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Sunday Schedule: Worship Service, 10 a.m.
Coffee Fellowship, 11:15 a.m.
Children Church School, 10:10 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

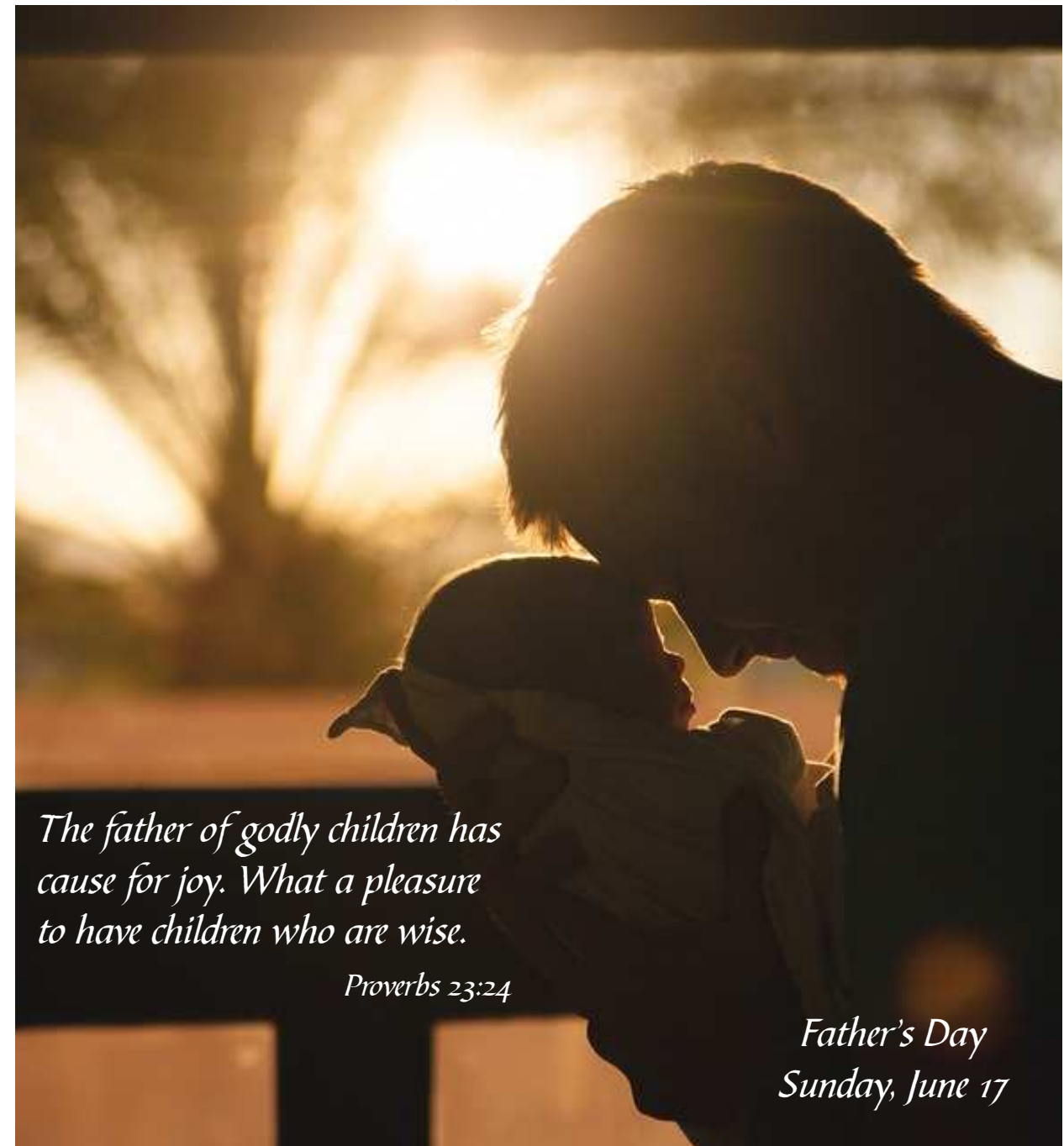


Look for us at:
www.hazelwoodchurch.org
We are constantly building and adding to it, so check back often! You can also contact us through the Website. Check out the home page.

NEWSLETTER SCHEDULE

June 21
July 5 & 19

Items to be published in the Newsletter are due in the office the Monday prior to publish date. Thank you!



*The father of godly children has
cause for joy. What a pleasure
to have children who are wise.*

Proverbs 23:24

*Father's Day
Sunday, June 17*

BUDGET UPDATE

Offerings Received for Week Ending 5/29/18: \$2,703.30

Offerings Received for Week Ending 6/5/18: \$5,135.50

Average Offering for Last Five Weeks: \$4,143.62

Average Weekly Need: \$5,790



Jan.-Apr. 2018 Offerings Compared to Budget: (\$11,661.93)*

**Reflects the amount received UNDER Budget*



- ♦ Geneva White is a patient at St. Vincent Hospital in Anderson.
- ♦ Judy Thomas is a patient at IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital as she undergoes hip surgery.
- ♦ Sympathies to Mariangella Glaze and family on the passing of her grandmother, Colleen Thomas, on May 26. Services were held in New Castle on Friday, June 1, with Rev. James officiating.
- ♦ Sympathies to Judy Thomas and family on the passing of Howard Thomas on May 28. Howard was the Assistant Caretaker at Hazelwood for many years before retiring. There will be a private memorial service.
- ♦ Sympathies to Leah Ritchie and family on the passing of her sister, Janice Miles, in Sioux City, Iowa on Friday, June 1.
- ♦ Sympathies to Rev. Jason Jones and family on the passing of Helen Jones, his grandfather's wife, in Missouri.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

"Thank you to everyone for the flowers, cards, kind words, and prayers following Howard's passing. It all means so much to me."

~Judy Thomas



How many thousands of times have you said the Lord's Prayer? We pray it every Sunday we're in worship together. If you're fairly regular in church, attending 40 Sundays a year, then you pray it 400 times every ten years. That doesn't include the times you pray it in a funeral or when you pray it on your own. My guess is a Christian who is actively involved in church life prays it several thousands of times in a lifetime.

I'm as guilty as anyone in going on autopilot when I pray it. I say the words, but my mind is someplace else. It can't be helped; our wandering minds often journey away from what we're doing. There are times, though, where we're praying it, and I'm surprised by the words. When we really pray the Lord's Prayer, we find it's a prayer that's challenging, comforting, and beautiful, and it's a prayer that stretches our faith and draws us closer to God.

During the first part of the summer I'm preaching a sermon series on the Lord's Prayer. Each Sunday I'm taking one little phrase from the prayer and making it the focus of the sermon. My hope is we'll come to the Lord's Prayer with new hearts. I hope, by focusing on each phrase of the prayer, we'll have a new appreciation of its power. I've already preached two sermons on the Lord's Prayer, but we have five more Sundays to go. I hope you'll join me in learning from the Lord's Prayer.

Grace & peace,
Jason Jones

INVESTING IN OUR YOUTH

The Youth Missions Trip this summer will be an amazing experience that will allow participants to learn and grow in their faith. You can share in this wonderful opportunity, too, with an investment in our Youth and their Missions Trip. Starting this Sunday, June 10, you can purchase Certificates of Stock in our Summer Missions Trip for \$10 per share. As an investor, you will be invited to attend the Missions Trip Stockholder's Dinner on Sunday, August 5 (one share = one seat at the table). During the dinner, the return on your investment will be realized as we take you on a journey to *Give Kids the World* through stories and pictures from the trip. This will be a more in-depth presentation than the one we will present to the congregation on August 12 during the worship service. You will even have an opportunity to ask questions about our experience.

Stock shares can be purchased from our Youth during Coffee Fellowship, or in the church office. Please make your checks payable to Hazelwood Christian Church, and write "Youth" on the memo line. Thank you for your support!



SUMMER MUSIC

Do you sing? Play an instrument? We need you!!

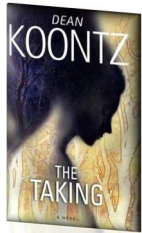
As the choir takes a brief break this summer, we would love to hear from other members of our congregation. If you play an instrument or sing, please consider signing up to sing or play on a Sunday this summer. Solos and groups are welcome! We would be honored for you to use your talents in worship this summer.

If you would like to sign up, or have any questions, please contact our Director of Choirs, Sally Geib, at (615) 796-3321 or smkg07@gmail.com.

BSU CHORAL CONCERT

Want to hear a lovely and FREE choral concert? BSU Summer Chorus performs on Tuesday, June 12 in Sursa Performance Hall at 7:30 p.m. Parking is free in the nearby garage. The concert is not lengthy, so you will be able to drive home while it's still light out. Hazelwood choir members singing are Greg Emmanuel, JD Geib, Sally Geib, Jeff Heavilon, Hunter Madison, and Ann Wolfe.

BOOK CLUB



The next meeting of the Hazelwood Book Club will be on Thursday, June 14 at 7 p.m. in Sulanke Commons. We will be discussing *The Taking* by Dean Koontz.

Childcare will be provided. If you have any questions, or are interested in joining in on the fun, contact Stephanie Farra at safarra18@gmail.com

“PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY” SUNDAY

This year we will celebrate “Prayer for Our Country” Sunday on July 1. We will have our worship service in the Sanctuary at 10 a.m. After the service, we will have an Ice Cream Social in Cartwright Hall. It doesn't get much better than ice cream sundaes on a summer afternoon!

Sign up begins this Sunday, June 10, in Sulanke Commons so you can let us know if you would like to help provide some ice cream and toppings.



CAMPS

A great way to show our youth support this summer is to send them letters of encouragement and to pray for them during their time at camp. Our campers this year are:

C.R.O.S.S. Camp (Christian Recreation and Outdoor Sports Skills)

June 11-16

Evan Conley & Adam Glaze

M.A.D. Camp (Music, Arts, & Drama)

June 18-23

Aurora Bennett, James Petty (counselor), Brynmar Rees, & Jairen Rees

All of our campers will be at the Geneva Center. If you would like to send them a letter, please write the camp they are attending at the bottom of the envelope and mail it to:

Geneva Center

"Campers Name Here"

5282 N Old US Hwy 31

Rochester, IN 46975

You can also send a note to our campers via email at cathy@genevacenter.org.

MISSIONS TRIP

From June 23-29 our Summer Missions Trip will find our Youth in Florida at *Give Kids the World*, where everything is aimed at giving the families there time together and allowing the children to smile and rediscover joy. There are various ways we will spend our time there, from serving food and ice cream to running rides and entertaining the children at various attractions. To learn more about GKTW, please visit their website at www.givekidstheworld.org. Those participating this year are:

-Aurora Bennett

-Rylan Craycraft

-Adam Glaze

-Andrew Glaze

-Mariangella Glaze

-Dylan Mofield

-Tori Long

-James Petty

-Andy Rees

-Brynmar Rees

-Jairen Rees

-Wendy Rees

-Taryn Sallee

-Kara Tucker

-Rachel Tucker

PRESCHOOL NEWS

Summer Camp is in full swing. We are so excited to see some familiar faces and just as excited to meet some new friends, as well! We are digging in this summer with our first unit about dinosaurs. We have a few spots left, so if you are interested in sending your child to have a fun and exciting summer, call Preschool Director Angie Lopez as soon as possible at (765) 284-2430. It's going to be a Dino-mite SUMMER!

LOOKING AHEAD

May 29-June 29	Summer Camp, 1st Session
July 2-13	Summer Break, No School
July 16-August 17	Summer Camp, 2nd Session
August 20	Teacher Work Day
August 22	Orientation, 2-3 & 4-5 Year-Old Classes
August 23	Orientation, 3-4 Year-Old Classes



DISBURSMENTS

- ♦ Muncie Mission, \$300
- ♦ Motivate Our Minds, Inc. (MOMs), \$200
- ♦ YWCA, \$300

NOTES OF APPRECIATION

"Dear Friends,
Motivate Our Minds, Inc. sincerely thanks you for your generous donation of \$200. Given all the opportunities you have to support local organizations, we truly appreciate the fact that you find our programs worthy of your investment. The mission statement of MOMs is "Educating children and families to grow and flourish." You continue to be a vital part of our success as your contribution goes directly toward the positive work here.

Thank you again,"

~Holly N. Ford, Interim Executive Director, Motivate Our Minds, Inc.

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Missions Update: Notes of Appreciation, continued...

"Dear Hazelwood,

Thank you so much for your generous gift of \$250 to Greater Muncie Habitat for Humanity. Your gift helps to create family legacies of homeownership. Since our inception in 1986, Muncie Habitat has served more than 175 families in Muncie and Delaware County through new construction homes, house rehabilitations, and home repairs.

Thank you for helping us to continue to strive toward our vision of **a world where everyone has a decent place to live.**

With gratitude,"

~Lindsey Arthur, Chief Executive Officer, Greater Muncie Habitat for Humanity

HAZELWOOD ANGELS

Thanks to the following people who helped with Christian Ministries' Food Pantry on either May 30, 31, or June 1: Shirley Bookout, Jay Matchett, Dick & Marcia Miller, Glen Sulanke, and Elaine Wulff.

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

Christmas in July is back! Starting July 8, and continuing every Sunday through the end of July, we will be collecting non-perishable items for Christian Ministries Food Pantry. Please bring items to place under the Christmas Tree in Sulanke Commons.

Items needed include:

Boxed Pasta Dinners	Toilet Tissue
Hamburger Helper	Shampoo
Tuna Helper	Toothbrushes
Cereal	Toothpaste
Peanut Butter	Bath Soap
Macaroni & Cheese	Diapers
Canned Fruit	

***Canned fruit and boxed dinners are especially needed!**

Thank you for your generosity!

~Thank you and Blessings from the Missions & Benevolence Team

June 10-16, 2018



- SUNDAY • Worship Service, 10 a.m., Sanctuary
- WEDNESDAY • Praise Band Rehearsal, 9:30 a.m., Sanctuary
• No Choir or Bell Choir Rehearsal
- THURSDAY • Book Club, 7 p.m., Sulanke Commons
- FRIDAY • Men's Lunch, Noon, Cartwright Hall (Host: Charles Retherford)
- SATURDAY • S.A.R., 10 a.m., Cartwright Hall

June 17-23, 2018

- SUNDAY • Worship Service, 10 a.m., Sanctuary
- TUESDAY • Trustees, 5:30 p.m., Chapel
• Big Picture Team, 7 p.m., Chapel
- WEDNESDAY • Praise Band Rehearsal, 9:30 a.m., Sanctuary
• No Choir or Bell Choir Rehearsal
- THURSDAY • Preschool Team, 10:30 a.m., Chapel
- SATURDAY • Youth Leave for Summer Missions Trip to *Give Kids the World*

HAZELWOOD COMMUNITY GARDEN



The Hazelwood Community Garden is in need of weeding throughout the summer! Volunteers are encouraged to bring their own tools. Also, please bring a bucket or other container to haul away the debris to the dump pile in the northeast corner of the church property.

Come at your own convenience; no formal get-together is planned. Thank you for any help you can provide!



LOOKING AHEAD...

June 24, 2018

Master Gardener's Tour, 2-5 p.m., Hazelwood Community Garden

June 25, 2018

Area Ministers, 10:30 a.m., Chapel
CWF, 2 p.m., Morrison Woods, Room #101

June 29, 2018

Youth Return from Summer Missions Trip

July 1, 2018

Ice Cream Social, After Worship, Cartwright Hall

July 4, 2018

Independence Day - Church Office Closed

July 8, 2018

Hazelwood Sesquicentennial Celebration, After Worship

July 9-12, 2018

VBS, 5:30-8 p.m.

Registration forms available in Sulanke Commons and on the church website!

When you are praying, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do; for they think that they will be heard because of their many words. Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

Matthew 6:7-8

