

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

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – The annual business meeting of the church will be held today following the morning worship service. Everyone is invited to stay and participate in this aspect of the life of the church!

PROSPECTIVE LEADERS COURSE, “How to be Good and Angry,” continues tonight at 7 pm at Pastor Lou’s house. This will be the last of the lessons – if you’ve missed any, please call Jason to schedule a time to watch the video and catch up. Jason’s number is (215) 667-3729.

MEN’S BREAKFAST – The men are getting together for breakfast this Saturday at 8 am at the church. The tentative plan is to get something to eat and then head out to the Wissahickon for a little “nature time” – good stuff!

Spending Ourselves

“If you spend yourselves on behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday.” (Isaiah 58:10)

Isaiah reminds us that the people of God are called not only to spend their money to feed the hungry, but also to spend themselves, to pour out their lives in sacrificial service. That service cannot be a mere token. It must “satisfy the needs” of the oppressed. Isaiah also points out that those who serve receive the fruits of service: healing, answered prayer, guidance, personal provision, and joy.

Pray that our Gracious Father will teach us to “spend ourselves” on behalf of those who are desperately hungry both for bread and the Bread of Life.

(Global Prayer Digest, Feb. 2009)

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

Prayer – 7 to 8 pm – see schedule
or call Bobbi Jo (267) 240-6040

FRIDAY PRAYER, 7-8 pm

Every other Friday at the church.

The other Fridays will be at different homes:

- January 30 at church
- February 6 at Jim and Nancy Dambach’s house,
6311 Bingham St.

If you’d like to have prayer at your house, please talk to Bobbi Jo, or give her a call at (267) 240-6040.

MONTHLY MEN’S BREAKFAST – Every last Saturday (Jan 31)

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE – Saturday, February 21

COS NEW LIFE SINGERS – Sunday, February 22

January 25, 2009
The Lord's Day

“My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me.”

John 17:20-21 (NIV)

sermon notes

John 17:20-26
Matthew 25:31-46

Mashed Potato Love

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>2009 Giving</u>	<u>2009 Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>
General Fund	\$ 4,083	4,800	– 717
Missions Fund	374	825	– 451
Building Fund	519	825	– 306

Above are year-to-date for the 2009.

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

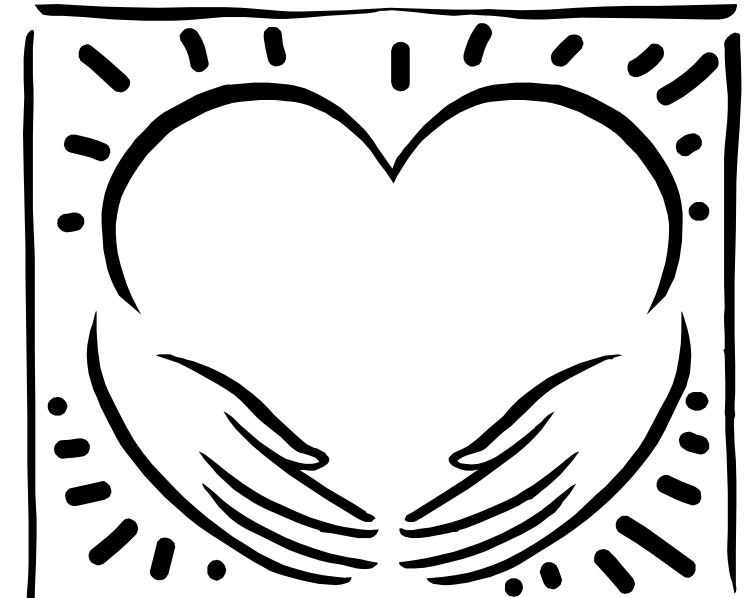
Vicky Beattie, Sudan, Africa (SIM)
Duthene and Maxia Joseph, Haiti (CrossWorld)
Barry and Peggy Owen, Taiwan (WorldVenture)
Rebekah Poteat, Togo, West Africa (ABWE)

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



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ANOTHER
IN LOVE.

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