



Maranatha Sunday School Class



Class notes

Today: 4 January 2015	Next Week: 11 January 2015
<u>Birthdays:</u> Leslie Paris (8) Gary's Smith (8) Joel Panciera (9)	<u>Birthdays:</u> Kayla Rogers (11) David Worthington (16) David Rose (12) Kristy Hayes (14)
<u>Anniversaries:</u>	<u>Anniversaries:</u>
<u>Prayer today:</u> Meredith Wansley	<u>Prayer next week:</u> Sarah Maldonado
<u>Speaker this week:</u> Jose-Luis Hernandez Estrada	<u>Speaker next week:</u> Brandon Scott
<u>Snacks this week:</u> Rex & Allene Donley James Kilman	<u>Snacks next week:</u> Melanie & David Shepherd Paula & Skip Scot

MINUTES of the CLASS

Opened class with prayer at: 9:45

Class recorder was turned on at: 10:00 Off at: 10:45.

Thank you for the snacks and refreshments.

FINANCE:

1. A gentle reminder to pay your auction commitment.
2. Susie will be forthcoming with a "snap shot" of our finances in the near future; she is currently undergoing a computer conversion--and we ALL know how well that goes with old files to new files...ugh!
3. Karen Campbell, mentioned to get your donation forms into any member of the Finance committee; first vote/distribution will be in March.



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MISSIONS:

Rob Rowe: Those who have volunteered to donate cookies, please deliver them on **January 8th** in the Jubilee kitchen.

Please sign up for the Chili Supper, February 23. Signup sheet is going around.

13 February: Day Center for the Homeless.

Socials:

January 23: @ 6PM, International Progressive Dinner. Angie is passing the signup sheet around.

Announcements:

Pam Low: New class rosters are on the attendance table. Last page has Alumni on listed on it. One correction needed is for the Evans, you need to change the area code to 321. Pam also said she heard from Bob Ronne; he is living in Washington State, met his soul mate for life, is doing good and appreciates still getting the Maranatha newsletter--he stills like he is a part of our class.

Gabrielle is asking if anyone would be interested in forming a book/study group on the side to continue their Christian walk in faith. Please let her know.

Jim Embrey:

1. I passed around a tri-fold I want to develop for our class to give to new/prospective members. Please provide feedback on what to include on this hand out.
2. You noticed the class layout being changed up. Please provide feedback...my goal is to help ease traffic congestion in the back.
3. Please welcome the David and Carol Grim as our attendance clerks. Please ensure you check in with them to be counted on the roll call for file/record.
4. Thank you Mary Bundren for a great 2014 year. We all appreciate your leadership and friendship throughout the whole year. Also a thank you to Clark, your wingman for being there for you.



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5. Please provide feedback as we go a long with our class throughout the year to see how we can make it more and more value added for everyone.



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Joys & Concerns:

- I apologize for not being able to get to Joys & Concerns, we just ran out of time. Please include in your daily prayers for the unspoken concerns and know that we do care.
- Please email me (maranathaclass@gmail.com) any and all Joys & Concerns and I will incorporate them next week.



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Technical Notes:

- "If you are receiving duplicate class news emails, and would like to make the duplicates stop, find the unsubscribe link in the email from "Maranatha Class Website" and delete your subscription to the maranathaclass.wordpress.org website."
- We now have functioning WiFi in our classroom.
- The overhead projector worked great too.
- Sound system works with laptops too.
- Audio is available normally the following week (has to be processed and up loaded to the site by "Word Press" (the company we use to set up our website)). This whole process can take up to a week after the class.
- Here is the link to the audio file tab: <http://www.bostonavenue.org/maranatha.html>.
- Note: if we do not use the microphone, the recorder will not pick up the speaker.
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Go in Peace,

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