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.)

Our Worship Service – On a "normal" Sunday, you can expect...

Worship in Song
Giving Our Tithes & Offerings
Announcements and Greeting Time
Children go to their classes
Message

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

Announcements

NEW YEAR'S EVE FELLOWSHIP – Join us to enjoy a great night of fellowship and fun as we play games, enjoy refreshments, and spend some time together in worship and prayer. **The refreshments are "pot-luck" style**, so bring something (food, snack, dessert, drinks) to share. We thank God for his many blessings and his continued provision during 2008, and we look forward to a new year following Jesus step-by-step.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – The annual business meeting of the church will be held on Sunday, January 25, following the morning worship service. **Annual Reports** from those involved in ministry and leadership are due by **January 11**.

PLEASE REMEMBER to turn your cell phones off.

More Announcements

OFFERING ENVELOPES for the new year are available on the table in the hallway. This is a great way to plan your regular tithes and offerings to the church, as you can use the envelopes to set aside money or a check for each week. If you'd like to use the envelopes, please take a box and write your name next to the number of the box you took.

STARTING IN THE NEW YEAR:

- **FRIDAY PRAYER** every other Friday at the church, from 7-8 pm.
- **BAPTISM & MEMBERSHIP CLASSES** on Sunday mornings. One class will start on Sunday, January 11, and a second will start on March 1. If you've settled at Wyoming, it's time to make it official become a member!

this week @ wyoming

TODAY

9:30 am – Sunday School

Teen Sunday School – Jason M. Adult Sunday School – George P. Crossroads – "War of Words"

10:45 am – Worship Service

Nursery available for infants through 3 years Children's ministry age 4 through grade 5

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

WEDNESDAY

New Year's Eve Fellowship – 7 pm until midnight

at the church

FRIDAY

Youth Group – 7 to 9 pm at church

The women's group will start up again next Tuesday, January 6.
The men's group starts again on Wednesday, January 7. Both meetings are from 7 to 9 pm at Pastor Lou and Elsie's house, 1209 E. Wyoming Ave.

upcoming events

Invite your family and friends...

Special Worship Celebration

We're gonna sing a lot of songs! – **Tonight** at 7:00 pm



New Year's Eve Fellowship

Wednesday, December 31, 7:00 pm until midnight!

"Speak to the entire assembly of Israel and say to them: 'Be holy because I, the LORD your God, am holy."

Leviticus 19:2 (NIV)

sermon notes

Leviticus 19:1-37

Holiness: A New Year's Resolution

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>	<u>Difference</u>
General Fund	\$84,968	\$88,400	- \$3,432
Missions Fund	\$13,230	\$14,300	- \$1,070
Building Fund	\$12,674	\$14,300	- \$1,626

(numbers are for 2008 year-to-date)

Worldwide Missionary Support

PHILADELPHIA-AREA MISSIONARIES

Jack Cordell, Race Track Ministries (ABC)
David "Coz" and Joyce Crosscombe (CityNet)
Thomas and Sharon Huckel, Hananeel Ministries
Daniel and Rose Ndimantang, Cameroon (CVAI)

INDIVIDUAL MISSIONARIES AROUND THE WORLD

Vicky Beattie, Sudan, Africa (SIM)
Duthene and Maxia Joseph, Haiti (CrossWorld)
Barry and Peggy Owen, Taiwan (WorldVenture)
Rebekah Poteat, Togo, West Africa (ABWE)

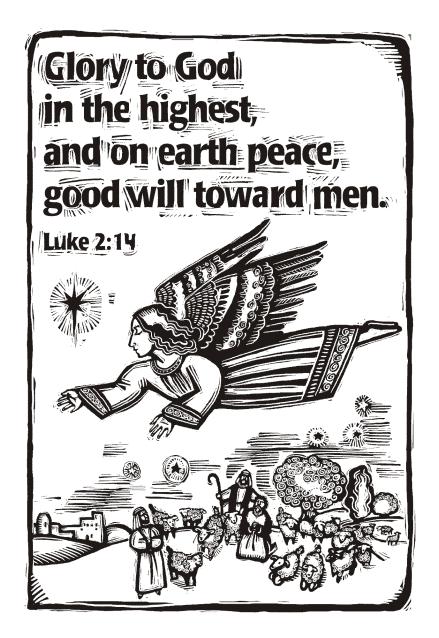
PHILADELPHIA-AREA MINISTRIES

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 MINISTRIES

Kodiak Baptist Mission (ABC) – Mission Aviation Fellowship Pocket Testament League

December 28, 2008 **1st Sunday after Christmas**



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