

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 9/09

Helen Carrier—In Tendercare 9/09

Gail Newcomb—Health concerns 9/09

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

Brenda Brown—Papillary carcinoma, surgery went well, prayers for next treatment 8/09

A.J. Langille—4 year old came out of seizure induced coma and can't remember family 8/09

Harry O'Daniels (Shadana Bettis' GF)—Early dementia, eye problems, sister passed away 9/09

Leah, friend of Shadana Bettis—Diagnosed with Lyme disease, in a lot of pain 9/09

Alison Klier—Spiritual and financial trouble and home 9/09

Pat Cleary—Knee replacement surgery in TC 9/09

Ron Stevens—Had a minor stroke, home recovering, having surgery soon 10/09

Kevin, son of friend of Sandy Long—surgery on esophagus, puncture, might have infection 9/09

Gail Newcomb—Back from hospital after kidney failure 9/09

Roger Malette—Triple bypass surgery on 9-28-09 in Florida

Kevin Farrar—Breathing issues, inflammation of left eye, evaluation in 6 weeks 10/09

Friend of Cindy Moniz—Surgery last week for prostate cancer concerns

Piper Oliver—Baby still in DeVos Hospital with serious health concerns

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.

This is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless until the day of Christ.

Philippians 1:9-10

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 October 11, 2009

Today:

Teen Youth Group—6:30 p.m.

Tuesday:

Prayer Time at FCOC—5-7:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Fellowship Supper—5:15 p.m.

Worship Team Practice—5:45 p.m.

Elementary Youth Groups—5:45 p.m.

Adult Bible Studies—6:00 p.m.



Financial Peace University Class. Contact Scott Crary and Todd Robertson, who will be teaching this class, for more information. The class will begin October 18th, time to be announced. Cost for materials per family is \$100.



Children's Christmas Program practice has begun! We meet at 9:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall in FCOC basement. K—High School are welcome! **There is still time to join!**



His House Christian Fellowship at LSSU has begun! Please sign up to help make goodies to encourage the new students!



Christian Women's Fellowship will meet at Studebaker's Restaurant on October 12th at 6:30 p.m. All ladies invited! Come for a night out with a purpose!



LOST and FOUND—Please check the bin in the lobby closet! There are coats, a sleeping bag, an air mattress, etc. It will be given away October 25th!



Wilderness Christian Assembly in Kalkaska, Michigan, has invited our congregation to their **Annual Hay Ride** and carry-in dinner on October 18, 2009 beginning at 5:30 p.m. There will be a cider press and pumpkin hunt, too! Call the church office for directions to the camp.

General fund giving last week: \$6,089.01. Weekly requirements: \$5,880.00.



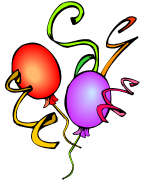
Kids Quest



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.

Let's Show Our Appreciation!

October is Preacher Appreciation Month! We will be acknowledging our ministers and their contributions to our congregation. If you would like to show your appreciation, the schedule is as follows:



During the week of:

October 4—Scott Crary
October 11—Steve Habusta
October 18—Hank Kott
October 25—Randy Peasley

Cards, calls, notes, etc. are all good ways to show how much we appreciate their work for our church!
(We're sure baked goods would be accepted, too!)



Annual Ladies' Tea

Ladies, mark your calendar for
Saturday, October 17 at 11:00 a.m.

Lisa Corbiere

Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World

Please sign up at the display in the lobby.
Guests 18 years and older are welcome.

Community: Diane Pepler Center will be having volunteer training on October 20-21 from 6-9:00 p.m. in the Community Room at Huntington Bank. Call 635-0566 for more details.



Mission of the Quarter Operation Christmas Child

We are collecting shoe boxes or comparable plastic containers filled with school supplies, small toys, toothbrushes, hair ties, etc.



Please see display in the lobby
for more information.
Bless a child this Christmas season!

Holy Living Steve Habusta

Sermon Notes

New classes have begun on Wednesdays from 6-7:00 p.m.



**We now have Men's Bible Study and
Women's Bible Study classes meeting!**