positive relationship with Jesus Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17).

We look forward to loving and nurturing your children in friendship and faith, 9:30 AM, 11 AM, and 1:30 PM, Sundays in the Family Life Center – now better known as KID POWER PLANT!

### BLESS YOUR BABY WITH BAPTISM!

If you have a child or are expecting a child, we invite you to call Maureen Winer in Congregational Life for more information about infant baptism, 714-971-4062.



### JR. HIGH STUDENTS

**FUSION:** It's a place where Jr. Highers come together! If you are in 6th, 7th, or 8th grade, FUSION is where you want to be. We have wild and crazy Tuesday night programming, 7 - 9 PM in the Family Life Center basement. From 7 - 7:30 PM is Hang Out time. Then, 7:30 - 9 PM is Games, Life Topic Teachings, Small Groups, and more!

*New Jr. High Pastor – see pg. 1 for details!*



**FUSION SUNDAYS:** It's for students who really want to deepen their faith. We meet Sundays during the 11 AM services in the Family Life Center, room 236.

### HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

**FUEL:** This is where High Schoolers fill up! FUEL shatters the stereotype that church is boring. FUEL is designed to celebrate life and relationships. FUEL meets Wednesday nights, 7 - 9 PM in the Family Life Center basement. From 7 - 7:30 PM is Hang Out



time. Then, 7:30 - 9 PM is Games, Life Topic Teachings, Small Groups, and more!

**SUNDAY FUEL:** This is our growth program. Its goal is to be a place where faith would grow deep and be fruitful, where each student steps into real-life relationship with Christ and with one another. SUNDAY FUEL meets Sunday Mornings during the 11 AM services in B-22 in the Family Life Center.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO "LOVE GOD AND LOVE YOUTH!"

Student Ministries is still in need of volunteers for Tuesday and Wednesday nights. The only requirements are: Love God and Love Youth! Contact Janie Zinn for more details: 714-971-4189 or [janiez@crystalcathedral.org](mailto:janiez@crystalcathedral.org).



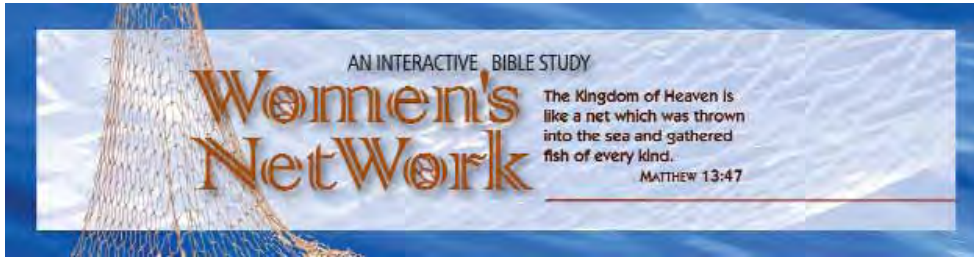
### FAMILY SUNDAYS

**Parking:** Families park next to Family Life Center and take shuttle to church!  
**Shuttle:** Stops next to Family Life Center and other spots around campus!  
**Quiet Room:** In the Tower Lobby, watch the service with your child.



Contact Student Ministries  
 Janie Zinn, Director  
[crystalcathedral.org/ccsm](http://crystalcathedral.org/ccsm)  
 or e-mail:  
[ccsm@crystalcathedral.org](mailto:ccsm@crystalcathedral.org)  
 714-971-4180

# ADULT Ministries



## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

### FIND YOUR NET-WORTH!

Find your Net-Worth at the Women's NetWork Interactive Bible study, with Rhea Zakich, at 9 AM in the Art Gallery. October dates are: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30. For more information, please call 714-971-4080.

### REFRESHING "SOUL FOOD"

From 6:30 to 8:30 PM every Friday evening in the Family Lounge, join the amazing Kim Kimpel for a refreshing time of fellowship, fun, and encouragement during this Bible study designed with you in mind! October dates are 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, and 10/26. For more information or childcare reservations, please call 714-971-4080.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

The Annual Women's Christmas Potluck is coming Tuesday, Dec. 11, 11:30 AM in the Art Gallery with special guest Deb Yurk, our new Pastor of Congregational Life Bring your favorite salad to share!

## MEN'S NETWORK

### MEN'S NIGHT OUT: EVERY MONDAY

If you have a passion for sports, hiking, fishing, hunting, or you name it, you'll find it on Monday nights, 7 PM in the Family Lounge (between Arboretum and Art Gallery). Join men from all walks of life, but with common interests coming together for a time a laughter, learning and growing together. Men, you weren't called to do life alone - come and become part of the Crystal Cathedral Band of Brothers! Questions? Call 714-971-4236.

## LEADERSHIP TRAINING

### MEN AND WOMEN IN THE MARKETPLACE

Friday and Saturday, October 5-6, learn the principles of becoming a Strategic Leadership Coach. Whatever your vocation or aspiration, you can increase your positive impact on others by becoming a person of influence. Learn simple, insightful ways to interact more constructively with others, and watch your personal and organizational success go off the charts.



This training, which has been experienced by more than 300 people in 28 states and four countries, will help you maximize your own potential and that of those around you. Because we are a ministry, we can offer this course at a fraction of the regular cost. Registration, \$185 per person, includes two lunches, coaches' handbook, resources, and the two-day training.

Call 714-544-5679 for reservations. For more information, call Strategic Leadership Coach Coordinator Debbie Lips, 714-971-4081.

## TRAVEL MINISTRY

### OAK GLEN A LA MODE

*Wed., Oct. 10, 9:30 AM - 6 PM, \$60.* Relax in a deluxe motor coach and arrive to enjoy a delicious lunch and apple pie dessert. Enjoy the shopping stops in picturesque Oak Tree Village and Parrish Pioneer Ranch, established by the first settlers 120 years ago. Everyone will receive a WHOLE APPLE PIE to take home.


### NEWPORT CHRISTMAS BOAT PARADE

*Sat., Dec. 15, 2 - 10 PM, \$85.* Travel by deluxe motor coach to Corona del Mar's legendary Five Crowns Restaurant to enjoy their award-winning prime rib dinner. Then, it's a short drive to Roger's Gardens for their "Christmas Fantasy" display. Next, is the Boat Parade, cruising alongside hundreds of decorated boats and homes.

### ROCKETTES AT OC PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

*December 22 or 29, 11 AM, \$75.* Be there to experience the fantastic "Radio City Christmas Spectacular!" Seats are located in Tier 1 Box Seats or Center Orchestra.





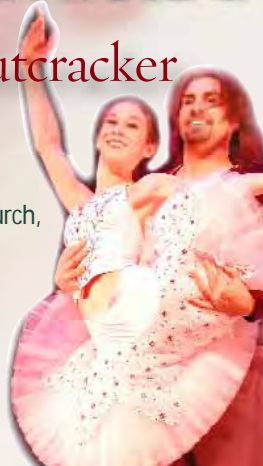
**CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL WOMEN'S MINISTRY PRESENTS:**

## HOLIDAYS on PARADE

### A Night with the Nutcracker

Enjoy scrumptious appetizers as you stroll through the beautifully decorated tables, a catered meal served by the men of our church, lively entertainment from the Tustin Dance Center, and special fellowship time.

**Tuesday, November 13**  
*In the Arboretum, 5:30 - 8:30 PM*  
 Reservations: 714-544-5679



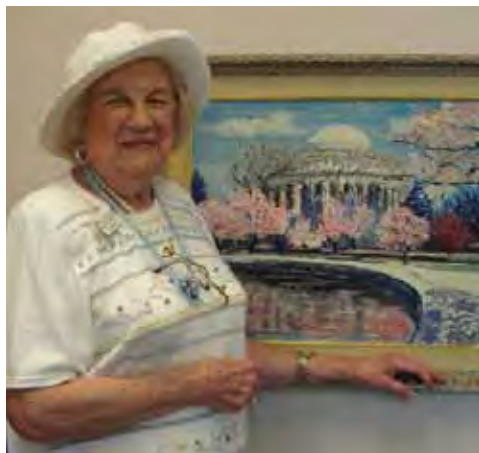
Transportation on your own. Tickets are going fast, so don't delay!

ROSE PARADE FLOAT VIEWING

*Wed., Jan. 2, 7 AM - 2 PM, \$68.* Travel via deluxe motor coach to Pasadena to view the fabulous showcase of floats up close, with lunch at Tam O' Shanter Inn, known for its outstanding service and signature dishes.

RESERVATION INFORMATION

Go to the Box Office or call for details and reservations, 714-544-5679. Trips and pricing are subject to change.



Crystal Cathedral member and accomplished artist Dorothy Schultz to speak.

MATURE ADULTS

OCTOBER "50+ PRIMETIME"

Come! Sing! Laugh! Enjoy! Learn! Grow! Listen! Eat! This popular new "50+" gathering meets again on October 18, 11:30 am - 2 pm in the Arboretum!

Highlights include music, love, prayer, humor, Bible, health, brain-care, inspiration, education, speakers, friendship, and more. A special "An Artist Talks" will feature Dorothy Shultz, graduate



Irene and Carolyn go Hawaiian!

of the prestigious Philadelphia Girls School and Strayer's Business College, and trained in art under the tutelage of the famed artist Edward Lis.

Call 714-971-4031 to reserve your lunch (a reasonable \$5 ea. at the door).

THREE-PART WORKSHOP: "WRITING YOUR STORY"

On Wednesdays, Oct. 31, Nov. 7, and Nov. 14, from 10 AM to NOON, in the Tower of Hope, Floor 3, Rev. Glenn De Master will show us how to write up and preserve our distinct spiritual values in a brief and meaningful way. NOTE: bring \$5 to purchase the booklet. To reserve your spot, call 714-971-4031.



MATURE ADULTS Dr. Jim Kok, Pastor	MEN'S Bob Cavinder, Pastor	TRAVEL Rev. Glenn DeMaster, Pastor	WOMEN'S Michelle Cavinder, Director
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SINGLES

SINGLES FELLOWSHIP:  
SUNDAYS & TUESDAYS

Every Sunday, 11 AM in FLC-470, mature singles do their very best to portray love to each other and to every new person who enters the doorway, and share the wisdom of the Word as applied to everyday living. Every Tuesday, 7 PM in FLC-3, they do the same during "Tuesdays Together." On Sunday mornings and Tuesday evenings at the Crystal Cathedral, find some of the best people in the world just waiting to be your friend.

EMBRACE THE FUTURE THROUGH  
DIVORCE & GRIEF RECOVERY

Divorce & Grief Recovery, "Phase 2: Embracing the Future," begins Thurs., Nov. 1, in FLC-470 at 6:30 PM. Cost is \$50/advance or \$55/door. Divorce & Grief Recovery has been described as, "A place where miracles happen." In these sessions you will find great speakers, understanding, small group support, and even laughter. Each participant receives a notebook plus a copy of

How to Mend a Broken Heart by Dick Innes. The Confident Kids program meets concurrently (\$7/child). To register, call 714-971-4084.

Shopping Possibilities at  
Crystal Cathedral Books & Gifts



Crystal Cathedral Books & Gifts, located in the Welcoming Center, offers inspirational books, music and gifts, unique jewelry and decorative items for the home, 9 AM - 6 PM, 714-971-4148.

Lovely Settings for Your Special Day  
*Crystal Cathedral  
Weddings*

What could be more glorious than a wedding in the sparkling, light-filled Crystal Cathedral? Or more moving than in the beautiful Arboretum? Or more serene than in the Good Shepherd garden? Or more exhilarating than in the Chapel atop the Tower of Hope? These and other settings are available. Call 714-971-4240.



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Grosch teaches all academic subjects with a focus on helping prisoners to pass a GED, so their chances of getting work in the outside world are increased and they don't return to jail. Grosch says the average reading level now in her facility is sixth grade, three grade levels higher than the national average.

"There is a never-ending need for all variety of paperback books and good magazines, such as *National Geographic*, *Discovery*, and cooking, sewing, and fashion periodicals. The most popular books would be from the New York Times bestseller list, romances, mysteries, and spiritual books. I would particularly like to have biographies and poetry books so that I might begin a focus group." She emphasizes that hardback books are not permitted due to their being repositories for illegal items, and inmates are not permitted anything that could be used as a weapon, not even pens, crayons, or markers.



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Miss Lynn, as her students call her, uses the best donated books as prizes or incentives in spelling bees and written exams. The winners of these competitions are allowed to peruse the selections and make a choice, and it is a cause of great excitement in her classes.

When asked about her latest success story, the teacher spoke of "Stevie," a girl who ran away from home at 15 and became involved with a 37-year-old man. Because her mother did not come looking for her, the teenager felt abandoned and ran afoul of the law. Now released for three months, "Stevie" has reconnected with her mother and will soon pass her GED. "She has a positive attitude now and great plans for herself," smiled her instructor. "I think she will do well in the future."

Under the guidance of Dr. Beverly Muffin, Global Missions Director, Crystal Cathedral member Elayne Alexander and Community Missions Director Gudelia Ramirez will be collecting paperback books and magazines for inmates beginning October 7, Sundays on the Plaza, or you may

bring them directly to Tower of Hope, Floor 8. (Note: Be sure to tear off or ink out any identifying addresses on the publications mailed to you.) By donating positive books and magazines, only God knows the lives that will be changed by this simple, yet important, act of love.

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achieve more than we ever dreamed possible. We have the thoughts, we have the ideas, and, as we take action, we find that God gives us the power, the means, and the ability to see these dreams fulfilled and to live the life He intends for us.

As we "walk in our own shoes," come let us discover together how to fulfill the unique plan God has for my life and for YOURS!

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### Join the ESL Family!

Would you like to be part of our English as a Second Language (ESL) family? It's a warm and welcoming one. If you would like to help others in life through the ESL program, we'll help you become a tutor. Or, if you know anyone who who desires to improve their English, please send them our way. For more information, please call Gudelia at 714-971-4047.

### GLOBAL MISSIONS

### "Serve the World" Through Short-Term Missions

International trips are currently being planned to send short-term mission teams to places as close as Mexico, and as far as the Dominican Republic and possibly a return trip to Africa! If you have a heart for bringing the love of Jesus to people in need around the world, please call Gudelia Ramirez for more details, 714-971-4047.

## GET IN TOUCH

Crystal Cathedral ..... 714-971-4000  
 E-Mail ..... info@crystalcathedral.org  
 Web Site ..... crystalcathedral.org

**New Hope Hotline**  
 24-hr. phone counseling ... 714-New-Hope or 639-4673  
 Web Site ..... newhopenow.org  
 TeenLine, 4-10 PM, M-F ... 714-New-Teen or 639-8336  
 Web Site ..... teenline.org

**Rancho Capistrano** ..... 949-347-4000  
 E-Mail ..... info@ranchocapistrano.org  
 Web Site ..... ranchocapistrano.org



## Crystal Cathedral Memorial Gardens

Crystal Cathedral Memorial Gardens is here for you in your time of need, with staff members always willing to listen and help answer all of your questions. For information, call 714-971-4138, or go to [www.crystalcathedral.org/memorial](http://www.crystalcathedral.org/memorial).

### AUGUST INTERMENTS

Hendrickson, Gloria	8/20/07
Sollis, Marilyn	8/22/07
Sollis, Walter	8/22/07

# Rancho Capistrano

The South Campus of the Crystal Cathedral Ministries

## Rancho Capistrano Christian School Nurturing Your Child's Giftedness

Join us at the Annual Hoe-Down and Chili Cook-Off, Friday, October 26, 5:30 - 9 PM. This annual event, open to everyone, is a fall festival of games, fun, family, and entertainment. Get dressed in your western gear and come dance, play, and enjoy great fellowship with the local community and the school's teachers, staff, students, and parents. Highlights include a petting zoo, western train rides, barbeque, and entertainment by Country Western Singer Gary Murray. Admittance is free!

Also this month, the preschoolers will be going on their annual field trip to the pumpkin patch.

In addition to an outstanding academic curriculum, Rancho Capistrano Christian Schools offer enrichment programs of Theatre Arts,

Music, Spanish, Physical Education and Sports, Technology, and the Arts, as well as great electives and after-school programs for preschool through 8th grade students, with a full-day Kindergarten. The preschool is ACSI Accredited. Call 949-347-7860, or e-mail [schools@ranhocapistrano.org](mailto:schools@ranhocapistrano.org).

## Awesome Autumn Weddings A Day to Remember Forever

The fall season - with its lovely weather, spectacular colors, and seasonal delights - it's always a treat for our wedding staff to arrange unique ceremonies and receptions to fit the season and your every desire. Among the many details that may become a part of your plans, making your day unique, is a new Rancho mini-brunch that makes a morning ceremony and reception even more affordable! Please call our Wedding Department at 949-347-4000.

## Lakeside or Garden Patio Holiday Dining Your Christmas Event Beneath the Largest Nativity in the OC!

The Rancho Capistrano Conference & Retreat Center has rooms of all sizes for your Christmas celebrations, and it's not too early to schedule your holiday banquet or party to experience holiday dining in view of the largest Nativity



in Orange County. As weekends book quickly, call now to reserve your date! The sparkling lake and tree-lined paths, all decorated for the holidays, along with our award winning chef's gourmet cuisine, will set the perfect atmosphere for worshipful celebrations of Christ's birthday. Call 949-347-4000, and ask to speak to our Conference Sales Manager, or e-mail [seminars@ranhocapistrano.org](mailto:seminars@ranhocapistrano.org).

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food, prepared meals, and became acquainted with all 19 boys who live there. The generous donations from Crystal Cathedral members and friends allowed us to bring school supplies and backpacks for everyone.

The orphanage, supported solely by donations, meets the boy's basic needs for clothing, food, and housing. Plus, they provide the love and discipline the boys sorely need as they learn the difference between living on the streets, abandoned, neglected, and often abused, and living a life full of promise and hope. So hugs and encouragement, as well as chores and responsibility, are everyday occurrences at Rancho San Juan Bosco.

Gudelia, who drove the group down in an eight-passenger van, was not only our driver and guide, but also our translator and teacher. Gudelia's wisdom in leading the group became quite apparent when the meal I chose to prepare included potato salad. Though Gudelia cautioned me not to add the American cucumber sweet pickle relish to the salad, Alice and I decided it was a necessary

ingredient. Gudelia's cautioning words came back to haunt us as we watched with wrenched hearts nineteen young boys struggling to eat something that tasted horrible and strange. The next day, when Gudelia peeled and sliced over a 100 cucumbers, adding her secret Mexican ingredients, we were happy to see the boys eating and relishing every last bite! So, it wasn't cucumbers, but the spices that were different - what a learning curve.

After this important first trip to Rancho San Juan Bosco, we are committed, with our hearts seared in love, to these 19 amazing boys who desperately need our help. Gudelia will be organizing another trip over the Thanksgiving weekend in November. Please join us, or pray about how you can be of help and support. This article is long enough to share all the realities and the needs of Rancho San Juan Bosco. However, if you would like to know more, if you would like to see pictures, hear our story, and discover how you can help these orphaned boys living not so far away, please call Gudelia at 714-971-4047.

## What the Orphanage Needs:

The Boy's Dormitory: Now in bad need of repair, the dormitory is in the slow process of being replaced by a new building. They are in need of construction help, a new septic system, plus closets, chairs, rugs, dressers, bookcases, and something inspiring to hang on the walls.

A Revived Garden: Because there is no gardener and no one to teach the boys gardening techniques, the fresh vegetable garden is currently quite bedraggled and not producing as much food as it otherwise could.

Groceries: Another church generally provides two week' worth of food each month, so support to provide the other half of the groceries needed is sought.

Utilities: The electric bill runs between \$1,100 and \$1,500 per month; though a new electric plant is being built with a promise that the bills will be lower, donations are needed now to keep up with the current utility costs.



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#### Involvement & Service.

You may wonder what journey has brought me to the Crystal Cathedral, first as a member and now on staff, and why I'm constantly smiling when you see me in church. I grew up in the Midwest, which taught me the joy of hard work, level headedness, and diversity while attending my inner city high school. Later, as a professional ballerina and modern dancer, I learned the importance of discipline and tenacity. While going to school to study psychology, I learned to listen. While completing a computer programming certification, I came to more fully understand the importance of details. When moving to L.A. in support of my husband's music career, I learned to welcome change. As Director of Retention for a university, I've embraced the importance of people connecting with and supporting an institution by using their gifts and talents.

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Dave and I first set foot into the Crystal Cathedral on Memorial Day, 2005. We were inspired! The music, the message, the friendliness of the people, and the presence of God were what we had been searching for and had then found.

Each Sunday we would make the long trek and pray that we could live closer and be more involved with the church. I started working with Calvie Hughson and the "I" team. Dave donated his time and talents through music including playing in the courtyard on our one-year anniversary at the Crystal Cathedral. We were being prepared to do God's work.

Every day I prayed that we would see God's plan and He would allow us to do His good work. Our prayers have been answered in a way that is incredible.

As I begin this journey at my dear Crystal Cathedral, I look to the future with excitement, hope, determination, and a prayerful heart. I am ready to do God's will.

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Brett and Lina are also in the process of adopting a 9-month-old baby boy named Landon. Brett said, "This past Easter we visited the first church I worked at and I ran into one of my old Jr. Highers. Even though it had been years since I had seen her, she approached me and said that she had made some mistakes and had a 9-month-old son currently in the foster care system. She wanted to ask if my wife and I would be willing to adopt him. Well, here we are months later, waiting for a few final details, and he will be our son." (Now that is what I call a quick family.)

Brett enjoys many aspects of student ministry, but some of his favorites are:

- The Challenge of teaching the Gospel in new and creative ways.
- The Opportunity to be a part of the youths' lives.
- The Impact the kids make in my own personal life.
- The View of seeing the youth as my own kids.
- The Outrageous games and stuff kids will do for a 25-cent prize.

Brett envisions the Crystal Cathedral Jr. High Student Ministry to be a place where the youth feel welcome and are not embarrassed to bring their friends, a place that helps Jr. High Students in their relationship with Christ, and a place that guides them to discover their God-given gifts/talents and equips them to use those gifts for God's glory. Brett's desire is to build a strong volunteer leadership team to mentor Jr. High Students in small groups and/or one-on-one, and to reach our local community including our local public schools.

I recently asked Brett to share with me his calling

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to our ministry and his decision to accept it. His response was: "In January, my wife and I felt the Lord's calling to leave the church where I was serving as High School Pastor. With no knowledge of what was in store for us, we packed up our things and moved back to Southern California.

"During many sleepless nights I would stroll around the neighborhood and talk with God. Within me there was a sense of emptiness... I got in the habit of looking weekly on a nationwide web site for youth pastors and job openings, however I never found anything that was a good fit. A little over a month ago I opened up the web site and there was the Crystal Cathedral. I knew it was a long shot, but decided to at least knock on the door. A few days later I was sitting in the office with Janie, who took me on tour of the campus. Once I saw the youth room, I could see the Lord's vision of lifelong transformation happening in that room. I left that meeting

in high spirits excited about what the Lord would do in the Crystal Cathedral Student Ministries and I began praying, asking for guidance if this is where the Lord wants me to be. After a handful of meetings, tons of prayer, and spending time listening for the Lord's direction, I was offered the position and am excited to serve as the Jr. High Pastor for XLR8 Jr. High Student Ministries."

I asked Brett if there were any final thoughts he would like to share about his love for Jr. High Student Ministries. His response was, "Many people ask why I am in church work. They know that it takes long hours, small pay, and the positive feedback is rarely heard. My answer is that this is the calling the Lord has in my life and that the day I am in heaven and get to see all of the youth, there will be no greater reward."

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a long line of fundraisers that support our child and youth programs, which serve the children in our church community. The funds are used to fund the various budgets as well as provide scholarships, primarily to youth camps. Last year the funds were especially helpful in enabling nearly fifty children to attend Family Camp.

This year the youth auction has been completely remodeled. It will be an evening of dining and dancing in the gorgeous Welcoming Center. Tables as well as individual tickets and raffle tickets may be purchased. The grand prize is a new vehicle from Anaheim Chevrolet. The first prize is \$3,000 towards tuition at one of the Crystal Cathedral schools (pre-school through high school) or an HDTV. The second prize is \$500.

You won't want to miss out on helping the children by having a night to remember. Some of the items we are auctioning off include week's stays at a posh condominium in Maui (worth \$2,000), a week's stay at the resort at the Westin Mission Hills Resorts and Villas in Rancho Mirage in December (worth \$2,200), life-sized animated Dickens carolers (worth \$8,000), and animated Disney country bear jamboree (worth \$3,000), just to name a few.

Tickets for the event are \$100 and include the cost of admission to the auction, dinner, and entertainment. Opportunity Drawing (raffle) tickets may be purchased six for \$250 or \$50 each. If you are interested in purchasing a table (for eight) where you will be seated with Dr. and Mrs. Schuller, \$5,000 will reserve that spot for you as well as a full page ad in the auction booklet for your company and 12 raffle tickets. Other packages are also available.

The kids need your help! You can make a difference, get a tax write-off, and have fun in the process! Go to the Box Office in the Welcoming Center or call today for reservations, 714-544-5679. And if you can't join us for the evening, it is not too late to donate items! (See more details on page 16.)

# MORE NEWS

## Dr. Schuller to Speak During Yale Conference on Sacred Space

Our Founding Pastor, Dr. Robert H. Schuller, was honored with the invitation to present the Keynote Address during Yale's esteemed conference, Sacred Space: Architecture for Worship in the 21st Century, on Thursday, October 25, at 6 PM in Marquand Chapel on the Yale University campus.

In an era of cultural, political, and ethical transition, this conference is designed to offer a conscious reflection on how sacred space offers individuals and societies new possibilities for charting their futures by drawing upon their pasts. Dr. Schuller, in his participation, joins other scholars as well as architects, including Richard Meier (architect of our beautiful Welcoming Center), in helping to interpret the complex ways in which sacred space continues to captivate a changing world.

In her invitation to Dr. Schuller, Rev. Jaime Lara, PHD, Yale University's Program in Religion and the Arts Chairperson, said, "I can guarantee you that the most articulate thinkers of the academic world will be in attendance and will want to engage you in a professional way about your daring decision to choose Philip Johnson and his design for your new house of worship."

The conference is offered in conjunction with the symposium, Constructing the Ineffable: Contemporary Sacred Architecture, October 26-27, presented by the Yale School of Architecture

with support from Yale Divinity School and Yale Institute of Sacred Music.

Please keep Dr. Schuller and all the participants in your prayers as they discuss and exchange ideas about this important topic.

## Enjoy Songs of the Past and Support Our Troops!

Sponsored in part by our Crystal Cathedral Veteran's Ministry, Echo Entertainment will perform a musical review of the '50s and '60s at 7 PM on November 3 in the Freed Theater. No tickets are necessary but a free-will offering will be taken to provide gifts for our wounded soldiers. Revisit those songs from the past, take part in a sing-along, and support our troops. They need you and so do we!

## Job Opportunity: Reservation Phone Center & Box Office

Full- and part-time seasonal phone operators are needed to accept reservations for upcoming events at the Crystal Cathedral. Candidates must have good verbal skills and one year of computer experience.

Typing minimum is 45 WPM. Customer service and bilingual a plus. Must be able to work Oct. 29 - Jan. 5 (*The Glory of Christmas*) with extended seasonal possibilities during the spring (*The Glory of Easter*). Our operating hours are: Mon. through Fri., 9 AM - 6 PM; Saturday, closed; and Sunday, 9 AM - 1 PM. During the run of the



show (Nov. 23 to Dec. 30), our hours throughout the week 9 AM - 6 PM (box office hrs. extended 30 min. after the show begins). Training will start the end of October. Operators must be able to work at least 24-40 hours weekly. Rate of pay starts at \$10+ per hour depending on experience.

If you are interested, please call Human Resources at 714-971-4332, Mon. through Fri., 7 AM - 3:30 PM.

## Dec. 2: The Messiah Returns!

Last year's concert overflowed the cathedral, so this year, be sure to get there early to ensure yourself and your party a seat!

Mark your calendars now for this sure-to-be spectacular evening of music at 7:30 PM on Sunday, December 2 as Don Neuen and the Crystal Cathedral Choir with Orchestra once again present Handel's beloved, classic, and soul-stirring oratorio, Messiah.

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says. After that she sensed the presence of God with her every day for 40 days, reassuring and loving her. "This convinced me I had some work to do for God," Pat says.

Pat went on to earn an M.S. in School Psychology and has recently retired from Chino Valley School District. Her son is one of the leading physicians in the Veterans Administration. Ole, her husband, a potent Harvard Business School graduate, and the Crystal Cathedral Business Manager in the '80s, was her partner through it all. Sad to say, Ole went to heaven in 1988 leaving Pat with a fresh life challenge."

Today Pat is a model "50+" citizen. She is active as a Ministering Elder, continually employed by her long-time school district, a good

friend, and an active Christian. Her story has been written up by Robert H. Schuller in his books *Be Happy You Are Loved* and in *You Can Be the Person You Want to Be*. But there is more to it, and Pat is presently finishing her personal account. She is telling her version of a life God saved in a remarkable way and the monumental effort she had to mobilize to become what God wanted her to be.

Pat still carries the scars, of course, but for every scar on her body there is a star in her crown for the exemplary effort, in the face of overwhelming difficulties, Pat exerted to recover and rebuild. Our tradition at the Crystal Cathedral is to lift up people, like Pat, who has "turned her scars into stars," thereby motivating and inspiring other struggling souls endeavoring to build new lives.

## Your IRA: Make it a Gift to the Crystal Cathedral Congregation Endowment Fund

A new law allows people who are 70 ½ years and older to make a current gift of up to \$100,000 from a traditional or Roth IRA. Gifts made this way are not subject to income tax.

At 70 ½ years old, owners of IRAs must begin taking taxable distributions from their plans. (Remember that IRAs were never intended to avoid taxes, only to defer them.) At 70 ½, it is time to pay the piper. Many people will, therefore, find it more advantageous to use their IRAs to make charitable gifts, than to make gifts from other resources.

This opportunity applies only to gifts made during 2007. The transfer of the funds must be made directly by your plan administrator.

Please also consider naming the Crystal cathedral Congregation endowment fund as a beneficiary of a portion of the amount left in your IRA at the time of your death. Generally, it is better to leave IRA assets to charity and cash and stocks to family.

If you would like to further explore the possibility of supporting the Crystal Cathedral, please call Rev. Glenn DeMaster at 714-971-4311 or e-mail glennnd@crystalcathedral.org.



"Passing the torch to future generations!"

# The JOY of GIVING

"One poor widow...gave two mites...  
her whole livelihood" Mark 12:41-44

# Encourage our Youth!

CRYSTAL  
CATHEDRAL



(Above:) Participate in the "Opportunity Drawing" for this new car, and bid on exciting items, including many animatronics' figures (Right:) like these Christmas carolers.

Whether or not you are able to attend the Child/Youth Auction, "A Night of Crystal Reflections: Illuminating a Child's Dreams," on Saturday evening, October 6, in the beautiful Welcoming Center, you may still bid on items at a SUPER SNEAK PREVIEW, Friday, Oct. 5, 3-6 PM, Welcoming Center, no entrance fee, bid or buy it now!



## SERVICE & INVOLVEMENT

## volunteer classifieds

### Sew Costumes

(Gifts: Service, Helps, Artistic)

Enjoy sewing? Call us about making one costume at-home for international fashion show in Dec. Pattern, thread, fabric provided.

### Intercessory Prayer Partner – Online

(Gifts: Intercessory Prayer, Faith)

Love praying for others? Have a computer and are connected to the Internet? Go online and pray for people who communicate with us from around the world. Work from your home computer at your leisure. Encourage others through prayer.

### Box Office Helpers

(Gifts: Admin, Service, Helps)

Assist "Glory" staff in the box office during performance evenings. Schedule varies. Hand out tickets as people arrive for pick-up.

### Ticket Stuffers/Alphabetizers

(Gifts: Helps and Service)

Assist "Glory" staff by stuffing tickets in envelopes and alphabetizing them. Serve at the Crystal Cathedral Service Center; flexible daytime hours.



### The Glory of Christmas Servers

(Gifts: Service, Encouragement, Evangelism, Hospitality)

Cast Members: Inspire others. Serve on alternate nights, 11/21-12/30. Call before 11/1. Rehearsals begin 11/6.

Ushers: Assist visitors with finding their seats.

Greeters: Greet those waiting and check tickets to assure that they are in the proper line. Be friendly and helpful.

### Lampson Elementary Reading Volunteer

(Gifts: Service, Mercy, Teaching)

Help children improve reading skills. Choose your weekday morning to help, ten minutes listening to each child read. Supervised by classroom teacher.

### Ministry Promoter on the Plaza

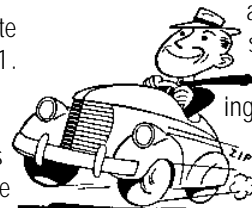
(Gifts: Hospitality, Encouragement, Service)

Engage people who wish to serve at the Crystal Cathedral. Hand out literature and sign them up. Be friendly and helpful. All info. provided. Help one Sunday a month. Great training by Calvie.

### Fifth-Sunday Shuttle Drivers

(Gifts: Hospitality, Service, Encouragement)

Serve others by transporting them from parking areas to the church for worship. Help us only on the fifth Sundays of the month during the year. Great fun, thorough training, and a rewarding ministry assignment.



VOLUNTEER ONLINE at [crystalcathedral.org/volunteer](http://crystalcathedral.org/volunteer). Complete a profile and discover ways to become involved! OR CALL Nicole Stevens, Director of Involvement & Service Ministry, at 714/971-4321. OR E-MAIL [nicoles@crystalcathedral.org](mailto:nicoles@crystalcathedral.org). OR SEE ROTO-RACK on the Plaza every Sunday morning for complete listings.