



FELLOWSHIP CHAPEL
A GREAT PLACE TO GROW!
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2009 † 11:00 AM

If the service has already started when you arrive, please wait for the ushers to seat you. Thank You!

Good Christian Men Rejoice

Good Christians all, rejoice
With heart, and soul,
and voice.
Now ye hear
Of endless bliss;
Joy! Joy! Jesus Christ
was born for this!
He hath opened
heaven's door
And man is blest forevermore.
Christ was born for this!
Christ was born for this!

Good Christians all, rejoice
With heart, and soul,
and voice;
Now ye need not
fear the grave;
Peace! Peace!
Jesus Christ was born
to save!

Calls you one calls you all,
To gain His everlasting hall.
Christ was born to save!
Christ was born to save!

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Come Thou long
Expected Jesus
Born to set
Thy people free
From our fears and sins Release us
Let us find our rest in Thee
Israel's strength
And consolation
Hope of all the earth
Thou art
Dear desire of every nation
Joy of every longing heart

Born Thy people to deliver
Born a Child and yet a King
Born to reign in us forever
Now Thy gracious
kingdom bring
By Thine own Eternal Spirit
Rule in all our hearts alone
By Thine all sufficient merit
Raise us to
Thy glorious throne

WELCOME TO FELLOWSHIP CHAPEL

ANNOUNCEMENTS & GREETINGS

CALL TO WORSHIP - CHOIR ANTHEM
"Emmanuel"

OPENING PRAYER

TIME OF PRAISE
"Good Christian Men Rejoice"
"Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"
"You Are Holy"

DRAMA
"The Word Before Christmas"

WORSHIP WITH PRAYER & OFFERING

OFFERTORY - WORSHIP TEAM
"Glory in The Highest"

SCRIPTURE READING
Act 5:33-42
Page 762 of the Pew Bibles

MESSAGE
"Gamaliel's Wager"
Pastor Ron Seck

COMMUNION OBSERVANCE
"Worthy You Are Worthy"

CLOSING PRAYER & BLESSING

If you are a guest or visitor today, the Fellowship Chapel family extends a warm welcome. Whatever the reason you've come, God has something special in mind for you - perhaps unexpected, but something you really need. We are thankful for the opportunity to worship our God together with you.



Ladies Holiday Tea

Sunday, December 20, 2009 ♦ 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Something a little different for this year....if you want to host a table, but do not have the time or resources to do everything on your own, we will have several tables that the Ladies' ministry group will decorate and set. All you have to do is host the table.

Also, if you decide to do your own table, please do not bring gifts or favors for your guests. We will provide a small gift for all the Ladies.

If you would like to make reservations, please fill out the form and place it in the offering plate or visit our table in the lobby after the service. See Carla Jordan (cjpjordan@comcast.net) or Joyce Billings (KBJBSB3@hotmail.com) if you should have any questions.

You Are Holy

Chorus:
You are Lord of lords
You are King of kings
You are mighty God
Lord of everything
You're Emmanuel
You're the Great I Am
You're the Prince of Peace
Who is the Lamb
You're the living God
You're my saving grace
You will reign forever
You are Ancient of Days
You are Alpha Omega
Beginning and End
You're my Savior Messiah
Redeemer and Friend

Worthy You Are Worthy
Worthy You are worthy
King of kings Lord of lords
You are worthy
Worthy You are worthy
King of kings
Lord of lords
I worship You

Holy You are holy
King of kings Lord of lords
You are holy
Holy You are holy
King of kings Lord of lords
I worship You

Jesus You are Jesus
King of kings Lord of lords
You are Jesus
Jesus You are Jesus
King of kings Lord of lords
I worship You

Ending:
King of kings
Lord of lords
I worship You

Ending:
You're my Prince of Peace
And I will live my life for You
You are Lord of lords
You are King of kings
You are mighty God
Lord of everything

You are holy I will follow
You are mighty I will listen
You are worthy I will love You
Worthy of praise All of my days

Those serving our Country or overseas during the Holidays



If you would like to send Christmas cards and/or a care package, here's contact info for Peter Cooper, Nathan Sigler & Julie Landt:

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Thanks to all of you who sent a card, said a prayer, or gave a word of encouragement over the past couple of weeks as my family coped with the death of my Grandma. You are all a reminder of why this church is such a great place ... you really care. With a heartfelt thank you, Mike Miller

Ladies Holiday Tea

Name(s) 1. _____ # _____
and Phone 2. _____ # _____
Numbers 3. _____ # _____
4. _____ # _____

I/We can bring: Name from above
 Scones or muffins _____
 Tea sandwiches or bite size appetizers _____
 Cookies or desserts (9x13) _____
Miscellaneous:
 I would like information on being a table hostess _____
 I would like to donate a poinsettia for gift prizes _____

Announcements & Opportunities

We are looking for a team to do post-AMPs once every four weeks. This involves serving coffee and donut holes before the end of the 11:00 service, and cleaning up afterward. Total time is usually no more than 45 minutes. The next scheduled time for that slot is not until January. If you can help, it would be so appreciated. Please let Hilary Osborne (hao@wowway.com) or Maureen Cronk (mcronk7460@aol.com) know ASAP.

Hospitality Needed - Missions Conference

The Missions Conference is January 10-17 and we will be in need of some hospitality throughout that week. Could you help by supplying one of the following: airport transportation, housing or meals? If you might be able to help, please indicate so on a registration card located in the pew, place it in the offering plate and someone from the Missions Committee will contact you.

FELLOWSHIP CALENDAR ITEMS		
Tuesday, December 8th		
9:00 AM MOP's		
6:30 Elder's Meeting		
Wednesday, December 9th		
6:00 PM Cherub Choir & Kingdom Kids Choir (6PM-7PM)		
6:30 PM Prayer & Bible Study		
6:30 PM Junior High "Quest"		
7:00 PM Busy Bees & Kids Club (7PM-8PM)		
7:00 PM Senior High "Real Life"		

Stewardship Report		
11/29/09	Past Week	YTD
General Giving	\$7,662	\$190,747
Budget Needed	\$9,827	\$216,194
Over (Short)	(\$2,165)	(\$25,447)
Sanctuary attendance (11/29/09)		202

Thanksgiving Offering
A little over \$4,000 was collected for this year's offering. Thank You!

Nursery Schedule

Wed., December 9th
6:00 PM
Carolyn Machinske
Joan Cleaver

Sun., December 13th
9:30 AM Sunday School
Kristen Franz
Dawn Quandt
11:00 AM Worship
Michelle Shelton
Jean Landt
Nancy Geyer
Mary Ellen Volpe

Usher Schedule


Sun., December 13th
11:00 AM Worship
Gary Mulder
Pete Siefert
Daniel Redford
John Gratton

Host Schedule

Sun., December 13th
9:30 AM Sunday School
Carolyn Machinske
11:00 AM Worship
Lisa Forrester
Brynae Turner
Meghan Kendall
Paula Foster

AMPs Schedule

Sun., December 13th
Pre-AMPs: Kausch
Post-Amps: Green

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS
 Al Allen (12/8)
Mario Guzman (12/8)
Bob Reed (12/12)

Available at the Information Center

- December's Missions Monthly
- Fellowship Chapel's 2008-2009 Annual Report

NEWS & NOTES

SIGNIFICANT STUFF FOR STUDENTS
DECEMBER 6-12, 2009

Birthdays This Week:

12/08 - Al Allen turns 23 this Tuesday. Al will be enjoying his last birthday before he and Michele get married this next June here at Fellowship. Al is currently making his way through college and thoroughly enjoys his Playstation 3 as much as time allows. He is perhaps one of the more knowledgeable people about the 80's that I know of. But one thing's for sure ... we all appreciate Al and who he is. So Al, happy birthday!



Games, Shows, Performances?:

So Katie Breton marched in the Thanksgiving Day parade and was not seen on camera. Her band was in the early to mid part of the parade. Sarah Holeyton's band (Cousino) was near the end of the parade and got lots of camera time. But alas, you couldn't tell who was who because of those silly hats that they have to wear. Hey, if you are involved in band, drama, sports, choir, or whatever, I want to know about it. I want to know when all of your things are happening. So would you just email me your schedule or send a link to your school's web site where I can find your schedule. Send them to mikemill@fellowshipchapel.net. Thanks!

Great Verses To Memorize:

1 Corinthians 10:11-13 (NIV) "These things happened to them as examples and were written down as warnings for us, on whom the fulfillment of the ages has come. So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall! No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it."



REAL LIFE ON THE PATH OF LIFE

SR HI-Dec 9-7pm-Youth Room

Along the path that God had laid out for our lives, we must answer one crucial question. Who am I? This past Wednesday, we looked at the start of that answer and saw that God himself has uniquely created us and it's what He says that truly counts! Remember that at Real Life, we constantly trying to create an environment where your friends who may not have begun a relationship with the Lord will be welcomed and walk away with a positive, fun and encouraging experience. So invite somebody and then the rest of you, welcome that person! See you all there at 7pm. Don't miss a single week! This is where you and your friends need to be!

SR HI CHRISTMAS PARTY

SR HI-Dec 16-7pm-Washburn House

Once again, the Washburn's have opened their home up for our annual SR HI Christmas party. Start planning now for your white elephant gift (an item that you already have that someone else might be able to use ... no perishable food items please). It will be on Dec 16 at 7pm. See Wendy Washburn to sign up for food items to bring. You can either go directly to Washburn's house (we'll

print a map in next week's Youth Spot) or meet at church at 6:40pm to get a ride in the church van.

SR HI WINTER

RETREAT

SR HI-Jan 29-31--Camp Barakel

I know it's a long time away, but we will start taking \$40 non-refundable deposits for our annual winter retreat up at Camp Barakel. We are going on Jan 29-31 and the cost will \$100 for the entire weekend. This includes the transportation, all meals (except the one fast food stop on the way up and any snacks while you're there), all the activities like tubing, skating, broom hockey, snow football, all the hot chocolate you can drink all weekend long, chapel with Doug Routledge (very good speaker!), and so much more! Turn in your \$40 deposit to Robyn or Wendy to get on the list. Only 21 total spots are available!

JR HI QUEST & RETREAT

JR HI-Dec 9-6:30pm-JR HI Rm

On Dec. 16th, we will have our annual Christmas party. We will have sign up sheets next week for things to bring. Be thinking of that perfect White Elephant gift you can bring to pass off on someone else. Don't forget what we talked about this week. Find a devotional



Nina, Kristin, Brandy, Sarah, Michele, and Alicia enjoy last year's party in a Spoons circle. Will you be there? Sign up for a food item today with Wendy Washburn.

that is relevant to you. Talk to people who are smarter than you, like a parent, when you don't get it. Look for a translation that you can understand! Figure that out, because you could put some of that on your Christmas list. Keep looking here for more details on the winter retreat, this would also make a nice Christmas gift.

BIBLE QUIZ PRACTICE & QUIZ

JV Practice-1 Cor 10:1-22-Dec 8, 4-5:15pm - church

ALL-Dec 12-Macomb Christian School, Warren, MI
Congratulations go out to Michele Weidner and Mike Dettloff, who were on the championship varsity team for the 2009 WBQA Great Lakes Regional. This week, there will be a practice over 1 Cor 11:17-34 & a review of chapters 9:15-11 in preparation for the December quiz at Macomb Christian this coming Saturday. So get to work quizzers! Study on!

COLLEGE & CAREER

COLL-Sun, Dec 6-9:30am-Kahva Room

COLL-Sun, Dec 19-7pm-Euchre Tourn.-Kahva Room

COLL-Fri-Sun, Jan 1-3, Camp Barakel, Fairview, MI

Our 13th annual Euchre Tournament is the Saturday before Christmas where we will vie for

the coveted trophy. It will take place here in the Kahva Room. Question: Who has been the ONLY repeat winner in the 40 year history of the tournament? Hint: HER initials are R.S. Q.T.1.5.H.K. (some letters given to make it harder to guess).

The trophy will soon be on display in the

converted garage where you can gaze upon the inscriptions of past champions! Oh the thrill! Camp Barakel College and Career Retreat is 01/01 - 01/03/2010. Shouldn't be a problem getting Friday off :). You register and then let me know. Go to the web site at: <http://www.campbarakel.org/camp.asp> for more info.

THINK ABOUT IT

"We all compare ourselves to others. We spend our lives wondering what others think and say about us. Some of us even wish we were someone else. We question why we are the way we are and not the way we wish we could be ... Maybe if we really knew our true selves, we wouldn't give so much attention to other peoples' lives and live more in tune with the life God wants for us." - Rob Bell, from his Nooma video, "Name"



Gamaliel's Wager

Acts 5:33-42

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