



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 10/19 **SNL at Bowie**– Be at the building by 4:45 and bring money for ice cream. We will return between 8:30 and 9:00.
- 10/29 **Parent Only Meeting** following services Wednesday Night.
- NOVEMBER**
- 21-23 **Encounter at LCU**– Please go and sign up by November 2 in the youth room if you are planning on attending. The cost is \$20.

What is your Pursuit?

Point 1: Pursuing _____ gives us a desire to be like _____.

Point 2: Pursuing _____ reveals the deepest truths about _____.

Point 3: Pursuing _____ enables us to keep our world in _____.

Point 4: Pursuing _____ makes us stronger in our _____ and more secure in our _____.

Attendance

Bible Class (9:30)	65
Worship A.M (10:30).....	95
Worship P.M (5:00)	39
Small Groups P.M. (6:00).....	62
Wednesday (6:30).....	95

2014 Budget: \$3,600
 Contribution: \$4,029.01

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Welcome

October 26, 2014

Announcements

- #429 *Oh, to Be Like Thee (all)*
- #948 *I Am Resolved (1,2,4)*
- #464 *Because He Lives (all)*

Opening Prayer

#705 *A Common Love (all)*

Communion Focus

Communion

#4 *To God Be the Glory (all)*

Offering

#539 *Higher Ground (1,2,4)*

Scripture Reading

Philippians 3:7-14

Sermon

- #927 *Why Keep Jesus Waiting? (1,3)*
- #555 *Seek Ye First (all)*

Closing Prayer

Preacher's Porch



Collaboration is the buzz-word right now in education. In short, it is where you have different groups, or groups with different abilities, work together to come up with a common idea or project. Generally, this might involve putting students with different abilities together to work on a project, but Tina and I came up with something slightly different this past week.


I teach an 11th and 12 grade Bible class at Wichita Christian at the same time that she has a 3rd grade class. My juniors and seniors are working on a unit out of the book of Luke right now and each of them had to take a section and turn it into a Bible class style lesson suitable for kids. Meanwhile, Tina brought "her kids" down where they sat together and worked together with my kids for a bit. It provided some wonderful moments but my favorite was when one of the groups decided that they were going to act out Jesus in the temple from Luke 4. The catch was, one of the third graders was "Jesus." Things went well and the unit was completed without a hitch and everyone generally enjoyed themselves.

It was only afterward that some of the lessons came home. When we were talking to the kids about what they had learned (evaluation), the little child who had filled that roll replied, "It's embarrassing to be Jesus."

When I asked why, she concluded that it's hard because everyone's watching you and you are afraid to mess up (be)cause everyone will know and laugh."


And therein is the true wisdom of a child. You see, I believe that, often times, the reason we don't do a better job of reaching out to others, of teaching, witnessing, evangelizing, or whatever you want to call it, is that we are embarrassed to be Jesus. When we put on our Christian identity before the world, we feel like everyone is watching us just waiting for us to mess up so that they can laugh at us. We don't want to fail. We don't want to be criticized. We don't want to be judged. And so we simply choose not to take the risk.

But what did Christ risk for you? Read Philippians 2:1-11 and see what you think. He gave it all up. For YOU. What will you give for Him? Will you even risk embarrassment? What would Jesus do? In Him, Todd





Nils Donnell, Selinda's dad, is undergoing testing for black outs. **Square Jackson** is now at Clay County Memorial. **Krista McCarty**, Theo & Linda Allen's great-niece, has sever lung congestion and Cystic Fibrosis.

Continue to Remember: *Richard Barks, Melissa James, Ken Rabon, Mary Taylor, Jerry Greene, Kirby Whitley, David & Jennie Waggoner, Bill Wood, Brenda Estridge, Brownie Pickens, Wan & Sue Callaway, Khristie Beard, Nikki Freeze, Alyene Williams, Alastair & Linda Ferrie, Coach Darren Mayes, Karla Brinkley, April Taylor & Chris Davis*




October menu for Wednesday Night Meals:
 10/29 **Halloweenies & Chips**
\$3 per person or \$12 per family

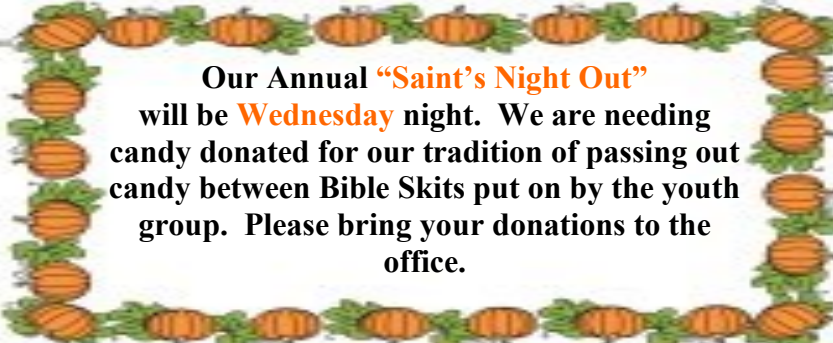
We would like to extend our deepest sympathies to **Todd Davis** and his family on the passing of his uncle, **Kenneth Lewis**, in Arkansas City, Kansas. His funeral will be Saturday, November 1st.

If you have been collecting coins for the Foster's Home for Children in the tall green cans, please bring them back to the church building by November 2nd. If you would still like to collect, there are some cans on the foyer table.



Sonshine House will be this Monday, October 27th from 6:00-8:00. We are always needing more volunteers. If you could help in this ministry, please see LeAnn Skinner.



Our Annual "Saint's Night Out" will be Wednesday night. We are needing candy donated for our tradition of passing out candy between Bible Skits put on by the youth group. Please bring your donations to the office.



Birthdays:
 25 Daniel Wilson



Girl Scout Troop 8515 will be sponsoring a City Wide Garage Sale on Saturday, November 8th. If you would like to participate, please see Vicki Yurcho or the flyer on the bulletin board.

Upcoming Events:
10/27 NMCCH Pickup
10/27 SonShine House
10/29 Saint's Night Out


Saturday Mornings @ 9 Ladies' Breakfast @ Stewart's Sweet Stop
Tuesday Mornings @ 10 Ladies' Bible Class
Thursday Mornings @ 10 Men's Bible Class



We have new commitment forms for you to sign up for areas you would be willing to serve God within the church. If you have not filled one out, please pick one up from the foyer table and turn it in to the office as soon as possible.

New Mexico **Christian Children's Home**
PROVIDING CHILDREN WITH QUALITY RESIDENTIAL, ADOPTIVE, AND SINGLE-PARENT HOMES *Open hearts! Connected hands!*

The New Mexico Christian Children's Home in Portales will be here Monday to collect donations. They are requesting monetary donations, Aluminum Foil & Saran Wrap.



CCMH and Moncrief Cancer Institute will be offering free mammograms to the uninsured on Tuesday, November 11th. Please come by the church office for your voucher with the number to call to set up your appointment. A flyer is on the bulletin board.