

PLAN FOR THE WEEK

Times are p.m. unless otherwise noted

Blood Pressure/Glucose Screening
Sunday morning before and after the 10:30 service, in the gym.

Sunday

8:00 a.m. Fellowship Breakfast (F.H.)
9:00 a.m. Worship Service
9:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages including 3 Adult Bible Fellowships
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
4:30 Annual Celebration (SEE NOTE)
6:00 EPICenter (Sr. Hi)

Monday

8:30 a.m. Forever Fit (GYM)
6:30 Concert Tech Rehearsal (W.C.)
7:00 Merge (18-25 yr olds) (ROOM 11)
7:00 Salt n' Light (20 something young adults) (F.H.)

Tuesday

7:00 a.m. & 9:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Studies
12:00 Parish Nurse
3:00 Prayer Shawl Meeting (F.H.)
6:30 Red Apron Information Meeting (GYM)
6:30 Prayer Meeting (PRAYER ROOM)
6:30 Rehearsal (Thanksgiving Team) (MUSIC ROOM)

Wednesday

5:00 Red Apron Information Meeting (W.C.)
FALL SUMMIT
5:00 - 6:15 Dinner
6:30 AWANA (ages 2 1/2 - grade 4); Expedition 56 (Grades 5 -6); The Pier (Grades 7 -8); Sr. Hi. Life's Blend; Worship Choir Rehearsal; Adult Bible Studies; (nursery for infants up to age 2 1/2)
6:30 Men's Fraternity at Geneva National
8:30 Men's Team (W.C.)

Thursday

8:45 a.m. MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)
5:30 Forever Fit (F.H.)
6:30 Worship Team (JEFF)

Friday

6:00 a.m. Men's Fraternity (F.H.)
6:00 Primetime Live (F.H.) (SEE NOTE)

Saturday

5:00 Saturday Community Contemporary Worship

PRAYER CONCERNS

A detailed prayer list is available at the information centers in the lobby.

Missionary Focus

Sister Church - in Hranice, Czech Republic

Prayer requests:



- New ministry to nursing homes, and discipling 3 recent believers there.
- Discipling 4 new believers from 2009 English Camp, Alice, Iva, Lucie, and Hedvika.
- Elim, the homeless shelter ministry, is \$11,000 short of budget. Members of the Hranice church, who are the workers, need their salaries paid.
- Continued health and strength for Pastor Ladia Melkus to push back the darkness and feed souls with the Word of God.

Our Family

Sharon Aspinall

Laurie Dempsey - recovering from surgery
Barb Carter - recovering from hip surgery
Carol Dunn - undergoing chemo and radiation
Naomi Koehler - recovering from stroke at Golden Years
Carol Solheim - fighting cancer

Emergency Prayer Chain

Please call one of the following if you have an emergency request:

Bea Nieubuurt	262-740-2434
Barb Hinzpeter	262-275-3803
Valerie Troast	262-745-6605

COMING EVENTS

11/25	THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE (7:00 P.M.)	12/03&04	ADVENT DINNERS
11/26	CALVARY THANKSGIVING POTLUCK (SEE NOTE)	12/11,12&13	CHRISTMAS CONCERTS
12/01	RED APRON TRAINING	12/24	CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES (5:00 P.M., 6:30 P.M., AND 8:30 P.M.)

God's work done God's way in God's time brings God's resources

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009 Income Budget</u>
Year-to-date General Fund Income	\$1,084,275.62	\$1,016,974.53	\$1,124,225.89
Year-to-date General Fund Expenses	\$1,074,190.27		
Year-to-date Missions Income	\$ 229,114.82	\$242,941.65	\$ 237,081.60
Benevolent Offering	\$ 66,480.11	\$ 32,014.51	

"RAISE THE STANDARD BY LIVING GENEROUSLY "

"Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:6,7)

"God's work, done God's way, in God's time will have God's resources"

➤ "God's Work"... (Acts 13:36)

- *as you are going, make disciples of all nations..." (Matt. 28:19,20)*
influence my world with Jesus!
- *"He gave some to be apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers, to prepare God's people for works of service..." (Eph. 4:11-16) serve my world!*
- *"We are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." (Eph. 2:10)*
seize the moments God gives me!
- *"the nations will know that I am God, when I have shown Myself holy through you before their eyes." (Ez. 36:23) Be a channel of God's Holiness!*

➤ "Done God's Way"... (John 15:5)

- *"Love the LORD your God with all your heart, soul, strength and mind; and love your neighbor as yourself." (Luke 10:27) it's simple... Do I?*
- *"As I have loved you so you must love one another. By this all men will know you are My disciples." (John 13:34,35) "I have set you an example" (13:15)*
- *"If you love Me you will obey what I command..." (John 14:15)*
- *"The Holy Spirit will teach and lead you..." (John 14)*

➤ "In God's Time"... (Eph. 5:15,16)

- *"Open your eyes, look unto the fields, they are white unto harvest." (John 4:35) "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest field." (Matt. 9:37,38) Am I 'in the game' or an observer?*
- *"I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that they turn from their ways and live." (Ez. 33:11) "God is patient not wanting anyone to perish but everyone to come to repentance" (2 Peter 3:9) How does "God Time" and "My Time" compare?*
- *"Behold, I am coming soon..." (Rev. 22:7,12,20)*

➤ "Will have God's resources"...(Psalm 50:7-15)

- *"the world is Mine and all that is in it" (Psalm 50:7-15)*
- *"All the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them..." (Psalm 139:16)*

TIME: how much will I have? How much will I invest in kingdom thinking, kingdom living, kingdom advancement... intentionally?

- *"to each the gifts of the Spirit are given for the common good." (1 Cor. 12; Romans 12; Eph. 4)*

Gifted TALENT: what are mine? How can I maximize their effectiveness within the church and my world?

- *"The people were restrained from bringing more because they already had more than enough to do all the work." (Ex. 36:7)*
- *"who am I and who are my people that we should be able to give as generously as this? I know, my God, that You test the heart and are pleased with integrity. (1 Chron. 29:14-20)*
- *"All the believers were one in heart and mind...if their purpose is of human origin it will fail, but if it is from God, you will not be able to stop this... (Acts 4:32; 5:38)*

TREASURE: Is it all God's entrusted to me for His purposes? Am I living as a God honoring steward of His treasure temporarily in my hands? Is God's global passion being advanced or restricted by my treasure management? Will I hear "well done good and faithful servant, My son / daughter"?

Am I actually stealing from God?