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Fred R. Coulter *Minister* 

## 2025 Feast of Tabernacles and Last Great Day Tuesday, October 7, through Tuesday, October 14

Dear Brethren,

Here is the information packet for the **2025 Feast of Tabernacles**. Listed below are the major CBCG Feast sites. In addition to these, there will be many smaller sites scattered across the U.S. As we have grown in recent years, we have increased the number of Feast sites. Every year we have sites closer and closer to where the brethren live—so that travel to the Feast is more convenient.

Please carefully follow the packet instructions. Each person is responsible for making his or her own reservations. In all locations, please mention that you are with the Christian Biblical Church of God, because in most cases we have been given special rates.

We need your help: Over the years it has been our policy to let people attend the Feast wherever they desired—and to change their minds as need be. Some even wait until a few days before the opening night of the Feast before making housing reservations. However, such late decisions make planning most difficult. Please let us know where you will attend as soon as possible so we can fulfill our contractual obligations of guaranteed minimums.

#### Please be sure to return the **Feast Information Form** (last page) as soon as possible.

Remember that the Feasts of God are as important as the weekly Sabbath. Through keeping them year by year, we are able to learn and understand more about God's plan as revealed in the Bible. May God bless you in every way and *make this year's Feast the best ever for you and your family!* 

With love in Christ Jesus,

# Fred R. Coulter

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### Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin

#### **Baker's Sunset Bay Resort**

921 Canyon Road • Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965 (608) 254-8406 • www.sunsetbayresort.com

The CBCG has added Wisconsin Dells to its Feast sites for 2025. The Feast in the Dells will be held at **Baker's Sunset Bay Resort**, a charming resort set on the picturesque shores of Lake Delton, which features a large private sandy beach.

Accommodations range from 1, 2, and 3 bedroom suites; kitchenette and jacuzzi suites; and fully furnished condos comfortably hosting up to 14. See website for room rates and sizes. Book early, as rooms will go quickly.

The Dells is a favorite location for fall tourism. October is especially popular due to the beautiful fall colors. Numerous attractions and restaurants are nearby.

Services will be held in the **Canyon Room**. Opening night services will be at 7:30 PM; daily services will be at 10 AM (doors open at 8:30).

Feast hosts: Steve & Pam Durham; (317) 617-0267; cbcggtm@gmail.com

# Pigeon Forge, Tennessee

#### Norma Dan Motel

3864 Parkway • Pigeon Forge, TN 37863 (865) 453-2403 • (800) 219-6809 • www.normadanmotel.com

We are pleased to again offer a Feast location in the **Great Smoky Mountains**. We will be meeting at the **Norma Dan Motel** in Pigeon Forge.

The festival site is just outside the Great Smoky Mountain National Park, the most visited national park in America. The park offers scenic beauty with opportunities for hiking and beautiful drives through the countryside. See www.gatlinburg.com/explore/national-park/.

Pigeon Forge and the nearby towns of Gatlinburg and Sevierville offer activities, shopping, and attractions for everyone to enjoy. Festival activities include a family dance/variety show and a family activity. A Fellowship Room will be available each evening. Restaurants, attractions, and shopping centers are all within walking distance.

For those interested in performing **special music**, please let us know. If you have special needs or need further information about this Feast site, please feel free to contact us.

**Services: Norma Dan Conference Room**. Opening night service will be at 7 PM; daily services will be at 10 AM. Evening fellowship will be available beginning at 6 PM.

A **block of rooms** has been reserved at the **Norma Dan Motel**. Standard Rooms (king or double) are \$785.76 for 8 nights, including tax. Includes Continental Breakfast. Jacuzzi rooms are \$902.52; call for availability. **Make reservations by September 1** for guaranteed rates. Call (phone numbers above) and mention the CBCG to receive the group rate.

Other accommodations are available; visit www.mypigeonforge.com.

Festival hosts/elder: **Tom & Rhonda Fannin**—(937) 288-2266; thefannins@ymail.com.

## Sanford, Florida

#### **Comfort Inn & Suites**

590 Ava Court • Sanford, FL 32771 • (407) 585-1580

Sanford is about 45 miles west of Daytona Beach and 45 miles east of Orlando. There are airports in Sanford and Orlando. Numerous shopping and dining facilities are in the area, some within walking distance of the Inn.

Information or reservations—call the Inn or email: Groupsales@comfortinnsanford.com. Rate: \$109/night + tax. Booking name: Christian Biblical Church of God. Hotel comes with kosher hot breakfast, pool, exercise room, laundry. All rooms are suites with small fridge and microwave. For assistance, please contact us:

Nolan Joseph (352) 575-4848 Nolan R Joseph @gmail.com Faye Joseph (352) 575-5445 Fatafehi 170 @gmail.com

Services start at 10:15 AM daily. We will have a meet-and-greet on the first evening with some light drinks and snacks. We will have a catered lunch at the hall on the first holy day. We will plan activities when we get to the festival location; a Karaoke DJ will be on hand. You can reach out to us if you have special requests or suggestions.

### Branson, Missouri

#### **Stone Castle Hotel & Conference Center**

3050 Green Mountain Dr. • Branson, MO 65616 www.bransonstonecastle.com Reservations (800) 677-6906 • (417) 335-4700 • fax (417) 335-3906

**Services in the Excalibur Room** (Building 3) **10 AM daily** (doors open at 8:30). There will be a **meet and greet** on Oct. 6 at 7:30 PM.

Five rooms have been set aside with the group rate for 10-6 through 10-15; rates will be honored 3 days before and 3 days after these dates. Mention CBCG and ask for Building 3. Register early, as Branson is a very popular tourist area.

**Room rates:** • Standard Rooms w/2 queen beds or w/1 king bed \$111 + 12.35% tax

• Jacuzzi Rooms \$119.00 + tax

Complimentary hot breakfast buffet in building 2

Branson offers a wide variety of affordable housing options as well as many attractions: Veterans Memorial Museum, Titanic Museum, Branson Scenic Railway (for a beautiful tour of the Ozarks), the IMAX theatre, and nearby Silver Dollar City. There are also many live shows and concerts to take in, and lots of shopping and dining venues.

For assistance contact **Feast hosts** James and Jackie Farnsworth (501) 765-0000 or (501) 316-7465. Please contact us if you would like to attend or if you would like to serve.

#### Van Buren Hotel

1175 N. Van Buren Street • Shipshewana, IN 46565 • (260) 768-7780

We will be returning to **Shipshewana** for the Feast this year. Located in the scenic Amish community of Northeastern Indiana, the site (including the Van Buren Hotel) is situated within the region of the Pokagon State Park. The park is bordered by Lake James on the west and south and by Snow Lake on the north. Wetlands can be seen throughout the park, and the Potawatomi Nature Preserve makes up a large portion of its east side. Over 10 miles of hiking trails wind through the park (https://visitindiana.com/thingstodo/48618pokagonstatepark).

Area attractions include the Dutch Creek Farm Animal Park and the University of Notre Dame. Just to the west is South Bend, with attractions such as historic mansions, the National Studebaker Museum, the Morris Performing Arts Center, and the South Bend Museum of Art (www.midwestliving.com/travel/indiana/south-bend/top-things-to-do-south-bend-indiana/). However, anyone who's kept the Feast in Shipshewana knows that the area is best known for its outstanding dining, antique shops, and peaceful country setting. See www.visitshipshewana.org.

We have reserved a block of rooms at the **Van Buren**; all rooms start at \$120/night, featuring Double Queen rooms (see www.vanburenhotel.com). Rooms will be held until Sept. 16 under the group name CBCG. Rates apply to single and double occupancy. For triple and quad occupancy, add an extra \$10 per person per night. Rates are subject to a 12% tax. For additional area housing, see www.shipshewana.com/businesses/lodging.

**Services will be at the Van Buren Hotel** Conference Room. Opening night services will be Monday, Oct. 6, at 7:30 PM. The first holy day service will begin at 10:30 AM. Service times for the remainder of the Feast will be at 10:30 AM. We do plan to have a number of activities in which brethren can enjoy each other's fellowship.

For assistance, contact Albert Jones at (517) 488-9480 (cell) or (517) 646-6098.

### Tulsa, Oklahoma

# Tulsa Independent Church of God

14509 E. Marshall Street • Tulsa, OK 74116

This year we are again meeting at the **Tulsa Church of God** building. There will be no opening night service. Daily services will be at 10:30 AM; doors will open for fellowship at 9:30 AM. We do not have any arrangements with hotels, so each person is responsible for their own housing. Lodging and restaurants are available in Tulsa and the nearby communities of Owasso, Broken Arrow, and Claremore. There are plenty of places to eat and shop near the meeting hall.

Area attractions include Tulsa Air and Space Museum and Planetarium, Tulsa Zoo, Tulsa Botanical Gardens, Philbrook Museum of Art, Vintage Sewing Center and Museum, and the Oklahoma Aquarium. Miniature golf and bowling is available in the area as well. The Tall Grass Prairie Preserve (buffalo herds) and the Pioneer Woman Mercantile are 75 miles to the north.

The Tulsa CBCG fellowship group looks forward to a wonderful and meaningful Feast. For information or assistance, contact festival hosts Bill and Mona Wax—Bill (620) 724-3400; Mona (620) 724-3480.

### Houston, Texas

#### Western Inn

1500 North Loop • Houston, TX 77009

We will again have a Feast site in Houston, hosted by the Houston Independent Church of God. Location: **Western Inn**, 1500 North Loop (Northwest at 610 North Loop and I-45 South). There are numerous motels in the area. Places to visit include a variety of museums, an aquarium, a zoo, and Moody Gardens in Galveston. A variety of restaurants are nearby.

For information, contact **Tommy Foy** at (346) 810-1114; email: tfoy001@gmail.com.

## Pasadena, California

#### Holiday Inn Express Pasadena

3500 E. Colorado Blvd. • Pasadena, CA 91107 (626) 792-1363 • www.ihg.com

We are pleased to be able to hold the Feast in Pasadena once again this year. Services will be held in the **Sierra Room** (street level) at the **Holiday Inn Express** Pasadena. Please contact the Holiday Inn for room information. Additional hotels within walking distance: Best Western Pasadena Royale Inn and Suites (626) 793-0950; Best Western Pasadena Inn (626) 796-9100; and Hi-Way Host Motel (626) 795-7086. Closest airports are Burbank, LAX, and Ontario.

Points of interest include Norton Simon Museum, Huntington Library (Gutenberg Bible, Pinky, and Blue Boy), Descanso Gardens, Disneyland, Knott's Berry Farm, Legoland, Six Flags Magic Mountain, Raging Waters, Getty Museum, Griffith Observatory, Santa Monica Pier, Venice Beach, Aquarium of the Pacific, etc.

For further information, please contact Durrell Brown at (562) 547-2517.

# Blanchard, Idaho

#### **Stoneridge Resort**

150 Holiday Loop • Blanchard, ID 83804

The Feast will be held this year at the *Stoneridge Resort* in **Blanchard**, which is located in the upper panhandle of Idaho—two hours south of the Canadian border and an hour north of the Spokane International Airport. We will meet in *The Gathering Place*, a meeting room at Stoneridge. **Opening night service** will be Monday, October 6, at 7:30 PM.

**Stoneridge Resort**: (208) 437-2451 or (208) 437-2454; www.stoneridgeresort.com. Rooms: studio; standard 1 bedroom; large 1 bedroom; and 2 bedroom. Prices range from \$100 to \$145 per night. All rooms include a hide-a-bed and kitchenette. Make reservations as soon as possible as these are timeshare rentals that may have a waiting list. Mention you are with the CBCG to get the group rate.

The resort is surrounded by a beautiful golf course, and the area features sparkling lakes and stunning parks. The resort has a salt water pool, mini golf, hot tub & sauna, fitness room, tennis courts, and bicycle rentals. Features walking trails and BBQ areas. Area activities include golfing, fishing, lake cruises, bike trails, Farragut State Park on Lake Pend Oreille, and more.

For info, contact Patrick & Georgia Ryan at (971) 678-3484; georgiaryan08@gmail.com or pryan069@gmail.com.

### Hollister, California

#### **Pinnacles Building**

341 Tres Pinos Road • Suite 207-B • Hollister, CA 95023

This year we will again be meeting in Hollister, in Suite 207-B, in the same building where our office is located. **Meetings are at 11:30 AM each day.** 

At the **Marriott**, a Single King or Double Queen is \$180 per day plus tax; call (831) 634-1101. Other options: **Best Western** (831) 637-9248; **Holiday Inn Express** (831) 200-2945; **Leal in San Juan** (831) 623-4380. There are several good **B&Bs** in the area, and **house rental** is an option. Do a Google search of the Hollister/San Juan area.

This is the 19th year that we will have a Feast site in Hollister, which is located 35 miles inland from the central California coast. The site is about 55 miles from the San Jose Airport and 48 miles from Monterey and Santa Cruz. There are many attractions in the area for children as well as adults. For those who enjoy history, San Juan Bautista is just 10 miles away. It is the location of the Old Mission San Juan Bautista built in 1797. Monterey City and Monterey County feature the Monterey Bay Aquarium, nature walks, scuba diving, museums, missions, etc. Twenty miles away, Gilroy has Bonfante Gardens. Approximately 55 miles away is the Roaring Camp & Big Trees Railroad where a narrow gauge railroad runs through the redwoods. Check the Internet for additional area attractions.

## Western Canada—Radium Hot Springs, BC

#### **Radium Golf Course**

8100 Golf Course Rd. • Radium Hot Springs, BC • www.radiumgolf.ca

For our Western Canadian site, we are pleased to announce that we will be meeting this year in Radium, BC. Radium Hot Springs is an idyllic mountain town nestled between the towering peaks of the Canadian Rockies and Purcell Mountains, with the Columbia River running down its spine. Visitors enter the area through the iconic Sinclair Canyon, where they are immediately greeted with pristine views and vistas. Tucked within Kootenay National Park, the Radium Hot Springs pools are filled with naturally heated mineral waters. Radium Hot Springs lies only 90 minutes west of Banff National Park, or a scenic 3-hour drive from Calgary.

Services will be held at the Radium Golf Course. Accommodation options:

**Bighorn Meadows Resort:** #10 Bighorn Blvd., Radium (a 7-minute drive to services). For info, visit www.bighornmeadows.com. Resort is located overlooking the Springs Golf Course and offers expansive 1 and 2 bedroom condo suites as well as standard guest rooms. Each condo offers a fully equipped kitchen, fireplace, and a generous deck with BBQ facilities. Rates:

Room Rates:	Standard Guest Room	One Bedroom Suite	One Bedroom Suite Golf Course View	Two Bedroom Suite	Two Bedroom Suite Golf Course View	Two Bedroom Townhome
Oct 6-9	\$99	\$109	\$129	\$159	\$189	\$159
Oct 10-12	\$119	\$149	\$179	\$199	\$239	\$199
Oct 13-15	\$99	\$109	\$129	\$159	\$189	\$159

Rates do not include taxes (16%) and fees. The increased cost for the one weekend during the Feast is because of the Thanksgiving weekend. But the rooms average out to a great price. We have blocked off a number of rooms to ensure there is availability. Deadline to book is August 30. If you book after that date, you will still receive the discounted rates, but they cannot guarantee that your preferred room type will be available. To book at Bighorn Meadows Resort, call (250) 347-2323. Provide our group code at the beginning of your call; code is **CBCGC**.

**Radium Golf Course:** 8100 Golf Course Rd., Radium; (800) 667-6444; (250) 347-6200. When booking, ask for Patrick Varano and mention the CBCG. In addition to meeting at this location, there are a few lovely, luxury condos available at the Radium Golf Course. All rooms include a kitchen and a pull-out couch. Rates are as follows:

2 Bedroom/2 Bath (suitable for 2 couples or 2 individuals) \$225/night + tax & cleaning \$218/night + tax & cleaning \$218/night + tax & cleaning

If you have questions or need more information, please contact Mark or Beverly Bohnert at (403) 332-3799; mandb@telus.net.

# Eastern Canada—Gananoque, Ontario

#### **Holiday Inn Express & Suites**

777 King Street East • Gananoque, Ontario K7G 1H4 • (613) 382-8338

The Feast site for Eastern Canada will again be located in **Gananoque**, **Ontario**. Gananoque is a community nestled in the heart of the picturesque 1000-Islands region on the St. Lawrence River. Located between two international bridges, Gananoque is easily accessible for our American neighbors from I-81—an easy 15 minutes from the border!

Meetings will be held at the Holiday Inn Express & Suites. The facility has a lovely, spacious meeting hall and beautiful rooms. There is an indoor pool, fitness center, and sauna—and free Internet access is included. A daily hot breakfast buffet is available and all rooms have a refrigerator and microwave. Rooms will be offered at our group rate of \$150/night, plus tax. To book accommodations, please call the hotel directly at (613) 382-8338 and state that you are with the Christian Biblical Church of God. Hosts will be Robert and Trisha Stapleton. For info contact **Jennifer Gates** at the CBCG office: (613) 498-1481; cbcgcanada@gmail.com.

## Kalbar, Queensland, Australia

#### 36 Pennell Street, Kalbar

Kalbar is a ten-minute drive from Boonah, a pretty little township nestled at the edge of the spectacular scenic rim region of Southeast Queensland, just over an hour west of Brisbane. There is a diverse range of accommodations including motels, cabins, cottages, and lodges catering to all budgets. Apart from the beautiful county drives, there are a number of other country attractions, including historic sites, wineries, and farm tours—just to mention a few.

The venue for the Feast will be the home of Roy and Carol Gneck (36 Pennell Street, Kalbar)—providing for a close family atmosphere. Brethren will be able to fellowship from 10:00 AM before services, which will start at 10:30 AM each day. No opening night service.

Tea, coffee, and lunch will be provided daily free of charge for all in attendance. For details, please contact Paul Siddle at + 61 7 55 306 888 or paulsid231@gmail.com.

### Cameron Highlands, Malaysia

Heritage Hotel Cameron (Three Star Hotel) www.heritage.com.my

Greetings! We will have a Feast site again this year in **Cameron Highlands**—a district of Pahang, **Malaysia**. Developed in the 1930s, the tableland is one of the oldest tourist spots in Malaysia. In addition to its tea estates, the plateau is noted for its cool weather, orchards, farmlands, waterfalls, rivers and lakes, wildlife, golf courses, museums, and native inhabitants.

**Rooms rates:** Superior Room King/Twin (twin sharing)

With breakfast for two guests; 8, 9, or 10 nights:

230 RM (Malaysian Ringgit) per night 75 AUD (Australian Dollars) per night 55 USD (American Dollars) per night

**Meal package:** 3 Combine Luncheons at the hotel for 3 Sabbaths

3 Combine Dinners at the hotel for 3 Sabbath evenings

Total (per person) = 270 RM; 100 AUD; 75 USD

For those interested in joining our Malaysian Feast, please feel free to contact me:

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#### Willowhaven Holiday Park, Ngongataha, Rotorua

This year's Feast will again be held again at the tranquil **Willowhaven Holiday Park**, **Ngongataha**, **Rotorua**. Willowhaven Park—nestled on the peaceful western shores of Lake Rotorua—offers a serene lakeside setting ideal for worship, fellowship, and family events.

For the past seven years, this affordable venue has served our groups well. The **Holiday Park** features 2 chalets, 2 family units, and 6 cabins—along with the conference hall. Rotorua also has various other accommodations.

Rotorua is very popular tourist site renowned for its geothermal wonders, including bubbling mud pools and steaming geysers. Visitors can enjoy a variety of activities such as forest walks in the Redwoods or relaxing in natural hot springs like the Polynesian Spa. For adventure enthusiasts, there is mountain biking in Whakarewarewa Forest, zip-lining, and white-water rafting. Unique attractions like the Agrodome offer interactive farm experiences, and the Skyline Rotorua provides gondola rides with beautiful panoramic views.

We warmly welcome overseas brethren to join us for this special time of worship and celebration in the heart of the South Pacific. For more information, please contact Simon Massey at sbmassey1@gmail.com.

## Tagaytay City, Cavite, Philippines

**Tagaytay Country Hotel** (Three Star Hotel) www.tagaytaycountryhotel.com.ph

We will have a Feast site again this year in **Tagaytay City, Cavite, Philippines**. Located on a mountain ridge in southern Cavite, the city of Tagaytay provides a mildly cool refuge from Manila's gritty side. It is the unofficial "Second Summer Capital" of the Philippines, and its proximity to Manila draws local and foreign tourists alike. Besides the city's association with scenic Taal Volcano and the lake surrounding it, Tagaytay is home to numerous scenic viewpoints, religious sites, excellent dining, and a new arrival—shopping malls.

For those interested in joining our Philippines Feast, please feel free to contact:

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### 2025 Feast of Tabernacles—Information Form

Please be sure to return this <u>Feast Information Form</u> as soon as possible.

Please select the site that you will attend and circle it on this information form. Please note that you must make your *own* reservations. I/we plan on attending the Feast of Tabernacles with the Christian Biblical Church of God at the following location:

- Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin
- Pigeon Forge, Tennessee
- Sanford, Florida
- Branson, Missouri
- Shipshewana, Indiana
- Tulsa, Oklahoma
- Houston, Texas
- Pasadena, California
- · Blanchard, Idaho
- Hollister, California
- Western Canada, Radium Hot Springs
- Eastern Canada, Gananoque
- Kalbar, Queensland, Australia
- Cameron Highlands, Malaysia
- Rotorua, New Zealand
- Tagaytay City, Cavite, Philippines

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