

Welcome to “Wyoming” in the name of Jesus Christ

You are welcome here! We pray that God uses this time of worship to bless your heart and bring you closer to himself. If you have any questions about God, the service, or our church, our pastors would be more than happy to speak with you at your convenience.

Bagels & Coffee – At any time while you’re here, please help yourself to the bagels and coffee in the Welcome Room. (Adults, feel free to bring your coffee into the service, but we ask that children keep all food and drink in the Welcome Room.)

The Order of Our Service

- Worship in Song
- Opening Prayer and Offering
- Worship in Song
- Announcements and Greeting Time
 - Children dismissed to “Living Inside Out”*
- Scripture Reading and Message
- Worship in Song

Announcements

OFFERING ENVELOPES – A boxed set of envelopes, one for each Sunday of 2008, is a great help to be faithful in giving. For those who have been using the envelopes, make sure to pick up the box with your name on it. If you would like to start using the envelopes, please talk to Walt Rice, Jr., to get a set.

PROSPECTIVE LEADERS TRAINING – This study, “On Being a Servant of God,” continues with Pastor Lou. If you know it’s time to “step up to the plate” and grow in your walk with the Lord, this may be a good next step. Talk to Pastor Lou for more information and meeting times.

Epiphany

In the traditional church calendar, today is called “Epiphany,” which means “appearance” or “manifestation.” This day celebrates the appearance of Jesus Christ, our Savior, who would be a light to all nations, as well as the visit of the wise men, the first Gentiles to worship the newborn King. Often on “Three Kings Day” or “El Día de los Reyes,” we focus on the kings who visited the Christ, and the gifts they brought him. But the real focus should be Jesus himself, the King of all kings, and his birth, the greatest of gifts.

Today’s scripture passages are:

Matthew 2:1-12 (the visit of the Magi)

Isaiah 60:1-6 (the glory of Zion)

Psalms 72 (the reign of the King, the royal son)

Ephesians 3:1-12 (the mystery of the gospel revealed)

ministry team

Senior Pastor
Rev. Luis Centeno
(267) 307-6756

Assistant Pastor **Rev. Daniel Ndimantang** (215) 324-2260

Children’s Ministry	Debby Crockett	(215) 288-3580
Youth & Worship	Walt Rice, Jr.	(215) 820-0165
Food Cupboard	Mary Rice	(215) 455-0213

Board of Deacons	Walt Rice, Jr.	(215) 820-0165
Board of Trustees	George Parcell	(215) 342-4804
Board of Missions	Mary Ann Hinchcliff	(610) 966-9408

this week @ wyoming

TODAY

9:30 am – Secret Agent Squad
(kids choir, grades K-5)

9:30 am – Adult Sunday School

9:45 am – Homebuilders

9:45 am – Teen Sunday School

10:45 am – Worship Service

Nursery available for
infants through 3 years
“Living Inside Out”
children’s ministry

Children should begin the service with
their parents, and will be dismissed
before the greeting time.

MONDAY

Women’s Fellowship
7pm at Pastor Lou & Elsie’s
1209 E. Wyoming Ave.

WEDNESDAY

Second Mile Men
7 pm at Pastor Lou & Elsie’s
1209 E. Wyoming Ave.

FRIDAY

AGAPE Fellowship – see Pastor Lou
Prayer – 6:30 pm at the church
Youth Group – 7 pm at the church

upcoming events

Mon, Jan 7 – Deacons Meeting,
7:30 pm at the church

Sun, Jan 13 – Trustees and Finance Committee Meeting,
7pm at Walt Rice, Sr.’s house.

Sun, Jan 27 – Church Lunch and Annual
Congregational Meeting (all invited),
following the worship service

Fri, Feb 1 – Youth Rally, 7pm at Wyoming

Sat, Feb 23 – Family Seminar, 9am-4pm at Wyoming

This, the first of his miraculous signs,
Jesus performed at Cana in Galilee.
He thus revealed his glory, and his
disciples put their faith in him.

John 2:11 (NIV)

sermon notes

The Master at Marriage

John 2:1-11

I. His Presence Graced the Marriage (2:2)

A. He _____ the Rite of Marriage

B. He _____ the Rite of Marriage

II. His Presence Gladdened the Marriage (2:3)

A. The Gladness of _____

B. The Gladness of _____

III. His Presence Glorified the Marriage (2:11)

A. The _____ of Married Life

B. The _____ of Married Life

C. The _____ of Married Life

Conclusion: Have you invited Christ into your married life?

Our Mission

To Disciple and Equip God's People to Serve

Our Vision

To see God's people actively involved in
– Worship – Discipleship & Being Equipped – Service

giving update

	<u>2007 Giving</u>	<u>2007 Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>
General Fund	\$72,725	\$87,600	– \$14,875
Missions Fund	\$13,482	\$13,100	+ \$382
Building Fund	\$13,622	\$13,100	+ \$522

(numbers are for the entire year 2007)

Worldwide Missionary Support

OUR LOCAL MISSIONARIES

Rev. and Mrs. Daniel and Rose Ndimantang

Rev. and Mrs. David "Coz" and Joyce Crosscombe

Mr. and Mrs. Maher and Jen Salhani

INDIVIDUAL MISSIONARIES

Miss Vicky Beattie, Zambia, Africa (SIM)

Rev. Jack Cordell, Race Track Ministries, Philadelphia (ABC)

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas and Sharon Huckel, Hananeel House, Philadelphia

Rev. and Mrs. Duthene Joseph, Haiti (UFM)

Rev. and Mrs. Barry Owen, Taiwan (CBI)

Miss Rebekah Poteat, Togo, West Africa (ABWE)

PHILADELPHIA INSTITUTIONS

Alpha Pregnancy Services – Good Shepherd Ministry (ABC)

Grace Settlement House (BCM) – Whosoever Gospel Mission

OTHER INSTITUTIONS & MISSIONS ORGANIZATIONS

Anadarko Christian Center (ABC) – Pocket Testament League

Christ's Home For Children – Christ's Home For the Aged

Kodiak Baptist Mission (ABC) – Mission Aviation Fellowship

Murrow Indian Children's Home (ABC)



ARISE,
SHINE,
FOR YOUR
LIGHT
HAS COME
ISAIAH 60:1

The Lord's Day

January 6, 2008

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