

**Youth Group - Meets Tonight!!**

**Sunday, March 7th, 6 p.m. at Concord**

**Tonight let's just chill. Ice cream floats, games, talking, and stuff!**



**Mark Your Calendars:**

**All-Church Spring Work Day**

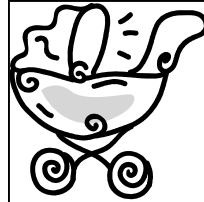
**Saturday, March 27, 9:00 a.m., at Concord**



**LOCAL MISSIONS**

**Local Mission Project**

**We need your help!** We are looking for a homeowner in Columbia who is in need of some home repairs and improvement this Spring/Summer. We would love to help someone who, for either health or financial reasons, is unable to complete these tasks on their own. Perhaps a single mom with young children, or an elderly widow or couple? Do you know of someone who could use our help and would be willing to let us help? If you do, please let Pastor Dawson know.



**Life Network's Spring Banquets will be held on Fri, April 23rd at the Hecker Community Center & Thurs, April 29th at the Columbia Turner Hall.** Table hosts are needed for Concord/New Harmony. Each table seats 10. If you are willing to serve in this capacity, please let Jenny Bullock know as soon as possible (bullockjl@gmail.com or 618-939-7116.) The meal is complimentary - an opportunity to make a donation toward Life Network will be given during the evening. Monsignor Vince Bommarito will be the April 23rd banquet speaker, and Colleen Carroll Campbell will be the April 29th banquet speaker.

**Schedules**

**March 7: Greeters:** Dayna & Abigail Miller, **Refreshments:** Joan Canterbury

**March 14: Greeters:** Nancy Nobbe & Clif Asselmeier, **Refreshments:** Dottie Pieper

Please contact Sue Meppiel for New Harmony Nursery & Children's Church information. (939-5477)

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# New Harmony

A Campus of Concord  
Presbyterian Church (PCA)



May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Romans 15:5-6

Sunday, March 7, 2010

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**Welcome**

We are glad you have joined us this morning to worship the living Lord, Jesus Christ. Please sign our Guest Register on the Welcome Table so that we can keep contact with you.

**Announcements**

**Ladies, please mark your calendars for Thursday, March 25** and join us for a gathering at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Nel Saul. We will enjoy a time of fellowship and finger foods.

**Phone Number Change** - Dawson and Dayna Miller's home telephone number has changed to: (618) 719-4057.



**Congratulations!** Seventeen children earned the recognition of having Outstanding Attendance during the Winter Quarter of Children's Sunday school by attending 9 or more Sundays. Be sure to congratulate them! Kaila Badger, Miriam Badger, Daniel Bicklein, Danny Boxdorfer, Sam Boxdorfer, Tommy Boxdorfer, Cynthia Duncan, Emma Eustis, Abigail Miller, Allison Nurnberger, Joshua Nurnberger, Colleen Sliment, Quinn Sliment, Eliana Smith, Rachel Spearing, Griffin Sweatt, and Shelbi Westmoreland.

**Birthdays & Anniversaries This Week:** Today - Kim Kult, Monday - Jill Boxdorfer, Caleb Miller, Ron Schewe, Tuesday - David Mueller, Thursday - Matt Livengood, Saturday - Martin Berkerey, Bob Heal, Richard Noelken

**Today is Deacons' Offering Sunday.** This offering is received on the first Sunday of each month, and is used to help needy families and individuals within our church first, and then within the community. If you desire your gift to the Deacons' Fund to be recorded, please give either by check or in a "Deacons' Fund" envelope, with your name on it.

**Financials**

**Week of 02/28 Giving to Budget: \$6,889** (Concord \$5,884 New Harmony \$1,005)

**Amount needed weekly to make budget: \$5,917**

**Designated Giving: \$1,280** (NH Building Fund \$300, Carnival Night \$100, Belize Teachers \$115, Other \$765)

**Total Receipts - \$8,169**

**Designated Fund Totals (as of 3/5/10)**

Mission Trip \$825	New Harmony Building Fund \$16,105
Belize Missions \$1,310	Multi-Site Fund \$3,111
Micro Business (Belize) \$2,000	New Harmony Choir \$10
Belize Teachers \$115	Martinez (missionary) \$1,237
Multi-Track Recorder \$70	Counseling Fund \$138
Concord Building Extension Fund \$1,242	Educational Resources \$393
Stephen Ministry \$200	Virginia Johnson Memorial-Music \$1,127
Intern \$240	Weston Memorial \$403
Flowers \$92	Oak Hill Social \$235
Haiti Relief \$130	Boxes (missionary) \$50
Norm Jaeger Memorial \$40	
Community Outreach - Carnival \$1,321 (\$2,179 yet needed)	

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**Sermon Notes - I Corinthians 13:7  
The Love of God Series  
The Properties of Love Part 5**

**I. God's Love is Consistently Reliable in His Response to the Church.**

**II. Godly Love in the Church Must be Consistent in its Reaction to Itself.**

**III. Godly Love in the Believer Must be Evident in Their Relationship with the World.**

**Prayer Requests**

**Missions:**

- Rejoice with the Wannamachers that the school official has granted that the Bible can continue to be taught in the schools where Barbara works in South Africa.
- Pray for the Youngs as they will be spending 6 weeks in Japan ministering to the church planting team there. Pray for their health with adjusting to jet lag and for knowing what to say that will encourage the workers there.

**Community:**

- Pray for Jo Ann Baker and the whole Life Network team, especially for the support banquet planning.
- Pray for our School Board members and administrators in Waterloo, Columbia, Valmeyer, and Red Bud.

**Church:**

- Pray for people you want to invite to worship with us this Easter.
- Pray for the Choir and preparations for Easter Cantata.
- Pray for preparations for the Spring Community Carnival Concord is working on.

**Presbytery:**

- Pray for Wyatt George, pastor, and our sister church in Carbondale, Evangelical PCA.

**Individuals:**

- Pray for Joey Weston as she has tests done for her back and will see a specialist next week. For Hib Harres, as he continues his cancer treatments. For Noah Meppiel as he is progressing with his broken leg.

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**THE LORD CARES FOR OUR NEEDS**

**We Worship as we bring Tithes and Offerings**

*(Make checks to Concord Church with New Harmony in the memo line.)*

**Offertory**

**Prayer for God's People** focusing on Church ministries and Leaders, led by Steve Glynn

**\*Hymn of Preparation #708** **"O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go"**

*(Children, ages 4-7, are invited to Children's Church, if their parents so desire)*

**THE LORD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD**

**Scripture Reading**  
**Sermon**

**I Corinthians 13:7**  
**"The Properties of Love Part 5"**

**The Love of God Series**  
Rev. J. Dawson Miller

**We Celebrate the Lord's Table**

*The outer rings of cups contain wine, the inner ring of cups contain grape juice*

**\* Chorus**

**"Behold the Lamb"**

**Communion Song**

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away Slain for us and we remember  
The promise made that all who come in faith Find forgiveness at the cross  
So we share in this bread of life And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of peace Around the table of the King

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**We Are Called to the Lord's Table**

The body of our Saviour Jesus Christ Torn for you eat and remember  
The wounds that heal the death that brings us life paid the price to make us one  
So we share in this bread of life And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of love Around the table of the King

**We Share the Bread**

The blood that cleanses ev'ry stain of sin Shed for you drink and remember  
He drained death's cup that all may enter in To receive the life of God  
So we share in this bread of life And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of grace Around the table of the King

**We Share the Cup**

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise To respond and to remember  
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ As His body here on earth  
As we share in His suffering We proclaim Christ will come again  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven Around the table of the King.

**THE LORD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVE**

**\*Benediction**  
**Postlude**

**Romans 11:33-36**

**Calendar for the week of March 7, 2010**

Today	9&10 a.m.	Communion and Deacons' Sunday, both locations
	12:30 p.m.	Hansen Care Group (Carlo Hansen 939-8543)
	4:00 p.m.	Financial Peace University Class, at NH Ministry Center
	4:30 p.m.	Deep Roots Children's Ministry, at Concord
	4:30 p.m.	Young Families Care Group, at Concord
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group, at Concord
	6:30 p.m.	The Seekers Care Group (Ron Schewe 939-6072)
Monday	6:30 p.m.	Married Ladies' Care Group (Paula Stumpf 939-7949)
	7:00 p.m.	Officers' Meeting, at Concord
	8:00 p.m.	Deacons' Meeting, at Concord
	8:00 p.m.	Session Meeting, at Concord
Tuesday	12:30 p.m.	Ladies' Afternoon Bible Study at Concord
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Ladies' Care Group at New Harmony Ministry Center
	3:00 p.m.	Good News Club, at Zahnow
	6:00 p.m.	Men's Care Group, at Concord
	6:00 p.m.	Choir Practice, at Concord
	7:00 p.m.	Lenten Worship Service, at Concord
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Homeschoolers Group, at Concord
	7:00 p.m.	Care for the Care Givers Seminar, at Concord
	7:00 p.m.	Red Bud Bible Study at Garden Place
Friday	8:30 a.m.	Covered Bridge Bible Study
Saturday	8:30 a.m.	Music Team at Concord
Next Sunday		<b>Daylight Savings Time Begins</b>
	2:00 p.m.	Worship Service at Garden Place, Red Bud
	4:00 p.m.	Financial Peace University, at New Harmony Ministry Center
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group
	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Care Group (Will Hesterberg 939-5069)

**Dates to Remember**

- Thurs, Mar 18 - Next Carnival Planning Meeting, at Concord - 7:00 p.m.
- Sat, Mar 20 - Father/Daughter Date Night, at Concord - 5:30 p.m.
- Thurs, Mar 25 - Ladies' Gathering, at the home of Nel Saul - 7 p.m.
- Sat, Mar 27 - All-Church Spring Work Day, at Concord - 9 a.m.
- Fri, April 2 - Good Friday Cantata, at Concord - 7 p.m.
- Sun, April 4 - Easter Sunday: 7 a.m. Sunrise Service, at Concord, 8 a.m. Breakfast, at Concord  
- 9 a.m. Worship at Concord, 9:30 a.m. Worship at New Harmony
- Sat, May 15 - Carnival, at Concord
- Mon, June 14 - Fri, June 18 - Vacation Bible School at Concord - Evening Program
- Sun, Sept 19 - All Church Picnic at Bolm-Schuhkraft Memorial Park in Columbia.

**New Harmony (PCA)  
Sunday Morning Worship Service**

Our Worship Leader This Morning is: Dawson Miller  
8:45 Entering into Worship

**“We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise”**

We bring the sacrifice of praise into the house of the Lord;  
We bring the sacrifice of praise into the house of the Lord.  
And we offer up to You the sacrifices of thanksgiving;  
And we offer up to You the sacrifices of joy. Repeat

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**“O Church Arise”**

O Church, arise, and put your armour on; hear the call of Christ our Captain.  
For now the weak can say that they are strong in the strength that God  
has given. With shield of faith and belt of truth, we'll stand against the  
devil's lies; an army bold, whose battle cry is Love, reaching out to those in darkness.

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Our call to war, to love the captive soul but to rage against the captor;  
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will fight with faith and valour.  
When faced with trials on every side we know the outcome is secure,  
and Christ will have the prize for which He died, an inheritance of nations.

Come see the cross, where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God is stricken;  
then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen!  
And as the stone is rolled away, and Christ emerges from the grave,  
this victory march continues till the day every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come, put strength in every stride, give grace for every hurdle,  
that we may run with faith to win the prize of a servant good and faithful.  
As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace,  
we hear their calls, and hunger for the day when with Christ we stand in glory.

**“He is Lord”**

He is Lord, He is Lord, He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.  
Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

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**Greetings and Announcements**

**\*Congregational Greeting**

26 Greet all the brothers and sisters in Christian love.

**I Thessalonians 5:26**

**Service Theme**

**God is Unlimited**

**Scripture for Meditation**

**Job 42:1-6**

1 Then Job replied to the LORD: 2 "I know that you can do all things; no plan of yours can be thwarted. 3 You asked, 'Who is this that obscures my counsel without knowledge?' Surely I spoke of things I did not understand, things too wonderful for me to know. 4 "You said, 'Listen now, and I will speak; I will question you, and you shall answer me.' 5 My ears had heard of you but now my eyes have seen you. 6 Therefore I despise myself and repent in dust and ashes."

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**Quiet Preparation**

**THE LORD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

**\*Call to Worship**

**based on Isaiah 55:2, 11-12; John 4:24**

**Leader:** Let us worship God, for whom our souls thirst and our bodies long.

**God's People:** Listen, listen to me, and your soul will delight in the richest of fare.

**Leader:** We have come to hear the Word God has sent.

**God's People:** God's Word will not return empty but will accomplish through us his holy purpose.

**Leader:** Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

**God's People:** Then we will go out with joy and be led forth in peace; the mountains and the hills will sing; the trees of the field will clap their hands.

**\*Hymn of Adoration #677 “Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him!”**

**\*Opening Prayer**

**Profession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechisms Questions 20 and 21**

Hymnal Page 870

**Question 20:** Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

**Answer:** God having, out of his mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, 1 did enter into a covenant of grace, to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.

1Eph. 1:4. 2Rom. 3:20,21,22; Gal. 3:21,22.

**Question 21:** Who is the Redeemer of God's elect?

**Answer:** The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, 1 who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, 2 and so was, and continueth to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, for ever.

11 Tim. 2:5,6. 2 John 1:14; Gal. 4:4. 3 Rom. 9:5; Luke 1:35; Col. 2:9; Heb. 7:24,25.

**THE LORD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN**

**Corporate Confession of Sin**

**Righteous God, in Christ you became sin for us. You took what we are so that we might become what you are. But we confess that often we ignore our sin. We confess that we too often do not confess. We keep silent about the sin that clings to us. But our sins are too great a burden for us. Forgive us. In Christ take away our iniquity. You are our stronghold, our hiding place. May we confess our sins, that we might then rejoice and be glad in you and in the righteousness that flows over us as a mighty stream of grace. In Christ, Amen.**

**Assurance of God's Mercy and Forgiveness**

based upon **Ezekiel 36:26; II Corinthians 1:20**

**\*Doxology: # 731**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Amen.

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