

Hazelwood Christian Church  
1400 W University Avenue  
Muncie, IN 47303  
Ph. (765) 282-5969; Fax (765) 282-5569  
E-mail: [hazelwoodchurch@gmail.com](mailto:hazelwoodchurch@gmail.com)  
Website: [www.hazelwoodchurch.org](http://www.hazelwoodchurch.org)  
Preschool website: [www.hazelwoodpreschool.org](http://www.hazelwoodpreschool.org)

Rev. Colby Smith, Senior Minister  
Linette Cook, Administrative Assistant, Newsletter Editor  
John Starnes, Moderator

Sunday Schedule: Traditional Worship, 9 a.m.; *Celebrate!* Worship, 10:45 a.m.  
Coffee Fellowship, 10:15 a.m. and 12 noon; Church School, 10:10 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Hazelwood's Statement of Calling: As members of the body of Christ, we at Hazelwood are called to share God's love by introducing individuals to Christ and nurturing personal spiritual growth for Christ's mission.  
Motto: Our BEST for Christ



Look for us at:  
**[www.hazelwoodchurch.org](http://www.hazelwoodchurch.org)**  
We will be constantly building and adding to it, so check back often!  
You can also contact us through the Website. Check out the home page.



**2012 Newsletter Schedule**  
October 11 & 25  
November 8 & 29  
December 13  
January 10 & 24  
  
As always, if you want something in, it is due one week prior to mail date.  
Thanks!



# HAZELWOOD LEAVES

September 27, 2012

Mark Your Calendar...

A committee, composed of members from the Celebrate! Team and the Worship committee, was charged with the task of renewing our Sunday morning order.

Hazelwood will implement a concurrent worship schedule on Sunday, beginning January 6, 2013. As part of the ongoing process of designed congregational renewal, the morning worship services will be taking place simultaneously, beginning at 10 a.m.

The purpose for this is twofold. The first intention is to facilitate congregational growth. This is targeted toward both families seeking a new church home and from within existing Hazelwood families. Families seeking a new church home will find a holistic children's and youth menu of ministries. All toddler, children's, and youth programming will shift from a split format to one which is unified and complete.

The second intention, as important as the first, is to enhance unity from within the existing church family. Church families who study together, youth who interact together, all who fellowship together, develop deeper relationships which enable all to grow closer together. There are tertiary effects which can produce compelling additional benefits.

**\*\*Schedule for Sunday mornings will look like this beginning Sunday, January 6, 2013\*\***

- 9:30 a.m. Adult Choir practice
- 10:00 a.m. Sanctuary Service and Celebrate! Service  
Toddler and Children's Sunday School will be held during this time.
- 11:15 a.m. All Church Coffee Fellowship
- 11:30 a.m. Youth Groups will meet when scheduled

**\*\*Adult Church School and Children's Choir schedules will be announced.**

Look forward to the new year approaching as Hazelwood ever strives to engage new ministries and established ministries in new ways!



### September 30 - October 6, 2012

- SUNDAY**
  - Youth Sunday.
  - Traditional service, 9 a.m., Sanctuary.
  - *Celebrate!* service, 10:45 a.m., Cartwright Hall.
  - Sign-up for Alzheimer's walk, between services.
  - Crop for Hunger walk, 1:30 p.m., Riverside United Methodist Church.
- MONDAY**
  - Noodle making, 8 a.m.
  - Preschool chapel, 9:10 a.m. & 12:40 p.m., Sanctuary.
  - Worship committee meeting, 6 p.m.
- TUESDAY**
  - Preschool chapel, 9:10 am. & 12:40 p.m., Sanctuary.
  - Praise Band, 6:30 p.m., Cartwright Hall.
- WEDNESDAY**
  - Bell Choir, 6 p.m., choir room.
  - Choir, 7:15 p.m., choir loft.
- THURSDAY**
  - Book Club, 6 p.m., Library. Discussion on any mystery you have read.
- FRIDAY**
  - Preschool Board meeting, 9:15 a.m., followed with cheese ball making, 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., Cartwright Hall kitchen.
  - Men's lunch, 12 noon. Host: Dr. Cartwright.
- SATURDAY**
  - Youth BSU game and pizza party, 2:15 p.m.

*All events held at Sulanke Fellowship House, unless otherwise noted.*



Saturday, October 6, all youth are invited to join us for a BSU football game. We will meet at the church at 2:15 p.m. Kick-off is at 3 p.m. We will go for pizza when the game is over and then drop the youth off at their houses. Please RSVP to Sara by Monday, October 1.



## From Our Preschool

### October Birthdays



- 1 Christopher Rowe
- 3 Brian Nixon  
Cheryl McCoy  
Richard Shear
- 7 Alexis Schussler-Weisheit
- 9 Ryan Tucker
- 13 Bob Weller  
James Petty
- 15 Myrna Atkinson  
Jane Fraizer
- 17 Charles Bebout
- 19 Kelsey Jones
- 21 Susan Downing  
Eden Shroyer  
Eric Shirk
- 22 Brynmar Rees
- 24 Travis Warrner  
J.B. Wilson
- 26 Ardis Rogers

**If your name has been inadvertently left off, call the church office at 282-5969.**

Hazelwood Christian Preschool is off to a great start! This year, we have added two additional classes, and our enrollment has moved up to 116 students. We have also added more days and times to our Parents' Day Out schedule, and we have already seen an increase in this enrollment as well. We would like to thank the staff and congregation of Hazelwood Christian Church for their flexibility, prayers, donations, and continual support of the preschool. We could not provide this ministry without all of you!

We are always happy to accept donations. Some items that we are especially in need of are: disinfecting wipes and spray, packaged snacks, small cups (3-5 oz), napkins, baby wipes, and diapers. If you would like to make a donation, you can put it in the box in the Rotunda or leave it in Rebecca's office.

October will be a very busy month for the preschool. We will be hosting two Open Houses with Pizza Fellowship Dinners, selling preschool t-shirts, making cheese balls, traveling on local field trips, learning and playing, hosting a Dad's Night Out in the 4-5 year old class, and celebrating God with our monthly chapel services. We would love for you to join us anytime!

The preschool will be working with the youth groups at Hazelwood Christian Church to sponsor the Family Fun Festival & Bazaar on Saturday, November 10. We definitely need a lot of help! We will be selling our cheese balls and wreaths during this event as well. More information, including a sheet to sign up to help, is available in the newsletter and will be available in the church bulletin. This was a great success last year and so much fun.

Feel free to contact Rebecca if you would like to help!



**Hazelwood Christian Church & Preschool  
Family Fun Festival and Bazaar  
Saturday, November 10  
8 a.m. – 2 p.m.**

**Pancake Breakfast**

Prepared by Hazelwood Softball Teams \*\*\*7:30-9:30 a.m.\*\*\*Cartwright Hall  
Breakfast includes endless pancakes, sausage, & drinks\*\*\*\$4

**Bazaar Booths**

Open to church members, preschool families, and the community  
Booth Rental is \$30 for an 8' table, each additional table, \$15 \*\*\* Cartwright Hall, Rotunda, and Library

**A Taste of Hazelwood**

Sample favorite dishes by church & preschool members  
Meal Card - \$6 for adults & \$4 for children  
\*\*\*Sulanke Fellowship House\*\*\*11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**Children's Festival**

Game Card - \$4\*\*\*Basement of Hazelwood Christian Church  
Games – treat walk, bounce house, face painting, and many more!

**Raffle and Silent Auctions**

Raffle tickets are \$1.00 – many items to win!  
Auction items to bid on!

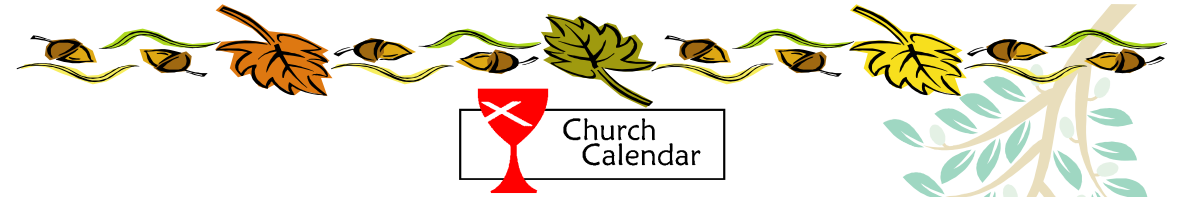
Contact Rebecca or Sara with questions, 282-5969.

**Please detach and turn into the offering plate or the  
receptionist desk at Hazelwood Christian Church.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

- △ I would like to have a booth at the Bazaar.
- △ I would like to donate an item for the raffle & silent auction.
- △ I would like to participate in The Taste of Hazelwood by providing my favorite dish.
- △ I would like to help with (*please circle*) the set-up, clean-up, at the Taste of Hazelwood (serve drinks, etc.), or wherever needed.



**October 7 - 12, 2012**

- SUNDAY**
- M.A.G.I.C. Men's breakfast, 7:45 a.m.
  - Traditional service, 9 a.m., Sanctuary.
  - *Celebrate!* service, 10:45 a.m., Cartwright Hall.
- MONDAY**
- Christian Women's Fellowship, 1 p.m., home of Jeane Garrett.
- TUESDAY**
- Preschool Open House, 6 - 7 p.m., Cartwright Hall & Preschool area.
  - Praise Band, 6:30 p.m., Cartwright Hall.
- WEDNESDAY**
- Elders' meeting, 5 p.m.
  - Bell Choir, 6 p.m., choir room.
  - Choir, 7:15 p.m., choir loft.
- FRIDAY**
- Men's lunch, noon. Host: Bill Patterson.
  - Parents' Night Out, 5:30 - 9 p.m., P.D.O. room.

*All events held at Sulanke Fellowship House, unless otherwise noted.*

Hazelwood is setting aside 50 parking spaces nearest the Beechwood Street fence, for BSU faculty and staff. We're hoping to generate some funds, and we are focusing on people working at buildings closest to the church (DeHority, Woodworth, Hargreaves, and the Music Instruction Building).

Prices are:  
year = \$85  
semester = \$55  
summer = \$40



*Sundays from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. is strictly for church parking.*





**Alzheimer's  
Walk**

2012 Walk to End Alzheimers  
Saturday, October 6, 9 a.m.  
Shadyside Memorial Park, Anderson

“If you want to walk with me on October 6, you might want to go as a group and make plans to walk as a group from Hazelwood. Even your family might choose to be together and walk. However, if you choose simply to donate to this important fundraiser, you will be contributing to local and state needs and services, as well as to research. Last year’s nation-wide Walk netted over \$40 million dollars!

“Our Governor now has the Governor’s Task Force on Alzheimer’s Disease. This Task Force is currently writing the State plan for Alzheimer’s Disease, which will address issues such as caregiving, state policies and research.” Peggy Fast.

**WELCOME TO OUR DIRECTOR OF CHOIRS . . .**



Monica Pavel-Kissinger came from Romania in 1997, together with her family. They settled in Chicago until this summer when they all moved to Redkey, IN. She studied Piano Performance for her bachelors degree at DePaul University in Chicago, and her masters degree in Choral Conducting and Piano Performance at Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI. While at Andrews University, she met her husband, Josef, when he joined the University Choir in order to meet her. This past July they celebrated their 2nd anniversary. They love outdoor activities such as hiking, camping, skiing, and most of all, traveling. They are very happy to be here, and they hope to have the opportunity to meet you all. Monica (Romanian pronunciation, mah-NEE-kah) will be conducting our bell choir and our adult vocal choir. Please make Monica and Josef feel welcome!



Nominations from the membership are now open for positions of Elders, Deacons, and Trustees. If you would like to nominate someone to begin in 2013, call Shirley Bookout @ 744-1207.



**JOYS AND CONCERNS . . .**

Larry Carter is a patient at the VA Hospital in Indianapolis.

Linette Cook has been released from IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital, following surgery.

**Sympathy To:**

Lois Parker and family, upon the death of Will, who died Tuesday, September 18. Services were held at Hazelwood, Monday, September 24, with Rev. Colby Smith officiating.

**Thanks To:**

“On behalf of the TEAMwork for Quality Living Board of Directors, I want to thank you for your support of our Circles® eliminating poverty work. Your gift will be used to help us work to support families working to leave poverty, and the people and programs that support them. We appreciate the Missions & Benevolence committee’s interest in supporting our work.”  
James Mitchell, Board Chair  
Molly Flodder, Executive Director

**Soup’s On!!**

Sunday, October 21, 5 p.m., will be our Soup Supper, sponsored by the Missions & Benevolence committee. Cost for the event is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children, 8 years old and under.

Few things are more comforting on a cool fall evening than a bowl of hot soup. Mix that with fellowship, music, and a good cause, and we have a recipe for success. A variety of soups, sides, toppings, brownies, and beverages will be served. Proceeds will benefit the Hazelwood Christmas Box Project.

If you have a favorite soup, sign up to bring a crock pot full, and be in the running for the Golden Ladle Award for the best soup.

Sign up for soups, brownies or sides begins Sunday, October 7, following each service.

Hope to see you there!