

Middle School Mission Trip Postponed

This summer's mission trip scheduled for June 6-12 has been postponed due to the rescheduling of Gashland's Vacation Bible School. Please check our student ministry facebook page to keep current on upcoming events. Our facebook page can be found by looking at GPC Student Ministries.

Nominating Committee

The **Nominating Committee** is seeking four at-large members to help select a slate of officers for the class of 2013: five elders, four deacons, and two trustees. If you are interested in finding out about this crucial service, please contact elder Steve Watts at 746-8488 or sgwatts51@gmail.com. The committee will meet June through September, and present its nominees to the congregation on October 3.

Kids Crosswalk Gallery

Did you miss the power point presentation about our ROCK kids visiting the homes of GPC members? If so, stop by the Kids Crosswalk Gallery (in the children's wing) and enjoy the pictures and information provided.

May Mission

The month of May we are collecting non-perishable items for Metropolitan Lutheran Food Pantry. They would greatly appreciate canned meats, canned fruits and vegetables, soup, crackers, cereal, rice, pasta, beans or any other non-perishable food item you would like to give. Please drop your item(s) off under the Mission board across from the Chapel. Thank you and God bless you.

Summer Women's Bible Study

'Lord Is It Warfare?' by Kay Arthur with a kick-off May 25 - 7pm at the church and class beginning June 8-August 17. This cost of this book on spiritual warfare is \$12. Cut off to sign up for this study is May 16 to get the order in. Contact Kelli Gibbs kgibbs2@kc.rr.com or 420-0040.

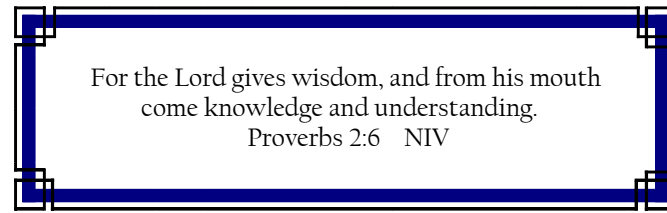
Imagine

Escape from the everyday at a Women of Faith weekend and be refreshed, encouraged and inspired. Because the God who loves you can do far more than you can ever Imagine. Coming to the Sprint center on November 5-6, Friday and Saturday. We have reserved some seats at the low cost of \$89.00 that also includes a box lunch for each day!

Speakers include Lisa Harper, Karen James, the very funny Luci Swindoll, Kim Cash Tate, Sheila Walsh. Musical guests are Natalie Grant, Mary Mary and drama with Nicole Johnson. The times for each day are: Friday-10:00 to 3:30 and return at 7:00 until 10:00. Saturday 9:00 to 5:00. We will carpool from the church each day. This will be a wonderful time of inspiring speakers, music and time to be with other women of faith from our church and around the greater Metro area. There is limited reserve seating as a group, so make a call and join us for this time to be spiritually refreshed! Call Kelli Gibbs @ 420-0040 or e-mail her at kgibbs2@kc.rr.com

Flowers

If you are interested in providing flowers in *honor of* or in *memory of* someone special or for a special occasion, there is a Flower Calendar in the Church Office where you can sign up. You may also contact Verena Jackson, 452-9426 to let her know you would like to provide flowers and she can check the calendar for you or answer any questions you may have.



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!

Our prayers are with:

Robert & Elaina Kleinmeyer and family with the passing of Robert's father this past week. Services were held in Iowa on Thursday.

Prayers for Healing:

Joan Paul (Sharon Wester's niece); Marylinn Hayes (Susanne Drayer's mother); Bud Wilson (Ron's father). Imogene Dattilo (Therese Blakley's mother); Kathryn Avery.

Prayer For Missions & Missionaries:

Servant Leadership Ministries

Dr. John McGeorge
10301 Edgebrook Ct., Richmond VA 23234-3803

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



<p>Attendance: May 16, 2010 8:30 am: 118 11:00am: 244 Total: 362</p> <p>SUNDAY SCHOOL/ADULT CLASSES: Children: 51 Students: 42 Adult: 84</p>

Children's Sunday School

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

Pre K - Room 121-122

K-5 Chapel

Middle School

Girls - Room 107

Guys - Room 220

High School

Holy Grounds Café

Adult Sunday Classes - 9:45 am

Acts 2.0 Studying Romans	Room 221	Amy Schirmer, Rob Rich
II Samuel	Reception Room	Holly Douglass
Practical Lessons from Joshua, Judges & Ruth	Room 217-218	Jean Bouas Ulises Acosta
Set Free - Good News of Galatians	Fellowship Hall	Nathan Edwards Matt Martinie
Walking With God (men only)	Chapel	Chris Taylor Andy Gibbs Dennis O'Hara Mark Smith
What's With That Proverbs 31 Woman Anyway?	Room 219	Melanie Warner

Sunday, May 23

Pentecost Sunday

8:30 am Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
9:45 am Adult & Children's Sunday School
11:00 am Contemporary Worship, Ministry Center

Monday, May 24

6:00 pm Handbell rehearsal, Fellowship Hall
7:00 pm Troop 247, Ministry Center +

Tuesday, May 25

7:00 pm Summer Bible Study Kick-off, Room217-218

Wednesday, May 26

9:00 am Morning Prayer, Room 219
6:00 pm Next Exit, Ministry Center
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary
7:30 pm Contemporary Practice, Ministry Center

Thursday, May 27

Friday, May 28

Saturday, May 29

7:30 am Men's Bible Study, Library
5:00 pm Chair Team set-up, Ministry Center

Next Sunday, May 30

8:30 am Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
9:45 am Adult & Children's Sunday School
6:00 pm Movie Night, Ministry Center
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

Medley for Pentecost

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Welcome

Anthem

“Send Down Your Spirit, Lord”

Solo: Connie Van Engen

Call to Worship

Leader: Spirit of the Living God, descend on us today.

People: Come, Holy Spirit!

Leader: Holy Spirit, come to us like a rushing wind.

People: Come, Holy Spirit and sweep away anything evil within us.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit.

People: Come Holy Spirit and fill us with a fresh energy which only You can give.

Leader: Like a refiner’s fire, cleanse and purify us.

People: Protect us and teach us Your ways.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit and fill us with Your love and power

People: that we may be Your witness to the people of the earth.

Leader: With the Father and the Son we worship and glorify You.

All: Come, Holy Spirit! Be present with us now as we worship!

Hymn

“God, Our Father, We Adore Thee” #93

Prayer, Confession, Assurance

Hymn Medley

“Come, Thou Almighty King” #8

“Glorify Thy Name” #9

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:14-21

Hymn

“Spirit of the Living God” *Choir*

“Breathe On Me, Breath of God” #393

Offertory

“Spirit of God, Descend Upon Our Hearts”

Handbell Choir

Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sermon

Why He Comes

Ed Longabaugh

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

Benediction

Postlude

“Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling”

Contemporary Worship Service

11:00 am

Prelude

“Let It Rise”

Announcements & Greeting

Worship Songs

“Revival Fire Fall”

“Freedom-Where the Spirit of the Lord Is”

“Your Grace Is Enough”

Offertory

“Praise the Lord the Almighty”

Closing Song

“Offering”

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

High School Graduates

Congratulations to the following high school graduates of 2010:

Emilee Davison	Staley
Chase Claytor	Oak Park
Nick Delury	Park Hill
Garrett Ellison	Park Hill
Blair Lacy	Park Hill South
Claire Longabaugh	Faith Christian Academy
Eric Longabaugh	Faith Christian Academy
Zach Scott	Oak Park
Julianna Seever	North Kansas City
Chandler Smith	Staley
Mitch Stewart	Oak Park
Miguel Valdes	Liberty
Sara Foley	Smithville
Vaclau Zizek	AFS Student (Staley)

Confirmation Class

Congratulations to the following members of the 2010 Confirmation Class and their mentors:

Chris Palmer	Jim Iverson
Megan Willis	Amy Schirmer
Jackson Reid	Matt Wheeler
Aleece Foley	Claudia Watts
Darrin Head	Eric Reid
Madeline Keller	Valerie Welty
Caleb Armstrong	Tom Clapham
Kirk Blakley	Mark Blakley
Hudson Welty	Jeff Head

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May 23rd, 2010

“Why He Comes”

Acts 2:14-21

