

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

Sunday

	<u>August 10, 2014</u>	<u>August 17, 2014</u>
Prayer	D. Smith	M. Perry
Scripture	J. Fronczak	D. Thomas
Communion	R. Coss	M. Davidson
Assist	P. Danz	E. Stewart
Pass	J. Nance	T. Brooks
Pass	D. Clay	K. Danz
Usher	D. Mandernach	B. Castleman
Usher	B. Samu	B. Mullins
Prayer	S. Danz	B. Morton
Song Leader	N. Middleton	Chu. Middleton
Nursery	A. Middleton	S. Montgomery

Evening Worship

Prayer	B. Benham	P. VanHorn
Communion	P. VanHorn	R. Alt
Prayer	G. Maldonado	D. Smith
Bible Time	Will resume in the fall	

Wednesday (Midweek Bible Study)

	<u>August 13, 2014</u>	<u>August 20, 2014</u>
Prayer	S. Lance	Chr. Middleton
Song Leader	L. Montgomery	D. Smith
Devotional	R. Bone	R. Coss
Prayer	Z. Thomas	J. Fronczak

Lincoln Park

Church of Christ

Oh, to be Like Thee - Kindness
Ephesians 4:29-32

This world could use a little more kindness and love. KINDNESS IS OUR RESPONSE TO THE GRACE GOD HAS SHOWN US. Why should we show kindness to others? There are at least two good reasons.

First it is the command of God. You read it for yourself- "be kind and compassionate to one another." Jesus commands us to love our neighbors. Love for others is not an emotion or a feeling, it is a choice. We choose to love others because God tells us to.

Another reason to show kindness is the character of God. God tells us to show kindness to others because that is part of His wonderful character. He is full of loving kindness toward us. God has forgiven us not because we deserved it - He forgives us for Jesus' sake.

God didn't just tell us He loves us, He proved it. Romans 5:8 says, "God demonstrates his own love for us in this: while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." It's not enough for us to say we love others; we must show it. That's what "Love Your Neighbor" week is all about. You don't perform acts of kindness to earn God's mercy and forgiveness; you perform good deeds because you have been forgiven.

Following your baptism when God saved you, He began to change you. You no longer want to live like those people who don't know God. When you show kindness to a stranger, they are surprised. Why? Because that's not normal behavior. Out there, it is every man for himself. It's a dog-eat-dog world. It's a hard-knock life. But for those of us who know Jesus, we live by a higher standard. We show kindness and compassion to others.

Love, Russ

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

SAMARITAN LADIES: Every Wednesday at 10:00 am

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Saturday August 9, at 9:00 am at Charlie's in LP

BIRTHDAY PARTY: BOB BENHAM is turning 90! Join his family and church family on Sunday, August 10 at 7:00 pm after the evening service in the fellowship room for cake and ice cream. Please no gifts, only cards.

LOVE IN ACTION DAY: Help us collect SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND CLOTHING to be given away at Mexican-town Church of Christ in Detroit, as part of their LOVE IN ACTION DAY. Please bring your donations to our building by August 10 for distribution on Saturday, August 16. Volunteers are welcome to help on August 16, from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm.

HELPING HANDS: Monday, August 11 at 10:00 am

TEEN SERVICE PROJECT: Our teen group will be painting the exterior of ELAINE WITHEY'S house during the week of August 18th. There will be a meeting immediately after the morning service on Sunday, August 10. for those who are interested in helping.

E & D MEETING: The August 10 meeting has been rescheduled to Sunday, August 17 at 4:00 pm

CARD MAKING PARTY: Join us on Sunday, August 17 after morning worship to make cards for a military unit that is deployed overseas. Bring a sack lunch and spend an hour or so making cards for US service members who are far from home and family. Let them know we appreciate their dedication and service. All materials will be provided. Participation is open to all ages, however kids must be accompanied by an adult. Several card making 'experts' will be on hand to

provide guidance and inspiration! Invite your family, neighbors and friends to join us!

CARD MAKING CLASS: Sunday, August 17, during the evening service for the teens. See Linda Johnson for more information.

LADIES' LUNCHEON: Saturday, August 30 at Olga's, on the hill, in Allen Park at 11:30 am - All ladies are welcome.

LABOR DAY PICNIC: Monday, September 1 at Lion's Park in Southgate. Please bring a dish or two to pass. We plan to eat at noon.

MDYC AUDITIONS: Saturday, September 6 from 9:00 am—3:00 pm at the Royal Oak Church of Christ. Schedule an appointment with Steve 313-292-7601 or DYC2@yahoo.com. There is a flyer at the back of the auditorium.

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

PAT GUNTER

PAULETTE SWEET

ERMA NOE

EMMETT GRINER II

NAN PLUNKETT

DAVID McCain

LILLY BUMPUS

JENNY VANDENBERG



CONTINUE TO REMEMBER

Ida Akers, Eva Arbuckle, Robert Banules, Virginia Bone, Ann Brooks, Nolan Caddell, Virginia Clay, Mitchell Dybalski, Dennis and Mary Jane Johnson, Linda Johnson, Rhonda Jones, Paul & Wendy Lance, Pat Longoria, Gil & Glenda Maldonado, Rosie Mandernach, Randy Matthews, Leroy Moore, Jimmy Mullins, Betty Parsons, Pat Pugh, J.D. Roberts, Margaret Rodriguez, Bill Saylors, Scotty Smith, Pauline Suggs, Val Toby, Leila Wallace, and Linda Weick.

MISSIONARY UPDATE: DANIEL AND TAMMY FREROT

Daniel Frerot is a native of Belgium and met his American wife, Tammy, when she worked as an AIM student there. Daniel and Tammy have two daughters, Candice and Marilèna. They have been missionaries in Strasbourg, France since 2000.

Daniel is a graduate of the Sunset School of Preaching in Texas and now preaches for the Eglise du Christ de Strasbourg. In their attempt to reach out to the souls of France and the other French speaking Churches of Christ in Switzerland and Germany, they offer on-line Bible courses and conduct a campaign each year with the help of US college students and host a Bible Camp for children in the summer.

They had two spring campaigns this year, one in Colmar (45 minutes away) and one in Strasbourg (with a group of Harding students). During the Strasbourg campaign, they also had youth activities.

They are involved in several Bible Studies and ask for prayers for the conversion of all their new contacts (Joël, Éric, Lilian, Adrien, Bruno, Michaël, Dominique, Marc and Sabrina, Claudine, Gizem, Marc and Rachelle Sumi...). They also have many students studying via correspondence courses.

Daniel recently performed a Wedding Ceremony after completing premarital counseling and Bible study with the couple. There were 50 new local people that came to the church where Daniel shared the gospel message of God's love and sacrifice.

Daniel also conducted a prayer in a Turkish meeting for the birthday of a young man that they know. He said it was exhilarating to see 40+ Muslim heads bowed for a prayer in Jesus' name.

The Frerot's are thankful for several things. Their oldest daughter Candice obtained a scholarship to study at Ohio Valley University. She was also accepted into a missionary club there. Their youngest daughter Marilèna has been accepted in the high School that she wanted to attend. Only 50 students out of 800 were accepted. They are also thankful to be able to come home this summer.

They ask for prayers that they will be able to remain in Strasbourg. They are losing some support. They need to replace \$250/month this next year, an additional \$250/month the next year (so \$500) and another additional \$250/month the year after that (so \$750).

The Frerot's contact info: 18 Rue Lefebvre, 67118 Geispolsheim Gare, Strasbourg, France

Daniel, Tammy, Candice, and Marilèna will be with us on Sunday, August 10.



WORDS OF WISDOM

⁸⁹Your word, LORD, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens.

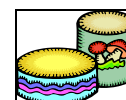
⁹⁰Your faithfulness continues through all generations; you established the earth, and it endures.

⁹¹Your laws endure to this day, for all things serve you.

Psalm 119:89-91

PANTRY NEEDS

Soup
Peanut Butter
Jelly
Complete Meals



SERVICES

Sunday
Bible Study 9:30 am
Worship 10:30 am and 6:00 pm

Wednesday
Bible Study 7:00 pm

OFFICE INFORMATION

313 928-5810 or 313 928-3398

Office Hours

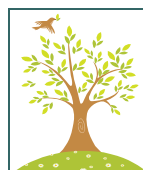
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SERVING THE LORD IN AUGUST

Communion Preparation: Gina DiCarlo

Care of Baptismal Clothing: Sherry Bousho

Closing the Building: Russ Bone



THEME FOR 2014

People Reaching People

Taken from "Traditions of Men vs. the Word of God" by Alvin Jennings

MORMONISM

MORMON TRADITION

13. Doctrine of Christ:

A. Christ is Adam's son by natural generation. "He was not begotten by the Holy Spirit. And who is the Father? He is the first of the human family."

Journal of Discourses, Vol. 1, p. 50, sermon by Brigham Young.

B. Jesus was a polygamist. "... there were several holy women that greatly loved Jesus, such as Mary and Martha her sister, and Mary Magdalene; and Jesus greatly loved them ... if all the acts of Jesus were written, we, no doubt, should learn that these beloved women were His wives." The Seer, Vol. 1, p. 158-159.

14. Doctrine of The Holy Spirit: Not a person, but ethereal substance, pure and refined.

WORD OF GOD

13.

A. Jesus was conceived of the Holy Spirit. Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:18-23

B. Christ is the one husband and head of his one bride, the church. John 3: 29; Romans 7:4; Ephesians 5:23-33.

14. Holy Spirit is a person, one of the three persons in the godhead. Matthew 28:19; John 14:15-17; 16:13-14; Acts 5:3-4; 8:29; 10:19-20. He is not a mysterious "it," but a personal "He."