

Today's Education & Fellowship Offerings

Children: (Infants - Grades 5)

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

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

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

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

Youth: (Grades 5 - College)

Sunday School 9:00am: grades 6-8 in room 206, grades 9-12 in room 213

VERTICAL **Youth Worship** Twice Monthly at 10:30am in room 218

Adult Education 8:45am

Women in the Word: Minor Prophets, Debbie Reeves, room 112

Faith Builders: "Lord, Change My Attitude," McGill/Schoettmer, room 207.

Community Gathering: sermon discussion, especially for those looking to build relationships, Hutson/Strauss, room 220

Christian Conservative: facing today's issues, Jeff Meyer, room 121

Adult Education 10:30am

Standard Bible Lesson Commentary: NT Community, John Knapp, room 133

Elective: The Genesis Story, Bob Hendricks, room 122

beginning 10/18: "The Silencing of America"

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

Community Gathering: sermon discussion and application

Steven Hancock, room 121

Attendee Information for October 11, 2009

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 8:45a 10:30a

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

Information Request

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

Opportunities to Reach, Teach & Serve

ADVANCE AMERICA

Eric Miller, founder of "Advance America," is our guest today and will share information about state and local government and Christianity. Mr. Miller will also address the Adult Bible Fellowship Classes in the family life center at 8:45am and again at 10:30am. *Regular classes next week.*

ANNUAL CONGREGATION MEETING

Meeting and Luncheon all members and attendees of CCC are encouraged to attend the annual "vision for the church" meeting next Sunday October 18 after second service. A light lunch will be furnished followed by the meeting.

Team coaches listed in the enclosed booklet as "proposed" are new to team ministry and require congregational approval. Teams with no leaders are listed as "OPEN." If you desire to serve, or wish to launch a new team ministry, contact Beth Roberts. Team Ministry coaches and managers comprise the Team Ministry cabinet which will be approved for 2010 at the congregational meeting. Cabinet officers will be elected at the December Team Ministry Cabinet meeting. Child care (through age 3) is provided.

Elder Reaffirmation Candidate John Knapp (65) is seeking reaffirmation for a 3 year term effective January 1, 2010. John and Sharon have been married since 1963 and have two grown children, Beth Ann and Tim. John is a life-long Hamilton County resident, and graduated from Jackson Central High School (Hamilton Heights). John is retired from GM. His path to leadership started when he was young. He was raised in the church and was a Junior Deacon, then a Deacon and has served as an Elder for CCC since 2000. John is compassionate and caring, and these characteristics serve him well visiting the ill or those in sorrow and working part-time for Hartley's Funeral Home.

David McGill's Elder term ends 12/31/2009, and he will take a sabbatical. **Evaluation and Budget Forms** Did you turn in your Forecast and Covenant Forms? Many Team Coaches and Managers missed the deadline - please turn them in as soon as possible. If you did not receive a packet of information, contact Beth Roberts. Team Ministry budgets are due *Wednesday*. All evaluation information is available on our website. Place the *completed forms* in the office "Team Ministry" mailbox. Draft 2 of the Team Ministry Coaches and Managers for 2010 is available for review as an insert in today's bulletin.

EDUCATION AND FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday Family Night Fall Session Meal serving begins at 5:30pm. Adult and children's classes are from 6:15-7:15pm. High School meets in room 218 from 6-7:30pm. Middle School meets this week in the home of Kurt and Brenda King, 1035 Spinner Court from 5:30-7:30pm.

Trunk or Treat Our alternative to trick or treat will be Saturday, October 31 from 6-8pm in the north parking lot for our church family and the community. Decorate your vehicle, dress up your family in fun costumes (nothing scary or inappropriate), fill some containers with candy or Christ-centered trinkets and eat chili at the church. If you can't join us and want to help, drop off goodies by the church office and we will get them distributed. Prizes will be awarded for the best costume (kid and adult) and best candy distribution center. Check our website for pictures from year's past. **New this year:** Bring food for our benevolence food pantry. Desired non-perishable items listed on our website. **Adult Bible Fellowship New Topic** The 10:30am class led by Bob Hendricks in room 122 will begin a 10-week study on "The Silencing of America" on October 18.

Friends Unlimited Annual bonfire and wiener roast at the Conder's Tuesday at 6:30p with a rain date of October 20.

Faith Comes by Hearing Bible Reading Service is held each Sunday evening at 7pm in the sanctuary for an hour. All are welcome.

Time Change Remember to turn you clocks back one hour November 1.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Invite Pastor Ben to School Pastor Ben has designated Mondays to share lunch with primary and elementary students. Email ben@reachteachserve.org or call 984-4653 ext. 18 with the following information: name, grade, school, teacher's name and room number. Parents should alert the teacher of the visit.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sign-up and packet info are located at the LOFT Connection Point located upstairs.

Vertical Youth Worship Today in 218 at 10:30a for grades 6 and up.

Middle School Journey Conference October 23-25 in Anderson.

Cost is \$50. See Pastor Chad.

Cardboard Condos For Christ all middle and high school youth are invited to make your own "cardboard condo" and be part of the overnight "Cardboard Village" on Friday October 30 from 7pm to Saturday at 7am. The Village will be located in front of the House of Prayer. Project is to raise awareness of homelessness and those less fortunate as well as collect non-perishable food items for local benevolence. The village will be displayed at Trunk or Treat on Saturday evening. Have a large box? See Chad.

High School Indiana Christian Youth Convention ICYC is November 20-22 also in Anderson. Cost is \$60 and youth must *register by Wednesday*.

Administrative Help Needed Youth ministry is in need of a volunteer administrative assistant for a few hours weekly. See Pastor Chad for details.

WORSHIP & MUSIC MINISTRY

Night of Worship Join our worship and music ministry on Sunday, November 1 for our first fall Night of Worship, with a Homecoming Style theme. Other scheduled Nights of Worship include Sunday, December 6 with the Lapel Community Band and Saturday & Sunday, December 12 & 13 for our HARK! Christmas Concert. All events begin at 6:30pm.

Worship Choir Rehearses Wednesday evenings at 7:15pm. Enjoy singing and great fellowship with others? You're invited!

TEAM MINISTRY

Community Garden a list of volunteer garden clean up chores is available on our website. Give an hour or two to help out. **Team Coach needed!**

Men's Breakfast Friday morning men's breakfast begins a new study from Randy Alcorn's book *The Treasure Principle (Discovering the Secret Joyful Giving)*. It introduces readers to a revolution in material freedom and racial generosity that will change lives forever. Book is available for \$2 on Friday.

Angel Food Pick up date is Saturday, October 24 from 9-11am in the gym.

THANK YOU

Pastor Tim & Katherine: Thank you to our CCC family for the wonderful baby shower. We are so thankful to have such a supportive and caring church as we prepare for our new baby.

DONATION STATION - OCTOBER

Help CCC keep costs down. Donated items can be left at the blue barrel near the narthex in the south hallway. If you desire tax credit, we'll need a copy of your receipt.

Hand Sanitizer Windex Glass Cleaner
8.5"x11" white copy paper C & D Cell Batteries
First Class Stamps Candy for Trunk or Treat October 31

PRAYER REQUESTS

This week's e-mail prayer chain listings are available at Information Desk
To subscribe to the email prayer chain, email prayer@reachteachserve.org.

Health Tomme Camp, Sandra Edens, Dotty Feeley, Anita Flinchum, Ginger Grabowski, Susan Hoch, Cindy Mann, Mary Miller, Mary Jo Owens, Jim Plummer, Dudley Senefeld, John Spencer, Betty Widows

Military Will Kahms, Chris Zell, Eric Burkhart, Brad Candler, Matthew Faux, Eric Larsen, Chris McDonald, Edward Stevens, Dustin Townsend

Assisted Living / Nursing Home

Sunrise: JR Cowan, *Riverwalk Commons:* Grace Tharp, *Tipton:* Pat Ping,
VA Marion: Bob Ewing

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CHURCH ELDERS

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Mike House	765-552-7631
Mike Hutson	984-5743
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
Bill Cunningham	Emeritus

FINANCIAL & ATTENDANCE

General Fund Weekly Budget is \$15,637
General Fund Week of October 4 Giving: \$15,834 Spending: \$25,264
General Fund Year to Date Giving: \$665,442 Spending: \$627,848
50/50 Debt Reduction/Property Improvement Challenge \$76,754
Attendance October 4 1st 265; 2nd 288

financial and attendance history is available at our website



Connections This Week

Sunday, October 11

8:45 & 10:39a *Advancing America*
in family life center
10:30a VERTICAL Youth Worship
10:30a Kids Church in room 220 today
6:00p Love Dare Accountability Group
7:00p Faith Comes by Hearing Bible Reading Service

Monday, October 12

9:30a *The Way* Adult Day Program
6:00p Grief Share Support Group - 112
7:00p Hancock Home Fellowship
7:00p Lit 'n Latte Women's Book Club

Tuesday, October 13

9:00a Ladies Bible Study
11:45a Soup, Salad, and Scripture
6:30p Friends Unlimited wiener roast at Conder's

Wednesday, October 14

7:30a FCA at Heights High School
5:30p Family Night Meal
5:30p i3 Middle School Youth Group
6:00p Crash High School Youth Group
6:15p Adult and Children Classes
7:15p Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 15

9:30a *The Way* Adult Day Program

Friday, October 16

6:00a Men's Breakfast
7:00a FCA at Heights Middle School

Saturday, October 17

7:30a Youth Service Project Mission Indy
9:00a HOPE Health Clinic open at 270 West Jackson in Cicero

Sunday, October 18

noon Congregational Lunch Meeting

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

Senior Minister Tim Lueking

featuring guest Eric Miller from *Advance America*
God, Government, and You

Micah 6:8

Big Idea – One N_____, One G____, One V_____

Three Christian Responses to a Nation in Crisis

Response #1 – We P_____

II Chronicles 7:14

Response #2 – We P_____

Isaiah 57:15

Response #3 – We P_____

Micah 6:8

Question to Consider: What are ways that you could stand for Christ in a nation in crisis?

Memory Verse: Micah 6:8 – He has showed you, O man, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Challenge – Advance for America Challenge – As we continue to spread the Gospel message near and far, we want to challenge you to consider to learn more about ministries that will help defend the rights of Christians. Learn more about "[Advance for America](#)" by obtaining more information in the narthex. Pray...Ponder...Proclaim your Christian rights today.

Welcome to Cicero Christian Church!

October 11, 2009

Cicero Christian Church desires to reach, teach and serve our community for Christ.

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.

We invite you to explore our church and ministries in person or visit us virtually at www.CiceroChristianChurch.org or www.reachteachserve.org

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 our website.



1715 Stringtown Pike
Cicero, Indiana 46034

Sunday Worship: 8:45am and 10:30am
education classes held during both sessions