

WCS nEws-Letter

April 9, 2009

Do not be so surprised. You are looking for Jesus, the Nazarene, who was crucified. He isn't here! He has been raised from the dead!
Mark 16:6

Western Christian Students and Alumni Go the Distance for God!

In Matthew 5:14-16, it says, "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden; nor does *anyone* light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on the lamp stand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven."

Mexico Outreach is all about sending out workers to shine their lights. These cross-cultural experiences are for declaring the glory of Jesus Christ.

Western Christian Students and Alumni are serving in Mexico with Azusa Pacific University's Mexico Outreach Program, in spite of all the media coverage that has kept thousands away this week.

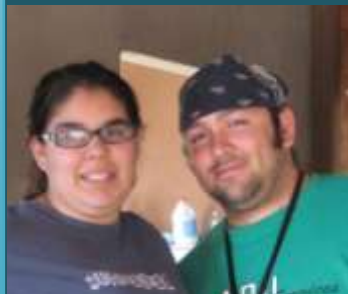
At the Cuernavaca Camp, located on the outskirts of the city of Mexicali, Brian Holland, '92, is the camp speaker, where his job is to encourage high school students in chapel, as they go out and minister in the villages during the week.

At the Rancho El Refugio Camp, located 10 miles east of the city of Ensenada, WCHS Alumni, Michael Berry '06 and Michelle (Escandon) Berry '05 are serving, as well as current students from the WCS K-8 campus, Jordyn Ivey, Emily Browning and Mary Browning.

UPCOMING...

APRIL	
8-9	Minimum Days/Parent Conferences
10	No School/Good Friday
13-17	Easter Break
20	School Resumes
21	Middle School ACSI Choral Fest
21-24	SAT Testing
24	Lola Dukes 4th Annual Jr. High Track Meet

MAY	
2-8	8th Grade D.C. Trip
6-8	7th Grade Catalina Trip
7	National Day of Prayer Chapel 8:45am Parent Meeting 4:30pm
7-8	ACSI Art Festival
7&14	Fourth Grade Sacramento Trips
13	Progress Reports
15	ACSI Elementary Speech Meet
16	Auction Fundraising Event 6pm
25	No School/Memorial Day
29	Minimum Day/Family Fun Night and Art Show



**WCHS Alumni
 Michael Berry '06 and
 Michelle Escandon- Berry '05**



The girls helping in a village with VBS.



Working in the kitchen!?!



**Brian Holland,
 WCHS Alum
 '92**



Western Christian School ACSI Science Fair Winners 2009

Last Friday, our students did an outstanding job at the ACSI Science Fair!
WCS took home a total of eight medals: **Two Gold, Four Silver, and Two Bronze!!!**

WCS won the following:

- **FIRST PLACE** for Life Science Group Project (Hailey Beaman and Jaimie Pandzic, 7th grade)
- **Second Place** for Physical Science Group Project (: Mark Spencer, Jordan Lofy, and Doug Campbell, 7th grade)
- **Second Place** for Life Science individual project (Carinna Prince, 6th grade)
- **Third Place** for Life Science Group Project (Jillian Gifford and Stefanie Sookdeo, 6th grade)

Parent Communication Meeting

- Next parent communication meeting... May 7 @4:30 pm.
- We are now emailing minutes from the Parent Communication Meetings for those who cannot attend, as well as posting them on our website.
- For questions and comments, there is a form in the front office you may fill out and submit back to the school office.

Western Christian Schools encourages all of our families to celebrate the resurrection of Christ Jesus!

