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Date: Sun, Jan 18, 2015 at 9:20 AM 
Subject: Can we change our meeting -- and other things of note 
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Friends, I hope the new year finds you well. I am excited to see what God has planned for us this year -- our city, our churches, our ministries, our lives.

We are scheduled to meet on Thursday January 29 at 8:30 a.m. at Blessed Sacrament.

However...
I am wondering if we could push it back one week to Thursday Feb 5? Two reasons:
1. I have to be at a press conference that morning with the head of the VA and Mayor Garcetti re/ the goal to end veteran homelessness in LA by the end of this year (!) and
2. That night is the Hollywood homeless count...and many of us will be up very late that night.

Please let me know your thoughts...if most of you prefer to stay with the 29th, no worries.

Now, couple other things:

1. Re/ the homeless count, this is very important. Over three nights, the attempt is to do a visual count of all homeless people in the county. LAHSA is recruiting 6,000 volunteers -- a perfect opportunity to connect members of your various churches. I am going to give you two links here. The first is to the Hollywood count-only. We are recruiting our own volunteers (120) and our night is 1/29 at 10 p.m.
We already have 75 volunteers, and will only take 45 more... so if you want to participate in the Hollywood count, please volunteer ASAP because this group will fill up.

The county count covers all the other communities throughout LA County, and you can use this link if you would like to volunteer in another area. You can choose Tues/Wed or Thursday night that week:

http://www.lahsa.org/homelesscount.asp

2. Marvin Moore is bringing to our attention a very interesting conference that is happening here in Los Angeles. Here is the article he sent:


Here is the link to the conference. It starts on Thursday evening Feb 26 at 7 p.m. and runs through Saturday afternoon Feb 28. On Saturday evening, there will be a special address by Tim Keller. I hope we can all go together and re-double our commitment to serving Hollywood.

http://www.togetherla.net/

Thank you Marvin for bringing this to our attention. I am very excited.

Love to you all,

Kerry

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Fwd: 2015 Schedule

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Greetings Hollywood prayer warriors,

Two things: meetings dates/locations and participation.

MEETINGS: At our last meeting it was suggested I send out the schedule for the remainder of the year, so that you can hold your morning clear on the days that we meet.

As I look at the calendar, those dates will be (all last Thursdays)
February 26
March 26
April 30
May 28
June 25
July 30
August 27
September 24
October 29
November/December -- TBD (because holidays)

If anyone wants to commit in advance to host one of these meetings, I would be grateful for the offer. Once I hear back from everyone, I'll send out a confirmation.

PARTICIPATION: With respect to participation, please let me know if there is anyone else you would like to
include in this invite list. Also, there are some names on this list who have not participated in quite a while. I would appreciate hearing from everyone as to their intention for the coming year.

Am looking forward to seeing some of you at next week’s conference, Together LA, at the West Angeles Church. Hope to bring back some inspiration on how other communities of Christ followers are praying for and serving this great city.

And, coincidentally, from this morning’s devotion. 1 Timothy 2:

2 I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—

2 for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. 3 This is good, and pleases God our Savior,

With appreciation,
Kerry
Greetings friends,

most of you know that we have been anticipating a move for the BID office from our current home at Hollywood & Vine, into the area we affectionately refer to as the "mid BID" (for middle of the business improvement district).

When our lease expired this year, we made a conscious decision to move from the comfort of a traditional office environment into the last remaining frontier on Hollywood Boulevard. This is a five block stretch that presents many challenges -- vacant storefronts, "interesting" retail, dark stretches at night, etc. We are hoping that by moving our headquarters into "the zone," we can introduce light, inspiration, attention and revitalization to this area. Indeed, we plan to NOT rely on our metal roll-down doors at night....

We are moving our office on Friday Dec 11, and will be ensconced on Monday Dec 14.

To that end, we ask anyone who can join us next Sunday to meet us at the storefront (6562 Hollywood Blvd) and join us in praying through the space. (It is on the south side of the Boulevard, between Cherokee and Shrader. Former site of Hollywood Book & Poster Co.)

I know many of you are involved in your own worship services that day -- and I wanted to see if I provided some time choices, you could help.

If you are possibly able to join us, please let me know if either/both of the two times below would work for you. Perhaps we could grab lunch before or after.
Sunday December 13
12:15 p.m.
1:15 p.m.

With appreciation.

Kerry
Hi friends,

Just wanted to remind you that this weekend, November 5 - 8, is the first Only in Hollywood Music + Arts Festival. We have dozens of venues participating and so many choices of comedy, music, rock, jazz, soul, pop up art galleries, you name it.

Here is a link to the website which breaks down what is happening by day and by venue:
http://onlyinhollywood.org/festival/

If you go to the Festival hub at Space 1520, or Amoeba or Montalban, you can buy a button for $1 that will entitle you to dozens of discounts in the neighborhood. Here’s a sample

http://onlyinhollywood.org/festival/festival-buttons/

Recall that we had hoped to use the sanctuary at First Baptist Church of Hollywood as a festival venue -- it didn't work out this year, but let's try to put our heads together next year to make this happen! I hope to bump into you this weekend.

P.S. Follow social media with hashtags
#OIH2015

or Instagram
Hello fellow prayer warriors -- if you've been looking for a way to connect with this neighborhood, enjoy some great food, spend a fall evening outside and meet new people, this is a great event. Sunset & Dine features small bites from many Hollywood restaurants, and it will be on the campus of BuzzFeed this year, along Vine Street. Tickets are $25 per person (which gets you food, wine and beer) but see below, and you can use the code to bring your ticket price to $20.

The good news is that this year, the committee chose to earmark the proceeds for The Center at Blessed Sacrament, which serves adult homeless individuals in Hollywood. So that is another good reason to see you there!

Kerry
Happy Friday!

Sunset and Dine is now less than two weeks away! The event will take place on Thursday, September 24th at Buzzfeed Studios in Hollywood. Attached is a flier for this event. Please share this flier with friends and family who may be interested in attending. The BID has created a promo code so that friends of The Center can receive discounted $20 tickets by using the Code CENTER15 or by following this link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/sunset-dine-2015-tickets-17835797350?discount=CENTER15.

I am also happy to pick-up paper tickets for anyone who is interested.

Thank you all for your work and support!

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Greetings Hollywood prayer friends,

As our last gathering, I mentioned that we are organizing a festival in early November. You can see it here on our website:
http://onlyinhollywood.org/festival/

Over four nights, music, comedy, drama and pop-up art galleries will come to life in Hollywood (anchored largely around Selma and Cahuenga) and our plan is to invite the public into Hollywood to see that there is a whole different side to Hollywood night life besides nightclubs.

Both of our BIDS are organizing (Hollywood and Sunset) and we are not selling tickets — we are curating what is happening. We are, therefore, encouraging every venue to activate in some way, and we will tell the world about it.

So in addition to comedy, rock, jazz, blues, country, indie etc at a variety of venues that have committed to participating (Amoeba Records, Palladium, Record Parlour, St. Felix, Bardot, Fonda, Musician’s Institute, LA Film School, Second City, Hemingways, Aventine, etc.) we have an opportunity to use the facilities at the Hollywood First Baptist Church to have a night (or more than one night) of Christian rock, acoustic, worship — you name it.

A while back, we talked about doing something big together — maybe this is it?

To make this work, here is what we need:
1. **Facility:** thanks to Alan, we have that.

2. **Sponsor:** I envision a sponsor underwriting the cost of sound, lighting and paying the musicians a modest amount to make it worth their while. At Karen Covell’s suggestion, I reached out to AIR1 radio...heard nothing back. Left them another message today. That’s why I am asking whether someone has a connection to KKLJ?

3. **A team to pull this together:** I would imagine that the worship bands alone at Reality, Ecclesia, Mosaic and Saddleback could fill this space for one night. I need a small team to MAKE THIS HAPPEN.

If this touches the hearts of any of you, please communicate back.

Kerry
Greetings friends,

- We are moving back to a morning meeting to come together as the Hollywood churches to pray for our community.

Please plan to meet this Thursday, Aug 27 at the Hollywood First Baptist Church at 8:15 a.m. If you can help bring something to contribute to breakfast, let us know.

First Baptist Church is located at 6682 Selma. Yolanda has graciously offered to provide parking for those who need it at Blessed Sacrament Church next door (to the east).

I am going to bring a spreadsheet which documents encounters that our BID Patrol had with 113 new faces -- homeless in Hollywood -- in the last three months. The reasons for being here speak to Hollywood being a magnet for those who are lost and trying to find something; those who are escaping pain and abuse; those who are wandering; and those who are stuck. The majority are beholden to a substance of some type. There is a world of hurt out there, and I am going to share some thoughts I have about why they are on our
doorstep.

Also, here is an unusual, but heartfelt request from the neighborhood. Last week I met with the property manager at Triangle Square -- which is the senior living complex for gay and lesbian residents at Selma/Ivar. I was introducing myself (he is new to his job) and I asked if he had any needs.

He said, "do you know if any other buildings are having problems with bed bugs?" I said, not really...always seemed like more of a problem on the east coast, rather than L.A.

He said that several apartments are infested, and the elderly residents are unable to do the necessary "packing up and moving out" of their belongings to allow for fumigation. He asked if I had any idea as to who might want to volunteer to help these residents to move their belongings so that their apartments could be cleared. Then, of course, belongings would have to be moved back in...and I suspect bedding washed, etc.

Thought I'd pass that along. Seems like an amazing way some of our brothers and sisters could help these residents who are quite alone living at Triangle Square. What a witness this could be.

See you Thursday -- please let me know if you plan to attend.

Kerry
Forwarded message

From: Kerry Morrison
Date: Mon, Jul 20, 2015 at 6:36 PM
Subject: Thursday July 23, 2015 at noon at Hollywood First Baptist Church

Greetings prayer warriors, see you there.

Bring your lunch and your heart for this city. There is much going on, and we will be one block away from the sight of a tragic unsolved murder.

Please let me know if you will be attending -- and if not, if you have any prayer requests for our group.

Your friend,
Kerry
Greetings friends,
I am on the board for The Center, along with Yolanda Brown of our group.

This is a key resource for our adult homeless neighbors in Hollywood, and after many years of waiting, grant money is finally in hand that allows us to significantly remodel this building. It sits on the campus of Blessed Sacrament Church.

This is a friend-raiser and a celebration. Come hear about our plans for The Center when it re-opens, and meet other members of our community who have a heart for ending homelessness in Hollywood - government representatives, business leaders, non profit partners and community members.

And, it is a summer party, so it will be fun.

RSVP directly to me - and bring others from your church who you think would be interested.

Kerry
--- Forwarded message ---

From: Kerry Morrison
Date: Wed, May 27, 2015 at 12:04 PM
Subject: No meeting tomorrow


Greetings friends,
my apologies. The last Thursday crept up on me fast, and I did not make arrangements for a meeting tomorrow.

However, I am happy to meet for lunch with anyone who would like to have a conversation about where this group goes in the future...and whether it makes sense for us to continue to meet.

If you would like to have lunch, I will be at Jersey Mike's at 1517 Vine Street at 12:30 p.m. If you would like to join, please let me know and I will arrange for an appropriate table. It is a quiet enough restaurant where we could also pray together outside.

I have a couple ideas:
1. perhaps we meet quarterly.
2. perhaps we ask the pastors for the various Hollywood churches to ascertain whether this is something they want their churches to be a part of – and we follow accordingly.
3. I am happy to hand the convening of this group to another person as I honestly do not feel called to lead this group.

With appreciation for all the ways you serve Hollywood,
Kerry
Hello friends, this is tomorrow in Hollywood!

Kerry

Sent: Monday, May 04, 2015 4:16 PM
To: Joseph Mariani
Subject: You Are Invited to National Day of Prayer
National Day of Prayer

Thursday, May 7th, 2015

Hollywood Prayer Network, Favour Events and the Peggy Beatrice Foundation invite you to join us for National Day of Prayer this year! We will be gathering in Hollywood on Thursday, May 7th from 7 - 10pm at the Montalban Theater. This is a free event!

Below is our invitation, please pass it on to anyone else who may like to join us along with this LINK for information as well!

We are looking forward to a wonderful blend of many LA communities uniting for this time of prayer and worship!

"Hear the cry and the prayer that your servant is praying in your presence this day."
-1 Kings 8:28
Blessings,

Karen, Daniella, Veronica and Kim
Fwd: Cancel March meeting

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Greetings friends,

Unfortunately I've had a meeting come up that I must attend this Thursday and I should've let you know earlier that I made no provisions for us to meet.

However, this might be a good time to take stock of the best time and place for this group to come together for prayer for our community.

Here are my observations:
- mornings may be difficult for some
- there are about 10 people on this list who are not able to attend regularly, so if you know who you are, and you want to stay connected, email me within the week
- would coming together for lunch on the last Thursday of the month be better?

Please let me know and I am happy to organize that. In the meantime, I look forward to hearing from each of you.

I will miss seeing you this month – and I lift all of you up as we prepare for this Easter season.

With appreciation,
Kerry
Fwd: Meeting this Thursday at First Baptist Church of Hollywood 8:30 - 10 a.m.

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Kerry
Greetings Hollywood prayer,

So looking forward to getting together with all of you again to pray for our city and our churches.

We meet this Thursday, February 5 at 8:30 a.m. at Blessed Sacrament. Address is 6657 Sunset, but you enter on Selma into the parking lot. Tell the attendant you are in a meeting with Yolanda and he will direct you where to park for free. I believe we will be in the rectory, which is the building on the west property line, just north of the church itself.

And I want to call attention, again, to the conference that Marvin Moore shared with us — I have signed up. But even if you cannot attend, there is a free gathering on Saturday evening where Tim Keller from Redeemer Presbyterian Church in New York will speak about why we must serve our city.

Here is the link to the conference. It starts on Thursday evening Feb 26 at 7 p.m. and runs through Saturday afternoon Feb 28. It would be great to have a contingent from Hollywood in attendance.

http://www.togetherla.net/

This is how it is described — I am very excited to meet believers from all corners of our city.

What does it mean to love the city? What does this look like? In 2015 we will be uniting the churches of Los Angeles at one event for ONE purpose - to set aside our agendas and learn from each other what it means to love LA.
At this event we will hear what churches and church planters are doing. We will learn about partnerships in the city and ways to partner together. We will discuss how social problems impact LA. We will learn how LA is integral in shaping culture and why culture is important. We will hear from leaders in the entertainment, arts, political, and business community. And we will discover how the men and women of LA, Asians, Caucasians, Hispanics and African Americans are loving and engaging their city for the Gospel.

I look forward to seeing you all, and praying together, on Thursday. Please take a moment to RSVP.

Kerry