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July - 2010

July

1 Bon Odori Practice	7:00 pm
2-4 Camp Dharma @ Camp Keola	
3 Buddhist Broadcast in Japanese on KBIF	7:25 am
6 B.W.A. Cabinet Meeting	1:00 pm
Bon Odori Practice	7:00 pm
Obon Festival Planning Meeting	7:00 pm
7 B.W.A. Chiho Mimai	1:00 pm
8 Bon Odori Practice	7:00 pm
10 Buddhist Broadcast in Japanese on KBIF	7:25 am
Nisei Voices Oral History Project (Conference Room)	10:00 am
Fresno Betsuin Obon Festival	2:00 pm
Fresno Betsuin Bon Odori	7:00 pm
11 Monthly Memorial Service Jr. Y.B.A. Trip to Universal Studio	7:00 pm
13 Hotoke no Kodomo Summer Program Meeting	7:00 pm
14 C.C. Buddhist Ministerial Association Meeting (Fresno)	10:00 am
Jr. Y.B.A. Meeting	6:15 pm
C.C. Jr. Y.A. Meeting (Reedley)	7:00 pm
Baby Boomers Seminar Sub-committee Meeting (Reedley)	7:00 pm
15 Omigaki & Altar Clean Up	7:00 pm
17 English Buddhist Broadcast on KBIF Fowler Bon Odori	8:00 pm
19-23 Hotoke no Kodomo Summer Program	9:00 a.m.-1:00 pm
20 Vision & Preservation Committee Meeting (Parlier)	7:00 pm
24 Dinuba Buddhist Church Obon Cemetery Service (Smith Mountain Cemetery)	7:00 pm
Dinuba Buddhist Church Obon & July/ August Monthly Memorial Service	8:00 pm
Visalia Buddhist Church Bon Odori	8:00 pm
25 Family Obon Service	10:00 am
Parlier Buddhist Church Bon Odori	8:00 pm
27 Rev. Shibata to Reedley City Council Meeting for Invocation	7:00 pm
31 Buddhist Broadcast in Japanese on KBIF	7:25 am
Reedley Obon Festival	5:00 pm
Reedley Bon Odori	8:00 pm

Buddhist Women's Association toban for July is District #1.

CHURCH ACKNOWLEDGES DANA

3rd Year Memorial for Mr. Ben Tsutomu Hatakeda	
Mrs. Misa Hatakeda & Family	\$300.00
Mrs. Ida Shimizu	50.00
Miss Sharon Asakawa & Mr. Wesley Asakawa	20.00
Miss Reiko Hatakeda	25.00

CHURCH ACKNOWLEDGES DANA

3rd Year Memorial for Mr. Ben Tsutomu Hatakeda (Continued)	
Mr. & Mrs. John Hatakeda	\$ 30.00
Mrs. Michiko Taniguchi	20.00
Mr. Junichi Hatakeda	20.00
Mrs. Sachiko Kajioka	25.00
Ms. Masako Hasebe	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Byron Asakawa	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. Tom Shimizu	20.00
Mr. Eddie Becker	20.00
Mrs. Fumi Mochizuki	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Hasebe	30.00
Mrs. Susan Morita Nishio—In Memory of Father, Mr. John Morita	50.00
Masumoto Family—In Memory of Father, Mr. Fred Minoru Masumoto	20.00
Mrs. Teruko Shibata—In Memory of Father, Mr. Kikutaro Shimizu	25.00
Mrs. Midori Nishida—Gotan E Service Donation	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. Dean Nishijima—In Memory of Father, Mr. Yasuki Kitaoka	75.00
Combined Memorial for Yamada & Morikawa Family Members	
Mrs. Ayako Yamada & Family	\$250.00
Mr. & Mrs. Tadatoshi Umeda & Family	50.00
Mrs. Aiko Mukai	40.00
Mr. & Mrs. David Ritchie	40.00
Mr. & Mrs. Duane Kamei	40.00
Ms. Harriet Yamada	50.00
Mr. Hideo Shiine	25.00
Combined Memorial for Mr. Tsumoru & Mrs. Yaeko Kai & Miss Mary Kai	
Mr. & Mrs. Susumu Ikeda, Mrs. Eva Iwanaga & Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Kai	250.00
Mr. & Mrs. Ed Ikeda & Family	75.00
Mrs. Mary Yamagiwa	40.00
Mr. & Mrs. Hideki Otani	40.00
Miss Akiko Yorizane	30.00
Miss Eujania Don	65.00

MAY MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATION:

\$20.00
 Mr. & Mrs. Fred Nishida

JUNE MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATIONS

\$10.00
 Mr. & Mrs. Bill Hirata
 Mrs. Carolyn Ikemiya
 Mr. & Mrs. George Kimura

CHURCH ACKNOWLEDGES DANA (CONTINUED)

JUNE MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATIONS (CONTINUED)

\$10.00	Mr. & Mrs. George Takasaki Mr. Akio Tatami	Mrs. Ayako Yamada
\$20.00	Mrs. Sadie Abe Mr. & Mrs. Joe Ikemiya Mr. & Mrs. Kliff Justesen Mrs. Helen Kimura Mrs. Nagiko Konishi Mr. & Mrs. Ben Kubota	Mr. Michio Miyamoto Mrs. Elsie Morita Mr. & Mrs. Sammy Nakagawa Mrs. Fujiye Okino Mrs. Yukiye Takayama
\$25.00	Miss Marissa & Miss Stephanie Okamura	
\$40.00	Mrs. Misa Hatakeda	
\$50.00	Mr. & Mrs. Darryl Wong-Sing	
\$200.00	Mr. & Mrs. Dale Okamura	

ADDITIONAL CHURCH BUILDING MAINTENANCE FUND DONATIONS

83. Calhoun, Mrs. Ashley	\$30.00	87. Kurumaji, Mrs. Lynn	\$30.00
84. Hatakeda, Mr. & Mrs. James	\$30.00	88. Naito, Mrs. Amy	\$30.00
85. Ito, Mr. & Mrs. Craig	\$30.00	89. Taguchi, Miss Shizuko	\$30.00
86. Iwanaga, Mrs. Eva	\$30.00		

JULY MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE

The July Monthly Memorial Service will be conducted on Sunday, July 11th, from 7:00 pm. The service has been moved from Saturday to Sunday to allow members to attend the first Obon "Festival of Lanterns" at the new Fresno Buddhist Family Center. Families and friends are asked to attend and offer incense. The deceased and seshu (observant) for July are as follows:

DECEASED:

Kyujiro Kikumoto
Yoshino Hara
Hattaro Haraguchi
Harold Keio Arakawa & Satoru Goto
Izumi Hirata
Jean Ayako Kubo
Sohichi Hosaka, Masu Hosaka & Sato Takata
Mine Ichihana
Mitsuno Naito
Kuichi Nakata
Itsuki Tsudama
Kinuyo Morioka, Kazue Ishida & Sumiye Sue Iwai
Suzuno Tsunekawa & Seishiro Yamada
Chomatsu Kawabe & Han Kawabe
Haruki Harry Kawagoe
Yaeko Kawamoto
Matsujiro Nagai
Ichizo Kanefuku & Tomi Shintani
Masayuki Kubo
Akiye Mitsui
Takematsu Nishi & Geoge Nishi
Yaeno Kofu & Mitsuye Fujisawa
Taki Okamura
Tom Tadashi Mori
Edward Masao Otani & Mitsuyo Otani
Saye Sakata
Kunikichi Shimosono & Tsuru Shimosono
Seizo Suemoto
Chiyono Ninomiya & Shizuye Susie Murakami
Nobuo Takasaki
George Hiroshi Takayama & Wilma Takayama
Satoyo Tanizaki
Yoshihiko Tatami
Koei Toyota & 2 Toyota Ancestors
Tamayo Uyeda
George Iwao Kobayashi

SESHU (OBSERVANT):

Sadie Abe
Isamu Hara
Chiyo Haraguchi
Keiko Hatakeda
Bill Hirata
Mary Hirata
Kirk Hosaka
Kenji Ichihana
Michiko Ikeda
Carolyn Ikemiya
Kiyoko Inn
Mary Ishida
Yukiko Ito
Edith Iwo
Kent Kawagoe
Kiyoshi Kawamoto
Nancy Kimura
Ben Kubota
Yoshiko Kubota
Kiyoko Matsushima
Alice Nakamura
Ronald Nishinaka
Dale Okamura
Fujiye Okino
Hideki Otani
Nancy Sakata
Hiroko Shimosono
Kenneth Suemoto
Ayako Sunamoto
George Takasaki
Lillian Takayama
Kimiye Tanizaki
Kazuko Tatami
Hiroko Toyota
Mary Uyeda
Ellen Yamada

OMIGAKI & ALTAR CLEAN UP

Omigaki and altar clean up in preparation for the Obon Service will be done on Thursday, July 15th, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Members are requested to come out and help. We are in need of more male helpers. The time has been changed from morning to night in the hope that more male members will be able to come out to assist.

HOTOKE NO KODOMO PROJECT

This summer will mark the 5th anniversary of Hotoke no Kodomo, the summer program of the Reedley Buddhist Church's Dharma School.

The students will be conducting a can and plastic bottle drive. Please save your aluminum cans and plastic bottles. The students will be working towards a "friendship" bench for the church garden.

Wednesday, July 21st, has been designated as the can and plastic bottle drive day. Students will pick up items from members' home if notified. Please call Rev. Shibata (638-2901) if you would like someone to pick up your donation.

NISEI VOICES ORAL HISTORY PROJECT

The California Civil Liberties Public Education Program and the Center for Multicultural Cooperation is seeking participants for the oral history project engaging youth to interview and preserve on video the stories of Nisei elders who experienced the WWII internment camps.

They are looking for Nisei elders, who wish to be interviewed about their experience, and for young people who enjoy technology, digital media, and wish to volunteer their time to preserve an important part of their culture.

The oral history interviews will be conducted on Saturday, July 10th, between 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in the conference room of the Reedley Buddhist Church. Please refer to the flyer enclosed with this month's bulletin and contact Ue Yang at the phone number or the web address on the flyer if you are interested in participating in the project.

IN SYMPATHY

We extend our deepest sympathies to the family members of the late Mrs. Midori Nishida, who passed away on June 23, 2010, at the age of 79.

JUNE MEMORIAL SERVICES

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

Hatakeda Family—3rd Year Memorial for Husband/Father, late Mr. Ben Tsutomu Hatakeda
Yamada and Morikawa Families—Combined 7th Year through 50th Year Memorial for late Messrs.
Yoshio Yamada, Tokumi Morikawa, Hiroshi Morikawa, Mataichi Morikawa, Kyuichi Yamada,
& Ted Tasuku Yamada and late Mesdames Kazumi Morikawa, Satomi Yamada & Michiye
Eguchi
Kai Family—Combined 33rd Year Memorial for Father, late Mr. Tsumoru Kai, & 7th Year Memorial
for Mother, late Mrs. Yaeko Kai, & Sister, late Miss Mary Kai