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Missionaries Serving Around the World

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ReachGlobal

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Nubako and Claudine Selenga

Lonnie and Debbie Smith

Wycliffe Bible Translators

Jon and Stephanie Weiss

Our Partner Mission Organizations

Anchor of Hope Medical Center

Campus Life

Evangelical Child & Family Agency

Good News Jail & Prison Ministry

The Family Radio

***Check the church directory for
contact info on all missionaries
and their sending agencies.***



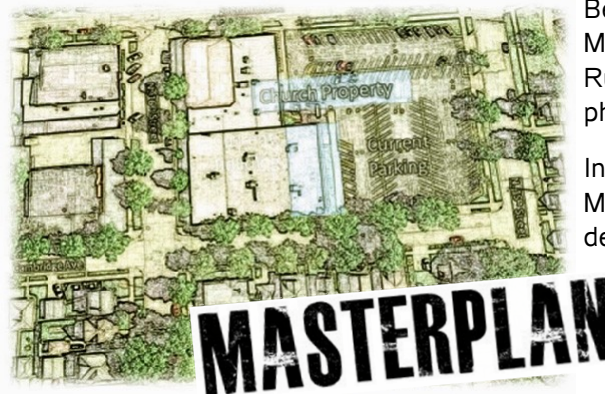
The Master Plan Continues

The Master Plan Team thanks all who attended and gave input at the three listening sessions, held at various times during the summer. A few common themes came through:

- more main level storage space
- family restrooms
- more flex ed rooms
- potential cost efficiencies
- library space
- possible baptistry

The Master Plan Team shared those with the architectural firm who will develop schematics using input from the MP Team and the congregation.

If anything you heard raised more questions or if you have additional concerns or a really great idea to share, please feel free to contact any one on the team (Dean



Becker, Eric Glewen, Pastor Jon MacDonald, Darrell Menzer, Travis Rutta and Heather Tempas) by phone or email.

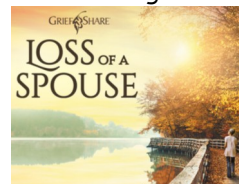
In the next couple months, the Master Plan Team hopes to have a dedicated page on the church website to share updates and show schematics. News will also be shared in The eFree Press.

GriefShare Hosts Upcoming Seminars

Loss of a Spouse Seminar
Saturday, October 6, 9-11am
Multi-Purpose Room; Cost: Free

Surviving the Holidays Seminar
Saturday, November 3, 9-11am
Multi-Purpose Room; Cost: Free

This seminar helps people grapple with the challenges of being widowed. It features an inspiring video with relatable stories and practical advice, followed by discussion time.



Participants will discover that they're not alone in their grief, and that what they're going through is normal.

How does one handle the Holidays after the loss of a loved one when day to day challenges seem overwhelming?

Come get some excellent advice and practical tips from experts and those who have gone through loss themselves.



FIND ENCOURAGEMENT, COMFORT, AND HOPE.

Ready, Set, Design!

The annual Ladies' Christmas Brunch, scheduled for Saturday morning, December 1, is designed to provide a delightfully festive gathering for you to invite your friends to hear the Gospel message. Guests will enjoy a delicious meal while seated at beautifully decorated tables. Our guest speaker will be Dr. Pam MacRae, professor at Moody Bible Institute.

This year's Nutcracker theme will bring a touch of elegance to our gathering, and we're currently recruiting table designers who are willing to bring their creative touches to our tables. Never designed a table before? No problem! We have ladies who are willing to come alongside and walk you through the process, even providing dishes and décor, if needed. Designers can sign up on the Women's Ministries bulletin board in the Welcome Center.



Tickets remain \$10 each, and go on sale to the general public on Sunday, November 4.

Christmas Concert Prep Begins

God arrived on earth as a vulnerable baby when few were expecting Him...He who was before all time, had a birthday. He, who fills the universe, became an embryo...--Keith Getty

On December 8 and 9, the eFree Concert Choir will present *Glorious Impossible*, featuring the music of Keith and Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend, Michael W. Smith, and Babbie Mason. You can invite friends and family to hear the Gospel as we use a mix of contemporary and traditional Christmas music along with Scripture to explore the miracle of Christ's birth and its purpose. Rehearsals will begin in October.



There are a number of ministry opportunities for this event. Singers are needed for all vocal parts (high school students are welcome to participate with the approval of the director). If you do not sing, we need you as well! There are several parts for narrators and nonspeaking costumed characters. Prior to the event, consider helping with child care during rehearsals, which would allow others to sing. We'll also need someone to help host a refreshment reception following the concerts. For more information and rehearsal schedules, please see the Music bulletin board in the Welcome Center or contact Lynne Zimmermann.

Happy Birthday/Anniversary in October

Names omitted.



This and That

Looking for a way to connect on Sunday mornings? Come to an *Equip* class at either 9:30am or 11am. *Equip 1* will continue through October 14. *Equip 2* will begin **October 21**. Visit the church website for details.

Hand-in-Hand Adoption Ministry will meet on Friday, October 12 from 6:30-8pm.

During each of the morning services on Sunday, October 7, we invite all believers to commemorate the Lord's Supper as we **share in communion together**.

Middle & High School students are invited to the **Student Ministries Fall Party** on Wednesday, October 10 from 6-8:30pm (offsite). It will be a ton of fun!



October 3
Measles Night

October 10
Crazy Cap Night

October 17
Orange You Glad
Jesus Loves You Night

October 24
Operation Christmas Child begins

October 31
Parents Night

Pictured Right:
Faith Community Nursing Coordinator, Kristie Ahlborg, is now available in the church office on Tuesdays from 1-3pm.



October Is Pastor Appreciation Month

October is a specially-designated time for us to honor and recognize our pastors and their families for their hard work, servant hearts, and sacrificial dedication. Of course our thankfulness is not limited to this month alone, but it's a great time to express our gratitude.

You might consider writing them a note, bringing them cookies or a meal, giving them a car wash certificate, or offering to watch their children for a couple of hours.

If you would like further suggestions on ways to show your gratitude, please contact Jeff Nack, Elder Chair, or Heather Tempas, Church Administrator.



Photo Use Policy

Many church activities that take place throughout the year are candidly captured on camera. These photos may be used on our church website, in newsletters and brochures, or in other promotions. Photos of children will never contain personally identifiable information. If you prefer your or your child's photo not be used, please stop by the church office to fill out a Photo Opt-Out form.

Set to Serve!

Our Middle & High School students are doing a Service Project Night on Wednesday, October 24 from 6:45-7:45pm. They'd love to assist the elderly men and women of our church family! If you could use their help that night, please contact Pastor Aaron at 452.6520.



Voigt to Attend NDBN Conference

BabyCare Coordinator Marge Voigt will attend the 7th annual National Diaper Bank Network conference in Atlanta, GA on October 25-26 due to a scholarship she was awarded this past summer.

Throughout the conference, sessions and speakers will offer a high level of strategic thinking about the complexities of poverty in the U.S., and how providing diapers and other basic needs creates new opportunities to help low income populations overcome barriers and achieve more.

Quartet Concert Will Benefit Campus Life

The King's Delegates quartet, comprised of Lee Rahn, Joel Drescher, Larry Walston, and Wendell Ramaker, and Mary Dulmes, pianist, will present a concert benefitting Campus Life at 4pm on Sunday, October 21.

The concert will be held at the Campus Life Family Center and will be followed by a Brat Fry. An offering will be taken to help further the ministry of Campus Life. Please consider how you can help support this partner ministry!



Left: Thanks to Michelle Arthur and Dale Vinson for sharing their gifts to make this mural project at Entrance C possible!



Below: Thanks to the numerous people who have assisted in the church office remodel project!



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