



Center Community Church

The Vision

SEPTEMBER 2011

**September
11th**

Grandparents' Day

Invite your grandparents and/or grandchildren to worship with you at CCC.



PRAY
INVITE

NATIONAL BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ATTEND

100% ATTENDANCE

Sept. 18th



PRAYER WALK

Sept. 18th - 6:00 p.m.
Friendship Gardens Park

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Family Meal - 6:00 p.m.
Classes for all ages - 6:45 p.m.
begins

SEPTEMBER 7th

CCC Craft & Product Fair

Sat., September 24th

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Contact Stacey McWhorter for more info about having a table.

ALSO - YARD SALE 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Dinner - Sept. 9th

CONCERT by
Paul's Journey

Gospel Vocalists

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Please sign up!

LADIES' GET-ACQUAINTED TEA

Monday, September 12th

7:00 p.m.

From Roger

What's Your Testimony?

A man lay dying, and he began to yell out, "I need a priest, I need a priest!" Another man came along and asked what was wrong.

The dying man said, "I need a priest to give me last rites, I'm dying,"

The man said. "There are no priests around here, but maybe I can help. I'm not a religious person myself, but I have lived next to the Catholic Church my whole life, and I hear their ritual all the time. I think that I can say it for you."

The dying man said, "Thank you." So the helpful man leaned close to the dying man and in a soft voice repeated the ritual as he has heard it so many times: "B-6, N-33, G-52, I-24, ... Bingo."

Have you ever wondered what people thought when they see and hear things coming out of your home? How about what they see and hear from you on a daily basis. No matter where we are or where we go, we must keep in mind that we represent Center Community Church. More importantly, we represent Jesus Christ. When your friends, co-workers and families hear what comes out of your mouth or see what you do outside of Church, in your yard, work or at the store, do you ever give them pause to wonder about your salvation or your commitment to Christ?

"We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us..." Gal.5:20

Dear Church Family,

The Ministry and Council is very excited about the new building program and we want to thank all the people that are giving of their time for the LORD and all the people that are donating items for us to share on this project.

With the turmoil going on in the world today our Church Family is coming together to unite as Christians on this program to bring more families to the LORD – this is just an amazing time for Center Community Church.

The Building Fund is at an amazing \$90,900.71 as of August 2011 and continues to grow. The scrap program is currently at \$2,126.05 and our efforts continue on this program also. We are currently involved in a Government Scraping Program - we had to get approved before we could bid on these items but we did receive the approval for this program and we are currently bidding on items such as copper wire, aluminum, steel & appliances. If we do land one of these contracts we are required to pick up the material at different Military Base locations and may need help in transportation and getting the material ready for scrapping. We will keep all of you informed in the event that we can land one of these large contracts.

The Design of the Temple (2 Samuel 7:14-17, 1 Kings 5-7)

The people gave their offerings and took part in building the temple. Think of the things people offered, and the work they did in order to help and participate in its building. 1 Kings gives us a clear picture of the numerous deeds performed by the people – where they came from and who offered gifts and worked. We also recognize the great love of those people for the Temple. All different classes of people volunteered to do the job. The king, the laborer, the skilled worker – all of them worked. This spirit should prevail in our church today. We should try to provide the church with everything it needs.

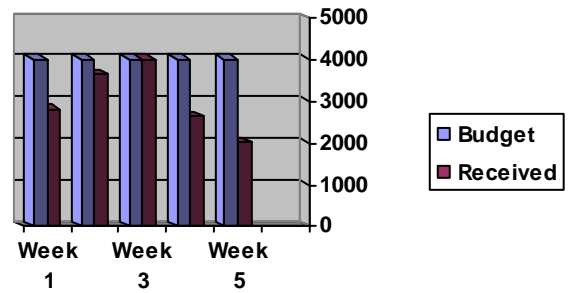
Your Brother in the LORD,

Daniel J. Smythe, for Ministry & Council

Stewardship

	S.S.	A.M.	General Fund
7/24	45	125	\$2,808.00
7/31	43	125	\$3,627.00
8/7	44	119	\$4,002.93
8/14	33	123	\$2,636.00
8/21	35	128	\$2,004.00

BUILDING FUND (as of 7/31/11) \$89,465.71



FROM THE MISSION MINISTRY

We have Mission news! Our Mission Ministry voted to begin supporting Aaron and Karrie Thomas in their effort to begin a new church in the Washington, DC area. Aaron is the grandson of a former preacher, Paul Ragsdale, who ministered to Center Community Church years ago.

Aaron and Karri went through a preparation program produced by Stadia which strengthened their conviction that God was calling them to such a ministry as starting a new church. Stadia is an international organization devoted to training workers to plant new churches and giving them the resources to do it well.

Aaron and Kari are working with some of the churches in that area until 2012 when plans are to launch the new church. This gives them time to become acclimated to the area, seek a site for the new church, etc. Our church's financial support for them will be the same as the other Missions we support. Supporting a new church is a new enterprise for us and opens a new opportunity for prayer and perhaps the chance for mission trips to help the work there eventually.

Their family blog is www.lifeasthomas.com. You can keep up with what's happening in their lives and how to pray for them through their blog. Our Mission will continue to share through the church paper, the Missions bulletin board and announcements about our church's Mission program.

NBC (New Building Committee):

Special thanks to the Campaign Leaders and their teams for the time they gave to the 90/120 days of instruction and preparation and for everyone's time and donations to the success of the banquet. Most importantly, for each of you who prayed for these people, prayed for the Church Families and for the blessing of GROWTH.

To God be the Glory! Terri Cook & Niki Smythe

Please continue to bring paper, cardboard, aluminum cans, metals, copper, etc. to the Shelter House. Spread the word! The recycle amount is \$2,126.05!!! For questions, call our "Dumpster Darlings", Terri (417-6462) or Niki (409-9257) THANKS, Dumpster Darlings, for all your hard work!

FROM the Dumpster Darlings: Please call if you would be available on any day to assist us in trucking in cardboard to Indianapolis (70 & Harding). We will load, and you may have to unload. Terri 417-6462/Niki 409-9257.

Paul's Journey, Christian Vocal group, from Magnolia, Texas, will be performing at Center Community Church, September 9, 2011 at 7:00 pm.



There will be a free will offering for their performance.

Before the performance there will be a meal. It will include pulled pork (from "Squealers" in Mooresville) or chicken served with coleslaw, baked beans, mac and cheese, dessert and drink. Dinner will be from 5:00 to 7:00 pm at the church.

The cost per person is \$10.00

All proceeds will go to the Center Community Church's Building Fund.

Baptisms:

Max and Beverly Newlin were baptized on Sunday, July 31st. They live at 7054 South Co Rd 300 South, Plainfield, 46168. Phone: 839-2116. May God bless you in your decision to work and worship with Center Community.

Congratulations to:

Roger and Jera Foggin on the birth of their new granddaughter, Sophia Rose, born to Christina & Aaron Henderson. She arrived on August 3rd and weighed 8 lbs., 1 ounce and was 21 1/4 inches long. Roger says she is healthy and beautiful!

Prayer Concerns:

Church members with health concerns:

<i>Dollie Allen</i>	<i>Bill Armand</i>	<i>Joyce Bennett</i>
<i>Dale Best</i>	<i>Jerry Boles</i>	<i>Ida Cunningham</i>
<i>John & Helen Doran</i>	<i>Lois Eller</i>	<i>Mary Lou Etter</i>
<i>Jane Fields</i>	<i>Charley Harlan</i>	<i>Raymond Hays</i>
<i>Alice Henderson</i>	<i>Billy Hines</i>	<i>Terry Howe</i>
<i>Tim Krebs</i>	<i>Ruth Lovell</i>	<i>Denise Mejean</i>
<i>Glenn & Evelyn Newby</i>	<i>Dean Pappas</i>	<i>Phyllis Peasley</i>
<i>Don & Gail Perkinson</i>	<i>Ruthie Rayl</i>	<i>Tom & Geri Shepherd</i>
<i>Nancy Smith</i>	<i>Stephani Steckler</i>	<i>Jon & Sarah Taylor</i>
<i>Rosalie & Allan Van Blaricum</i>		<i>Grace Walker</i>
<i>Carolyn Wallace</i>	<i>Jean Weber</i>	

Family and Friends

Tom Goedl, cancer
Kathy Rayl for salvation & health
Chris Steckler

Requested by

Bob & Barbara Goedl
Ruthie Rayl
Stephani Steckler

Serving our Country

Shawn Capps, Marines
Zach Elston, Air Force
Brian Ewig, Nat'l Guards
Matthew Ewig, Nat'l Guards
Steven Goode, Army
Michael McDowell, Nat'l Guard
Wayne McWhorter, Nat'l Guard
Stephen Mejean, Army
Brian Rayl, Nat'l Guard
Steve Rayl, Nat'l Guard Reserves
Eric Smith, Navy
Joe Villarreal, Marines
Scott Weaver, Air Force
K.C. White, Army

Monty & Terri Cook
Chuck & Doris Elston
Clyde & Jane Fields
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K. Pat Adams
Toni Belcher
McWhorters & Taylors
Dave & Denyse Mcjean
Ruthie Rayl
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Monty & Terri Cook
Sharon Davis
Jerry Weaver
Stephen Mejean

If there are others you would like to have included, contact the P.R. Ministry.

Game Night

Sept. 30th

6:30 p.m.



DID YOU KNOW?

The Gimme Shelter was a great evening of information about Wheeler Mission. There was a wonderful program and participation. THANKS to Abby Moran for her planning of this great experience! There was \$782 raised for Wheeler. Additional items to be donated include: 50+ toiletry bags, 68 fleece scarves from VBS, 10 burp pads, 14 baby blankets, 20 bibs, and other sewn items.

Primary Sunday School July Attendance

Anna Elston & Becca Elston attended 3 out of the 5 Sundays. Katie Hines came for 2 Sundays. Brynn Hudson joined us for one Sunday. We hope that more children will join us each week to learn the lessons of the Bible. Thanks to Julia Thorpe for helping with our class this summer.

—Teachers: Allen & Denyse Thorpe

Updating picture board

Is your picture on the "Church Family" picture board? Does your picture need to be updated? See Linda Eckert—she has her camera with her on Sunday!

**Golden Fellowship at Golden Corral
Sept. 7th at 11:30 a.m.**

COOKS

NEEDED

DID YOU KNOW That You Can Donate:



Ink Cartridges to the Church Office for Recycling?
Just put them on the table by the Office door.

Bibles for the Christian Support Center?
Put them in the special box in the Lobby.



Don't forget to ask for your stamps at the Family Christian Store. Please turn them into the Office. They are used to buy needed materials.



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*In response to God's love for us, as expressed in His Word and by
Jesus' example
we at Center Community Church commit ourselves to:*

- * Seek and save the lost*
- * Strengthen the saved*
- * Send disciples into ministry*

For the glory of God and His kingdom.

	September 4	September 11	September 18	September 25
Service Leader	D. Moran	D. Moran	D. Moran	D. Moran
Pianist	C. Hines	C. & C. Mitchell	C. Lane	C. & C. Mitchell
Special Music	D. Thorpe	N. Camden	D. Kellie	C. Livengood.
Communion Meditation	A. Thorpe	M. Eggleton	C. Harlan	T. Belcher
<u>CHILDREN'S CHURCH</u>				
Teacher	M. Eggleton	C. Harlan	M. Eggleton	C. Harlan
Craft/Game	N. Smythe	D. Mejean	M. Harlan	N. Smythe
Toddlers	J. Harlan	B. Moran	J. Mitchener	B. Lenz
Assistant	B. Hines	C. Harlan	M. Hudson	K. Willis
Nursery	Arranged by Jera Foggin			

***Don't ever question the value of volunteers.
Noah's Ark was built by volunteers; the Titanic was built by professionals.***

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Worship 10:10 a.m.

Wednesday Family Meals 6:00 p.m.

Classes for all ages 6:45 p.m.



CCC Chronicles

SEPTEMBER, 2011

The All Church Indianapolis Fever Event is planned for Sunday September 11.

We will leave at 5:00 from the Church and everyone gets a T-Shirt, voucher for Hot Dog, Chips and Drink and Lower Level seating.

You can also shoot Free

Throws on the court after the game.

Cost is \$15 per person attending

- please let Charley know if you are attending by September 3rd

(a \$5 deposit is needed to reserve your space).



WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL & CLASSES

All youth 108 years and below are encouraged to attend our Wednesday night classes which start at 6:45 p.m.

But better yet, come and fellowship with us and you don't have to worry about dinner!

It is provided starting at 6 p.m.

VBS was a great learning experience for all, and we learned a lot of things — JUST IN TIME!

September Events

- 9/4 No Youth Group-Enjoy Labor Day Week-end
- 9/7 6 p.m.-Meal
6:45 p.m.-Classes begin
- 9/11 Grandparents' Day-(Invite yours to attend church with you.)
5 p.m. Indianapolis Fever Day. \$5 deposit due to Charley by 9/3.
- 9/14 6 p.m.-Meal
6:45 p.m.-Classes
- 9/18 6 p.m. Youth Group (Grade 6 and up)
- 9/21 6 p.m.-Meal
6:45 p.m.-Classes
- 9/25 6 p.m. Youth Group (Grade 6 and up)
- 9/28 6 p.m.-Meal
6:45 p.m.-Classes

Upcoming Events

- 10/1 All Church Hay Ride and Bonfire starting at 5:00 PM
- 11/18-19 ICYC at Anderson University (Christian Workshops, Christian Band and an Illusionist) for HS



Children's Church Calendar For September 2011

September 4th

Taught by Mike Eggleton Craft/Games by Niki Smythe

September 11th

Taught by Charley Harlan Craft/Games by Denise Mejean

September 18th

Taught by Mike Eggleton Craft/Games by Marjorie Harlan

September 25th

Taught by Charley Harlan Craft/Games by Niki Smythe



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ICYC

At Anderson University
November 18th & 19th

Theme: Cost that Counts

For High School students
See Charley Harlan for more
information about