

## Today's Education & Fellowship Offerings

### **Children:** (Infants - Grades 5)

Noah's Park Nursery, birth through age 3, at 8:45 & 10:30a

**Sunday School** 8:45a: age 4-kdg room 117, grades 1-2 rm 116, gr 3-5 rm 114

K.I.T. **Children's Worship** for ages 4 through kdg. at 10:30a in Room 117

KIDS Church LIVE **Children's Worship** for grades 1-5 in Gym at 10:30a

### **Youth:** (Grades 5 - College)

**Sunday School** 8:45a: grades 6-8 in room 206, grades 9-12 in room 213

VERTICAL **Youth Worship** Service 9/21 and 10/5 at 10:30a in room 218

### **Adult Education 8:45am**

Women in the Word: Debbie Reeves, room 112

Faith Builders: Value-Packed Parenting, David & Gina McGill, room 207

Verse-by-Verse study of Hebrews: Keith Schoettmer, room 205

**NEW, 7 weeks:** Maximum Marriage: Mike Hutson, room 110 (begins today)

**NEW, 7 weeks:** Budgeting 101: Tom Strauss, Room 122 (begins next Sunday)

Community Gatherings (sermon discussion, especially for those looking to build relationships): Hutson/ Strauss, room 220; Meyer, room 121

### **Adult Education 10:30am**

Standard Bible Lesson Commentary – The New Testament Community:  
John Knapp, room 133

Elective: The Genesis Story, Bob Hendricks, room 122

Kum Join Us: Character Studies from the Bible, Mike Jenkins, room 107

Community Gathering: Hancock, room 121

Friends Unlimited Disability Ministry: Becky Moore, room 115

## Attendee Information for September 21, 2008

*Please help us get to know you by completing this removable section and placing in the offering plate. Thank you for being here today!*

First Time Guest  Return Guest  Member of CCC

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*please update the following if you have new or changed information*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

P.O. Box / Apartment: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear of CCC? \_\_\_\_\_

I want to meet with a pastor

I want to attend the Discovering CCC Membership Class October 5

### Requested Information

Children's Ministries

Home Fellowships

Youth Ministries

Men's Ministry

Women's Ministry

Mission Ministry

Disability Ministry

Music & Worship

Recreation Ministry

Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Prayer Requests

Subscribe to email prayer chain (include email above)

Place request on email prayer chain

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## Opportunities to Reach, Teach & Serve

### GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **“Go Deeper” 90-Day Bible Reading Challenge**

A New Testament challenge, based on the *Daily Walk Bible*, will begin October 1. We will not be ordering Bibles. You may use any Bible to participate. The reading plan is in your bulletin today. DWB devotional guides are available at the Information Desk or online.

#### **Truth @ Work “Purpose to Your Work”**

Saturday, October 4 from 8a-noon featuring Perry Hines, president of Truth@Work, as guest speaker. Registration required, cost is FREE, includes breakfast. Sign up online or in the narthex by October 1.

- Serve God in and through your work
- Feel God's hand upon you daily in your work or career
- Learn how to integrate your Christian faith daily at work
- Fellowship with a group of your peers and better understand how to apply God's Word in those difficult decisions you face

#### **Discovering Cicero Christian Church**

Those interested in membership or more information about our church are encouraged to attend the luncheon and informal meeting following worship on Sunday, October 5 in the Family Life Center. Signup at the Information Desk. Child care will be available if requested at signup.

#### **Annual Team Ministry Evaluation**

Mark your calendars now for the annual vision meeting for the congregation on October 19 at 6:30p in the sanctuary. We are beginning our annual evaluation of team ministry and preparing for the 2009 budget. All team managers and coaches should receive information this week. *Check your church mailbox today*, those not picked up will be mailed Monday.

#### **Uncle Phil's Diner**

Interactive Dinner Theater returns to CCC with *Badger Homecoming 1957*, November 14, 15 and 16. Ticket sales will begin in October. A meal will be served and is included in your ticket price. For ages 4 to 104.

#### **Home Fellowship**

You are invited to a bonfire and pitch in at the home of Mike and Nancy Hutson, at 26085 Schully Road (west of Arcadia) on Saturday, October 18 from 6p to 9:30p. All those attending or interested in joining a home fellowship are welcome. Bring your family, covered dishes, drinks to share. Bring table service for your family and lawn chairs. Contact Pastor Ben for more information.

#### **Veterans Day Celebration**

Watch for details on the celebration for our veterans, including a free meal following worship on November 9.

#### **Branson Trip**

Not enough signed up for the trip in 2009 so it has been cancelled.

### WORSHIP

#### **Tech Team**

We are currently looking for individuals who would like to operate our projection computer. We are also looking for video camera operators. If you have interest, contact Doug or someone in the booth today. All ages welcome! Rotating schedule on Sunday mornings.

### YOUTH

#### **See You at the Pole**

This event is a great place to connect with God, with fellow students and your school campus in the name of Christ. SYATP brings believers together at the beginning of the school year, so you can stand strong together throughout the year. First meeting at HHHS is Wednesday, September 24 at 7:30a and will continue meeting regularly through the year. For more information, see Pastor Chad.

#### **Destination: Unknown**

Sunday, October 12 following second worship and returning at 4p. For all grades 6 and above. Bring \$10 for food.

### CHILDREN

#### **Lunch With Pastor Ben**

Invite Pastor Ben to join you for a school lunch on a Monday. Just contact him at ben@reachteachserve.org or call him at 984-4652 ext 18 and give him the following information; name, grade, school, teacher's name and room number. Please ask your parents to contact the teacher before Ben's visit.

### DISCIPLESHIP

#### **Wednesday Family Night**

Meal serving begins at 5:30p (\$2 suggested); 9/24 Baked Ham

Classes offered at 6:15p include:

- **Maximum Marriage:** Pastor Steve, room 121
- **New Testament Review:** Keith Schoettmer, room 207
- **Faith Matters:** Pastor Tim, Family Life Center
- **Crash:** Pastor Chad, grade 6 and up, worship & fellowship, room 218
- **The Kingdom:** Pastor Ben, age 4 through grade 5, room 116/117
- **Noah's Park:** Mrs. JaNell, infants through age 3, rooms 100 to 104

**Worship Choir:** Pastor Doug, sanctuary, beginning at 7:15

#### **Ministry to Men**

##### **Men's Ice Hockey Game**

Friday, November 7 all men and their families are invited to attend a hockey game, Ice vs Tri City Storm, at the Pepsi Coliseum at the State Fair Grounds. Tickets are \$10 and sign up is in the narthex. We will meet at the church at 6p and car pool to Indy. Game starts at 7p.

#### **Ministry to Women**

##### **Baby Shower**

All ladies of the church are invited to a baby shower October 18 at 1p for Megan Allen, wife of Youth Pastor Chad. It will be held in the Family Life Center. She is registered at Target and Baby's R Us. Please RSVP to Devon Radant or call the church office by Wednesday, October 15.

### OUTREACH

#### **Kindness in Progress Servant Evangelism**

The 1100 bottles of donated water (thank you for your generosity!) are labeled and ready to give away at the Atlanta Earth Festival next Saturday September 27. *Volunteers still needed* to take a half-hour shift to hand out water and challenge cards – sign up in south hallway.

#### **Angel Food Ministry**

Orders must be picked up Saturday, September 27 from 9a to 11a. October's menu is available at the outreach table in the south hallway and online. Regular boxes \$30, Senior Boxes \$28 and five special boxes are offered for a low fee. October orders due 10/8 with pickup 10/25. Cash, money order or food stamps *only*. Pay when ordering. Anyone can order.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

This week's e-mail prayer chain listings are available at Information Desk  
To subscribe to the email prayer chain, email [prayer@CiceroChristianChurch.org](mailto:prayer@CiceroChristianChurch.org).

### Health Concerns

Saundy Bishop, Sandra Edens, Ginger Grabowski, Pat Ping, Jim Plummer, Dudley Senefeld, Hank Stern, Grace Tharp, Aletha Unger, Debbie Voorhis, Betty Widows

### Military

Chris Zell, Erik Burkhart, Eric Larsen, Chris McDonald, D. J. Thompson

### Assisted Living / Nursing Home

Harbor Manor: Lois Eller; Sunrise: Don Eller, JR Cowan;  
Riverwalk: Joanne Cardwell; Tipton: Leanna Illyes

## CHURCH MINISTRY STAFF

Senior Minister Tim Lueking	<a href="mailto:tim@reachteachserve.org">tim@reachteachserve.org</a>
Music & Worship Minister Doug Wiggers	<a href="mailto:doug@reachteachserve.org">doug@reachteachserve.org</a>
Adult Discipleship Minister Steven Hancock	<a href="mailto:steve@reachteachserve.org">steve@reachteachserve.org</a>
Youth & Family Minister Chad Allen	<a href="mailto:chad@reachteachserve.org">chad@reachteachserve.org</a>
Children's Minister Ben Radant	<a href="mailto:ben@reachteachserve.org">ben@reachteachserve.org</a>

## CROSSLIGHT SCHOOLS & MISSIONS ONSITE STAFF

Crosslight Christian Montessori Kindergarten	Director Beth Rutan
Crosslight Christian Montessori Preschool	Director Jodie Bolinger
Crosslight Christian Daycare	Director Joanna Moore
Mephibosheth Ministries, Inc.	Director Becky Moore

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## CHURCH ELDERS

Dan Conder	758-6382
Mike House	765-552-7631
Mike Jenkins	984-3194
John Knapp	984-3670
David McGill	984-8111
Ron McGill, co-chairman of the Ministry Cabinet	877-2061
Steve Zell, co-chairman of the Ministry Cabinet	984-4778
Mike Hutson	Mentoring
Bill Cunningham	Emeritus

## FINANCIALS FOR SEPTEMBER 14, 2008

General Fund Giving	\$16,181
General Fund Average Income:	\$16,165
General Fund Average Spending:	\$17,353
50/50 Challenge to date:	\$42,561

financial and attendance history is available at our website



## Connections This Week

Sunday, September 21  
Heartland Great Banquet ends today  
10:30a VERTICAL Youth Worship  
6:00p Uncle Phil's Diner Rehearsal  
Monday, September 22  
9:30a Disability Day Program  
NO GriefShare Support Group  
Tuesday, September 23  
10:00a Inductive Bible Study  
11:45a Soup, Salad and Scripture  
1:00p Women's Bible Study  
6:30p Friends Unlimited Worship  
Wednesday, September 24  
7:30a See You @ the Pole (HHHS)  
5:30p Family Night Meal  
6:15p Classes for all ages

7:15p Worship Choir Rehearsal  
Thursday, September 25  
Heartland Great Banquet (Women)  
through Sunday evening  
9:30a Disability Day Program  
6:00p HOPE Family Care Clinic  
Friday, September 26  
6:00a Men's Breakfast  
Saturday, September 27  
9a-11a Angel Food Distribution  
9:00a Handbell Choir Rehearsal  
11:00a KIP Bottled Water Giveaway  
@ Earth Festival, Atlanta  
Sunday, September 28  
6:00p Uncle Phil's Diner Rehearsal

Before you plan an event, schedule all facility use through the church office.  
Church calendar and forms are available online or call 984-4653.

## Sermon Notes

Pastor Tim Lueking

### Shattered Finances

Series Passage: Psalm 40:1-3

Sermon Passage: Matthew 6:19-24

Series Prayer: Oh, Lord hear my cry. Help me turn my worry into praise of your Holy Name!

Series Question: What if you could live a life free of worry, would you be interested?

Big Idea: God's P \_\_\_\_\_ is F \_\_\_\_ at the H \_\_\_\_\_ of the M \_\_\_\_\_

### Getting to the Heart of the Matter

Question #1 — What do you value the most in this life?

Colossians 3:1-3 Choice # 1: You must choose between two T \_\_\_\_\_

Question #2 — What do you fear the most in this life?

Philippians 4:8 Choice #2: You must choose between two P \_\_\_\_\_

Question #3 — Who do you serve in this life?

I Peter 3:15 Choice #3: You must choose between two M \_\_\_\_\_

### Question to Consider

What do you value most in this life? Explain it, prove it.

Is this what God values most for your life? Explain.

### Big Challenge

Our desire is to help you pick up the pieces in your shattered life. We invite you to take part in one of our new classes focused on the topic Shattered in order to help you claim restoration in your life. Topics and locations of these classes are mentioned within the bulletin.

### Memory Verse

Psalm 40:3 (NIV) He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God. Many will see and fear and put their trust in the Lord.

## Welcome to Cicero Christian Church!

September 21, 2008

We extend a genuine welcome to everyone today!

If you are new to our church, we invite you to explore our church and ministries in person or visit us virtually at [www.CiceroChristianChurch.org](http://www.CiceroChristianChurch.org) or [www.reachteachserve.org](http://www.reachteachserve.org)

Cicero Christian Church desires to glorify God through Reaching, Teaching, and Serving.

### Guest Services

For our first-time guests, please stop at the Information Desk or Common Grounds Visitor Center located in the South Hallway (outside the church office) for information about Cicero Christian Church and to speak with an Elder or Minister.

Assisted listening devices are available at the sound booth (in the back of the sanctuary) for the hearing impaired.

Audio or DVD copies of the service are available to order at the Information Desk or you may download them online at the website.

