



# 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 SCHOOL

Today our children moved up to their new classes. We appreciate all of our teachers and their dedication to teaching our young ones. Thanks to all you parents who make the extra effort to bring your children to class each week. Our children's teachers for the upcoming quarter will be:



2-4 year olds: Sharon Whitlatch  
K/1st grade: Mary Jean Langford  
2nd/3rd grade: Tawnya Clanton  
4th grade: Mark Wilson

In addition to the children's classes we also have three adult classes available. Everyone is invited to be part of a study each Sunday morning.

### Men's Bible Study



**This Tuesday night**  
(note new night)  
7:30 in the Teen Center  
Teacher: Jeff Jackson



**Arless Wilson** is in St. John Macomb Hospital with an infection.

**David Walker** had a biopsy last week.

**Jessica Cronk** still suffers from an ongoing infection.

**Janet Drekich**, sister of Patti Schollenberger, has been diagnosed with breast cancer.

**Misty Woodard**, Bob Murray's cousin, is very critically ill.

**Joy Gallegos**, the sister of a friend of Mark Orr's, has a serious medical problem.

**Gary Lauwer's brother** had surgery last week.

### **WEDNESDAY NIGHT LADIES' CLASS**

The Wednesday night ladies' class will begin on **Sept. 23**. Deanna Graves will be teaching from the book, "The Fragrance of Faith: Discovering the Aroma of Christ in the Beatitudes" by Casandra Martin. Books will be available before the first night of class. All women are invited and encouraged to be part of this class.



### **POTLUCK**



Everyone is invited to stay after services on Sunday morning, **Sept. 27**, for a potluck meal.

### **FELLOWSHIP DINNER**

It's time for another round of Guess Who's Coming to Dinner. The dates available are **Sept. 18 or 19**. Please let Cindy Wilson know which date is the



best for your family. This fellowship opportunity is open to everyone. It is a great occasion for families to get together. If your family has never been involved you can see Cindy to sign up and be part of this fun activity.

### **MCREST**

**Oct. 4-11** we will house the homeless at our building. The sign up lists are ready and located in the hallway.

Please take a minute and check to see where you can help and what food items you can donate.



Cindy Wilson will oversee the kitchen this year, so if you have any questions about that area you can see her. If you have any questions about volunteering you can see Bill Nocita. We have been a part of this program for many years, and it's a very valuable work. Pray for this effort and the lives that it touches.

### **CHORUS AUDITIONS**

The Metro Detroit Youth Chorus will hold auditions on **Saturday, Sept. 12**,



for all youth in grades 9-12. Contact Karen Sorenson at 734-546-2058 by Sept. 11 to make an appointment.

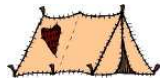
### **NAME TAGS**

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



## **MCYC**

Michigan Christian Youth Camp is in the process of repairing the roof and they need help. They will have skilled carpenters there to direct the project but there is a need for additional volunteers. There will be **work**



**parties** each Saturday from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

beginning now through Oct. 31. Work parties will also take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays as well from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you want more information you can call the camp at 810-664-8040.

## **GOLF CLASSIC**

The Church of Christ Care Center will hold it's 2nd Annual Golf Classic on **Saturday, Sept. 19**, at the Sylvan Glen Golf Course in Troy. The \$100 ticket price includes 18 holes of golf with a cart, continental breakfast, lunch, prizes and a lot of fun. Contact Patti Jenema at 586-285-7125 to register.



### 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.



We appreciate the work that **Rocky Elswick** has been doing updating our sign our front. **Ellen Frink** will now be doing that job. Thanks, Rocky, for the wonderful service you provided.



Last week we celebrated the 40th anniversary of this congregation. It was a time of remembering and looking forward. We were able to visit with old friends and spend time catching up. We all came together again to worship and honor our Maker. And what a great worship we had last week! The blending of our voices and our hearts was a sweet glimpse of heaven. We are thankful to God for allowing all the good things that have been accomplished through this congregation over the past 40 years. We are excited as we look forward to many more years of service. The reunion committee would like to thank everyone who helped out in so many ways to make the weekend as great as it was. It's impossible to mention all those who were involved in carrying out all the tasks, big and small. It was good to see so many working together to help make wonderful memories. Thanks also to the committee for all their many hours of work and dedication. God is good ! (Vicki)

