Alive in Christ

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November 2026: Co-Labors

"But now God has set the members, each one of them, in the body just as He pleased." 1 Corinthians 12:18

God's Fellow Workers

We will continue to share about co-laborers this month because of it's God's design for His church. We co-labor with God, who has completed the work through our Lord Jesus. We enter His work through faith. His church is made up of many members, and each has a part (1 Cor. 12). We get our part from the Lord through Jesus and the Holy Spirit. This includes working with fellow believers as God orders the steps. Many years ago, my wife took our children to a VBS in Indio. At that time the Lord, had just called me to youth ministry. The calling came as I was driving to my next assignment as a salesman in 1998. In 1999, the Lord brought it to pass. After the VBS, Stella told me, "You have to meet this youth pastor that I met at VBS." So, I went with her one day and met Pastor Fernando.

About a year later, I invited him to guest speak at our club at Indio HS. This is part of the vision, *"Invite youth ministers from the community where the high school is located."* After the meeting, I told Pastor Fernando, you are welcome to come back any time. Well, as God would have it, he kept coming back every week and has remained since. A faithful friend he has been. Since then, God has also brought Pastor Uriel, who ministers in Indio, to the campuses there. Pastor Cheyla in Thermal, ministers at La Familia. We continue to trust God to send His ministers from their respected communities.

Pastor Fernando now, helps CV Parsonage by leading our clubs at Desert Mirage, Coachella Valley HS, and La Familia HS. This month, I asked Pastor Fernando to give a report on the ministry in these areas. This is his report.

Campus Ministry

As we continue to reach and serve this new generation, I am reminded of the words the Apostle Peter: *"The Lord isn't really slow about his promise…He is patient towards us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance."* 2 Peter 3:9

We hit the ground running this year, and with the support and dedication of our advisors, we are excited to share that our Bible clubs are already beginning to bear fruit. Under the direction of the Holy Spirit, we are seeing students engage with God's word in meaningful and encouraging ways. One of the most exciting developments has been the response of students during our Bible study meetings. Beyond their faithful attendance, we are seeing a growing interest in understanding Scripture and applying it to their lives. Students are not simply participating in discussions; they are asking thoughtful questions and seeking to go deeper in what God's word is teaching them.

One particularly encouraging example is a freshman who attended one of our recent studies. Much of that meeting was spent answering students' questions, which gave us an opportunity to present the gospel in a simple, practical way, just as

scriptures teaches. At the end of the study, the student approached us and asked how he could receive Jesus. He expressed his desire by saying, "I want Jesus in my heart." In that moment, he decided to give his heart to Jesus.

Next week, we plan to give him his own Bible, so he can take it home and continue to learn God's word and grow in his faith. Stories like this remind us why this ministry matters. As we faithfully invest in the lives of these students, we are encouraged to see their hearts opening to the gospel, and their desire to know God is growing. We look forward to seeing how the Lord continues to work in this new generation through our Bible clubs.

Thank you for your support and prayers,
Pastor Fernando Curiel

Thankful Service

Thank you for believing God with us and being a part of this ministry. I am thankful that the Lord has brought us all together for this purpose. We are God's team, working together to sow His Word into the hearts on these campuses. We give Him the thanks and praise! Have a blessed Thanksgiving with your loved ones.

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Mission:
A Christian based organization that teaches and shares the gospel of Jesus Christ, which promotes spiritual guidance and educational resources to community families in the East Coachella Valley.

Vision:
To be a witness of Jesus Christ on local high schools and to equip high school students to be witnesses on their campuses.

East Valley Bible Clubs

*During lunch**

Tuesday*
Amistad HS Rm. 218 (Christ in Action)
Advisor: Mrs. Barboza

Coachella Valley HS (Key2Life)
1st Lunch: **Rm. 140** Mr. Galaway
2nd Lunch: **Rm. 131** Mr. Gonzalez
Advisor: Mr. Gonzalez

Wednesday*
La Familia Rm. 15 (Chosen Path)
Advisor: Mrs. Martinez

Thursday*
Desert Mirage HS (J316)
1st & 2nd lunch: **TBA/H7-107**
Advisor: Mr. Espejo

Indio HS. Rm. 3225 (Jesus Loves You)
Advisor: Mrs. Gagnon

Bobby Duke MS (Redemption Club) TBA