

# NORTHEAST NEWS

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## ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GUESTS ...

- Please pick up an information packet from our welcome table in the lobby. We also have a small gift for our first-time guests.
- We are grateful for your presence today. Please fill out an attendance card (please indicate both your first and last names) so we can have a record of your presence.
- About halfway through the service, the children ages 4 years old through the 3rd grade will be dismissed for their own class downstairs. For those under 4 years old, there are classes on the main level throughout the entire service. We encourage the use of our attended nursery class for those who need it.
- If you have any questions concerning our services or the church or the Bible, we encourage you to speak to one of our elders or our minister.



## BIBLE BOWL

Our Bible Bowl team will enter their first round of competition this afternoon at the Rochester Church of Christ. We're excited that several of our young people have dedicated themselves to this study. Let's be sure to encourage the youth that are involved: **Jordan & Kasie Cummings, Austin Dermeyer, Danielle Hibbard, Jenna & Kara Mason, Madalyn Murray, and Jayda & Madison Wilson.** Thank you to **Lori Mason** and **Karen Nocita** for studying with and directing the group.

## POTLUCK NEXT WEEK

Everyone is encouraged to make plans to stay after services **next Sunday morning** for a potluck meal. Bring your favorite dish (and a little extra) and enjoy some great food and fellowship. At that time we will again honor some Northeast servants.





**Carol Fralick** had surgery last week. **Bob Bumbalough**, former member, was hospitalized recently after suffering mini-strokes. His wife, **Lennie**, is recovering from knee surgery. Their address is P.O. Box 515, Mio MI 48647  
**Ron Jones**, Dwayne's brother, is critically ill.

### **REQUESTING PRAYERS**

*Carol Fralick*

### **BAPTISMS**

We are happy to share with you that **Ashley & Dylan Brown**, Shane & Keitha's children, were baptized last week.



### **THANK YOU**

There is a note from **Pat Mull** posted on the bulletin board.

### **HELP NEEDED**

**Carol Fralick** will need some help in her home during recovery from her surgery. If anyone can be of assistance please see Vicki.



### **GUESS WHO DINNER**

Another **Guess Who's Coming To Dinner** fellowship is being planned for either Friday, **Feb. 6** or Saturday, **Feb. 7**. If you want your family to be included in this round you need to let Cindy Wilson know by Jan. 23. If you do not contact Cindy you will not be included. She plans to pass out the "invitations" next Sunday so get your name in so you don't miss a great fellowship opportunity.



### **MEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Jeff Jackson began a men's Bible study last Monday, and it was a wonderful experience. They will take place every other week, with the next study on **Jan. 26**. Men, you are all invited to take advantage of this great opportunity to meet and study together.



### **Wednesday Night Ladies' Class**

**This week: Psalm 51**

### **CONGRATULATIONS**



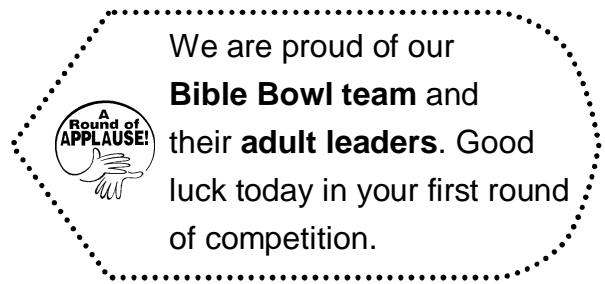
**Delany Brown** was recently named as one of the top ten fundraisers at her school (Wolfe Middle School) for St. Jude's Children's Hospital.



## **YOUTH GROUP TRIP**

A group will be traveling to Gatlinburg, TN **Feb. 19-22**, for

Winterfest. If you are interested in going or have questions, see Mark Wilson or Bill Nocita.



We are proud of our **Bible Bowl team** and their **adult leaders**. Good luck today in your first round of competition.

## **CHORUS IS COMING**

The Metro Detroit Youth Chorus will be with us at our evening service on



**Feb. 8**. We hope you will invite your family and friends to join you.

## **NEW PHONE NUMBER**



**Jackson family**  
313-926-6071

## **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

**Rochester College** invites all families to their first annual Christian High School Fair this **afternoon from 2-5 p.m.** on their campus. They are offering this opportunity for Christian families and local Christian high school to connect.



### **OUR DREAM FOR THIS CHURCH**

**is that it be so  
God-filled,  
Christ-focused,  
Cross-centered,  
and Scripturally-based  
that it results in a  
Holy Fellowship of Biblical  
Love, Acceptance,  
Grace, Care, and Service  
—a fellowship that  
Embraces and Includes New,  
Different, and  
Imperfect People  
—with it all leading to  
Outreach and Friendship  
Evangelism**

Cf. Acts 2:42-47

### **HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN**

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, died for us and rose from the dead, making salvation available as a gift (John 3:16; Romans 6:23). In order to benefit from this great sacrificial love, one must receive God's grace through faith in Christ and obedience to him (Romans 5:1-2; Hebrews 5:9). To become a Christian, the Bible teaches that we must put our trust in Christ (John 8:24), turn away from a life of sin (Luke 13:3), confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10:9-10), and be baptized for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16). If you would like to further study this question of "What must I do to be saved?" please see our minister or one of our elders.

## **ELDER CHAIRMAN**

The chairman of the elders for this quarter is **Mark Wilson**.

**WORSHIP ATTENDANTS**  
Jan. 18, 2009

Opening Prayer - Mike Messier  
Song Leader - David Walker  
Sermon - Stan Clanton

**Communion servants for January**

Don Smith      Kenny Cummings  
Roger Walker   Tom Cardwell

**FOR THE RECORD**  
January 11, 2009

Bible School	72
Sunday Morning Worship	147
Avg. attendance for 2009	149
Sunday Evening Worship	28
Small Group	22
Mid-week Bible Study	cancelled
Contribution	\$4,528.25
Avg. contribution for 2009	\$5,136.38
Budget	\$4,262.00
Shults-Lewis milk money	\$40.00
Total for 2009	\$73.00

**TIMES OF SERVICES**

Sunday  
Bible School - 9:30 a.m.  
Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.  
Home Bible Study small group  
5:30 p.m. at the Graves home.

Wednesday  
Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.



**NAME TAGS**

All members are encouraged to pick up and wear your name tag that is available in the lobby each Sunday morning.

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**DEACONS**

Tom Cardwell    Treasurer  
Brian Hibbard    Information Technology  
Mike Messier    Finance/insurance,  
                                ushers  
Bill Nocita      Youth  
Roger Walker    Outreach

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