

Haiti Earthquake Relief

Many thanks to the GPC congregation for your generosity. This past week we sent checks totaling \$6703.00 to the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission. Gratefully, Session and Pastor Ed.

March WMT Collection

For the month of March we will be collecting **Peanut Butter & Jelly** to make sandwiches for City Union Mission. We make these sandwiches the 2nd Tuesday of every month starting at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall. If you have time, please stop by and give a helping hand on one of these Tuesdays. Our next sandwich making day is March 9.

Whither the Grass?

Believe me; it is under the snow, the leaves, the brown remains of last fall. When it comes out, we will be glad, but will ponder, "Who will make it lovely again?" That is where the **Mow Team** comes in. We will reconstitute the teams to take on the landscape at church. If you want to be counted in our number, please contact Mark Lancaster 560-9933 or mark@mlancaster.us for details.

R.O.C.K.

The GPC R.O.C.K. children (ages pre K - 5) will be going "missional" this Wednesday. We will be taking *Hearts 4 Jesus* to the residents and staff of White Oak Nursing home. WE will leave promptly at 6:30. All children MUST have a signed permission slip to leave the church grounds. If you did not receive a permission slip on Wednesday, please see Paula O'Hara this morning to get one.

Mission Rummage Sale Week

Sale Days: Thurs/Fri 11am-8pm and Sat 9am-Noon (\$1/bag or 50%)

March 11-March 13

* Bring your Rummage: March 7 after service (no new stuff after Wednesday and NO console TV's, old computers or things that smell)

* Need a heavy item picked up? Call Andy Gibbs at 420-0020 or email him at kgibbs@kc.rr.com

* Volunteers so appreciated! Sign up in the lobby or email Kelli. Drop by from 9am-9pm (Sun—Fri) and lend a hand. **Set up** starts after service on Sunday March 7. Bring your family and make it a family service project. **Students can get volunteer credit as well.**

* Tell your neighbors to bring their rummage and/or come by to shop.

***Want undying gratitude?** Show up on Sunday, Mar 13 at noon to help load the truck and fold tables.

Nifty Lunch Bunch

Gashland Members! Please come to our "Nifty Lunch Bunch" as our guests for a delicious hot meal prepared by our chef Binny Pearce.

Remember the date is **Friday, March 12th at noon**. Following the dinner will be entertainment by the **Senior Barn Players** putting on a hilarious skit called, "Just in Time!" (about 12:45 P.M.) This will tickle your funny bone, and laughter is good medicine, right? Anyone **50 yrs. and older** may join our group, but we wish to extend this invitation to ALL who enjoy good food, fellowship, and laughter! If you are not already a member of Nifty Lunch Bunch, PLEASE call Mary Ann Eichelberg at 741-1470 or her cell (682-4847). Other members will be called by the (Nifty Lunch) calling committee. Last November 2009 we had 70 people attend, and it was a joy with which to praise our Lord! Thank you, Mary Ann

Is prayer your last resort or your first choice?

Wednesday prayer

Please don't allow yourself to miss out on the opportunity to pray for your church and your church family. Corporate prayer is essential for the health of a church body. On Wednesday we still meet in Room 219 at 9:00am - please come and pray with us!

Prayers for Healing:

Earl Iverson; Rosalee Tyson (Kathy Ellison's mother); Bob Wester (Don Wester's brother); Clyde Holmes; Rose Marie Greer; Edee Mollnow (Gail Stewart's mother).

Prayer For Missions & Missionaries:

Gracious Promise -
Shirley Miller
1021 Pacific Ave., Kansas City KS 66102

Prayer Chain:

*If you have a prayer request/concern for our Prayer Chain, please call Rosemary Norton 454-0930, Betty Farmer 436-2380, or Ruth McCaskey 436-0964. To hear prayer requests, call 436-3583 during office hours, and extension #4 after office hours.

On-Line Prayer Request:

*All requests called in to the Prayer Chain go on-line also.

To submit a prayer request send to: myprayer@gashland.org

To receive prayer requests send to:
iwillpray@gashland.org



Please remember to switch your cell phones to vibrate or turn off before worship service. Also, please no texting - thank you for your help in this!

If there are church activity cancellations due to inclement weather, that information will be posted on KMBC - channel 9 and also on KCTV 5.

ATTENDANCE February 21, 2010

8:30 am: 163 11:00am: 187

Total: 350

SUNDAY SCHOOL/ADULT CLASSES:

Children: 60 Students: 43

Adult: 85

Children's Sunday School

Nursery is available during both services for Children under age 3.

Pre K - Room 121-122

2/3 - Room 108

K/1 - Room 110

4/5 - Room 123-124

Middle School

Girls - Room 107

Guys - Room 220

High School

Holy Grounds Café

Adult Sunday Classes - 9:45 am

Acts 2.0	Room 221	Amy Schirmer, Rob Rich
Love & Respect	Room 219	Bruce & Teresa Brinkmeyer
The Books of Samuel	Reception Room	Holly Douglass
Unshakeable - Heeding 2 nd Peter	Sanctuary	Nathan Edwards Matt Martinie
Walking With God (men only)	Chapel	Chris Taylor Andy Gibbs Dennis O'Hara Mark Smith
Wilderness Wandering	Room 217-218	Jean Bouas, Ulises Acosta

Sunday, February 28

8:30 am Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

9:45 am Adult & Children's Sunday School

11:00 am Contemporary Worship, Ministry Center

Monday, March 1

6:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

7:00 pm Buildings & Grounds, Library

7:00 pm Troop

Tuesday, March 2

Wednesday, March 3

9:00 am Morning Prayer, Room 219

6:00 pm Chicken Patties, Ministry Center

6:30 pm Next Exit, Ministry Center

6:30 pm Women's Bible Study, Room 217-218

6:30 pm Men's Fraternity, Reception Room

6:30 pm R.O.C.K.

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

7:30 pm Contemporary Practice, Ministry Center

Thursday, March 4

9:30 am Precepts Bible Study, Fellowship Hall

Friday, March 5

Saturday, March 6

7:30 am Men's Bible Study, Library

5:00 pm Chair Team set-up, Ministry Center

Next Sunday, March 7

8:30 am Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

9:45 am Adult & Children's Sunday School

11:00 am Contemporary Worship, Ministry Center

Welcome to our Guests, Friends, and Members
Please register your attendance, by printing your name on the Connection Card.

Traditional Worship Service

8:30 am

Carillon Bells

Prelude Haydn/Culli

Variations on *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*

Welcome

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Hymn

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven” #1

Prayer, Confession, Assurance

Hymn

“O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing” #21

Dedication of the new organ

Responsive Reading from Psalm 150

Leader: Praise the Lord.

All: Praise God in His sanctuary.

Leader: Praise Him in His mighty heavens.

All: Praise Him for His acts of power; Praise Him for His surpassing greatness.

Leader: Praise Him with the sounds of the trumpet,

Praise Him with the harp and the lyre,

All: Praise Him with tambourine and dance.

Praise Him with the strings and the flute.

Leader: Praise Him with the clash of cymbals, Praise Him with resounding cymbals.

All: Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord.

Praise ye the Lord.

Prayer of dedication

Anthem

“When In Our Music God Is Glorified” Choir

Congregation join on vs.5

Scripture Reading

Genesis 1:26-31

Hymn

“Since Jesus Came into My Heart” #503

Offertory

“All Creatures of Our God and King” Arr. Page

Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sermon

“Life, the Great Adventure”

Ed Longabaugh

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn

Taking the Light of Christ into the world

Benediction

Postlude

Go forth and serve Christ in the world

Contemporary Worship Service

11:00 am

Prelude

“Preserve Me O God”

Greeting, Welcome, Announcements

Children’s Sermon

“HIS Recipe for Life”

1 John 2:5-6

Song Set

“Forever”

“Made to Worship”

“Everything Glorious”

Offertory

Prayer

“Indescribable”

Sermon

“Life, the Great Adventure”

Ed Longabaugh

Benediction

There is an offering envelope in the chair pocket in front of you
- for your convenience.

When In Our Music God Is Glorified

*When in our music god is glorified,
And adoration leaves no room for pride;
It is as though the whole creation cried:
Alleluia!*

*How often, making music; we have found
A new dimension in the world of sound,
As worship moved us to a more profound
Alleluia!*

*So has the church, in liturgy and song,
In faith and love, through centuries of wrong,
Borne witness to the truth in every tongue:
Alleluia!*

*And did not Jesus sing a psalm that night
When utmost evil strove against the light?
Then let us sing, for whom He won the fight:
Alleluia!*

*Let every instrument be tuned for praise!
Let all rejoice who have a voice to raise!
And may God give us faith to sing always:
Alleluia!*

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February 28th, 2010

Life, the Great Adventure



Genesis 1:26-31