

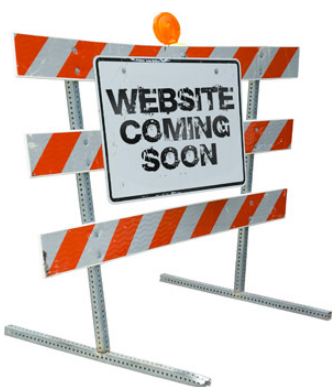


UPCOMING EVENTS



HAPPY
FATHER'S
DAY

Please join us this Sunday as we honor the dads in our congregation.



We are putting together a website/communications committee to oversee the development of a new church website and any communications within the church.

This committee is for anyone who is skilled or non-skilled in website design and/or communications.

If interested please call the church office.

Coming... **THIS WEEK!**

Wednesday, June 16

- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, June 20—Father's Day

- 9:30 am Worship
- 10:45 am Sunday School

Monday, June 21

- 9:00 am Men's Fellowship
- 1:00 pm Domino's & More

Tuesday, June 22

- 9:00 am Quilters
- 9:30 am CWF Service Day

Wednesday, June 23

- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

June 20, 2010

Galatians 3:23-29
"Children of God"

Pastor's Office Hours

The following times are planned and will be honored unless other pastoral concerns take precedence. Rev. Andrews is always available by phone and e-mail. Please contact the church office.

Monday 9 a.m. – Noon

Tuesday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Wednesday 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Thursday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Friday – Off (if possible)


Saturday – Off (if possible)



Remember to bring in those old phonebooks!

You can recycle your phonebooks by bringing them by the church office.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



We extend our sincere sympathies to the family of **Warren Bass** who passed away on Thursday, June 10th. Visitation and Funeral services were held on Monday June 14th at Greenlawn East.



Week of Compassion Responding to the Gulf Oil Spill

We have received a number of calls regarding ways that people can help respond to the devastating oil

spill along the Gulf Coast.

1. The actual clean up effort is dangerous. We do not want to expose untrained volunteers to that level of toxicity. Nor do we have the capacity to train a large number of people in those skills.
2. Our primary partner in this sort of disaster is Church World Service. They, like many other organizations, are still figuring out the appropriate way to provide help, and are having conversations with fishers, shrimpers, and aid partners on the coast to see the best way to provide aid.
3. As is our protocol when disasters occur in a region of our church, we have been in touch with the Great River Region about this. They are currently identifying and cataloging needs to which we can respond.
4. We are still monitoring the situation. The nature of the damage done by an oil spill is different from other disasters such as earthquakes, and tornados. How the spill affects personal property and people's livelihoods may require a different type of response or assessment. If there are needs our friends and congregations can identify--specifically--please let us know so we can respond.

Congregational Concerns

- Bill Melton
- Warren Bass Family
- Rosa Lee Butts
- Richard Lee
- Caleb Lipscomb
- Sean Schultz
- Jacques Sachs
- Juanita Shipman
- Lenore & Kenneth Knabb
- Virginia Wisecup
- Bob Ege
- Kay Walton
- Helen Hurst
- Charlie Lynch
- Sue Brown
- Bonnie Montgomery
- Will Brown



Please keep the office informed of those who need our prayers.

Thank you!

PASTOR SPEAKS

It is often said that a Church is not a building – it is the people. It is true, Church is built not by brick and mortar, rather Church is formed by relationships. We come together to celebrate our relationship to God through Christ. We come together to bond in relationship with one another for a common ministry in the name of Jesus. This is why when our own are in peril or distress we respond. The Church is not just located on the corner of Division and Washington. Our community of faith extends to the ends of God’s creation and our ministries do the same. Recent flooding in Arkansas has touched the lives of our church families there. I share the following to personalize the tragedy and ask that you lift up all who were victims of this tragedy and their loved ones.

In Christ’s Service, Rev. Andrews

From Week of Compassion’s Brandon Gilvin, Associate Director

It is always tragic when disaster strikes. When it hits close to home, however, we mourn in a very different way. Last Thursday night, a family from Kings Highway Christian Church in Shreveport, LA, lost three of its four members to a flash flood that tore across their Arkansas campground. Anthony and Candice Frazier Smith, son Joey and daughter Cateline were camping when the flood hit. All but Candice were killed. Several family friends with whom they were traveling also died.

Candice's sister, Cherie, parents Kim & Paul Frazier and grandparents Betty & Vernon Webster are all active in the Great River Region and have ties to Central Christian and Broadmoor Christian, as well as King's Highway.

Week of Compassion grieves with the Smith, Frazier, and Webster families, and the entire Great River Region. We give thanks for the lives of this precious family, and thanks for an extended church family, especially Kings Highway Christian Church and Associate Regional pastor Michael Elmore, as they have provided support in a time of uncertainty and grief.

A fund has been established to help Candice in these difficult circumstances. Those wishing to contribute can find out more information by visiting the Kings Highway website.

Thanks for and to all who reach out in the many ministries of compassion that make up who we are as a movement. We keep you in our prayers daily.

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