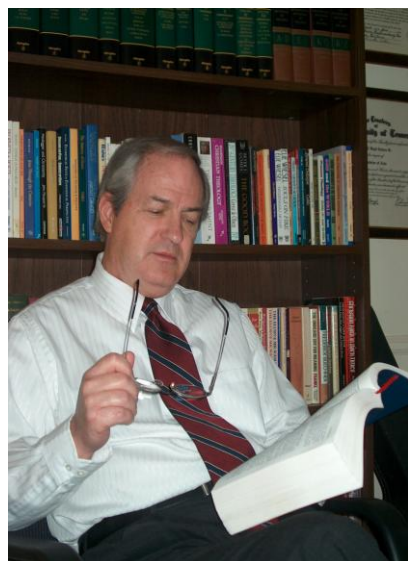


The Call

Evangelism
in the
Prophetic
Spirit

The Kimball Boyd Coburn Ministry

Spring ~ 2012 ~ Issue 160



$$E = mc^2$$

If we took **m**ethodism's ways and multiplied them by **C**ompassion squared, we would understand **E**vangelism in a way that would dispel all those radio, television, movie sounds and images that put a bad taste in our mouths.

Matthew, Mark, Luke and John are known as the evangelists. When we hear their names or read their books, we feel renewed because they teach us the Good News of Jesus Christ. For the majority of people today, evangelism and evangelists are not good. They are pushy people and pushy preachers.

I believe if we would take the ways of Methodism and add a large dose of compassion there wouldn't be a church in our land that wasn't vibrant and alive. Methodism is known for being pioneering, spiritually fervent, socially concerned, theologically progressive and musically alive. Now put this with love and mercy to the power of two and the true meaning of evangelism will be understood.

Evangelism is at the heart of what it means to be the Church ~ to make disciples. It shouldn't be confusing, but it is challenging. It is the opposite of pushy. It is building relationships.

It's being the kind of person others want to be around. It's being a good listener. It's compassionate caring.

Methodism was built by people spreading the Word. People who were deeply spiritual and exuded joy in their singing and worship. They reached out in love and concern for their neighbors, especially the poor. People are attracted to the Gospel when it is lived out around them.

The majority of over 600 churches I have served as an evangelist did not have Evangelism committees by name. They had outreach committees and membership care committees or other euphemistic names. I'm not going to spend my life campaigning for another committee, but I am going to lay down my life for **E** because as a part of **m x c** to the second power, I can do no other!

Kimball, SE

BUDGET FOR 2012 ~ \$87,850

Media Expenses	\$ 1500
Children's Ministry Expenses	\$ 500
Office Supplies	\$ 1250
Office Help	\$ 1000
Newsletter/Postage	\$ 4000
Postage	\$ 800
Advertising/Publicity	\$ 500
Telephone/Internet	\$ 1300
Travel (Includes gasoline, food, lodging, automobile insurance, car repairs, DMV)	\$ 8000
Ministry Insurance	\$ 1200
Continuing Education	\$ 250
Dues/Subscriptions	\$ 250
Corporate/ Conference Expenses	\$ 500
Social Security Expenses	\$ 4000
Pension	\$ 8000
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 1000
Parsonage/Office Rental	<u>\$10,800</u>
(Rent Includes utilities)	\$44,850

Living Expenses

\$40,000

Salary for Dr. Coburn	\$ 30,000
Medical Insurance	<u>\$ 10,000</u>
	\$40,000

Beyond Ourselves

\$3000

Approved by the KBC Ministry Board of Directors ~ January 7, 2012

<p>BUDGET FOR 2012</p> <p>\$87,850</p> <p>Amount Needed To Date</p> <p>\$14,642</p> <p>Amount Received to Date</p> <p>\$16,051</p>
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CIRCUIT RIDING WITH
SERVANT EVANGELIST,
KIMBALL COBURN

February 25-26, 2012

Temecula UMC

Temecula, CA

March 18, 2012

Muscoy UMC

San Bernardino, CA

March 25, 2012

St. Mark's UMC

Bakersfield, CA

MAY 20, 2012

La Verne UMC

125th Anniversary Celebration

Morning Worship 10:00 with Kimball

Evening Worship will begin at 6:30

Community and Mission Area

Churches will participate with

Kimball and the Calling Band

La Verne, CA



A Meditation
For Easter

A self-centered person takes the † out
of East†er and replaces it with an i
which makes it easier.

Easter without the cross is easier, but
it's not the day of resurrection that
brings eternal hope, eternal love, and
eternal life.

Spell it right ~ Live it right

*We wish you all a
happy and blessed Easter*

*Agape,
Kimball and Pam*

From the Kimball Coburn Ministry Board of Directors:

It is our pleasure to insert a note in each issue of THE CALL because we feel you are a strong part of Kimball's ministry. He talks of you at every Board meeting with much love. Your gifts are more than financial support. Often they come wrapped in words of affirmation and appreciation ~ Sometimes they come with warm feelings of love and prayers that undergird Kimball's Call. ~ You wrap them in ribbons of belief in evangelism and in this servant evangelist and tie them together giving us strength. We thank you for your many expressions of support.. We begin a new year with hopes that the ministry will bring new life and purpose to you and your churches.

*We are grateful for a very generous gift of love from the Whittier Methodist Foundation that we just received. This gives us a great start for 2012. Thank you for believing in Kimball and his Calling.

The Bishop and District Superintendents are encouraging newly formed Mission Areas to create events to attract people to their churches. Kimball and the Calling Band would be glad to lead such an event where people could meet the pastors and their people and experience the warmth and excitement of Christian worship.

Kimball is Now Scheduling for Summer and Fall for Mission Areas and Local Churches

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