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P r e a c h e r ' s P o s t

Dear Ones,

FCC Memphis is about to see what happens when we invest in the education and encouragement of a faithful brother in Christ who is now prepared to go to Haiti to teach and preach! From January of 2008 till now has been a season of preparation. This week, Luke will return to Haiti. He will begin a new adventure with the Living Water Christian Church back in Gonaives.

I am grateful the Leadership here at FCC Memphis permitted me the time necessary to serve as Luke's sponsor. I am grateful for Church family and friends who were so faithful to provide financial support. I am thankful for the fine folk over in Cincinnati who helped Luke while he attended Cincinnati Bible Seminary. It reminds me that we are "fellow workers" in the Lord's Kingdom.

Your prayer, your encouragement, your financial support has already been beneficial to Luke and to the ministry at Living Water. I am confident that we have invested in a faithful servant who will gather faithful men to himself to teach, to train, to mentor to be effective leaders in the Lord's Church for many years to come (2 Timothy 2:2).

Our partnership with Luke does not end here. We will pray for him. We will encourage you to correspond with him. We anticipate him visiting us from time to time. We hope to send folk to visit him too! We want to share in his needs as they become known.

Let me share one last item. Your generosity has been revealed again. I never announced a goal for the love offering we wanted to send home with Luke. I thought it would be great if \$1,000 would be raised. You exceeded that! I anticipate another gift or two that will be added to the offering! It is such a blessing to be part of the FCC Memphis Church Family!

Lord Bless, *Preacher Jack*

Youth Minister's Post

A lot has changed since August of 2012. I was serving as the part-time Youth Minister here at FCC while attending Central Christian College of the Bible. On June 1, 2013 I started serving full-time as the Youth Minister here at FCC. My responsibilities changed when I moved from part-time to full-time. I went from working with just Junior High and Senior High students to working with students of all ages. I now get the privilege of working and planning events for the Nursery through Senior High students. Some of my responsibilities include teaching the Junior High Sunday School class, overseeing the Super Church Program, assisting with the T.A.S.K Program, leading Youth Group, putting together Youth Sunday's, being a dean at I-MO, and overseeing the Nationwide Youth Roundup Program (NYR). My responsibilities are going to continue to change as the next year progresses as well. Jack and I are currently reading On Target: Creating A Faith Development Plan for Your Church and looking at ways for a future Christian Education Team. The Christian Education Team will overlook our Sunday School program and see what we can do to help get everyone on the same page with what we are teaching our students for the years to come. I am excited to see what the next year holds!

In Christ, *Josiah Holloway*

Prayer Requests:

Mary Ann Blessing	Donna Wheeler
Bob Carney	Viola Heiner
Willadean Crist	Mark Kutzner
Linda Koser	John Dodge
Dixie Drummond	Ron Alexander
Bill McRobert	Donna Houghton
John Wheeler	Maurry Cox
Angel Chance	Harvey Bergman
Mary Atkinson	Gina Kittle
Dalene Bergman	Susan Schneider-
Margaret Elder	Rynearson

Hospitalized

Alyssa Marshall-Des Moines
(granddaughter Don & Kathy Dice)

**FCC Members at
SCCC & R.C.F.**

Jeri Baker	Cleo Davis
Audrey Drummond	Velva Freburg
Louise Frederick	Vetrice Goins
Gene Parsons	Harriett Poole

**FCC Members at
Schuyler County N.H.**

Marietta Garrison

We would like to express our sympathies to the family of Helen Baker.



**June
Book of Month**

1&2 Thessalonians, 1&2 Timothy, Titus & Philemon

STATISTICS

June 8, 2014

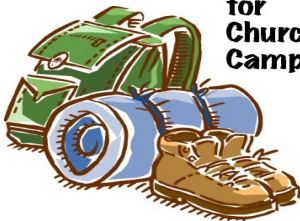
Sunday School...65
Worship...137

General Fund.....\$3,084.75
Carpet.....\$100.00

BUDGET (To date)

Weekly Needs\$3,237.00
Budget needs.....\$77,688.00
Gifts.....\$75,724.24

ANNOUNCEMENTS



**Sign up
for
Church
Camp!**

Christian Service Camp I-MO

For more information you can contact Josiah Holloway @ 660-341-8706 or jh964@cccb.edu

www.imocamp.com

**June 15-20 Junior High Camp
June 22-27 Junior I Camp**

www.facebook.com/imocamp

June 12th ~ leave the church @ 6:30pm
Youth Group Outing! Mini Golf & ice cream.
\$2 for golf and bring extra money for ice cream.

June 20th ~ 2pm

FCC will be hosting the June Birthday party for the SCCC residents at the Care Center. Needing volunteers to help serve refreshments. For more information contact **Angela Westhoff at 660-216-**



Skate Night ~ June 23rd

This is an event for the whole family. There will be Christian music, normal skating games and a short devotion. The cost is \$2. The event itself is from **6-8 pm**. I will have sign up sheets in both foyers of the church next week. You can also sign up on here. Let's fill the church bus and go have some fun!



Check out the following information...you can also find the details on our facebook page "FCC Memphis" and the web page www.fccmemphis.org

June 29th 7 p.m. Lowell Mason will be here for a concert. He might not be tall, but he is sure talented !!!
July 6th 10:30 a.m. - "Grace Harmony" (Mike and Sue Filisky) will be here to bless us with their ministry of encouragement.
July 6th evening vespers at the Scotland County Fair ... Andy Avery will be back! What a mix of music, testimony and praise!

Sunday Services

Sunday School.....9:20 AM
Worship.....10:30 AM
Junior Worship (Ages 3 to 5yrs).10:30 AM
Super Church (Grades K—6th).....During sermon

Church Staff

Jack Sumption.....Preacher
Josiah Holloway.....Youth Minister
Kelly Cochran.....Secretary
Debbie SeamsterOffice Assistant

Reminder June 15, 2014

West Greeter.....Allison Campbell
West Usher.....Lance Campbell
East Greeter.....Marjorie Durham
Sunday School at SCCC.....,.....Ronnie Miller
SCCC Pianist.....Maurine Robinson
Nursery.....Mary Morgan & Jacob Kapfer
May Bus Driver.....Joel Kapfer
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