



# Family

## West Chicago Church of Christ

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### A Preacher's Perspective

Early tomorrow, Joe Kuhnle will leave to join Jarrod Brown, Chris Youssi, and a work team of about eight other men to do construction work on the new Mission Lazarus Refuge in Haiti - Misyon Laza Refuge. This facility will serve as an orphanage and school.

This will be Joe's first mission trip, and he is very excited to be a part of the project. Joe has a long background in construction work, and he will be a real asset to the team.

The pictures are from the Mission Lazarus website and show the project manager and engineer who oversee the work. The plan for the team coming from the US is to work on classrooms.

The nation of Haiti is one of the poorest in the world. The refuge is being built in Port-Au-Prince and is an extremely impoverished and crime-ridden area.

Please pray for the safety and success of the team, and especially for Joe and Chris.

We are very grateful for the outreach of the Mission Lazarus team to this new area of work.



*Chuck Miller*



# Welcome to the West Chicago Church of Christ

If you are visiting with us, we especially want to welcome you. We pray our time together worshipping our Father in heaven will be uplifting and encouraging. You are an honored guest and we want to thank you for being a part of our worship this morning!

Bible classes begin at 9:30 and are available for all ages. Babies can be taken to the nursery located at the back of the auditorium. Pre-school and elementary-age children meet in classrooms downstairs. Teens meet in the teen room at the back of the auditorium. The adult class meets in the fellowship room.

Our Community Groups meet every Sunday throughout the year, except for the last Sunday of each month. The last Sunday of each month, we will meet at 6:00 p.m. for a time of praise and fellowship.

A weekly web-cast of our Sunday morning worship services is available by following these instructions:

<http://wcfamily.viewnetcam.com>

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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact one of our Elders: Don Brewster Chuck Miller

Our Deacons are:

Justin Avey: Benevolence, Fellowship, Stewardship & Leadership

Jay Hearn: Worship & Pulpit, Communications, Outreach, Education, Benevolence

Curt Robinson: Education, Stewardship & Leadership

Rick Root: Communications, Education, Stewardship & Leadership

Sunday Morning Bible Class . . . . . 9:30 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening (last Sunday of each month) . . . 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening Bible Class . . . . . 7:00 p.m.



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## This Morning ...

Please take a moment this morning to fill out an attendance card, especially if you are a guest. Prayer cards are also available in the pew rack. You may choose to have prayers by the elders, a prayer warrior or by the whole church family. If you choose "whole church family" it will be announced following the sermon.

### Order of Worship

Welcome, Scripture & Prayer . . . . . Kyle Wheeler

Kids Connection . . . . . Curt Robinson

Praise Songs . . . . . Jay Hearn

#57 Great is Thy Faithfulness

#806 Son of My Soul

#844 Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah

#514 Redeemed

#76 How Great Thou Art (1,3,4)

#334 'Tis Midnight and on Olive's Brow

Communion . . . . . Paul Mullins

Sermon . . . . . Chuck Miller

#924 Just As I Am

Prayer Cards . . . . . Bob Voigts

Closing Song . . . . . Jay Hearn

#186 Christ We Do All Adore Thee

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

August 15 . . . . . Wendell Mott

August 15 . . . . . Bob & Betsy Jett (anv.)

August 16 . . . . . Dewayne & Marilyn Smith (anv.)

August 17 . . . . . Craig & Bev Livermore (anv.)

## Dates to Remember

TODAY . . . . . Community Groups

August 17 . . . . . Senior Breakfast

August 19 . . . . . No Mens Prayer Breakfast this week

August 21 . . . . . Community Groups

August 26 . . . . . Mens Prayer Breakfast

August 28 . . . . . Praise Sunday!/Leadership Meeting

September 2-5 . . . . . RCC Teen Retreat

September 8 . . . . . Shults-Lewis Craft Work Day

September 17 . . . . . Shults-Lewis Annual Day

## Records You Helped Make

Sunday Morning Bible Class . . . . . 45

Sunday Morning Worship . . . . . 95

Wednesday Bible Class . . . . . 36

Contribution . . . . . \$4,028.00

Nursery Workers . . . . . Jamie Miller, Kelie Wheeler

Collection Counters . . . . . Justin Avey, Paul Mullins

## In Our Prayers...

**Our kids** will be returning to school soon. Pray for their safety and well-being.

**Herman Aultman, Bobbie Whitman's brother**, hasn't been well. His kidneys are doing fine, but he has a blood disease and has been losing weight.

**Laverne, the sister of Joyce Eakins**, has an undiagnosed illness which causes her white blood cell count to drop.

**Lisa Gleason, Dana Howard's sister**, is out of the hospital, but prayers are still very much appreciated.

**Keith & Kim Lango**, former members, are making a return mission trip to Brazil. Chuck has a list of specific prayer needs if you are interested.

**Anne Librande, Joanne Johnson's mother**, is doing great. Her collar bone has healed.

**Chuck Miller** has prostate cancer.

**Jon Miller** is recuperating from his knee surgery.

**Scott Robinson, Curt's brother**, is healing well but faces a long recovery.

**Bob Stiger, Bobbye's brother in law**, is struggling with depression and panic attacks.

**Dan Vantrese** was in the hospital several days this week because of vertigo.

**Bob Voigts** had some dental work done and will now have another scan to see if the cancer has returned.

Those suffering with long-term issues:

Justin Avey

Paul & Judy Bertrand – Lynette Root's parents

Herman Biggers – Josephine Haggerton's brother

Bonnie Bingham

Nancy Brewster

Dachielle – Blake Mullins's friend

John Day

Al Dorsey

Doug Dorsey – Al's son

Joyce Duke – Bobbie Whitman's sister

Joyce Eakins's siblings

Brad Fowler – Joan Lockett's nephew

Josephine Haggerton

Lauren Helton – Josephine Haggerton's nephew

Kathy Huml – John Pedersen's sister

Mason Hutchins – friend of Alec Boyd &

Rourke Mullins

Debbie Lawrence – Bobbie Whitman's niece

Myrna Levake

Jack Lockett – father of Charlie, Mike, Julie Chavez,

Shelley Prosser, Missy Kissane, & Becky Pedersen

Mike Lockett – Joan's son

Jackie Milam, Alyssa's mother

Danielle Nichols – Alyssa Milam's cousin

Josh Otte – Chris Czernik's nephew and

the son of Marion Lake's cousin

Helen Plummer – the mother of Joan Avey and Cliff

J.D. Potts – the father of Cyndi Perez

Kay Schrader

Chester & Phyllis Sitler

Bruce Snyder & Cindy Stewart – Bob Voigts's cousins

Ernie & Rose Stirrup – Kelly Ieler's parents

Jim Whitman

Moms-to-Be:

Beth Amato – Bob & Betsy Jett's daughter

Shannon Manny – John & Becky Pedersen's daughter

Sarah Rentschler – Sally Hearn's niece

Armed forces:

Josh Aultman – Bobbie Whitman's grand-nephew  
is in Afghanistan

Ryan Gleason – Dana Howard's nephew

Jacob Headtke – U.S. Marines, RCC alumni

Joey Wertz – the friend of Lynette Root's friend, Iraq

Klinton Wheeler – Afghanistan

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Jonathon Young – a Warrant Officer in the army

Missions:

Brazil – Keith & Kim Lango

City of Children – Ensenada, Mexico

Obadiah Doka & Family – Nigeria

Living Room Café – Chicago

Mission Lazarus – Honduras

Shults-Lewis – the teens, their families, the workers

Enoch & Jeannine Thweatt – Taiwan

Teen Parent Connection – West Chicago

Students of Joe Voigts – China

Ayodele Waleola – Nigeria

## RCC Sponsorships

There are 10 campers from camp this summer that need sponsorships of \$150. Contact Chuck Miller, Don Brewster, Justin Avey or Scott Drumheller to make a donation. Partial or full sponsorships are welcome! Please write checks payable directly to Rockford Christian Camp.

## September Food Delivery

The Northern Illinois Food Bank is moving to a new location in Geneva. It is possible that the food delivery for our pantry will not be on the first Thursday of September. We will update you as we receive more information.

## Today!

**Community Groups** are scheduled to meet today. The elders want to encourage everyone to get involved in their Community Group. If you are visiting with us or have not yet been a part of a group and would like to join one, see Chuck or Don. Community Groups are a great way to get to know your neighbors – those members who live the closest to you! They are also a wonderful opportunity to introduce your friends to your church family and to Jesus!



West Chicago Community Groups

## School Supplies

We have a couple of families (a total of 8 children) from the community that need school supplies. Sally will be receiving their lists at the beginning of next week. See her if you would like to help shop or donate funds.

## Teen Parent Connection

Teen Parent Connection would like to meet at our building on Thursday evenings beginning again this fall. If you are willing to prepare a portion or all of a meal for approximately 15 people, see Sally.

## Care Package

A care package is going to be sent to Klinton Wheeler on a monthly basis. Please bring your donation and place it in the basket that is available in the foyer. Frances Shearer will pick up the items the third Wednesday evening of each month to ship the package. Possible items to donate are: toothpaste, deodorant, magazines, deck of playing cards, cans of nuts, store-bought cookies, etc. Please no homemade or chocolate items. Questions, see Frances.

## Teacher's Workroom Supplies

If you have any craft supplies that you don't need, please consider donating them to our Teacher's Workroom. See Cindy Drumheller or Julie Dean.

## The Magi Project

Healing Hands International will be here Tuesday, October 4, to pick up Magi Boxes. As in the past several years, we are a collection site. If you are interested in organizing a Magi Project at your work place, please see Sally. School supplies are a great addition to a Magi Box. While you are shopping for your children's supplies, consider picking up a few extra items to include in a Magi Box. More information is coming soon!



The Rockford Christian Camp Labor Day Retreat is Friday, September 2, through Monday, September 5. Registration begins at 4:00 p.m. This retreat is for kids in grades 7-12. Early registration deadline is 8/19.

If you are interested in hosting a youth group event, please see Sandy Boyd, Brian Gifford or Jon Miller. The event could entail a service project or outing or can be as simple as hosting a devotional in your home.

## Bible Class Teachers

Teachers are needed for our next rotation which will begin August 28. We will need a teacher for the Grades 3-6 class on Sunday mornings. Please see Cindy Drumheller if you are willing to teach or be a substitute. If you are interested, but feel inexperienced, Cindy will help! Don't hesitate! See Cindy TODAY!



## Shults-Lewis

**Shults-Lewis Golf Outing – Friday, September 16**  
Check the information on the bulletin board or register online at [www.shultslewis.org](http://www.shultslewis.org). Corporate sponsorship is available, as well as, Hole sponsorship.

**Shults-Lewis change cans are available in the foyer.** Bring full cans to Annual Day on Saturday, September 17. You can also give your cans to Dewayne Smith, Justin Avey or Kyle Wheeler by Wednesday, September 14th.

**Craft Items for our Annual Day booth** – this year we will be selling the jean jackets left from last year and handmade Christmas ornaments. Each person should make around a dozen Christmas ornaments of the same design. **Our last scheduled workshop date is Thursday, September 8.** Join us in the fellowship room at 10:00 a.m. to work on your project. We may also have some ornaments we will put together in assembly line fashion. Questions? See Lynette Root!