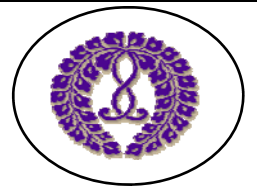


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December - 2008

December

2 Beef Stick Skewering	2:00 pm
3 Beef Stick Skewering	6:00 pm
4 Electrical Farm Equipment Parade (Food Booths)	5:00 pm
C.C.B.W.L. Cabinet Meeting (Fowler)	7:00 pm
6 Buddhist Broadcast in English on KBIF	7:25 am
Sekishiro Family Memorial Service	11:00 am
7 Rev. Shibata to San Jose Betsuin Bodhi Day Service	
Dharma School Service	9:30 am
Dharma School Teachers' Meeting	11:00 am
Reedley Bonenkai	12:00 pm
8 Board of Directors Ballot Counting	7:00 pm
9 Board Meeting	7:00 pm
10 Dana Circle Night	7:00 pm
13 Vision & Preservation Committee Sponsored Combined Service (Visalia)	2:00 pm
Monthly Memorial Service	7:00 pm
14 Dharma School Grandparents' Tea Service	10:00 am
B.W.A. Cabinet Installation & General Meeting	1:00 pm
17 C.C. Buddhist Ministerial Association Meeting (Fresno)	3:00 pm
C.C. Buddhist Ministerial Association Bonenkai	6:00 pm
18 C.C.D.C. of B.C.A. Meeting (Reedley)	7:00 pm
19 Mochigome Washing	6:00 pm
20 Buddhist Broadcast in English on KBIF	7:25 am
21 No Dharma School Mochitsuki	6:00 am
Rev. Sensho Inouye Retirement Luncheon (Spike & Rail Restaurant)	11:30 am
Dinuba Buddhist Church General Meeting	2:00 pm
27 Buddhist Broadcast in Japanese on KBIF	7:25 am
28 No Dharma School Service	

Buddhist Women's Association toban for December is South & West Districts.

CHURCH ACKNOWLEDGES DANA

Dr. & Mrs. Michael Maruyama—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Ayako Maruyama	\$ 25.00
Mrs. Jean Kobashi—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Umeyo Fujioka	10.00
Reedley Judo Club—Use of Facilities	500.00
Dr. & Mrs. Michael Maruyama—In Memory of Father, Mr. Herbert Fukuo Maruyama, & Grandparents, Mr. Kozuchi & Mrs. Misayo Nagao	75.00

CHURCH ACKNOWLEDGES DANA

Dr. & Mrs. Russell Hosaka—In Memory of Mrs. Ann Iwasaki	\$ 25.00
Dr. & Mrs. Michael Maruyama—In Memory of Grandmother, Mrs. Mitsue Maruyama	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Iwasaki—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Isami Ann Iwasaki	700.00
Mrs. Midori Nishida—In Memory of Mrs. Dorothy Garcia	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Nishida—In Memory of Mrs. Dorothy Garcia	20.00
Masumoto Family—In Memory of Grandfather, Mr. Sawaichi Matoi	10.00
Kajihara Family—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Yoshiko Kajihara	Undisclosed
Mrs. Amy Naito—In Memory of Mrs. Dorothy Garcia	50.00
Mrs. Sumiye Okita—In Memory of Mrs. Dorothy Garcia	20.00
Mrs Amy Naito—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Tsuru Naito, & Brother, Mr. Takashi Naito	20.00
Miss Amy Naito—In Memory of Mrs. Dorothy Garcia	20.00
Sasaki Family—Funeral Donation in Memory of Mother, Mrs. Kikue Sasaki	650.00
Mr. & Mrs. Kiyoshi Kawamoto—17th Year Memorial for Mother, Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	150.00
Mrs. Miyeko Kamikawa—17th Year Memorial for Mother, Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. Jon Kawamoto—17th Year Memorial for Grandmother, Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Steve Hendricks—17th Year Memorial for Grandmother, Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	25.00
Mr. Alden Kamikawa—17th Year Memorial for Grandmother, Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Barry Kondo—17th Year Memorial for Grandmother, Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Haruichi Hanemoto—In Memory of Mrs. Suye Kawamoto	50.00

NOVEMBER MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATIONS:

\$10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Hirata (Mr. Shozo Kubo)
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Hirata (Mrs. Lois Yamamoto)
Mrs. Mae Hosaka
Mrs. Chizuko Iwasaki
Mr. & Mrs. Kunimitsu Iwo
Mrs. Toshiko Kawagoe
Mrs. Alice Nakamura
Mrs. Fujiye Okino

CHURCH ACKNOWLEDGES DANA (CONTINUED)

NOVEMBER MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATIONS (Continued):

\$10.00

Mrs. Sayoko Otani	Miss Shizuko Taguchi
Mr. & Mrs. Susumu Sasaki (Mrs. Kiyome Sasaki)	Mr. Johnnie Togioka
Mr. & Mrs. Susumu Sasaki (Mr. Chikara Sasaki)	Mrs. Mary Uyeda
Mrs. Kazuko Taguchi	Mrs. Ellen Yamada

\$15.00

Mrs. Ayako Yamada

\$20.00

Mr. & Mrs. Masaru Abe	Mr. & Mrs. Jeffery Naito
Mrs. Nancy Abe	Mr. & Mrs. Larry Nishida
Mr. & Mrs. Joe Ikemiya	Mr. Jim Sasaki
Mrs. Carolyn Ikemiya	Mrs. Hiroko Shimosono
Mrs. Kikuyo Ikemiya	Mrs. Yukiye Takayama
Mr. & Mrs. George Kimura	Mrs. Michiko Teranishi
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Kobayashi	Mrs. Hiroko Toyota
Mrs. Amy Naito	

\$25.00

Mrs. Michiko Ikeda	Mrs. Yoshiko Kubota
Mrs. Yukiko Ito	Mr. Michael Naito

\$30.00

Mrs. Yasuko Murase	Mr. & Mrs. Fred Nishida
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\$50.00

Mrs. Nancy Kimura	Mr. & Mrs. Kenichi Sunamoto
Mr. & Mrs. Michio Miyamoto	

EITAIKYO SERVICE DONATIONS

\$10.00

Mr. & Mrs. Masaru Abe	Mrs. Sayoko Otani
Mrs. Nancy Abe	Mrs. Ruth Sasaki
Mr. & Mrs. Hitoshi Aoki	Mr. Hideo Shiine
Mr. & Mrs. Yasuo Hashimoto	Mrs. Kazuko Taguchi
Mrs. Carolyn Ikemiya	Mrs. Kay Takanishi
Mr. & Mrs. Joe Ikemiya	Mrs. Lillian Takayama
Mrs. Kikuyo Ikemiya	Mrs. Kimiye Tanizaki
Mr. & Mrs. Harry Inn	Mr. Akio Tatami
Mrs. Chizuko Iwasaki	Mrs. Kazuko Tatami
Mr. & Mrs. Kunimitsu Iwo	Tavlan Family
Mrs. Toshiko Kawagoe	Mrs. Michiko Teranishi
Mr. & Mrs. Kiyoshi Kawamoto	Mr. Johnnie Togioka
Mr. & Mrs. George Kimura	Mrs. Mary Uyeda
Mrs. Kiyoko Nakagawa	Mrs. Ayako Yamada
Mr. & Mrs. Ben Nobuhiro	Mrs. Ellen Yamada
Mrs. Fujiye Okino	

\$20.00

Mr. & Mrs. Haruichi Hanemoto	Mr. & Mrs. Ben Kubota
Mr. & Mrs. James Hatakeda	Mr. & Mrs. Michio Miyamoto
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Hirata	Mrs. Elsie Morita
Mrs. Michiko Ikeda	Mrs. Amy Naito
Dr. & Mrs. Kenneth Ikemiya	Mr. & Mrs. Sammy Nakagawa
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Kimura	Mr. & Mrs. Larry Nishida
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Kobayashi	Mr. & Mrs. Gary Sakata
Mrs. Nagiko Konishi	Mrs. Yukiye Takayama

EITAIKYO SERVICE DONATIONS (Continued)

\$25.00

Mrs. Yukiko Ito
Mr. Michael Naito

Mrs. Lillian Kuwata

\$30.00

Mrs. Yasuko Murase

Mr. & Mrs. Darryl Wong-Sing

\$35.00

Mr. & Mrs. George Tsuji

\$50.00

Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Nishinaka
Mr. & Mrs. Dale Okamura

Mr. & Mrs. Kenichi Sunamoto

BUDDHIST WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Mrs. Sakaye Oba—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Hisa Katsuki	\$25.00
Mr. Johnnie Togioka—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Fumi Togioka, & Wife, Mrs. Marian Togioka	10.00
Mrs. Lillian Kuwata—In Memory of Mrs. Mitsuko Ibara	25.00
Mr. Terashi Ibara—In Memory of Wife, Mrs. Mitsuko Ibara	100.00
Mrs. Ayako Yamada—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Kazumi Morikawa, & Mother-in-Laaw, Mrs. Satomi Yamada	30.00
Mrs. Teruko Shibata—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Tomeye Shimizu	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Iwasaki—In Memory of Mother, Mrs. Isami Ann Iwasaki	500.00

ALTAR FLOWER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Family of the late Mrs. Yoshiko Kajihara—Eitaikyo Service

Family of the late Mrs. Kikue Sasaki—November 23rd Dharma School Service

NOVEMBER MEMORIAL SERVICES

The following special family memorial services were conducted during the month of November:

Kajihara Family—Memorial Service (Tsuito Hoyo) for Mother, late Mrs. Yoshiko Kajihara

Yamada Family—Graveside Memorial Service (Tsuito Hoyo) for late Mr. Tom Yamada

Sasaki Family—7th Day Memorial for Mother, late Mrs. Kikue Sasaki

Kawamoto Family—17th Year Memorial for Mother, late Mrs. Suye Kawamoto

IN SYMPATHY

We extend our deepest sympathies to the family members of the late Mrs. Yoshiko Kajihara, who passed away on November 4, 2008, at the age of 73; family members of the late Mr. Tom Yamada, who passed away on November 13, 2008, at the age of 85 and the family members of the late Mrs. Kikue Sasaki, who passed away on November 14, 2008, at the age of 86.

Thank you!

2008 Food Bazaar Volunteers

Dear Friends,

I wish to express my sincere and heartfelt appreciation to the Reedley Buddhist Church board of directors, Food Bazaar Committee chairs, and committee volunteers for all of your hard work, dedication, and joyful participation. Without each and every one of you this year's successful event could not have taken place. I still marvel at your clockwork precision and teamwork!

Looking out, from the stage at the community center, over all the volunteers and community members that day - assembling the lunch boxes, shopping, eating, talking and generally enjoying themselves - reminded me of growing up in the church and being part of many of the past fifty-six food bazaars. So many of the familiar faces are no longer with us but there are many new ones too. We know that Impermanence is part of life - we also know that the invisible ties that bind us together span generations. Your commitment to the Reedley Buddhist Church and your joyful hard work continues to bind us as one church and one community. Thank you for allowing me to be part of this great event.

Best wishes, Kathy Omachi (Event Chairperson)

DECEMBER MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE

The December Monthly Memorial Service will be conducted on Saturday, December 13h, from 7:00 p.m. Please note that the day for the service has been changed from December 6th to the 13th. Family and friends are asked to attend and offer incense. The deceased and seshu (observants) for December are as follows:

DECEASED:

Sei Asami
Masutaro Hanemoto, Hisano Hanemoto & Tadaharu
Hanemoto
Tsuya Hashimoto
Tojiro Hatakeda
Reiko Hatanaka
Yoichi Hirata
Shizuye Kubo & Harry Teichi Kubo
Kaju Hori & Momi Araki
Mits Ibara & Koichi Takahashi
Moton Nakata
Ben Tsutomu Tsudama
Yoshiko Doris Furumoto
Hozo Iwasaki & Fumiye Fukamoto
Shizuko Hirano & Tsuneno Fujii
Yoshitaro Kawakami
Suye Kawamoto & Moto Tanaka
Teiichi Yamasaki
Emiko Amie Kawasaki
Mitsuko Ito
Masajiro Kubota, Kiku Kubota, Kimiko Nishimura,
& Masami Yoneta
Sakuji Hashimoto, Makoto Hashimoto, Satoru
Hashimoto, Hideo Hashimoto & Misako
Hashimoto
Kazuko Matoi
Koma Moto Murase
Mumeyo Bungo
John Yoshiharu Nishida
Sabuo Dan Nishinaka
Shintaro Murakami & Yasu Murakami
Kyoichi Sakuragi & Shinji Okamura
Mosaku Mori & Shigeo Mori
Jintaro Otani
Tomeye Shimizu, Mitsue Shimizu & Waka Shimizu
Orinosuke Shiine
Fujiye Shirakawa
Fred Shigeshi Taguchi, Sumitaro Taguchi & Namijiro
Taguchi
Hideo Taira
Gunjiro Takasaki
Miya Muto
Issaku Tsuneta
Rito Sakamoto
Kikuye Okamoto & Shiro Ego
Ken Togioka & Chizuyo Dobashi
Natsuko Ideue & Mitsuru Ideue
Torazo Tsuji
Satoru Morikawa

SESHU (OBSERVANTS):

Taro Asami
Haruichi Hanemoto
Yasuo Hashimoto
Misa Hatakeda
Tatsuko Hatanaka
Bill Hirata
Mary Hirata & Mae Hosaka
Tashi Hori
Terashi Ibara
Carolyn Ikemiya
Kiyoko Inn
Mary Ishida
Chizuko Iwasaki
Lorraine Iwo
Kikuko Kawakami
Kiyoshi Kawamoto
Sue Kawamoto
Stuart Kawasaki
Helen Kimura
Ben Kubota
Shizu Kunishige
Kenneth Masumoto
Yasuko Murase
Grace Nakagawa
Fred Nishida
Ronald Nishinaka
Ben Nobuhiro
Dale Okamura
Fujiye Okino
Sayoko Otani
Teruko Shibata
Hideo Shiine
Ayako Sunamoto
Kazuko Taguchi
Byron Taira
George Takasaki
Mary Takusagawa
Kimiye Tanizaki
Akio Tatami
Michiko Teranishi
Johnnie Togioka
Hiroko Toyota
George Tsuji
Ayako Yamada

REEDLEY ELECTRICAL FARM EQUIPMENT PARADE

The Reedley Buddhist Church Futures Committee will be selling beefsticks again at the Reedley Electrical Farm Equipment Parade on Thursday, December 6, 2008. We will be skewering the beef sticks in two shifts this year: Tuesday, December 2nd, at 2:00 p.m. (for those who do not want to come out at night) and on Wednesday, December 3rd at 6:00 p.m.

We will appreciate help from all Dharma school families and BWA members who can attend.

MOCHITSUKI

The annual mochitsuki sponsored by the Reedley Buddhist Church will be held on Saturday, December 21st, beginning at 6:00 a.m.

Members, young and old, are requested to come out and help. Both men and women volunteers are needed for the mochitsuki. Even one or two hours of help will be greatly appreciated. All church Members are asked to participate as this is a Reedley Buddhist Church sponsored fund raiser.

Mochi will be sold at \$3.00 per pound and \$2.00 per set of okasane mocha.

Order forms will be mailed out to all the members and also to non-members, who ordered mocha last year.

2009 MEMORIAL SERVICE YEAR LIST

1st Year Memorial Service	2008	Heisei	20
3rd Year Memorial Service	2007	Heisei	19
7th Year Memorial Service	2003	Hesiei	15
13th Year Memorial Service	1997	Heisei	9
17th Year Memorial Service	1993	Heisei	5
25th Year Memorial Service	1985	Showa	60
33rd Year Memorial Service	1977	Showa	52
50th Year Memorial Service	1960	Showa	35

It is Buddhist tradition to hold memorial services on the years listed above. Memorial services are held one year earlier than the actual year after the first year memorial service. Thus, the third year memorial service is held in 2009 instead of 2010 for a person, who passed away in 2007.

Please contact Rev. Shibata to make arrangements to have memorial services conducted if you have a member of the family passing away in any of the years listed above as soon as possible as he will have to also schedule memorial services for members of the Dinuba Buddhist Church while he is serving as their supervising minister. Members of the Reedley Buddhist Church will be given preference in the scheduling of memorial services.

DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF MRS. KIKUE SASAKI

\$10.00

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Kim
Mrs. Fujiye Okino
Mrs. Sumako Sano
Mrs. Ruth Sasaki

Mr. & Mrs. Ken Sugai
Mrs. Lillian Takayama
Mrs. Kimiye Tanizaki

\$15.00

Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Honda

\$20.00

Dr. & Mrs. Richard Asami
Dr. & Mrs. Sumi Kubo
Dr. & Mrs. Gary Mimura
Mr. & Mrs. Michio Miyamoto
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Nagare
Mr. Fred Nagata

Mr. Harry Nakata
Mrs. Rose Niino
Mrs. Betty Jane Oki
Mr. & Mrs. Terry Rice
Mr. & Mrs. Daryle Sakamoto
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Tsuji

\$25.00

Mr. & Mrs. Dan Awbrey
Mrs. Michko Ikeda
Mr. & Mrs. Brian Raphael

Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Surabian
Dr. & Mrs. Akira Tajiri
Mr. & Mrs. Ellard Youngberg

\$30.00

Mrs. Blanca Katsura

Mr. & Mrs. Kenichi Sunamoto

\$50.00

Mr. Arthur Chen & Ms. Peggy Saika
Ms. Charlotte Foristiere
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Ketscher
Mr. & Mrs. Darwyne Smith

Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Aparks
Mr. & Mrs. Harry Tozlian
Mr. & Mrs. Darryl Wong-Sing
Dr. Eugene Yamaguchi

\$80.00

Mr. & Mrs. George Tsuji

\$100.00

Mr. Gilbert Aragon
Mrs. Carolyn Ikemiya

Dr. & Mrs. Stephen Ikemiya

