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Thought for the week: It has been the way of Rotary to focus thought upon matters in which members are in agreement, rather than upon matters in which they are in disagreement.

This Week: Chaplain Alvin Aguilar, MTh, BCC

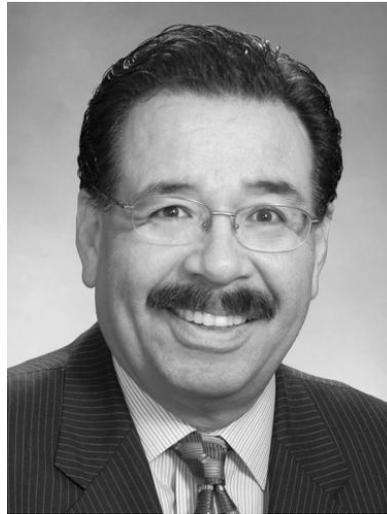
Alvin has a 35 year career in business and a 20 year concurrent career in Church ministry. 8 years ago, he applied and became a Healthcare Chaplain and a little over a year ago became the Corporate Director of Spiritual Care for Citrus Valley Health Partners in the San Gabriel Valley.



In 2000, the Department of Defense authorized the AP3 program due to the shortage of support personnel and chaplains being deployed in the Iraqi and Afghanistan conflicts. This program authorizes civilian's volunteers to participate and assist in military funerals for all branches of service.

In 2007, Alvin applied, was accepted, and began conducting military funerals. To date he has participated in over 500 funerals. Currently Alvin serves as the Deputy Chief of Chaplains with the USV-JSC and has the responsibility of educating and training new volunteers in military protocol and chaplaincy.

Last Week: Martin Gallegos, DC



Dr. Gallegos provided a interesting and frank analysis of the state of health care in the United States today. There is a growing movement of government intrusion into today's health care system that is troubling

Calendar of Events

Budget & Finance Committee – Miles Petroff
 July 30

Town of Apple Valley Summer Concerts
 BEER GARDEN July 31

Clothe the Kids – August 11, 9:00 am
 Target Store – Eastland
 2841 E Eastland Center Dr. (626)859-0221

Next Week: John Tanner, Ph.D.

John Tanner will be giving a talk on healthy eating. He comes at it from a very scientific perspective so it should be interesting. He had a heart attack at a fairly early age and had to learn how to make big changes in his diet, so the story is also interesting.



John's company, Tanner Research was named to the impressive Deloitte & Touche "Los Angeles Technology Fast 50" list, a ranking of the 50 fastest-growing high-technology companies in the area. Tanner Research, Inc., a leading microelectronic technology company was named to the list in recognition of its outstanding growth over the past five years. Tanner Research, Inc. designs custom integrated circuits (ICs) and supplies IC design software and services worldwide. The company has made the "Fast 50" list for three years in a row.