

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

Announcements

UPDATING OUR DIRECTORY – Today we start taking pictures for an updated church directory. Since you don’t want us using photos from the 1970s (really, you don’t!) visit the photographer sometime over the next few weeks to get your family picture taken. And remember to smile!

NEW BELIEVER’S CLASS – A class for new believers, or those who want to know more about Jesus, starts next Sunday at 9:30 am. Those who would like to be baptized should talk to the pastor.

YOUTH RALLY – Thanks to everyone who was here for the youth rally, and for the many who helped make things go smoothly.

Today’s scripture passages are **Psalm 2** and **Matthew 17:1-9**

Communion

“When we eat the bread and drink the cup, we nourish our souls by faith on the spiritual presence of Christ. When we remember and proclaim his death, he manifests himself to us as infinitely precious... This is the food of our souls. We are nourished and find strength to live as Christians. The Lord’s Supper is worship because it expresses the infinite worth of Christ. No one is more worthy to be remembered or proclaimed. And no one can nourish our souls with eternal life but Christ. So let us come and remember, and proclaim and eat.” – John Piper

The Lord’s Supper is for those who (1) in faith, have placed their trust in Jesus Christ for salvation and have accepted him as Lord, (2) have taken the first steps of obedience by being baptized, and (3) are in good standing with a Bible believing church, and (4) have sought forgiveness for their sins against God and others and have forgiven others their offenses against them.

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 – “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.

TUESDAY

Women’s Fellowship

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

WEDNESDAY

After School Club, for grades 1-4
3-5pm, at the church

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

upcoming events

THIS THURSDAY at 7:30 PM – Holy Week Preparation Meeting

A small group (you know who you are) are meeting this week to start planning for Holy Week and Easter. So why did we put this in the bulletin if you’re not invited? Because you will be – we’re going to need singers, actors, readers, and lots of behinds the scenes work. We just don’t know what to do with all that talent yet! More to come...

Sat, Feb 16 – Valentine’s Banquet, 5pm at Wyoming
Sat, Feb 23 – Family Seminar, 9am-2pm at Wyoming

For we are taking pains to do what is right,
not only in the eyes of the Lord but
also in the eyes of men.

2 Corinthians 8:21

sermon notes

Efficient Giving

2 Corinthians 8:16-9:5

I. The Motivation of Efficient Giving

1. The Glory of _____

2. The Good of _____

II. The Administration of Efficient Giving

1. The Engaging of Efficient _____

2. The Employment of Efficient _____

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>2008 Giving</u>	<u>2008 Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>
General Fund	\$7,004	\$6,800	+ \$204
Missions Fund	\$1,213	\$1,100	+ \$113
Building Fund	\$1,419	\$1,100	+ \$319

(numbers are for 2008 year-to-date)

Worldwide Missionary Support

OUR LOCAL MISSIONARIES

Rev. and Mrs. Daniel and Rose Ndimantang (CVAI)

Rev. and Mrs. David "Coz" and Joyce Crosscombe (CityNet)

Mr. and Mrs. Maher and Jen Salhani (AMF)

INDIVIDUAL MISSIONARIES

Vicky Beattie, Sudan, Africa (SIM)

Jack Cordell, Race Track Ministries, Philadelphia (ABC)

Thomas and Sharon Huckel, Hananeel House, Philadelphia

Duthene and Maxia Joseph, Haiti (CrossWorld)

Barry and Peggy Owen, Taiwan (WorldVenture)

Rebekah Poteat, Togo, West Africa (ABWE)

PHILADELPHIA-AREA ORGANIZATIONS

Alpha Pregnancy Services – Amazing Grace Food Ministries

Children's Safe Harbor – Christ's Home For Children

Good Shepherd Ministry (ABC) – Grace Settlement House (BCM)

Whosoever Gospel Mission

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Kodiak Baptist Mission (ABC) – Mission Aviation Fellowship

Pocket Testament League

The Lord's Day

February 3, 2008



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Visit our website:

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