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Sunday Schedule: Traditional Worship, 9 a.m.; Contemporary 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



### Newsletter Schedule

Our remaining newsletters for this year will be mailed:

September 15 & 29  
October 13  
November 3 & 17  
December 1 & 15

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

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.



# HAZELWOOD LEAVES

August 25, 2011

Thank You!

“Thanks to everyone who participated in the Hazelwood Pictorial Directory 2011! To all of you who came out and had your pictures taken; to Molly Wantz, coordinator; Bill Moser, Hazelwood photographer for activity pages; Donna Foley and Sara Laroche, for making our shut-ins a part of the directory by taking pictures of those who wanted to participate, and preparing the pictures for the book; to all of the hosts and hostesses who greeted people and got them signed in. It was indeed a team effort! Olan Mills was very pleasant to work with, and I hope you were all pleased with your pictures.

“We hope to have the books completed, and back in time to hand them out at the annual meeting, November 6. If you were photographed, you will receive a free directory. If you were not, we will have some to sell. In the meantime, watch for your personal picture to come in the mail. Thanks again! This should be one of our best directories yet!” Linette



### Family Game Night Was A Fun Night!

Monday night's Family Game Night was a great evening of fun and fellowship. The hosts were prepared with new games, cards, volleyball, and yummy snacks. There were two tables of games going, and the volleyball players were keeping busy!

If you missed it, you are encouraged to participate in next month's Game night on Monday, September 19, 7 p.m. Bring your family and friends. You'll be glad you did!



## August 28 - September 2, 2011

- SUNDAY**
- Traditional worship service, 9 a.m., Sanctuary.
  - *Celebrate!* service, 10:45 a.m., Cartwright Hall.
  - Chi-Ro and CYF, 12:30 to 2 p.m.
  - Hazelwood T-shirt orders, after each service.
- MONDAY**
- Preschool Teacher's workday, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY**
- Preschool orientation 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
  - Hobbies & Crafts, 5:30 p.m., lower level of Sanctuary.
  - Praise Band, 5:30 p.m., Cartwright Hall.
  - Bell Choir, 6 p.m., choir room.
  - Choir, 7:15 p.m., choir loft. Everyone welcome.
- THURSDAY**
- Preschool orientation 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
  - Nominating Committee, 5 p.m.
  - Book Club, 6 p.m., library. Discussion on "Miles To Go," by Richard Paul Evans.

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



Next men's breakfast, Sunday, **September 11**, 7:45 a.m., Sulanke Fellowship House.

All men are welcome for good food, good discussion, and good fellowship.

Bring a friend!

**Read The Bible In A Year Luncheon and Discussion** will be held on Sunday, September 11, 12:30 p.m., in the Sulanke Fellowship House. Please bring a side or salad to share.

Discussion will cover the readings from the past four weeks.



## Outdoor Praise & Worship Concert

The praise bands from Hazelwood Christian Church and Holy Trinity Lutheran Church are bringing you an outdoor concert experience. On Friday, September 23, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., both bands will perform from the porch of the Sulanke Fellowship House. You are invited to bring your own picnic "supper" to enjoy during the concert. Drinks will be provided. Some chairs will be set up, but you are encouraged to bring your own comfy chairs or blankets.

During intermission, there will be games to play on the lawn. If the weather does not cooperate, the concert will move indoors to Cartwright Hall. If you have any questions, see Marianna Gill. Worship doesn't happen only on Sundays. This is an opportunity to worship with our Lutheran brothers and sisters, and to show praise to our Lord Most High.

Come, and join in!

Read the Bible in a Year								
Day 239	Aug 28	Jer 49-52	Day 246	Sept 4	Ezek 13-15	Day 253	Sept 11	Ezek 34-36
Day 240	Aug 29	Lam 1-3	Day 247	Sept 5	Ezek 16-18	Day 254	Sept 12	Ezek 37-40
Day 241	Aug 30	Lam 4-5	Day 248	Sept 6	Ezek 19-21	Day 255	Sept 13	Ezek 41-44
Day 242	Aug 31	Ezek 1-3	Day 249	Sept 7	Ezek 22-24	Day 256	Sept 14	Ezek 45-48
Day 243	Sept 1	Ezek 4-6	Day 250	Sept 8	Ezek 25-27	Day 257	Sept 15	Daniel 1-3
Day 244	Sept 2	Ezek 7-9	Day 251	Sept 9	Ezek 28-30	Day 258	Sept 16	Daniel 4-6
Day 245	Sept 3	Ezek 10-12	Day 252	Sept 10	Ezek 31-33	Day 259	Sept 17	Daniel 7-9
The next scheduled <i>Lunch and Discussion</i> get-together is <b>Sunday, September 11, 12:30 p.m.</b> , Sulanke Fellowship House								



## September 11 - 16, 2011

### SUNDAY

- MAGIC Men's breakfast, 7:45 a.m.
- Traditional worship service, 9 a.m., Sanctuary.
- *Celebrate!* service, 10:45 a.m., Cartwright Hall.
- CROP Walk sign-up, between services.
- Alzheimer's Walk information table, between services.
- 'Read The Bible' lunch and discussion, 12:30 p.m.
- All youth groups, 12:30 - 2 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY

- Parents' Day Out, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., P.D.O. room.
- Elders' meeting, 5 p.m.
- Hobbies & Crafts, 5:30 p.m., lower level of Sanctuary.
- Bell Choir, 6 p.m., choir room.
- Choir, 7:15 p.m., choir loft.
- College Bible Study, 8:30 p.m.

### THURSDAY

- Parents' Day Out, 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., P.D.O. room.

### FRIDAY

- Parents' Day Out, 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., P.D.O. room.
- Men's lunch, noon. Host: Gene Dobson.
- Parents' Night Out, 5:30 - 9 p.m., P.D.O. room.



### A Walk to End Alzheimer's

This event is the nation's largest to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer care, support, and research. It is held annually in more than 600 communities nationwide. Peggy Fast will be participating in the area "Walk" at Yorktown on Sunday, September 25.

A table will be set up after the 9 a.m. service on September 4, and September 11. Information will be available and donations will be accepted.



### SUGGESTED SUPPLIES

Non-perishable healthy pocket snacks (nuts, seeds, power/protein/granola bars, dried fruits, jerky, short slim jims, trail mixes), drink mix singles, crackers, cheese, cookies, pot-top canned food, ready-to-eat meals, pop tarts, travel size hygiene products, baby/bath wipes, hand sanitizer gel/wipes, foot powder, nail clippers/files, shower shoes (inexpensive flip flops), and anything to help boost soldiers' morale; lots of letters, mail, phone cards, current magazines/books, various card games, horseshoes, etc.

**Cold weather needs:** Clothing such as undershirts; winter boot socks in black, army green, or brown; black mittens or gloves; blankets; hand/foot warmers.

**Fun items always appreciated:** word find books, word puzzles, yoyo's, football, Uno cards, frisbies, music CD's, appropriate movies.

### ITEMS NOT ALLOWED TO SHIP

We are not permitted to send pork products or by-products to a Muslim/Islamic country. **Do Not** send products in glass containers or aerosol cans; only prepackaged, unopened food items. **NO homemade cookies!** Pornography is not allowed in either print, film, DVD, or CD format. Religious material is **NOT** allowed. Boxes will be packed by the youth and mailed the following week.

Packing dates are **Sunday, August 28; Sunday, September 18; Sunday, October 16 (we will collect holiday items in October to be shipped with this package); Sunday, November 20; and Sunday, December 18.**

### CARDS AND GIFTS FOR THE MILITARY





### September Birthdays 2011

1 Barb Marlow	13 Howard Thomas
3 John Kirby	14 Patty Richards
Eleanor Crouch	16 Natalie Castillo
Jairen Rees	Carolyn Jones
4 Kathy Nixon	Alex Sulanke
John Starnes	18 Kennedy Reed
5 Merribeth Bruning	20 Monty Matuka
8 Danny Fouse	21 Sylvia Cross
9 Dennis Nixon	23 JoAnn Rainey
Ron Purtlebaugh	Eloise McKean
Ron Smith	24 John Parker
10 Kimberly Matchett Van Elk	25 Mary Briggs
Kristin Schumacher	29 Bill Wakeland

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



“End Hunger One Step at a Time”

Sunday, September 25, 2011. CROP Walk will begin at 1:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 1400 W. Riverside Avenue, and will go through the Ball State campus area.

Here’s how you can help: **Step One**, sign up to WALK and ask people to sponsor you; **Step Two**, sponsor a Hazelwood walker.

Sign up will begin Sunday, September 4, after each service. For more information, contact Shirley Bookout, 744-1207.

Together, **STEP by STEP**, we can make a difference in the lives of hungry people around the world.



### September 4 - 9, 2011



#### SUNDAY

- Traditional worship service, 9 a.m., Sanctuary.
- *Celebrate!* service, 10:45 a.m., Cartwright Hall.
- T-shirt sales, between services.
- CROP Walk sign-up, between services.
- Alzheimer’s Walk information table, between services.
- All youth groups, 12:30 - 2 p.m.

#### MONDAY

- Church Office closed in observance of Labor Day.

#### TUESDAY

- Preschool classes begin.

#### WEDNESDAY

- Parents’ Day Out, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., P.D.O. room.
- Hobbies & Crafts, 5:30 p.m., lower level of Sanctuary.
- Praise Band, 5:30 p.m., Cartwright Hall.
- Bell Choir, 6 p.m., choir room.
- Choir, 7:15 p.m., choir loft.

#### THURSDAY

- Parents’ Day Out, 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., P.D.O. room.

#### FRIDAY

- Parents’ Day Out, 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., P.D.O. room.
- Preschool Board meeting, 9:15 a.m.
- Men’s lunch, noon. Host: Bill Wakeland.

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## JOYS AND CONCERNS . . .

Tom Schnuck is a patient at IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital.

Ron Roberts and June Johns have been released from the hospital.

### Sympathy to:

The family of Jean Douglass, who died August 18. Services were held August 22, at Hazelwood, with Rev. Colby Smith and Dr. David Cartwright officiating.

The family of Lily Shaffer, who died August 21. Services were held August 25, at Hazelwood, with Rev. Colby Smith officiating.

### In Appreciation:

"I am so grateful for your generous support for Christian Ministries. Thank you for your monetary donation for our 'Tools for School' project, thank you for your continued help with our emergency assistance program, and, thank you for your huge donation from your 'Christmas in July' drive. Thanks for all you do." Becki Clock, Executive Director

"Dear Hazelwood Family, I would like to thank you so much for the generous donation of \$250 to the Kenya Kids' project. This donation is greatly appreciated. It will help with buying school uniforms and supplies for Shivembe primary school kids and kids in the orphanage." Winnie Muhiga

"Dear friends, I'm very appreciative of all the attention which I received in the hospital and since I returned home: the flowers, the basket of goodies which Rev. Colby brought and the visits by him, and all others. And, I am thankful for notes left by those who stopped in the room when I was out for the various tests. Last, but not least, thanks to all who sent cards. I have been blessed beyond number, and I look forward to being back in church soon. In Christian Love," Jack Carmichael

(Joys and concerns continued on next page.)

"We want to thank our wonderful church family for the flowers, cards, e-mails, calls, and prayers during Tom's hospitalization in North Carolina, and for the continued love and support since he has returned to Ball Hospital for continued treatment. Your caring is appreciated so very much. Love and blessings to all." Tom & Kay Schnuck

"Thank you for including our choir in worship at Hazelwood Christian Church, Sunday, August 7. We enjoyed singing with brass and such good acoustics. Please extend our thanks to those who hosted the reception for us. The schedule worked out great!" Andrew Crow, Director

"Thanks to everyone who generously donated time during the photographing for Hazelwood Pictorial Directory. Your help was essential for everything to run smoothly, as it did." Molly Wantz

### Welcome to:

Richard and Marjorie Shear who transferred their membership, Sunday, at the 9 a.m. service. Richard and Marjorie are both retired.



Christian Ministries Food Pantry

~Attention Volunteers~

The 2011 Volunteer dates for Hazelwood are September 7, 8, & 9 and November 23, 24, & 25. Three volunteers are needed each day, from 8:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., to help sack groceries. We are in need of more volunteers from Hazelwood to help with this project. Also, bring any extra brown paper bags that can be used in sacking the groceries.

If you can help with this much needed community service, please contact Cheryll Crose at 759-8655.



Volunteer Needed

We are looking for someone to help with the acolytes during the 9 a.m. Sunday Service. This opportunity to serve only takes a few minutes at the beginning and at the end of the service! For more information, please call Kelly Heavilon at 288-9045.



## ADOPT A PLATOON

Inspired by our visit to Fort Campbell, as part of the youth mission trip this past summer, our youth have adopted an Army platoon. As part of the “adoption,” we have agreed to write letters and send a care package once a month to help support our troops, and to let them know they are appreciated.

We would like to invite the congregation to be a part of this project. There are a few different ways you can help. You may write letters, donate items for the care packages, and of course, pray. Any donations and letters will be included in our monthly mailing. Items can be dropped off to Sara, in the church office, Monday - Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Chi-Rho and CYF will meet once a month to put together the packages, and to write letters. Any responses we get will be available for the congregation to read.

While we know many of you may have questions about our platoon, or where they are located, we are limited in the information we receive and are allowed to share. All contact information has to go through our point of contact, Sara Laroche. If you choose to write a letter, please address it as “Dear 1LT Moliga and soldiers.” **Do NOT** include your personal e-mail or mailing address in your letters. First Lieutenant Moliga is our point of contact for our platoon. We do know that our platoon is deployed anywhere from Hawaii to Afghanistan, and includes about 20 male soldiers. Our packages will be shared with the entire platoon.

Listed are a few suggestions of items we can send, and items that cannot be sent. In October, we will collect holiday items to send in the October package.



**Hazelwood Christian Church & Preschool  
Family Fun Festival and Bazaar  
Saturday, November 12  
8 a.m. – 2 p.m.**



### Pancake Breakfast

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 \$20\*\*\* Cartwright Hall, Rotunda, and Library

### A Taste of Hazelwood

Sample favorite dishes by church & preschool members  
Meal Card - \$5 for adult & \$3 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 2 for \$1.00 – many items to win!  
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: \_\_\_\_\_

- Δ I would like to have a booth at the Bazaar.
- Δ I would like to donate an item for the raffle & silent auction.
- Δ I would like to participate in The Taste of Hazelwood by providing my favorite dish.