

## Prayer Concerns

Additions will be left for 3 months.  
Please notify the office with updates.

Pray for our Senior Minister

Our country and those serving in the military, those adjusting after service

Lym TenEyck—Failing health 6/09

Helen Carrier—In Tendercare 6/09

Gail Newcomb—Health concerns 6/09

Jan Postma—Health concerns 6/09

Brett DeYoung (friend of Hank Kott)—Brain cancer 6/09

Erma Gallagher's niece—Breast cancer, chemo 6/09

Roxanne Harris (Tom Rambo's sister) - Many health concerns 6/09

Lonia Brisson—Wound won't heal 6/09

Brenda Brown—Overactive thyroid 6/09

Kevin Farrar - Breathing problems, rheumatoid arthritis 7/09

Donald Norris (Willie Floyd's bro-in-law) - Cancer 7/09

Gail Ulrich—Home recovering after hip replacement surgery July 27th 7/09

Pastor Mark Sanders (Mt. Hope Church)—Recovering from stroke, doing well! 7/09

Pat Storey (friend of Liz Pietrangelo) - Not doing well after recent surgery 7/09

Nancy Wilson (Jerry's sister) - Health problems 7/09

Ed Holm (Trina's father) - Mini-stroke 7/09

Piper Oliver—2 mo old baby at DeVos Children's Hospital—blood disorder 07/09

Jude Blenkhorn—Respiratory problem, 3 mo old at DeVos Children's Hospital 07/09

Claire McConkle—11 yr old in Mott's Children Hosp, needs a heart transplant 07/09

Myrna Campbell—Sarcoidosis, stage 3, requires high doses of steroids 7/09

Sam Vert—In hospital, weaker 7/09

Bonnie Weber—Went to Mayo Clinic, chemo going well 7/09

Teresa Lawrence (John's wife) - In Tendercare, not doing well 8/09

Rita Dale—Terminal cancer, unable to do chemo 8/09

Brenda Brown—Papillary carcinoma, surgery soon 8/09

A.J. Langille—4 year old came out of seizure induced coma and can't remember family

### Cancer Concerns

Pam Thompson 6/09 Marta Houston (D. Nelson's cousin) 6/09 Bonnie Weber 6/09

Jane Ogle (B. Brown) 6/09 Deb Pifer (Dan Smart's sis-in-law) 6/09 Darby McCoy 6/09

Steve Romzek (P. Allison's bro-in-law) 6/09 Ken Vert 6/09

*Please call the office with updates.*

*We have a portable communion set, located in the office, for anyone to use.*

If you would like a visit from an elder or one of the ministers,  
please call the church office at 632-6511.  
Elders and ministers are listed on the back of the bulletin cover.

Please pray for these young men and women from our  
community who are deployed:  
Joey Eitrem (Derek & Jill's son) - Iraq

## Welcome to First Church of Christ Announcements for August 16, 2009

### Today:

Teen Youth Group—6:30 p.m.

### Wednesday:

Worship Team Practice—5:45 p.m.

### Tuesday:

Prayer Time at FCOC—5-7:00 p.m.



**Read the Bible in 90 days!** We are continuing our whole church challenge to read the Bible through in 90 days. It isn't as daunting as it seems. It only requires about 45 minutes a day of reading.

**This week: Matthew 26:57—Acts 6:7**



**Music Camp 2009 starts tomorrow!** We are ordering T-shirts this year, which are \$5.50. Adults that are helping and kids that are participating can order shirts. CDs are available to begin practicing, see Ann Peasley. Dates are August 17-21 from 9:00-12:00. **The Music Camp Performance will be August 23 at 10:00 a.m.! NEEDED:** Paper towel and TP empty rolls for crafts.



**Snacks needed for Music Camp!** If you can help make snacks for music camp, please sign up at the News Table in the lobby.



**Thunder Falls Family Fun Day** is coming August 24th! Sign up at the News Table in the lobby. Information on the sign-up sheet.



**Can you help?** We need help with meals for those who have been ill and with funeral dinners. If you are willing to make a meal for the Helping Hands group or a dish for a funeral dinner, please sign up at the News Table in the lobby, or call the church office for more information. Be blessed by blessing others!



**Mark your calendars!** There will be a free Living Trust Workshop put on by Great Lakes Christian College September 20, 2009. See the insert for details.



**Gardening Day!** Come help beautify our grounds! Thursday, August 27th at 9:00 a.m. See Ann Peasley for details.



**Get ready for the Gospel Sing!** Chippewa County Fair Grounds, September 6th at 7:00 p.m. See Randy Peasley for details.

General fund giving last week: \$3,655.83. Weekly requirements: \$5,880.00.



## Kids Quest



Kids Quest is for children from age 4 through 4th grade during the 11:00 service. Located down the stairs and straight thru in the Fellowship Hall.

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## Celebration Picnic!

September 13, 2009 at First Church of Christ



We are celebrating the completion of our Bible in 90 Days Challenge and being debt-free!! Everyone is invited! The church will provide the meat, please bring a side dish, salad, or dessert to pass.

Please sign up to help with set-up, grilling, and clean-up!  
Also looking for 10x20 canopy tents we can borrow.

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## Lakerpalooza!

Friday, August 28, 2009 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Help us tell the LSSU students about our church!  
Work a booth at Lakerpalooza! Sign up at the  
News Table. Contact Steve Habusta for details.

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## Fantasy Football is coming soon!

If you would like to be part of a team,  
call Dave Pietrangelo 632-3818, email at [davep@sault.com](mailto:davep@sault.com),  
or Alex Vert 630-6839, email at [a.vert@sbcglobal.net](mailto:a.vert@sbcglobal.net)

*Even if you have had a team in the past,  
please check in with Dave or Alex.*

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## Do you have 15 minutes to spare on Wednesday nights?

Do you like playing games or making crafts with children?  
Maybe God has a place for you on our Faith Weaver team.  
If you are interested, please sign up in the lobby. Come join the fun  
and watch the children grow in their faith!

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## Mission of the Quarter His House Christian Fellowship

We are collecting paper products, such as toilet paper,  
paper towels, napkins, etc.

Please place your donation on the Mission Table in the lobby.  
*There are baby bottles to fill with change to support Care Net on the  
Mission Table in the lobby.*

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## Hosea—Matthew Dr. Hank Kott

Sermon Notes