

Keeping Connected in the LOGOS South West Region

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Why LOGOS?

People ask me, "Uncle Jim, you don't have any children. Why do you participate in the LOGOS program?" "Well," I tell them, "it's for the food!" While most people who know me believe that I'd never pass up a wonderful meal like those prepared for the Wednesday night program, I'm really speaking of the spiritual food offered. **JESUS IS SERVED THERE!**

On Wednesdays I have the opportunity to witness Geneva's youngest people enjoying what it really means to be a Christian: experiencing wholesome fellowship, learning about Jesus and our faith, worshipping the Lord, having fun and playing games with friends and mentors, and of course, enjoying a delicious home cooked meal served family style.

But much more profound than that, I get to witness young Christians being trained to be mature Christians.

All of us know young adult Geneva members who have grown up in the LOGOS

program. In short, they are the ones who are going to be operating Geneva, and hopefully our country, in the future.

JESUS GROWS CHILDREN THERE!

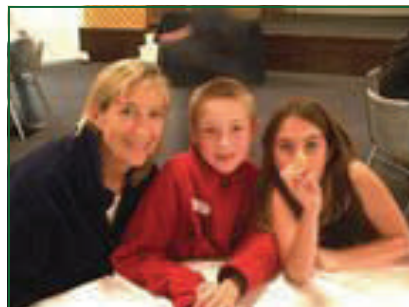
Another aspect to the LOGOS program that appeals to me is what I get out of it. Who can resist the face of a child (or adult for that matter) when they are having fun? But there is much more to it. I have

worked and made friends with some wonderful Christians whom I may not have met otherwise.

More importantly, I have

experienced the true nature of the family of God as it is reflected in the children, young adults and older adults who participate in LOGOS.

I have found that I have learned a lot from all who take part in the program. **JESUS HAS GROWN ME THERE!**



This month's article was written by Jim Prichard, who serves in Family Time on the kitchen staff at Geneva Presbyterian Church in Laguna Hills, California. Geneva has offered a LOGOS ministry for 16 years. They serve 82 children and youth from preschool through 12th grade.

FOCUS ON TRAINING

- **LOGOS Powering UP! in Placentia, CA / February 9, 2008**

1 day multi-topic sessions that allow attendees to choose specific subjects of interest for in-depth sharing and learning. \$79 per person or 1 training seat per Ministry Member.

- **The LOGOS Encounter in Snohomish, WA / April 26, 2008**

A 1 day basic foundations training for new LOGOS ministries or to give those in existing ministries an overview and experience. \$340 per person or 1 training seat per Ministry Member.

- **The LOGOS Experience in Helena, MT / July 11-13, 2008**

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- **The LOGOS Experience in Sunnyvale, CA / July 17-19, 2008**

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- **LOGOS Powering UP! in Portland, OR / November 8, 2008**

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