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**ADDRESS SERVICE
REQUESTED**

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Sunday:
A.M. Worship 9:30 AM
Bible School 11:00 AM
P.M. Bible Study 6:00 PM
Youth Groups
For Preschool-High School 6:00 PM
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 6:00 PM
Jr./Sr High Youth 6:30 PM

If you are moving or your address changes in ANY WAY, please let us know the effective date. ASAP.

FAITH IN FIGURES 2/11/18 2/12/17
Sunday School cancelled 58
A.M. Worship 66 88
P.M. Worship cancelled 45

A. M. OFFERING February 11, 2018
Total Offering: \$1655.00
Included in total above:
Building Fund \$0
General Fund \$1630.00

General Fund Weekly Budgeted Need: \$3747.13

BUILDING FUND BREAKDOWN:
CDF INVESTMENT: \$58623.93
CDF INVESTMENT #: \$15631.00
IN CHECKING ACCOUNT: \$980.00

SERVING SUNDAY February 18, 2018

Elders: Robert Arbuckle, Ed Benedict, Larry Bush II, Max Swinford
Deacons: Andy Hoevener, Tony Nading, Don Wade, Richard Young
Communion Meditation: Andy Hoevener
Greeters: Kristina & Sydney Ebersold
Home Communion: Robert Arbuckle
Deacon Greeter:
Wee Worship: Katie Hoevener
Wee Worship Assistant: Maycie Asher
Communion Preparation: Kelly Benedict
Video Technician: Scott McInerny
Audio Technician: Dakota Ebersold

PRAY FOR THESE PEOPLE

(Updates and new requests. For a complete list, call the office or pick one up on the rack in the entry.)

Janet Baker (Darlene Miller's aunt)
Jim Campbell ("Mr. Hilltop")
Naomi Fuchs (neighbor of Dale & Elaine Fair)
Andy Hoevener
Gary Jenkins (friend of Peggy Forrest)
Chris Owens (friend of Richard & Donna Young)
Sara Powell
Steve & Julie Saunders (Marilyn Swinford's sister)
Sebastian (no last name given, requested by Betty Meek)
Wes Stepp (missionary)
Cassandra Yanish
Richard Young
Death:
Marion Mann (Sharon Arbuckle's brother)

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Jeannie Bush, Office Secretary
Elders: Robert Arbuckle, Ed Benedict, Larry Bush II, Max Swinford
Music Director: Carol da Silva

The seminar will be led by Dr. John Nolan, Board Certified Pastoral Counselor, and Robin Paul, Licensed Clinical Social Worker.
There is no cost for the seminar, but we ask that you please sign up to attend so that we will have a count for the meal.



IGNITE To (Grades 7-12) PACERS GAME

**FAITH & FAMILY
NIGHT AT THE
INDIANA PACERS!**

**Friday, March 23rd -
leave at 5:00 p.m.**

***Tickets must be
pre-purchased!
Money is due by
Wednesday,
February 14th***

**Cost of \$20 per student
includes the game,
Pacer hat, hot dog,
chips, and drink.**



**Spark & Fuel
(Preschool-6th)
Faith & Family Day
at Newport
Aquarium
Saturday, March 3rd
Cost is \$10 per person
Money is due by
Sunday, February 25th**

**AMAZING
GRAYS
SENIOR ADULT
MINISTRY**

**Amazing Grays
to Kopper Kettle
in Morristown
Tuesday, February 27rd
Leave at 11:30 a.m.**



Hunter Jay Wilson was born on January 29th. He weighed 6 lbs, 6 oz and was 19 inches long. Proud parents are Ryan and Briana Wilson. Proud Grandpa and Grandma are Pat & Jeanine Rosenfeld and Great-grandma is Judith Robertson. All are doing well-congratulations!

ADDRESS UPDATE:

Russ Hamner
c/o McKay Manor
1473 E McKay Rd
Apt. 222
Shelbyville IN 46176



**Clarity Banquet
Tuesday, February 27th
7:00-9:00 p.m.
at Shelbyville Middle
School**

*This is a
fundraiser.
For details or
to reserve a
seat, call
866-510-5067.*



HILLTOP WINTER YOUTH RETREATS

**Grades 3-5:
February 16-17**

**Middle School:
February 23-24**

**High School:
February 24-25**

- *Worship *Learning *Friends
- *Food *Games

Check in begins at 6 p.m.
Event begins at 7:00 p.m.
Event ends at 3:00 p.m. next day

Questions?
Call Eric Carlson at Hilltop
812-988-4991
Registration Open Now!

SEE JASON FOR FORMS...



It's time for the Annual Hilltop Christian Camp Polar Plunge!
Sunday, March 4th
 Jason has a \$1000 goal with end costume being a hula girl!
 Here is the breakdown:
 \$300 Jason jumps
 \$600 Caleb Stevens jumps too
 \$700 Grass skirts
 \$800 Hawaiian leis
 \$900 head piece and accessories
 \$1000 coconut bras

Starting with shorts and T-shirts, accessories added as the goal is met.
 (Please make checks out to Hilltop Christian Camp.)




S.I.S., our women's ministry group, is starting a newsletter for women in our church. This will be a monthly newsletter used to inform women of activities as well as to encourage each other. Our goal is to have this newsletter sent out through email to save money on printing and postage. If you would like to receive this newsletter, there is a sign up sheet in the back of the sanctuary or you may see Kristina Ebersold.



Just for the ladies!
No Man Go
Thursday, March 15th
Edinburgh Diner
6:30 p.m.
 (Meet us there, or carpool from church at 6:00 p.m.)
 This is a night for the ladies to go to dinner, relax, and have fun!



Study, Fellowship,
 & Service Opportunities:

H.B.H.
(Homemaker's Bible Hour)
 Meets every Tuesday at
 10:00 a.m.

Ladies Bible Study
 Meets every Tuesday
 (except the second Tuesday)
 at 6:30 p.m.

S.I.S. (Sisters In Service)
 Meets the fourth Monday
 of each month at 7:00 p.m.
 Next meeting:
 Monday, February 26th
 Kelly Benedict Hosting



MAN-GO
(Men's Fellowship)
 Meets the third Tuesday
 of each month at a local
 restaurant at 6:30 p.m.
 (Carpool at 6:00 p.m.)
 Next Meeting:
 February 20th
 at King Gyro's
 in Shelbyville

AREA MEN'S MEETING
 Meets the fourth
 Tuesday of each month
 Next Meeting:
 Tuesday, February 27th
 at Jonesville Christian
 (carpool at 5:30 p.m.)

OVER THE HILL GANG
 Meets at the church
 every Wednesday
 at 7:30 a.m.
 to go to breakfast

Ebersold's Enlightenment...

With our Prayer sermon series and Prayer Marathon ending, I thought I would share this list of prayers that Charles Stanley has suggested for leaders who occupy the highest offices in the land. I think that this list would be good for all of us to consider.

1. Pray that they would realize their daily need for cleansing of their sin by Jesus Christ.
2. Pray that they would recognize their personal inadequacy to fulfill their tasks and that they would depend upon God for knowledge, wisdom, and the courage to do what is right.
3. Pray that they would reject all counsel that violates spiritual principles, trusting God to prove them right.
4. Pray that they would resist those who would pressure them to violate their conscience.
5. Pray that they would reverse the trends of socialism and humanism in this nation, both of which deify man rather than God.
6. Pray that they would be ready to sacrifice their personal ambitions

and political careers for the sake of this nation, if yielding them would be in the best interest of their country.

7. Pray that they would rely upon prayer and the Word of God as the source of their daily strength, wisdom and courage.
8. Pray they would restore dignity, honor, trustworthiness, and righteousness to the office they hold.
9. Pray that they would remember to be good examples in their conduct to the fathers, mothers, sons, and daughters of this nation.
10. Pray that they would be reminded daily that they are accountable to Almighty God for the decisions they make.

Boxing Day
Saturday, February 17th
9:00 a.m.

We have A LOT of clothes to sort! If you are looking for a place to serve, we would love for you to be a part of this ministry!

For information, or if you have any questions, see Don or Janet Bush.



Jason's Jottings...

Earlier today Christina, the kids and I were out running some errands. While we were out we stopped in at the Swiss Maid in Hope. Not only did we need some deli items, it was Wednesday, which means free donut day. So, we were expecting a sweet treat. I never expected just how sweet of a treat I would get.

While were there I was standing at the deli counter and just looking around. Now it is no secret that we frequent this little Mennonite store, but today something I've never noticed caught my eye. Beside the coffee pot was a small tin that had a very important question on it. It basically said, "Can we pray for you?" It was a prayer request tin. Sitting right on top of the deli counter. I couldn't have asked for a better treat.

That little tin uplifted my soul. What a blessing. They were not asking for anything rather they were putting the needs of their customers first. Over the past couple of weeks, I have had conversations with several where we remarked about how customer service was dead. I have never been happier about being wrong. What greater service can we do

than to take their cares and needs to God.

We are reminded of this in Galatians 5:13, "For you, brethren, have been called to liberty; only do not use liberty as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another." That is just what this weekend is all about, (well this past weekend as your reading this). We have a 24-hour prayer marathon here at FRCC. The goal is bathe the Church, her people, the community and our country in prayer. To take not only our concerns but those of others to God as well. After all, as Ecclesiastes says, "Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their labor. For if they fall, one will lift up his companion (4:9-10a)."

Our 24-hour prayer marathon may be over as you read this, but our true prayer marathon has just begun. We must strive to live lives where we are constantly in prayer. Pray for your needs but more importantly pray for the needs of others. Make it a part of your DNA. Let's follow the example of that little deli, "Can we pray for you?"

