



Wonderful Wednesday Night Fellowship Resumes Wednesday, August 23rd

Following the normal summer break, WWNF resumes next Wednesday. A new Bible Study Course is available for adults; youth continue with their regular program; and children will begin new programs with some new leaders. The normal Wednesday schedule will be as follows:

4:30 p.m. **Children's Bell Choir** directed by Becky Meyer

5:00 p.m. **Children's Choir** directed by Janet Jones

5:00 p.m. **Youth Choir** directed by Randy Johnson

5:15 p.m. **Meal** in Fellowship Hall

(Cost is \$3.00 per person or \$10.00 per family)

6:00 p.m. **WWNF Chapel** with songs, prayers and sharing joys and concerns

6:30 p.m. **Christian Children's Fellowship** (ages 3 through 2nd grade)

"Adventure Trails that Lead to Jesus: Noah's Park" led by Laura Lang and Stephanie Riggs. Will use puppets, stories, arts and crafts and games.

6:30 p.m. **Junior Youth Fellowship** (grades 3 - 6) "Bible Zone Live! In the Land of the Messiah" led by Carolyn McLemore. Will use Scripture, games, music, art and "zillies". This study will be about the Holy Land.

6:30 p.m. **Junior High & High School Youth** led by Justin Jones

6:30 p.m. **Adult Bible Study** – Book of Genesis led by John McLemore

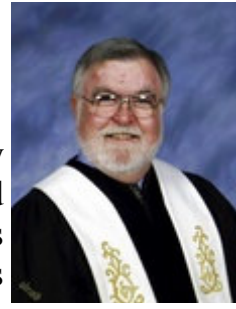
6:30 p.m. **Chancel Choir Rehearsal** directed by Randy Johnson

7:30 p.m. **Chancel Handbell Choir Rehearsal** directed by Virginia Wheeler

Plan to attend. All are welcome!

...According to John

Thank you for all the cards, notes, e-mails and gifts sent to me for my 60th Birthday. They were wonderful expressions of appreciation and kindness, some were quite funny. I have jokingly said that I am now as close to 80 as I am to 40. Actually I prefer to reverse the order. I am as close to 40 as to 80. Thanks again!



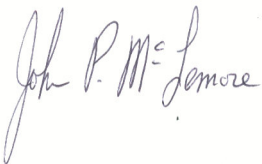
Next Wednesday WWNF resumes and with it we will begin a new Bible Study on the Book of Genesis. Each participant will need a study book, the Interpretation Bible Studies: Genesis. The cost is \$12.00 and will be available at the class. I will be leading most of the sessions and they will also be provided “on-line”.

The study book says the following: “The Bible’s first book contains many well-known stories, some familiar since childhood; creation and the garden of Eden; an ark full of animals adrift in a flood; Abraham and Isaac; the conniving Jacob; and the dreams of Joseph. Now hear these stories again in a new way, and in hearing, discover afresh the knowledge that God created everything in goodness and love. Whether in the heights of paradise or the depths of exile, the human journey is never far from the presence of God. From Eden to Egypt, Genesis affirms God’s love for all of us.

“*Interpretation Bible Studies* (IBS) offers solid biblical content in a creative study format. Forged in the tradition of the celebrated *Interpretation* commentary series, IBS makes the same depth of biblical insight available in a dynamic, flexible, and user-friendly resource. IBS combines a great heritage of scholarship with a fresh approach to biblical study.”

Plan to join us on the 23rd and following Wednesday nights.

Grace and peace,



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| In case of an emergency please call Rev. McLemore any time at the office at 233-1214. If you are unable to reach him at the office, his cell phone number is (580)402-2522, or you can reach him by calling his home 233-4214. |
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SUNDAY'S STATISTICS

August 13, 2005

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| Chapel Worship..... | 46 |
| Sanctuary Worship..... | 278 |
| Saturday Night Worship..... | 14 |

VAN DRIVER SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 20, David Dell

REPORTED ILL

Bass: Davida Whitsitt, Beverly Bell, Lucille Teemley

Dismissed: Chuck Bowlan

DIACONATE TEAM SERVING

August 20—Team 1

Jerry Clark, Shirley Salisbury, Kyle Hohmann, Sue Chael, Steve Chambers, Janice Clark, Roydon Tilley, Tary Davis Johnson, Tom Ireland, Shirley West, Nancy Hohmann, Suzanne Klemme, Gail Novak, Dave Chael, Margaret Day, Kent Beaty, Zach Chael, Jared Hohmann, Adam Hohmann, Mark Johnson, Matthew Johnson.

Sunday, August 20

Promotion Sunday
 8:00—Chapel Worship
 9:00—Church School
 10:15—Sanctuary Worship
 2:30—CCC Worship Service on Pegasys
 4:00—Youth Group Meeting

Monday, August 21

12:00—Noon Prayer Service

Tuesday, August 22

11:45—Brown Bag Bible Study
 6:00—Master Planning Meeting

Wednesday, August 23

4:30—CCC Worship Service on Pegasys
 4:30—Children's Handbell Practice
 5:00—Children & Youth Choir Practice
 5:15—Caregivers Too Meeting
 5:15—WWNF Meal
 6:00—WWNF Chapel Fellowship
 6:30—WWNF Classes & Activities
 6:30—Chancel Choir Practice
 7:30—Chancel Handbell Practice
 7:30—Cabinet Meeting

Saturday, August 26

8:00—Volunteers Arrive for Angel Food Distribution
 8:30—Angel Food Distribution
 5:30—Saturday Evening Worship Service

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Central is looking for a few good "friends"! If you would like to become a part of a new program that welcomes visitors and members into the life of our church, then we want you! Become a "First Friend". Call 747-7810 to sign up today!

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2006

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| Chapel Worship..... | 8:00 a.m. |
| Church School..... | 9:00 a.m. |
| Sanctuary Worship..... | 10:15 a.m. |
| Sermon..... | "Giving Thanks To God".....Rev. John McLemore |
| Scripture..... | Ephesians 5:15-20 |
| Anthem..... | "God Is Our Refuge".....Chancel Choir |
| Elders 8:00—Bret Whinery; 10:15—Peggy Goodrich, Worth Bracher | |

SWIM PARTY

"There will be a swim party for 3 and 4 year olds at Miss Mary's pool at 2722 Sunnybrook Circle in the Meadows from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. on August 26 to say farewell to Colby Jarnagin and Ty Schlect who will be moving to the Kindergarten class. Please bring a towel and at least one parent. In case weather interferes, other plans will be made."

Call for Teddy Bears

The Caregivers give teddy bears to members of Central Christian Church who are in the hospital, who are home-bound or in nursing homes. Since this ministry began in late 2005, over 200 teddy bears and stuffed animals have been given away. All of these stuffed animals were donated by members of our church. Fifteen residents of Burgundy Place were surprised (and delighted) on August 6, when they received a teddy bear when they attended the worship service Central Christian Church conducts twice a month at this facility.

Now, we need more soft, cuddly teddy bears or stuffed animals that we can give away. Please bring your teddy bears and stuffed animals to the church office. Your donation will bring a smile to the face of a person who is in need of a little love.

NEW ADDRESS

Pvt. Caleb Holden
RN416
C Company 2-54th Infantry
Basic Combat Training Brigade
8775 Albanese Drive
Ft. Benning, GA 31905

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WWNF MENU
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23
Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Toast
Dessert

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

The following individuals are either undergoing cancer/leukemia treatments or have been diagnosed with cancer Clifford Lewis, Emma Jean Floyd, Gene Olbert, Frances Williams, Cody Miller, Tim Hopkins, Carson Bandy, Hope Weiden, Joan Winter-ringer, Della Huckleberry, Barbara Hunter, Terry Moulton, Marilyn King, Kenneth Turner, Don Whitsitt, Harriett Brown, Elbert Wheeler, David Bratina, Norma McIntyre, Karen Holloway, Brenda Brown, Mary Simp-son and Ray Townley.....Margaret Dent as she recovers from a second back surgery..... Thom Bushman as he continues to recover from surgery.....Sandra Justice on the death of her aunt Emma Ives of Follett, Texas.....Clint & Shontu'e Anson on the death of Clint's grandmother from El Paso, Texas.....

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Angel Food Ministries will begin distributing their food boxes from Central's west parking lot beginning August 26. They are always needing volunteers to help assemble food boxes, break down boxes and clean-up, people to hand out flyers, take empty boxes from customers, take order receipts, load food orders into cars and direct traffic. There are a variety of ways you can help. Please call Phyllis at Hope Outreach at 237-4673 to volunteer. Vol-unteers work the last Saturday of the month from 8:00 a.m. until approximately noon.

 Our congregation is continuing to pray for other churches in our area. This week we have been asked to pray for **Alva Avard Christian Church**. Please keep them in your prayers this week.

CARD OF THANKS

Dear Friends of Central & Sooner Class,

I want to thank you all from the bottom of my heart for your prayers, cards, calls, Care-givers, Don for his prayers and the teddy bear, it did make me feel loved, while I was in the hospital and since I have returned home—all mean so much to me.

May Gods blessings be with you,
Ila Crain

HOW CAN I MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Regardless of differing views on global warming, most everyone agrees on the problem of increased energy prices spurred on by ever-increasing energy demand in two of the largest energy consuming nations in the world—the United States and China.

You can make a difference:

- By eliminating one 20-mile car trip, every week, you'll reduce your annual production of CO₂ greenhouse gasses by nearly 1,000 pounds. (That's equal to the amount of CO₂ that an acre of rainforest can absorb in a year.)
- For each quarter-pound beef patty eliminated from your diet, you'll save more than 600 gallons of water.
- When you shop at a farmers market, local family farmers receive more than 80% of your "food dollar," rather than the 9% they might receive through a retail market. (Typically, 9 cents of our food dollar goes to the farmer, while 91 cents goes to suppliers, processors, middlemen, and marketers.)
- For each incandescent light bulb you replace with a compact fluorescent bulb, you'll reduce your annual CO₂ production by 500 pounds.

ANGEL FOOD MINISTRIES

Hope Outreach in Enid is sponsoring Angel Food Ministries, where a person can buy \$75 of good, high quality, name brand food for only \$25.

More important, this is a ministry opportunity for us at Central Christian Church. Do you know someone who needs some help? If so, give them \$75 of food by buying them a \$25 "Angel Food Gift Certificate." This can be done confidentially through the church office.

Would you like to volunteer once a month to help pack the food boxes? If you have any questions, call the church office and ask for either Stephanie Zimbelman or Don Johnson. You can make a difference helping someone you know with their food bills.

CARD OF THANKS

A special thank you to you all for the cards, calls and prayers after my fall.

I am so blessed to have such a caring church family. God bless you.

Dorothea Immel

BOOMER CLASS—AUGUST 20th

How do we honor important people in our lives? How do we honor the heroes of our faith? We will use the recent Football Hall of Fame induction of Reggie White and Troy Aikman as the basis of discussing Hebrews 12:1,2, Acts 6:3 and Acts 9:39.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Congratulations go out to Norma Ferguson for being named YWCA Volunteer of the Year. Norma was honored at the YWCA annual banquet.

Sunday School Class Schedule To Serve WWNF

August 23—Sooner Class

August 30—No Help Needed

September 6—Crusader Class

CYF (High School)

Frontier City: We had a great time at Frontier City. We had 18 go last Saturday. Thanks to Jimmy, James, Cody and Wendy for going as sponsors.

Medical Release Forms: Hey if you haven't heard we need to have you fill out new medical release forms. Forms are located on the shelves outside my office. Please get them filled out.

Back to School Lock-in: We will have a lock-in THIS Friday, August 18. We will start at 7:00 p.m. and will end on Saturday morning at 7:00 a.m.

Chi-Rho (Jr. High)

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Young Adults (18-25)

Regional Assembly: I would like to see us have a great attendance. The assembly dates are October 13-15. The assembly will be held at First Christian Church in Edmond.

TSULTRIM NEEDS YOU

Tsultrim is badly in need of new shoes, pajamas and jeans. It is getting very cold there (in the foothills of the Himalaya Mountains) so we need to get these things sent as soon as possible. I have a drawing of his shoe size so we can send the correct sized shoes.....Please bring money for his needs.....For every dollar you bring to Sunday School, bring another dollar for his clothes and shoes.....Also, if you have any good quality jeans (boys, size 10) or long-sleeved shirts (boys, size 10), please bring those to the church.

KIDS CORNER

Acolytes – Aug. 20

Caitlyn Castle, Brenna Bushman (schedule change)

Kids Time Staff – Aug. 20

Jamie Jarnagin, Allison Angleton, Britton Yunker, Rachel Meyer, Katie Bushman

Rotation Teacher – Moses party

CALENDAR INFORMATION

- Aug. 20 – Ticket Sunday
- Aug. 20 – Promotion Sunday
- Aug. 27 – Teacher Appreciation and fall kick-off luncheon

PROMOTION SUNDAY, AUG. 20

Promotion Sunday will be Sunday, Aug. 20th. Promotion Sunday, we'll also give out attendance awards, Bible bookmark awards, and memory verse awards. Kids will actually be promoted to new classes on Aug. 27. Parents of new first graders – Beginning 8/27, bring your kids to the loggia at 9:00. They will begin their participation in rotation model. Look for the mailing with further explanation.

Be sure to bring back your Bible bookmarks. Rachel, Connor and Brent brought theirs back last Sunday. They will get their rewards this Sunday.

Offering is a bit down lately. Please bring offering each Sunday.

MOSES PARTY – This Sunday, we'll have a Moses party to celebrate completing the first half of our Moses study and to tie it into our next section of the Moses story. Wear casual clothes and sandals or flip flops (or just some real old shoes).

