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Sunday Schedule: Traditional Worship, 10 a.m.; Celebrate! Worship, 10 a.m. Coffee Fellowship, 11:15 a.m. Children Church School, 10:10 a.m.;

Adult Church School, 11:30 a.m.

<u>Hazelwood's Statement of Calling</u>: 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.



Look for us at:

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.



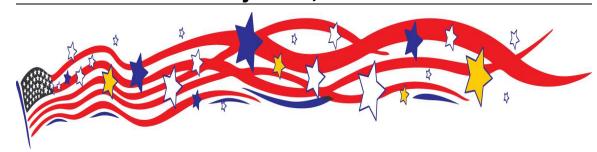
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As always, if you want something in, it is due one week prior to mail date. Thanks!



HAZELWOOD LEAVES

June 13, 2013



FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY WORSHIP SERVICE

This year, we will celebrate our Freedom and Democracy Sunday on June 30, with one combined service, outdoors, at 10 a.m. If the weather does not cooperate, the service will be held in the Sanctuary. Chairs will be set up in front of the Sanctuary steps, but you are invited to bring your own comfy chairs or a blanket.

We will be doing something new for this year's service...we will create a cross on the lawn using little American flags. Everyone will receive a flag with their bulletin, and at the appropriate time in the service, you will be invited to place your flag somewhere in the outline that will be marked on the lawn. There will be a prayer to accompany this act of worship.

So let's pray for great weather, and we'll see you on June 30, at 10 a.m.





June 16 - 22, 2013

SUNDAY • Traditional service, 10 a.m., Sanctuary.

• Celebrate! service, 10 a.m., Cartwright Hall.

• Vacation Bible School presentation, during coffee

fellowship, Rotunda.

MONDAY • Christian Women's Fellowship, 2 p.m., home of

Jeane Garrett.

• Men's Softball game, 6 p.m., field D, Muncie

Sports Complex.

• Coed Softball game, 7 p.m., field A, Muncie

Sports Complex.

TUESDAY • Trustees' meeting, 5:30 p.m.

• Cabinet meeting, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

• Praise Band rehearsal, 2:30 p.m., Cartwright Hall.

• Choir, 7:15 p.m., choir loft.

THURSDAY • Lawn Festival, 4:30 - 7 p.m., Cartwright Hall.

SATURDAY • Reception for Mark and Sara (Laroche) PaHud,

l - 4 p.m.

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



Please pray for our campers this week...

CROSS Camp - June 17 - 22 Krisha Conley, Brayton Conley, Chance Smith



IN SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY.....

Major Anthony Gill, of the U.S. Army Indiana National Guard, was the keynote speaker at a Memorial Day Program, at Worthington Cemetery, in Greene County, to pay honor and tribute to U.S. military personnel who have been killed in duty for their nation. Tony urged those in attendance to never forget those who have served in the military, or any form of public service, saying, "Whatever your reason for being here today, know that the sum of your choices shape who you are, and the opportunities that you're presented with in the future. Know that they, whom we honor today, knew that all too well. May we not only honor their memory, but honor their service."

Tony is completing a two-year active tour of duty responding to domestic events. He is a former commander of Alpha Company of 138th Battalion based in Anderson. He also served in Afghanistan. He has nearly 20 years in the National Guard. Thank you for your service, Tony!



The Missions & Benevolence Committee will be collecting items for Christian Ministries Food Pantry on each Sunday in July, in the Rotunda, under the Christmas tree.

There is a constant need of replenishment, especially at this time of year. Items most needed are: Pasta mixes (complete diners), Hamburger or Tuna Helper, cereal, toilet tissue, shampoo, toothpaste, tooth brushes, bath soap, razors, diapers, and laundry soap. Canned goods are not needed at this time, but will be accepted.

Thank you for your help and generosity.



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- 1 Caroline Clark
- 2 Anthony Williams Marjorie Shear
- 3 Jack Carmichael
- 6 Ruth Mangas Arlene Shirk Wanda Storms
- 7 Sonny McCoy
- 9 Rachel (Thomas) Smith
- 11 Krisha Conley
- 12 Tori Foster Betty Jones
- 13 Lois Rarick
- 16 Donna Lewis
 Pat Patterson
 Austin Sulanke
- 17 Steve Madsen, Jr.
- 18 Geneva White
- 20 Fran Kirk
- 21 Sonja Rees
- 24 Rosella Lamb
- 26 Scott Kolodchak
- 27 Mauri Mangas
- 29 John Clark Don Lanning

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



We are in need of ringers!! And singers!!

"I am very blessed to be part of the Hazelwood church family. We're just about to complete our first 10 months of music making, and I want to thank the choir members, James, and the hand bell ringers for all their effort, time, and sacrifice.

"The last Sunday we're singing, before the summer break, is June 23rd, after which we'll resume rehearsals on August 28th. Rehearsals are Wednesday, 7:15-8:30 p.m., choir, and Wednesday, 6-7 p.m., hand bell choir.

"Please come and join us, don't hold back! If you'd like this activity to keep going and grow, it'll only happen if more will join. We struggled this year to make it work, and I really hope for next year, we'll have many new members. Thank you! Happy Summer!"

~Monica Pavel Kissinger, Director of Choirs



June 23 - 26, 2013

• Traditional service, 10 a.m., Sanctuary.

• Celebrate! service, 10 a.m., Cartwright Hall.

TUESDAY • Men's Softball game, 7 p.m., field A, Muncie

Sports Complex.

• Coed Softball game, 8 p.m., field A, Muncie

Sports Complex.

wednesday • Praise Band rehearsal, 2:30 p.m., Cartwright Hall.

• Choir practice, 7:15 p.m., choir loft.

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Please pray for our campers this week...

Chi Rho Camp - June 24 - 29 Rylan Craycraft and Andrew Glaze



Don't forget......Hazelwood Lawn Festival (in Cartwright Hall), next Thursday, June 20, 4:30 - 7 p.m. Good food, good fellowship, America's Hometown Band. Don't miss it!



June 30 - July 4, 2013

SUNDAY

• Combined service, 10 a.m., east lawn, weather permitting.

MONDAY

- Coed Softball game, 8 p.m., field C, Muncie Sports Complex.
- Men's Softball game, 9 p.m., field C, Muncie Sports Complex.

THURSDAY

 Church Office closed in observance of Independence Day.



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



In Appreciation:

Our thanks to Dr. Ann Wolfe. This year marks her 20th anniversary as our Children's Music Director.



Mark and Sara (Laroche) PaHud 6601 Falcon River Way, #638 Arlington, TX 76001



Please Pray...

For our youth and youth sponsors, as they travel to Orlando, Florida for the summer Mission Trip, July 11 - 17.

Rev. Sara (Laroche) PaHud, Andy Rees, Wendy Rees, Andy Craycraft, Andrew Glaze, Rylan Craycraft, Luke Jones, Brynmar Rees, Taylor Estep, Caroline Clark, Anne Clark, and Victoria Long.

They will be working on a project in conjunction with our General Assembly, being held at that same time in Orlando.

God Bless you all for your dedication and willingness to help others in need!



Children's Choir news....

On May 26, the Hazelwood Children's Choir sang two pieces for residents of Morrison Woods Health Campus. The adult Hand bell Choir also performed. Thank you to parents and grandparents for driving the children to this special event. Now that the children all meet at the same time for Sunday School and music during the simultaneous services, we are able to sing more challenging anthems like the "Get on Board" 2-pt. piece we did for Mother's Day.

JOYS AND CONCERNS . . .

Emilee Hernly has been released from IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital.

Larry Carter is a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital in Kokomo.

Mildred Bebout is a patient at IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital.

Sympathy to:

The family of Lois Parker, upon her death. Services were held June 8, with Rev. Colby officiating.

Carl Morris and family, upon the death of Carl's mother, Lois Giles. Services were held June 8, with Rev. Colby officiating.

In Appreciation:

- "I would like to say 'thank you' for the Jones Scholarship for the 2013-2014 academic year. Hazelwood has meant so much to me over the years, and I cannot express enough gratitude for all this church family has done for me." Michael Heavilon
- "I would like to thank the congregation of Hazelwood Christian Church for the wonderful reception and recognition on Sunday, June 2. The opportunity given to me to serve a strong ministry for the last four years has been a blessing. I will always be thankful for all of you and your support. Thank you again." Rebecca Swander
- "Thank you for the generous scholarship that you have awarded me. I am very appreciative for the financial help in furthering my education at Ball State University. I want to thank you also for the gifts given to me at the graduation luncheon. They will be put to good use. Thank you for the delicious lunch as well. My goodness, there's not much better than food shared with your church family. Thank you for your continued prayers and support. God Bless." Luke Jones
- "Many thanks to all of our church family and wonderful friends for the prayers and kind expressions as we mourn the loss of my mother. Also thanks to Rev. Colby for her meaningful service, as she went to dwell in the house of the Lord." Sonny & Joyce Morris family

Congratulations to:

Dr. Winnie (Mucherah) Muhiga who was recently promoted to the rank of **Professor**, upon the approval of the Board of Trustees at Ball State University!



July 7 - 13, 2013

• Traditional service, 10 a.m., Sanctuary.

• Celebrate! service, 10 a.m., Cartwright Hall.

TUESDAY • Men's Softball game, 8 p.m., field B, Muncie Sports

Complex.

• Coed Softball game, 9 p.m., field B, Muncie Sports

Complex.

THURSDAY • Youth leave for Mission Trip in Orlando, Florida.

• General Assembly begins, Orlando, Florida.

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Kids at Camp.....



Young Disciples Camp - July 8 - 13 Evan Conley, Aurora Bennett, Eloise McKean, and Adam Glaze

Pray for our campers!



A huge thank you to Pati Sparks for painting the desert scene mural used for Vacation Bible School this past week. She used an entire double-bed flat sheet, and the effect on the Deacon's room window was amazing! The mural really added to the Bible story time each evening.

~Ann Wolfe



July 14 - 16, 2013

SUNDAY

- Traditional service, 10 a.m., Sanctuary.
- Celebrate! service, 10 a.m., Cartwright Hall.

TUESDAY

- Men's Softball game, 6 p.m., field B, Muncie Sports Complex.
- Coed Softball game, 7 p.m., field B, Muncie Sports Complex.

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



Please join us on Saturday, June 22, to celebrate Mark and Sara.

A reception will be held from 1 - 4 p.m., in the Sulanke Fellowship House.



MISSIONS & BENEVOLENCE COMMITTEE ~ MAY VOLUNTEERING RESULTS

The Whitely Community Council: "We want to extend our deepest appreciation for the lunch, which was truly a blessing on May 18. Our annual spring clean-up day came with a few challenges. Shirley's team was able to step right in and help our team out with providing and serving food to our volunteers. They were like angels showing up. What a big help they were to the success of our day! Additionally, we are so thankful for the check for \$250 donated toward the historic Shaffer AME Church. We are looking forward to restoration to our only historical landmark, in the Whitely Community, by the end of summer."

Habitat for Humanity: "Thank you for your generous in-kind contribution of lunch for 22 volunteers at the build site on May 11, and your generous gift of \$250 for the Muncie Habitat. With this gift, we can continue our mission of eliminating substandard housing in Muncie, and throughout the world, for future generations."

Second Harvest: "Thank you for opening your hearts to neighbors in need. Your generous gift of \$250, received on May 28, is hard at work alleviating hunger in East Central Indiana. Thank you also to the volunteers who helped at our warehouse."

Muncie Mission: "Thank you for your donation of \$250 at such an opportune moment. A group of compassionate friends has offered us a matching challenge of \$25,000 for food, shelter, and emergency help. Since all gifts will be doubled this month, your gift is crucial in helping struggling neighbors get back on their feet."

YWCA: "Thank you for your thoughtful donation of \$250. All donations will improve the lives of the women and children who reside in our facility, because they have no other place to live."

Global Ministries: "Please accept our gratitude for the gift of \$100 to Global Ministries. Your commitment and support make a tremendous difference in the work our denominations are able to carry out, in partnership with churches and service programs in other regions of the world."

Special Olympics: "Special Olympics Indiana gratefully acknowledges receipt of your contribution of \$200 to support our year-round program of sports training and competition for children and adults with intellectual disabilities."

Disciples Mission Fund: "The Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Indiana, recognizes and thanks your congregation for going above and beyond in your support of Disciples Mission Fund. Your gift of \$1,500 makes you part of the top ten in dollar increase in giving."

Navigators: Our gift of \$250 helped support the Branan family continue their mission work in China.

Christian Ministries: Our gift of \$250 helped to stock their pantry shelves, and to provide emergency utility and rent assistance to those in need in our community.

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Month of Volunteering in May! Funds for our donations were part of the Missions & Benevolence portion of the Sulanke Trust Fund.