

TWIN WILLOWS

Freida Gaston

GOOD SAMARITAN

Jim Hawley (father of Lisa Pontius)

EVERGREEN NURSING & REHAB

Mary Cable (mother of Sue White)

HOME

Warren & Gladys Williams

Kathy Stroud

Virginia Anderson (grandmother of Steve Tucker)

Lois Roberts

Jim Raver (brother of Bob Raver)

Anita Peterson (daughter of Hilda Bisel)

Imogene Johnson

Kathy Russell

Jim Rainwater

Wayne Wilkinson

Brittany Uchitjil (granddaughter of Robert & Naida Uchitjil)

Agnes Overturf (mother of Sandy Martin)

Lily Beasley (granddaughter of Peggy Maxey)

Ben Baggett (father of Steve Baggett)

Gerald & Linda Hutchcraft (friends of Lindsey Crane)

Jan Luse

Myrna Nez (sister of Daisy Williams)

Jeff McDaneld (uncle of Audra Hahn)

Jim Noe (brother-in-law of Ron Ball)

Karen Wright (daughter of Joan Moore)

Lois Green

Della McCormick (mother of Marilyn Wiggins)

Doug Baldrige

OUR SYMPATHY to Donna Charlton at the death of her sister, Nancy Williams

Prayer Needs

I am requesting prayer for:

Please keep private.

Please add to the published prayer list.

Center

How Great Thou Art

How Great Is Our God

WELCOME

MESSAGE - Phil Martin

Accept One Another

INVITATION

You Are My King

OBSERVANCE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

Your Grace Is Enough

WORSHIP OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

Lord Reign In Me

CLOSING PRAYER

Center

Ministry Highlight

Kids' Christmas Program

Parents, it's time to sign your kids up for the Christmas program! This year's program is called "Back to the Manger." It includes a good mixture of drama and music. It will be on the evening of December 4th. Practices will be on **Wednesdays, 6:30—7:15pm** starting on **October 26th**. We will also have one Saturday practice and one practice in the afternoon on the day of the program.

Your kids will receive a sign-up flyer. Please sign them up by turning the flyer in to the box in the church foyer OR by signing up on the sheet in the foyer.



October 16, 2011

Combined Worship Service

Sunday, October 30th
Donuts & Coffee fellowship, 8:45am
Bible School, 9:30am
Worship service, 10:30am

Student Minister Search

The elders, search team, ministry staff, and board have unanimously decided to extend the call to Drew Peterson to be our full-time Student Minister.

You will have a chance to meet Drew and his wife, Jade, next Sunday, October 23rd during the following times:

- Drew and Jade will be introduced at both morning worship services
- 9:30am (upstairs) with junior high, high school, and college students.
- 5:30pm Ice cream with H2O students and parents
- 6:00pm Drew will speak at H2O

Congregational Meeting

A special Congregational Meeting to affirm our leaders decision to call Drew Peterson will be held on Sunday, October 30th, following the 10:30 worship service.

Staff

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Ely Lambert, *Interim Student Minister*
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Christmas Gifts For Kids

In the past, we have filled shoe boxes for Samaritan's Purse and Niños de Mexico and have paid postage from \$7.50 upwards to \$15.00 per box. Last year, our postage to send gifts was \$900!

This would not have been possible without the generous heart of our congregation. However, wouldn't it be wonderful if ALL the money could be used to help more children, instead of going toward postage? YES!

This year, with your help we are sending all of the money we raise directly to three missions supported by the children's department: Haitian Christian Outreach, Damou Christian Mission (Haiti), and Cherish Brandon Edwards with Camp L.R.C.A. in Crown Point, IN.

Please consider donating towards our project by November 20. You may contact Marilyn Wiggins, Linda Hawn, or Mallory Crouse for more information. Help us give these children a Christmas to remember.

PACK THE PANTRY

This year we are again helping **Colegio Biblico** with the project of feeding the students.



Our Mission Committee has agreed to send \$500 out of our Mission Fund and we would like to challenge you to match our donation. We would like to send at least \$1,000 by November 1st.

Please mark your check for "Pack the Pantry" and place it in the offering plate, leave it with the church secretary, or give it to Bonnie Smith.

See the October Reporter for addition information about this project.

Creative Arts Auditions/Interviews

We are looking to involve everyone in our congregation who has a heart for God and has gifts and abilities in Creative Arts. Creative Arts include singing, playing an instrument, acting, painting, running sound or computers, stage design, and so much more! We are only limited to the people we have.

This is an open call for you to join our team. Please pick up an information packet and application at the table in the foyer this month. You will receive information about auditions/interviews, expectations, and scheduling. We would love to minister along with you!

If you have any questions, please contact David Jarrett or Bryan McIntosh.

FCC Choir

FCC Choir rehearsals are on Wednesdays at 7:30pm.



We are scheduled to sing during the Sunday morning worship service, November 6th, and for the Christmas Eve Service.

The FCC Choir is a non-audition group and we encourage everyone who loves to sing to join in and be a part of something fun and inspiring. If you have any questions, please contact Sharon Sullens or Dave Jarrett.

Facts & Figures October 9, 2011

8:15 am Worship	157
Bible School	142
10:30 am Worship	235
Total Worship	392
*Ministry Fund Offering	\$10,472.32
Weekly Ministry Needs	\$11,884.62
*Add. Designated gifts	\$ 1,153.00
Total	\$11,625.32

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:**TODAY:**

8:15 a.m. Early Worship
8:15 a.m. Foundation Rock
9:30 a.m. Bible School
10:30 a.m. Worship
10:30 a.m. Foundation Rock
5:30 p.m. Evening Worship
6:00 p.m. H2O

MONDAY:

10:00 a.m. S.A.M.
7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball

TUESDAY:

8:30 a.m. Sonshine School
6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

WEDNESDAY:

9:15 a.m. MOPS
5:00 p.m. Worship rehearsal
6:00 p.m. Teen Small Group (Will & Michele Webb home)
6:30 p.m. Ecclesiastes Study
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY:

9:30 a.m. Priscilla Ladies' Study
6:30 p.m. Night MOPS

GUEST PREACHER

We are delighted to have **Howard Kraps** as our guest preacher next Sunday, October 23rd.

Howard and Nancy were blessed with a long and fruitful ministry with Central Christian Church in Mt. Vernon, IL. Now, they travel among the churches in Southern Illinois preaching God's Word and offering guidance and encouragement to church leaders and congregations.

**Accept One Another
Romans 15:7**

Disunity...

Distracts the b_____.

Discourages the s_____.

Discredits our S_____.

"Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you." Romans 15:7

Paul gives three exhortations in Romans 14:

1. Don't a_____.
2. Stop j_____ one another.
3. Do what makes p_____ and helps one another.

"Above all things have fervent love among yourselves, for love shall cover a multitude of sins." 1 Peter 4:8**CONNECTION CARD**

10/16/2011

Thank you for attending. Please help us by filling out this card and placing it in the offering.

Please check the service you are attending: 8:15 10:30

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/ State/ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

First names of family attending with you.

I am: a first time guest an out of town visitor

a regular attendee a member

searching for a church home