

Share Your Garden

It's time for the summer share table! If you have extra vegetables, please bring them to the church and place them on the Share Table located near the bulletin board. A donation may be made by members picking up items on the table and proceeds will go to a local food pantry!

Habitat Home Dedication

Dedication of the new Habitat home located on North Street (northeast of Shields Park) will take place today from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Central Christian had a part in the work day schedule.

News about Child Dedications

For new parents wanting to dedicate their children and themselves to raise their child in a Christian home, we offer the opportunity to do just that with a class on Sunday, August 22, at 4:00 p.m. in the conference room.

A child dedication service will be held the following Sunday, August 29, or one can be set up for the date you desire. If interested in the class, please write that on a Central Connect card and place it in the offering box inside the sanctuary doors.

Staff Ministry Position Openings

Director of Worship (Temporary, Part-time)

Until we fill the permanent position, we are looking for a temporary, part-time Director of Worship for our Sunday morning blended and contemporary services. This person would design and lead meaningful worship experiences for our blended and contemporary services and coordinate and/or lead other worship activities of music, choral, drama, and media technology.

Visitation Caregiver (Temporary, Part-time)

We are looking for a part-time Visitation Caregiver who visits and provides emotional and spiritual support for those in our congregation who are homebound, shut-in or ill. This position is temporary until we fill a permanent, full-time ministry position of Director of Worship, which may include the duties of Visitation Caregiver.

Job Description and Application Form are available at the church office during office hours or online at www.centraldisciples.org.

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Central Christian Church

Seymour, Indiana August 8, 2010

“Talk to Me” Series Continues

We continue our series on what Jesus had to say about prayer. The things that are important to Jesus about prayer might surprise us. Join us next Sunday, August 15, as we listen to the message “Redial,” based on Luke 11:1-10.

Have you ever prayed for something for a long time but never had your request granted?

Jesus told a parable that can help us understand how and when God answers prayer. His explanation could change the way you pray.

Reception Today Honoring Hinze Family

A farewell reception for Melanie & Ben Hinze and family will be held today in the fellowship hall following the 9:00 a.m. worship.

Melanie has been the visitation caregiver for Central Christian and her ministry here has touched many lives. Ben has accepted a new job in Terre Haute, Indiana, and they will be moving this weekend to Terre Haute. Please plan to attend and say “farewell” to Ben and Melanie, Nathan & Megan.

Central Connection 101

An orientation class for those wanting to learn more about Central Christian will be held next Sunday, August 15, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. in the church library. Please register by contacting the office or writing “Central Connection” on your “Connect” card found in the pew pockets in the sanctuary. Please include number & ages of children needing childcare.

Church Family News!

Hospital patients – Hospitalized this past week were Dee Plumer who had back surgery in Indianapolis. Hospitalized in Seymour were Calvin Smith, Audrey Brown and Doris Durham. Doris Durham has gone to the Lutheran Home. Audrey Brown is home. Calvin Smith went home but returned to the hospital. Jack Baxley remains at home recuperating from surgery.

Thank You - We want to thank this church family for the cares and prayers, best wishes and cards concerning my cancer surgery. I was never really scared or concerned. We had prayed for the best and that is what happened. The love shown us is a reflection of the Love of God. Thank you all very much. Larry and Priscilla Wilson

Dear CCC, Thank you so much for the scholarship. It will be well used as I enter my third year at Purdue. I appreciate having the love and support from my church family. Thanks again – Andrew Beckort

Dear CCC, I would like to sincerely thank you for the scholarship. The extra money will greatly help with the many expenses of college. Also, thank you for the spiritual support you have given me throughout the years. I have been blessed with the opportunity to come back home each summer and reconnect with my church family. I hope to see you all many times in the future. – Sincerely, Skylar Earley

Dear Church Family, Isn't it just like God to create such a beautiful thing as a rose, the soft velvety heart of God and His mercy, the petals? The strong thorny stem, Jesus and His crown of thorns, so painful, yet so beautiful - it was to be so strong to suffer so much for all of us. The wonderful scent, the scent of the Holy Spirit that dwells deep within. Our rose lasted a week, but the three in One live forever and ever!! Thank you for the rose, the paperweight and the CD of the anniversary service. God has walked with us and many times carried us in those 50 years. – Yours in Christ, Allen & Judy Havlik.

Fifth Sunday Provisions

There are five Sundays in August and the fifth Sunday is always dedicated to Provisions as we collect non-perishable food items for this food pantry. Please bring your items to the church and place in containers marked accordingly. Thanks!

Youth Ministry Council

There will be a Youth Ministry Council meeting Wednesday, August 25, in the church library at 7:00 p.m.

If you would like to help plan and host youth events, please call Robin Everhart to see how you can be a part of the Youth Ministry Council.



Alpha Begins Sept 2

All **adults and middle school and high school youth** are invited to get a "Taste of Alpha" on September 2nd at 6:00 pm. This is an introductory session which includes dinner and the first talk of the Alpha series. Attend this session to see if the Alpha course interests you – no obligation, just come and see.

The Alpha course is an opportunity for anyone to explore the Christian faith. It's relaxed, low key, friendly, and fun. Each session begins with a dinner, followed by a video presentation and small group discussion on topics such as "Who is Jesus?" and "Why and how do I pray?"

Who is Alpha for?

Alpha is for everyone! It is especially for:

- Those wanting to investigate Christianity
- New Christians
- Those who are new to the church
- Couples preparing for marriage
- Those who want to deepen their faith

There is no charge for the Alpha course, although we will accept contributions towards the meal. Childcare is free.

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Begins Wednesday, September 8

One Night, **One Light!**

Music Fest
5:00 – 9:00 p.m.
Saturday, August 28

On the Front Lawn

Featuring:

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