



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.

POTLUCK TODAY

Everyone is invited to stay after **this morning** for a potluck meal.



HELPING THE HOMELESS



Next Sunday evening we will open our doors and welcome many homeless men, women and children into our building. During the week we will provide them with shelter and food. This is a large task and we need your help. There are still spots open for volunteers to do a number of different jobs. We also still need several food items for the week. Please check those lists and see where you can help. Thank you to those who have already volunteered to help. We respectfully ask that if you make a commitment to work a shift that you please follow through. If you can't make your designated shift, please let Bill Nocita know as soon as possible. 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.

MEETING TODAY: There will be an important meeting for all MCREST volunteers this morning following our potluck. If you can't make it, please see Bill Nocita.



Arless Wilson remains in St. John Macomb Hospital.

Jerry Lynch got good test results.

Rose Killett's son is home and recovering from gall bladder surgery.

Linda Hanniford, a friend of Karen Serilla, will be receiving extensive cancer treatments in Illinois.

Michael Talley's wife does not have cancer. **Michael** has decided to stop all his treatments for his cancer.

SYMPATHY

Jim Beversdorf, Marilyn Jones' cousin, passed away last weekend.

BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST

Gary Lauwers

13425 Georgiana Ave.

Warren 48089

586-703-0355



THANK YOU



There is a note from **Carol Fralick** posted on the bulletin board.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

There will be a Halloween party for all ages on **Friday, Oct. 23**, from 6:30 - 8:30 at the building.

Donations are needed for this event. If you can help, see Sherry Walker or Bill or Karen Nocita.



SERVICES DURING MCREST WEEK

Next Sunday evening there will be no service due to the housing of our MCREST guests. Also, during that week there will be no men's Bible study on Tuesday night, and no Wednesday evening service.



SMALL GROUP



A small group Bible study, taught by Mike Messier, will begin

Sunday, **Oct. 18**, at **5:30 p.m.** at the home of Terry & Deanna Graves. If you are interested in joining this group, please sign up in the hallway.

SONG BOOKS

Our new song books have arrived and are ready to use this week. We were able to purchase these from a special donation made earlier this year. If you wish, you can have one of the old blue or red song books. They are located on the upper landing by the elevator.



SUPPLY ROOM

TEACHERS AND OTHERS! We encourage the use of the materials and supplies in the two supply rooms. However, please, if you take something out, or put something in, change a bulletin board, etc., please leave the room in a tidy manner. It is easier to keep up if everyone cooperates. Also, if you need any materials for your room, or if something is getting low, please let Barbara Walker know.

Thank you, Barbara

YOUTH CHORUS

Congratulations to our young people who will be part of the Metro Detroit Youth Chorus this year: **Callie Clanton, Billy Nocita, and Nolan Wilson.** We are also proud of **Mark Wilson**, who is president of the chorus board. We wish them all the best as they begin another season of praising God through song.



We appreciate **Jim Hampton** for preparing our Lord's Supper each Sunday. Thanks, Jim, for your consistent service to this congregation. Also, thanks to **Gary Lauwers** for putting out our new song books.

MCYC STEAK DINNER



Michigan Christian Youth Camp will hold their annual **steak dinner** to raise funds for the camp on Saturday, **Nov. 7**, from 4:00 - 7:30 p.m. If you purchase your ticket before Oct. 1 it will only be \$60 (\$30 for students), and after Oct. 1 the price will be \$65 (\$30 for students). Other options are also available. See Lori for tickets and more information.

FREE WORKSHOP

The Church of Christ Care Center is pleased to offer a free educational workshop on **Tuesday, Oct. 13**, from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. The Alzheimer's Association will present a discussion on "Understanding Difficult Alzheimer's Behaviors."



Topics will include an overview of dementia, understanding behaviors, effective communication, and coping skills. The workshop will be held at the Assisted Living facility on the 3rd floor. Please RSVP to 1-800-272-3900. Light refreshments will be served.

ELDER CHAIRMAN

The chairman of the elders for this quarter is **Ted Schollenberger.**

FOOD PANTRY

Food out of our pantry has been given to needy families. Food items are always welcomed and needed to carry on this work. If you wish to donate any items they can be placed on the cart at the bottom of the front stairs in the basement.



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.

FOR THE RECORD
Sept.20, 2009

Bible School	85
Sunday Morning Worship	155
Avg. attendance for 2009	165
Sunday Evening Worship	33
Mid-week Bible Study	56
Contribution	\$4,441.04
Avg. contribution for 2009	\$4,281.87
Budget	\$4,262.00
Shults-Lewis milk money	\$26.00
Total for 2009	\$1,146.18

WORSHIP ATTENDANTS
September 27, 2009

Opening Prayer - Dean Hampton
Song Leader - David Walker
Sermon - Stan Clanton

Communion servants for September

Shane Brown Rocky Elswick
Jeff Jackson Mark Nelson

TEACHING TOOLS

Our Sunday morning sermons are recorded and available on a CD or a cassette tape.



TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday
Bible School - 9:30 a.m.
Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday
Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

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