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School Supply Drive

It is time once again to start collecting and purchasing school supplies to donate to our neighbors at Bowman Primary School. Bowman Primary is for kindergarten and 1st and 2nd Grades. We will be collecting supplies through Sunday August 19th.



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JoyBelles

Loving & Leading Women to a Life Changing Relationship with Jesus Christ.

Women's Ministry

Kick off Brunch



On Saturday August 22nd at 10:00 a.m., our JoyBelles Women's Ministry will host a kickoff brunch to start the new JoyBelles year. During the brunch the officers will share the program for the year. All ladies of the church are invited to attend this event. If you would like to attend, please sign up in the hallway.

JoyBelles Child Care ~ When JoyBelles starts back up Tuesday September 8th they would like to offer child care for any ladies who are in need. If you would like to help during the meetings please contact Jan Hollingsworth at 513-405-4418. JoyBelles meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Grades 7th -12th are invited to join us Sunday mornings at 10:00 a.m. for IDENTITY! Wondering if you should come? Ask yourself this... Are you living the life of a fabulous teenager? Are you meeting or exceeding the expectations of everyone around you? We want to know your answer! Come to IDENTITY to learn about setting an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, and in purity (1 Timothy 4:12). Also, Good Luck on your 40 day challenge. Remember you are AWESOME!

Quote of the Month

*"The task of the modern educator is not to cut down jungles,
but to irrigate deserts"*

~ C.S. Lewis

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Some Food For Thought



I am exhausted, but in a remarkably good way. I am writing this on Saturday afternoon after spending an entire week with 58 4th, 5th, and 6th graders. We got up early, went to bed late, and packed our days full of fun exciting activities such as pool time, zip line, climbing wall, air rifles, archery, and the giant swing. Sandwiched between all the fun were many encounters with God. If you will, give me a few moments to share what our campers learned.

Every day our campers started the day around the flag pool. After a few calisthenics and raising of the flags, one of our staff members lead our campers in a short devotional that established that days theme. After breakfast our campers would meet in their clans (most years these are known as their camp families) where they would ask questions that would further prepare them for the lesson they were going to learn. When they were done with this, they would meet in the fireside room where we had worship followed by our lesson for the day. This year our theme was the Armor of God and we spent the week preparing our kids to be alert for the Unseen world that exist all around us. Finally, each evening ended with us walking back to Vespers where we unpacked a Bible story that showed men and women choosing (and not choosing) to suit up in the armor of God. Each of our days ended with our camp clans going to their own fire circles where they debriefed the day and closed with prayer. You can see a glimpse of the week at https://youtu.be/Euxy5G_tgYY.

Last night after our final Vespers, Jeanne Philipppo said to me, “Another succesful week of camp is finished.” I have to agree. Adventure 456 in 2015 we a great success. Our campers learned and played hard all week long. And it was all possible because our camp staff was working together on mission. Our mission for the week was simply to love these kids and demonstrate what a life changing relationship with Jesus looks like. Our mission was succesful because twenty-five of us came toghether, from several different churches, and worked as a team.

Friends, I am convinced that if the church will join together on mission and work together on mission the future is bright. Will you join us here at West Side as we seek to live on mission and as we continue to love and lead people to a life changing relationship with Jesus Christ?

~ Some Food for Thought ~ Michael Dawson ~ Senior Minister

Sermon Schedule & Preaching Notes

TOGETHER ON MISSION

Aug. 2	Hospitality
Aug. 09	Sorrow
Aug. 16	Leadership
Aug. 23	Hope

This year we have asked the question, “What does it mean to live life on mission?” In a lot of ways we have talked about our individual following of Jesus. In August we will ask the question, “What does it mean it mean to live life on mission together?” We will look examine some basic ways God has called us to be together as we follow the Apostle Paul’s Missionary journeys.

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Missions News

Located in St. Louis Du Nord, NWHCM is a Christian stronghold from which many Haitian people draw strength and encouragement.

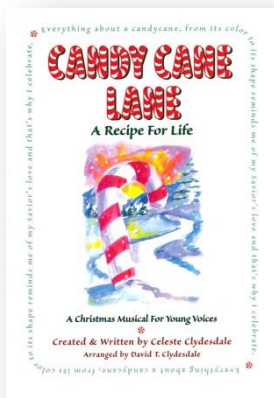
Started in the late 1970's by Larry and Diana Owens, many people from all over the country, have used their spiritual, physical, and monetary hands to reach the poor and destitute. Hope for a life with Christ is the focus of all those working, visiting and receiving help. Our own Barb Grever has made numerous short term mission trips to assist in the ongoing work of this vital mission (including a trip in July 2015).



West Side has partnered with NWHCM on multiple occasions. Most recently we sponsored a Bible program during our Vacation Bible School where our children purchased 33 Bibles. Also during the week we organize at Butler Springs our campers raised \$543 to help purchase baby formula for use at Mole St. Nicolas.

Some of the many on-going programs: 7 churches and schools scattered all over the North West, Bible College to educate the teachers and ministers, an orphanage of over 130 young people ages 3-16, a birthing clinic, medical clinics, including eye care, dental, and pre-natal, Gran Morn-a 40 bed home of the elderly, visiting specialty surgical teams, and English classes.

To learn more about NWHCM we encourage you to visit their website at <http://nwhcm.org/> and their Vimeo page at <https://vimeo.com/user5841035>.



It is already August and that can only mean one thing: Time to start practicing for the Children's Christmas Play! This year, we have chosen to perform a West Side favorite; Candy Cane Lane a Recipe for Life. Our play is for kids K-6th grades. While the main speaking roles will be given to West Side kids, we are inviting everyone to bring friends to join in the play. They will need to come to practices also.

On Sunday, August 30th, during the 11:00 service we plan to have a Christmas Party and to watch a video of the play. There will be a sign up sheet in the foyer. At this time with the new church schedule starting in September, we are unsure of the practice schedule. Candy Cane Lane is a challenging and fun play. Hopefully, we will have practice CD's to hand-out on the 30th.

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Sing names indicate a birthday. If you notice a mistake in a birthday please let the office know. We are continually trying to correct information.
FH indicates use of the Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						¹ Matthew 25 10:00 a.m.
² Board Meeting 4:00 p.m.	³ Pauline Hill	⁴ 12:30 Lew's Small Group FH Evangelism Meeting 7 p.m. Ryan Land	⁵ Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Bible Study FH 6:30pm Jenny Parsons IJ Wright Emily Reese Louise Collins	⁶ 7:00 Peek Small Group FH 7:00 Praise Band	⁷ Jennifer Philippo	⁸
⁹ Lydia VanHarlingen	¹⁰ Tommy Williams	¹¹ 12:30 Lew's Small Group FH	¹² Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Bible Study FH 6:30pm Jim Fries Rosalie Jones	¹³ 7:00 Peek Small Group FH 7:00 Praise Band Hanna Meilstrup	¹⁴ Bobbie Vires	¹⁵ 6:00 Prime Timers
¹⁶	¹⁷	¹⁸ 12:30 Lew's Small Group FH Bill Strain Brent Wright Jim Cox	¹⁹ Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Bible Study FH 6:30pm	²⁰ 7:00 Peek Small Group FH 7:00 Praise Band Mike Fox Jenny Tennyson	²¹	²² JoyBelles Kick off Celebration
²³	²⁴	²⁵ 12:30 Lew's Small Group FH	²⁶ Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Bible Study FH 6:30pm	²⁷ 7:00 Peek Small Group FH 7:00 Praise Band	²⁸	²⁹ Lew Rainey
³⁰ Christmas Play Christmas Party 11: am Marian Rask	³¹					

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August Serving List

Position	8/02	8/09	8/16	8/23	8/30
9:00 a.m. Communion and Offering Schedule					
Communion	Rob Wright	Courtney Parks	Jeremy Bosdell	Lew Rainey	Eric Meilstrup
Offering	Rob Wright	Courtney Parks	Jeremy Bosdell	Lew Rainey	Eric Meilstrup
11:00 a.m. Serving Schedule					
Communion	Marty Egelston	Tim Hill	Larry Peek	Lew Rainey	Tim Hill
Meditation/Prayer					
Offering Med/Prayer	Lew Rainey	Jim Ashby	Scott Williams	Tim Coriell	Eric Meilstrup
	Don Tennyson	Lew Rainey	Don Tennyson	Scott Williams	Don Tennyson
	Jim Fries	Barry Whalen	George VanHarlingen	Jim Fries	Larry Peek
	Bill Murvay	Bill Murvay	Barry Whalen	Tim Hill	Bill Murvay
	Larry Peek	Tim Coriell	Tim Coriell	Jim Ashby	Scott Williams
	Nathan Bidlack	Nathan Bidlack	Bob Worthington	Nathan Bidlack	Bob Worthington
	Jim Ashby	Kevin Conley	Jim Ashby	Kevin Conley	Kevin Conley
Basement Prayer	George VanHarlingen	Scott Williams	Jim Fries	Barry Whalen	George VanHarlingen
Benediction	Jim Ashby	Tim Hill	Lew Rainey	Rob Wright	Scott Williams
Home Communion	Rob Wright Bud Baker	Eric Meilstrup	Scott Williams Tim Hill	Lew Rainey Larry Peek	Eric Meilstrup Jeremy Bosdell
Elder on Call	Rob Wright	Lew Rainey	Scott Williams	Eric Meilstrup	Rob Wright
Special Music	Roger Gross	Larry Coates	Greg Fisher		Cheryl Fox
Greeters 9:00 A.M.					
Greeters 11:00 A.M.					
Sound 9:00 A.M.	Rob Wright	Jake Wolf	Rob Wright	Jake Wolf	Rob Wright
Computer 9:00 A.M.	Jessica Mink	Cheryl Fox	Jeremy Bosdell	Jessica Mink	Jeremy Bosdell
Sound 11:00 A.M.	Cheryl Fox	Cheryl Fox	Cheryl Fox	Beckie Ashby	Beckie Ashby
Computer 11:00 A.M.	Crystal Dawson	Crystal Dawson	Gina Wright	Gina Wright	Cheryl Fox
Communion Preparation ~ Unknown					
11:00 Worship Team ~ Rob Wright, Judy Morgan, Arretta Rainey, Greg Fisher, Tracy Conley, Brent Wright					
9:00 a.m. & 11:00a.m. Nursery & Extended Worship Team Members					
Nursery					
• 9:00 A.M.	Betty Wright	Jim Ashby	Emily Parks	Kathy Weatherwax	Jim Ashby
• Sunday School	Breakfast Sunday	Jim Ashby	Emily Parks	Kathy Weatherwax	Jim Ashby
• 11:00 A.M.	Jan Hollingsworth	Lori Reese	Betty Wright	Jan Hollingsworth	Laura Williams
Extended Session Crew Members 9:00 A.M.	Leslie Bowerman	Gina Wright	Laura Williams	Amy Land	Leslie Bowerman
Extended Session Crew Member 11:00 A.M.	Debbie VanHarlingen	Barb Worthington	Kathy Weatherwax	Diana Jones	Lydia VanHarlingen

Service Times

Sunday:

Contemporary Worship 9:00 AM
 Bible School 10:15 AM
 Traditional Worship 11:00 AM
 Evening Worship 6:00 PM

Wednesday:

Bible Study 6:30 PM
 Choir Practice 7:45 PM

Church Office Hours - Monday – Thursday 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

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