

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

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.

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**.

DEACONS MEETING this Saturday, Jan 10, at 9 am at the church

PLEASE REMEMBER to turn your cell phones off.

More Announcements

FINANCIAL UPDATE – Thanks to your generous giving and careful budgeting and spending, we ended 2008 well. All obligations were met and all bills paid, and we almost fully recovered from the deficit we experienced in 2007 (we expected this to take 5 years!)

SPECIAL OFFERINGS – Your generosity in giving throughout the year and the “above and beyond” giving for the special offerings have allowed us to end the year well and fulfill all of our commitments and bless other ministries as well. The missions budget was met in full – and we sent a gift to Pastor Joel van Dyke in Guatemala, and also to Pastor Daniel’s school in Cameroon. Here are the numbers from the special offerings:

Missions Change Jar	\$ 581.00
Christmas Eve Offering	
towards our mission commitments	733.50
towards Pastor Daniel’s ministry	733.50

this week @ wyoming

upcoming events

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

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.*

TUESDAY

Women’s Fellowship

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

WEDNESDAY

After School Club – 3 to 5 pm

For kids in 1-4, at the church

Men’s Fellowship

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

FRIDAY

Youth Group – 7 to 9 pm at church

FRIDAY PRAYER every other

Friday at the church, from 7-8 pm.

Other Fridays during the month will be at different homes. Call Pastor Lou to find out where.

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!

MONTHLY MEN’S BREAKFAST – Every last Saturday of the month

“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 (Part 2)

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	\$ 86,118	88,400	- 2,282
Missions Fund	14,462	14,300	+ 162
Building Fund	12,894	14,300	- 1,626

Above are final giving numbers for the entire year 2008.

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

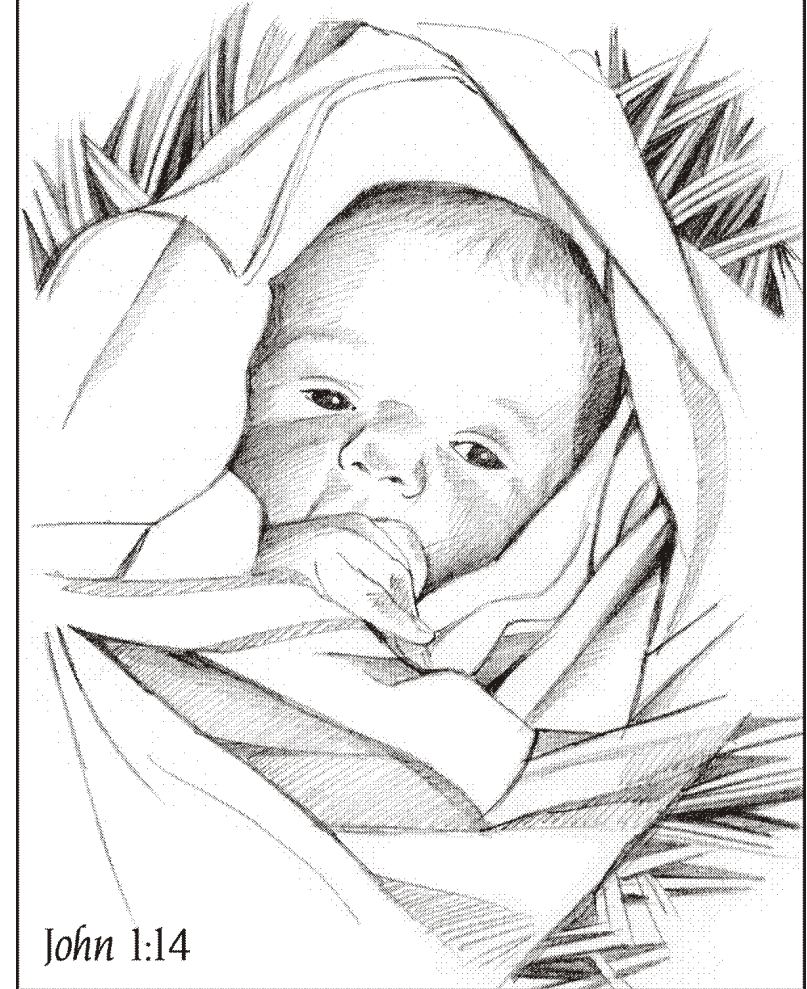
OTHER MINISTRIES

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

January 4, 2009

2nd Sunday after Christmas

*The Word became flesh and
made his dwelling among us.*



John 1:14

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