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There are certain times in your life, where you really experience the benefit of a loving church family. This past month was one of those times for Jane and myself. Sunday, May 17 was our 40th wedding anniversary. It was a crazy time 40 years ago as I was graduating from Truman (NMSU back then). I was going to be working full time at the hospital during the summer and then moving to Unionville for my first teaching job. We had rented a small house in LaPlata for the summer. It was a busy time.

Fast forward 40 years and some things have not changed. We have been preparing to move into a new (to us) home. We had previously scheduled an anniversary trip to England. We are beginning some new ministry emphases at church. It is a busy time.

In the midst of all this craziness we scheduled a 40th anniversary reception at church on the day of our anniversary. To everyone who helped and to all who attended and to all who could not attend, but sent their regards, we were overwhelmed with the show of love and support. For so many reasons on so many levels, we do love and appreciate you all so very much.

Thank you for making our 40th anniversary a great day.

Pastor Charles and Jane
pastorchas@sbcglobal.net



Sunday, June 21
 All men attending
 worship at 8:30 am
 or 11 am will receive
 a special gift.



Summary of Church Council Agenda Items



The Women's Ministry will be meeting soon to begin discussing the Bible studies for the fall and for the Girlfriend Gala. If you have some ideas for any of these please feel free to contact any of the committee with ideas or suggestions.

We will also need leaders and locations for some of the studies. Please let us know if you feel led to help with this in any way.

We also would like to know if you or someone you know would be a good speaker for the Gala.

Annual Used Shoe Drive

It's once again time to clean out your closets, look under your beds, and sort through the kids' rooms for in-good-condition used shoes. Any kind of shoes/boots etc. are acceptable. Pairs need to be rubberbanded or shoelaces tied together. The shoes will be donated to Solea Water (formerly known as the Shoeman Water Project.) More information about how your used shoes bring water to a developing nation is in your bulletin insert. Contact Jessica Martin for more information about the shoe drive.

Please keep the Women's Ministry committee in your prayers, that we might do what God is calling us to do for the ministry.

You can contact Phyllis Hamilton, Jessica Martin, April Keene, Vera Willis or Sherry Bratton.

Sherry Bratton,

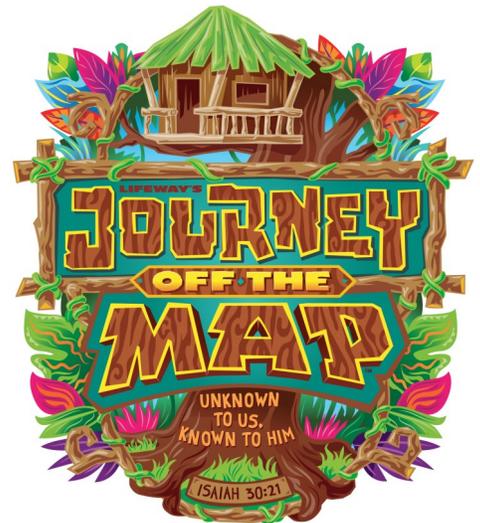
Women's Ministry Committee Chair

Church Council met recently and discussed the following items:

Small Group and Building Community – Pastor Charles presented a proposal implementing small groups to develop essential connections and build community. This would include renaming our current Sunday School to Small Groups. Church Council will recommend this proposal at the next business meeting.

Worship in the Park – It had previously been decided to move Worship in the Park to the church property to reduce the amount of labor required to hold the event, and to hold a block party the preceding day. A closer evaluation of the work entailed revealed this would not actually be reducing the labor to the degree that we would find most beneficial. It was found that renting the NEMO Fairgrounds multipurpose building would provide an off-site neutral location for our event at a reasonable rate. The rental includes tables and chairs onsite, so there would be no need to move ours. Additionally, the building is temperature controlled, has adequate parking, a kitchen with refrigerators, bathrooms and plenty of space for outside activities and games.

It was agreed to hold the August 30 event at the NEMO Fairgrounds. Suggestions for renaming the event are being sought. Tony Keene and Michael Hartman agreed to be in charge of activities. A bounce house has already been secured.



Vacation Bible School

Sunday—Thursday

July 26—30

To Volunteer:

Contact our VBS Director,
Lisa King



**"Check-in" every time
you're here!**

Vital Signs

Year to Date (05/202015):

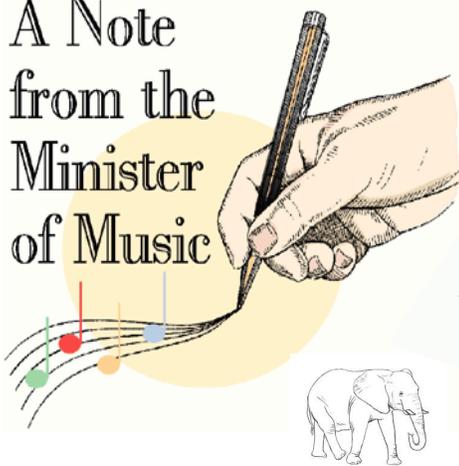
Budgeted Offering:	\$126,793.64
Received Offering:	\$135,366.43
Budget Expenses:	\$120,029.43

Bldg Fund Offering YTD: \$12,147.64

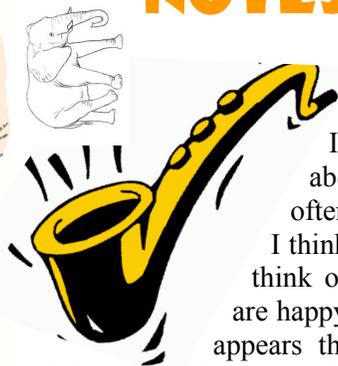
YTD Average Attendance:

8:30 a.m. Worship:	104
11:00 a.m. Worship:	134
Worship Total:	240
Sunday School:	153

A Note from the Minister of Music



NOTES ON WORSHIP – David Cook, interim music david.cook.fm@sbcglobal.net



I don't know about you, but often times when I think of worship I think of people who are happy and where it appears that everything is just fine. It gives the false impression that worship occurs only at the "high points" of our life, or when everything is going well. Maybe that's because our culture focuses on the "good impression" and that we are supposed to be "happy" all the time.

While those moments of momentous joy are so important and can be very encouraging, sometimes the deepest worship can come in those moments of difficulties or in situations, because it is then that we are brought down to our knees, and we are humbled, and all we can do is look to the Lord Almighty and see that He truly is Lord over all. Habakkuk had one of those moments. He came before God and wondered where the justice was. God told Him that the Babylonians were coming to bring punishment to the Israelites. Habakkuk didn't understand – while the Israelites weren't all that good, the Babylonians were even worse. God assured Habakkuk that the Babylonians would have their day of punishment, but just trust that God is God. What amazing words come from the mouth of this prophet:

“Though the fig tree does not bud and there are no grapes on the vine, though the olive crop fails and the fields produce no food, though there are no sheep in the pen and no cattle in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will be joyful in God my Savior.” (Habakkuk 3:17-18, NIV)

What stands out is that the prophet knew that destruction was coming soon. Jerusalem would be destroyed. There would be famine and hardship. Even though the difficulties were coming, he was going to choose to worship God. When we worship, we put God in His proper place. Yet all too often when hard times come, we can often times stay away from church or forget our Bibles or don't listen to Christian music. When situations become hard, the money is strapped, the relationship is strained, the children aren't listening, a loved one passes away, we need to remember that those ARE the times that are even more important for us to come to the Lord and worship Him. We forget that many of the Psalms were written out of anguish and pain – and even in the midst of the suffering, there was acknowledgement that God is still in control and He is still present in the situation at hand. What's going on in your life? Whether good or bad, take time to worship the Almighty God.

Pam has been a Ham Radio operator for over a year now and loves the ability to talk to people literally all over the world by way of her radio. As I was sitting in our computer room the other night listening to her lead the weekly Net check-in I took the opportunity to really look at her radio set up. It consists of the ham radio, a power supply, and lots of chords and wires all leading out the window to an antenna on the side of the house. It got me to thinking.

How lucky are we that we don't need radios, antennas, and lots of wires to communicate with God? We are connected to God through prayer. Matthew 7:7-8 says, “Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened.” As Christians we have that privilege of connectedness with God through prayer. No limitations of wires and antennas. No special license of operation that limits us to certain frequencies.

God is just a prayer away. The next time you pray, thank God for always being on “our prayer frequency.”

See you in worship!

Jim Barnett, 8:30 am Music Minister
musicjim@sbcglobal.net



Would you like to save your pop can tabs for the RONALD McDONALD HOUSE? There's a collection bin in the foyer. Contact: Mary McIntosh

The Mission of HSBC

Honor God's Truth

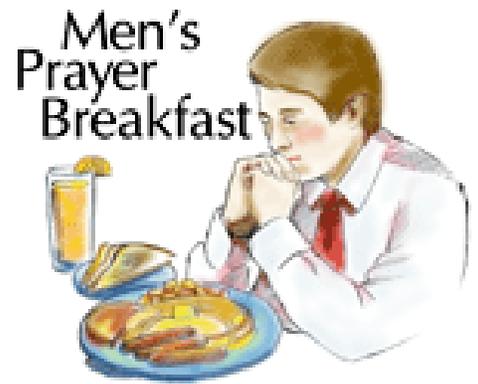
Share the Gospel

Build Believers

Care for Others

J U N E C A L E N D A R

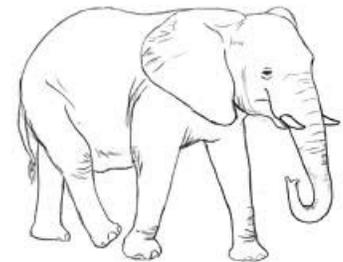
June 2	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
June 3	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Co-Ed Small Group / Youth
	7:30 p.m.	Nominating Committee
June 6	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast, Rosie's Northtown Café
June 9	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
	6:00 p.m.	Church Outreach and Visitation
June 10	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Co-Ed Small Group / Youth
	7:30 p.m.	Church Council
June 15-19		Youth Super Summer, Hannibal
June 15		Book of Reports Submissions Due
June 16	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
June 17	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Co-Ed Small Group / Youth
June 18		Newsletter Items Due
June 20-26		Mission Trip, Holt, MO
June 21		Father's Day
	2:30 p.m.	Kirksville Manor Care
	6:00 p.m.	Business Meeting
June 23	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
	6:30 p.m.	Deacons
June 24	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Co-Ed Small Group / Youth
	7:30 p.m.	Staff
June 27	11:00 a.m.	Mobile Food Pantry Distribution
June 28	2:00 p.m.	Highland Crest
	2:00 p.m.	HSBC Lake Picnic for those who want to go play
	6:15 p.m.	Lake Baptism at The Point
	6:45 p.m.	Carry-In Picnic



Saturday, June 6

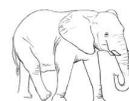
8:00 a.m.

Rosie's Northtown Cafe
Contact Doug Athon



Whenever you see an elephant,
please remember to pray for
Josh, Kimbre & the kids.
You will find one (or more) pictures
of an elephant in each newsletter.

**Can you find the 13 elephants
hidden in this newsletter?**





LAKE BAPTISM AND PICNIC

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

THOUSAND HILLS

STATE PARK

THE POINT

Prior to our Lake Baptism and Picnic you'll be able to take a free ride on a pontoon boat beginning at 2:30 pm. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer.

Sign-up sheets need to be full by Father's Day, Sunday, June 21, or the pontoons will be cancelled.

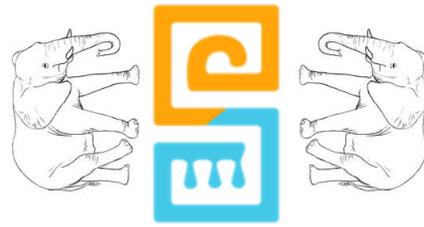
If you'd like to be a boat captain, please speak with the pastor.

Swimming is available at the Swim Beach for no charge, however, there is no lifeguard on site. Changing rooms and showers will be open. *Swimming and wading are not allowed at The Point.*

Worship with Baptism at 6 pm with Meal following

Meat, drink, and table service will be provided.

Please bring sides and desserts, lawn chairs and friends!



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SHOES + WATER

Annual Used Shoe Drive

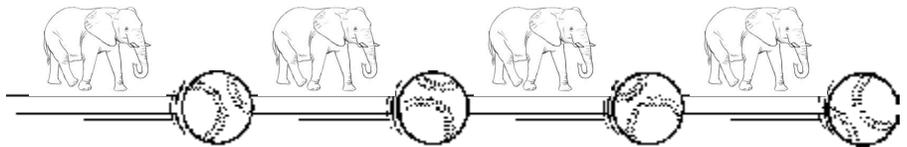
May 10 – June 21

All sizes & styles of gently used shoes are accepted: cleats, boots, heels, flip flops, athletic, etc. Shoes need to be wearable without holes. Tie the laces together or use a rubber band to keep both shoes in the pair together... no single shoes, please.

Your shoes will be donated to Solea Water. This organization exports your shoes to exporters for resale in micro-enterprise in Latin America. Shoe resale builds the local developing economy by making affordable shoes available to those who need protection from abrasions and deadly parasites. The funds generated from the sale of the shoes is used to develop and implement clean water projects such as wells, water purification systems, hand pump repair, and conducting health education programs.

Founder George "Shoeman" Hutchings retired to spend more time focusing on his health and family. His founding organization, Shoeman Water Project, combined with Water for Panama to form Solea Water.

Solea Water headquarters remain in St. Louis with the warehouse in Fenton, MO.



Men's Slow Pitch



Want to play? Want to watch?

Thursdays @

North Park Ball Field

Contact: Phil McIntosh



Missions Committee

As we are getting ready for the mission trip I'd like to remind people that there are other ways to help with missions. Volunteering for our monthly food bank. Helping with outreach programs etc.

On June 20 a team of us will be heading to Holt, Mo., to lead a block party on Sunday night and VBS during the week. A group of us will be helping with minor repairs on the church campus while others will be handing out pamphlets about the church. We will also be handing out tracts. In the next couple of weeks we will be asking for food donations and etc. So please be in prayer for our trip to be successful. Thank you so much in advance for your prayers and donations.

Tammy Porter,
Missions Committee Chair



Nursing Home

Twin Pines

Every Tuesday at 9:30 am

Kirksville Manor Care

Sunday, June 21, 2:30 pm

Highland Crest

Sunday, June 28, 2 pm



Food 4 Kids

June 15-19

Brashear, PC Mills, and JC

Parks

**MANY VOLUNTEERS
ARE NEEDED**

Trainings will be held at FUMC,
Thursday, June 4, 5:30 pm, and
Monday, June 8, 6—7pm.

Please sign up in the foyer to
volunteer to participate or contact
Coordinators Margie & John Kues



ADAIR COUNTY MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

**Saturday,
June 27**

11:00 am - ???

Hamilton Street Baptist Church

802 W. Hamilton St.

Kirksville, MO

There are no income guidelines.
Recipients need to bring a photo ID,
Social Security cards for each family
member in the household, proof of
Adair County residency &
a container to take home the food.

The purpose of the Church is to glorify God by fulfilling the Great Commandment

(³⁶"Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?" ³⁷Jesus replied: " 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' ³⁸This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' ⁴⁰All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments." Matthew 22:36-40)

and the Great Commission

(¹⁸Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:18-20)

From the Youth Minister

Another school semester is behind us...the time does go by so fast. The semester started with a trip to Des Moines for Winter Jam and has ended with a very successful Youth Sunday. In between we had an in-depth Bible study entitled "Jesus > Religion" written by Jefferson Bethke. Mr. Bethke is an exciting new author in his twenties that helps Youth sift through the pretense of organized religion in order to discover the personal Jesus. We learned that Jesus is more than rules and tradition; He is love and grace and mercy and we need to strive to grow closer to Him.

We also mixed in several nights of fun and fellowship in order to

grow closer to one another. We saw alot of growth in our Youth this semester; both spiritually and in fellowship. We averaged in the high teens and as the semester progressed, we saw several of the Youth begin to invite their friends and by the end , nearly 1/3 of our group were new attendees.

Special thanks to Mike Hartman for his continued support on Weds nights and any time he is needed. Special thanks as well to Jonathan Walker and all the volunteers he rounded up for Winter Jam. Special thanks to David Cook for his work on the musical portion of our Christmas program and Youth Sunday. Thanks as well to the Youth Committee...Dana Marshall, Jonathan Walker, and Mike Hartman (Tanya Tatro was a late addition to the committee). As summer is upon us and we regroup, we look forward to planning next semester and helping our Youth grow in their walk with Christ.

Tony Keene, Youth Minister
tony.keene@sbcglobal.net



David Linville
P O Box 305
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Adam Marino
1601 S. Baird

PROMOTION
SUNDAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION

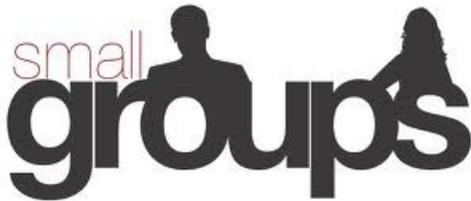
Sunday • June 14 • 11 am Service

The graphic features the word "PROMOTION" in white capital letters on a dark grey background. Below it, the word "SUNDAY" is written in large, colorful, multi-colored capital letters. The entire graphic is set against a white background with a subtle drop shadow.

If you would like to donate aluminum cans to the Youth, place them in Doug Athon's pick up bed on Sunday mornings. Doug drives a green Ford Ranger pickup.

Welcome
to our Church

A stylized graphic of a church steeple with a cross on top. The steeple is black and white. A speech bubble is attached to the side of the steeple, containing the text "Welcome to our Church".



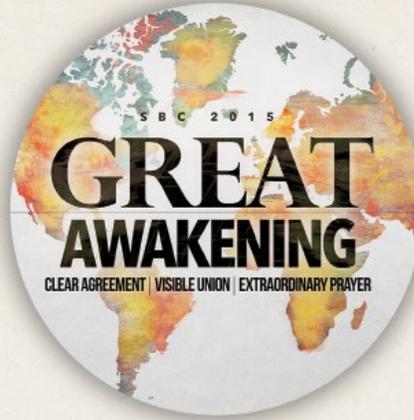
SMALL GROUPS ARE COMING TO HSBC

By September 1 of this year we will be hosting over 20 small groups that will meet in multiple locations throughout Kirksville! How is that going to happen? One, it is going to begin with a simple name change. For ease of promotion we are going to call all of our small group Bible studies, Sunday School and etc., small groups. The term "small group" is becoming a nationally recognized title whose purpose is easily understood by all age groups. Terms like "Sunday School" are sometimes seen in a negative light. If changing a name can encourage more people to take part, it is worth a try.

There is an even greater reason for calling our different Bible studies small groups. We are hoping that most of our classes will move beyond just having a Bible study to building true community within the different small groups. When real community occurs in small groups, Bible study is still the focus, but deeper friendships, ministry and life transformation occur.

Our initial goal is to involve more people in small groups and as a result to see more life transformation occur within our church body. Our larger goal is to better impact our world through our church. Our prayer is that the move toward a small group approach will encourage this.

CLEAR AGREEMENT | VISIBLE UNION | EXTRAORDINARY PRAYER



A National Call For Prayer To All Southern Baptists for the Next Great Awakening and to Reach the World for Christ



LED BY DR. RONNIE FLOYD
Senior Pastor
Cross Church
Northwest Arkansas
President, SBC

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 16

WORSHIP MUSIC BEGINS 6:30 PM

NATIONAL PRAYER GATHERING FORMAL BEGINNING 6:45 PM

Go to this link to watch: <http://www.sbcannualmeeting.net/sbc15/default.asp>

*College Student Bible Study Teacher
Stacy Tucker-Potter,
find her on Facebook, or stop by her
office in McClain Hall 205 on the
Truman campus.*



We offer Associate Membership to college students who wish to be a part of our body without giving up their membership in their churches back home. If you are interested, contact Pastor Charles, pastorchas@sbcglobal.net.

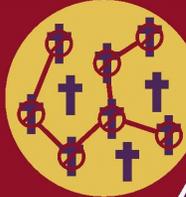


7 STATS You Need to Know to Serve the King in 2015

There are hundreds of stats you could focus on, but these 7 are critical to understanding your world today and responding in service to the King.

THE TASK BEFORE US IS A GIGANTIC ONE

86% of non-believers do not personally have a relationship with a Christian.¹



73% of all people reside in countries where their religion is the majority.²



THIS IS PARTLY BECAUSE

One sign is that the **2.5 billion** people of China and India average 8 hours of reading or more per week.⁶



THEY SEE KNOWLEDGE AS THE ANSWER



71% of all people will live in cities by 2050, the rural-urban distribution having fully flipped in a single century.⁵



INCREASINGLY PEOPLE SEEK OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CITIES

THE KING IS USING ALL OF THESE REALITIES TO PREPARE PEOPLES HEARTS

7

Now on the rise!
It is estimated that by 2050

36% of the world's population will consider themselves Christians.⁷

A growing number of people are on the move with more than

232 million



international migrants, which has risen from 175 million in 2000.³



AT THE SAME TIME

But many are struggling. **80%** of the world's population shares only **5.5%** of the world's wealth.⁴



THEY ARE CHASING OPPORTUNITY AND HOPE

PRAY THAT GOD

will help you to see your world clearly and respond decisively in 2015 to the glory of the King!

Sources listed at www.missiographics.com/7stats-ServetheKing-2015



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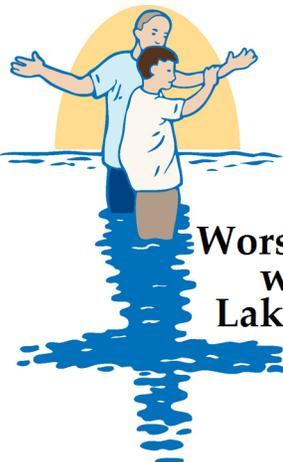
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Return Service Requested

Sunday, June 28
Thousand Hills State Park
The Point
 2 p.m. - ??

Meat, drink, and table service will be provided

Free Pontoon rides: 2 - 5:30 p.m.
 Sign up in the foyer by June 14



Worship with Baptism:
6:00 p.m.
 with carry-in meal following

**Remember
 your lawn chairs!**

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship
	9:45 a.m.	Small Groups
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship
	6:00 p.m.	Worship
Wednesday:	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult & Youth Small Groups

Looking Forward

July 3	Office Closed
July 4	Independence Day Men's Breakfast
July 5	Adair County Detention Center
July 10 - 11	Intro to Camping, Grades 1-3, Grand Oaks
July 20 - 24	Children's Camp, Grand Oaks
July 26 - 30	Vacation Bible School
August 2	Senior Songsters
August 22	Mobile Food Distribution
August 30	Worship at the Fairgrounds