Welcome to "Wyoming" in the name of Jesus Christ

We are a church of the thirsty, of the broken, of the weak, gathered to drink from the true fountain of life. We struggle with fear, pride, guilt, sexual brokenness, fierce anger, addictions, and with the overwhelming stresses of life. For all who seek him, there is HOPE and PEACE in Jesus Christ. Welcome.

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 "SonForce Kids"* Scripture Reading and Message Worship in Song

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Announcements

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.

MEN'S RETREAT – The men's retreat will be at the church <u>this</u> <u>Friday and Saturday</u>. Registration starts Friday at 6pm. For more info, see the flier or talk to Pastor Lou.

ANNUAL REPORTS – If you lead any board, group, or ministry in the church, <u>now</u> is the time to get your annual reports to Walt Rice, Jr., so they can be printed in the annual report booklet. Even if you haven't written something before, it would be good to present a full picture of the work going on at Wyoming. See Walt with questions...

this week @ wyoming

MONDAY

<u>TODAY</u>

9:30 am – "Agents of Praise" (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
"SonForce Kids" children's ministry

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

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

WEDNESDAY After School Club, 3-5pm at church for grades 1-4 Second Mile Men 7 pm at Pastor Lou & Elsie's 1209 E. Wyoming Ave.

THURSDAY Worship Team – 7:30p at church

FRIDAY (MEN'S RETREAT) AGAPE Fellowship – see Pastor Lou Prayer – 6:30 pm at the church Youth Group – 7 pm at the church

More Announcements

WORSHIP TEAM PRACTICE – We'd like to get more people involved with leading worship on a regular basis. To start, we're going to take a few "baby steps" and start meeting together to pray and practice. We meet **Thursday from 7:30 to 9:00 pm**.

UPDATING OUR DIRECTORY – Jen Rivera is starting to check around for updates to our church directory. Moved? Changed your phone number? See Jen. Also, we'd like to make this a photo directory, so we'll be taking pictures of families starting Sunday, February 3. Plan on dressing nice for your photo!

ANNUAL MEETING – Please remember our church lunch and annual meeting next week. We will be electing officers, receiving reports, and approving the budget for 2008. Be encouraged to take part in the business of YOUR CHURCH!

> Today's scripture passages are: Isaiah 49:1-11 and Psalm 40 UPCOMING EVENTS

Fri-Sat, Jan 25-26 – Men's Retreat 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

"But blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose confidence is in him. He will be like a tree planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream. It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green. It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit."

Jeremiah 17:7-8

sermon notes

To Trust or Not to Trust: That is the Question Jeremiah 17:1-10

I. Who are we to trust ultimately?

II. Who are we NOT to trust ultimately?

III. Who benefits from trusting?

IV. Who dares to trust again with confidence and faith?

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

	2008 Giving	<u>2008 Budget</u>	Difference
General Fund	\$3,387	\$3,400	- \$13
Missions Fund	\$698	\$550	+ \$148
Building Fund	\$654	\$550	+ \$104

(numbers are for 2008 year-to-date)

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)

The Lord's Day

January 20, 2008



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