

Wheeler Road Church of Christ

January 5, 2025 www.wheelerroad.org

Wheeler Road Family News

WRCC Family Celebrations: Happy Birthday to Gary Belich on Friday. Congratulations to you!

New Class: We start a New Adult Bible class on Hebrews this morning.

Ladies Class: Ladies Class resumes this Tuesday at 10am.

Wednesday Bible Study: The Study resumes at 6:30pm.

Small Groups: Small groups start next Sunday, January 12th with several being planned. See Adam Joseph to join or for more information.

Wednesday Night Family Meal:

The family meal will be on January 22nd at 6:30pm.

Elders

Loran Brown — 989-980-8909 *Lee Dresden — 989-837-0888 Adam Joseph — 989-948-7650 Mark Wanous — 989-600-0748 **Chairmen of the Month*

Preaching Minister

Adam Davis — 757-561-7576 adavis.minister@gmail.com Office Days: Monday—Friday Call to make appointments or set one up at site below: https://calendly.com/adavis-minister/60min

Business Meeting: The Church business meeting is on Sunday, January 26th during our morning class time.

Help Needed: We need help making Communion Bread and with the Communion Tray Set Up this year. See the Ladies Bulletin Board for the sign-ups.

David Sitter's Birthday: David's birthday is coming up on January 16th and here is his address in case you wanted to wish him a Happy one. Please no glitter or embellishments added to the cards or letters. David Sitter Inmate # 786805 Newberry Correctional Facility 13747 E. County Road 428 Newberry, MI 49868 **Food Pantry 2024:** Here are some specifics about our Food Pantry last year.

- Wheeler Road Members gave 577 total items to our pantry in 2024.
- We received 4,122 items that our volunteers picked up and brought in to keep the Pantry full for people.
- Three ways Wheeler Road volunteers picked up these items included getting them from the MCFAN Warehouse, from the Food Bank of Eastern Michigan at MCFAN, and using gift cards MCFAN provided for fresh foods then bringing them here to the building.
- Outside businesses donated to our pantry over the year also including: Edison Fitness - 141 items
 Postal Carriers collection - 921 items
 Savant Company - 78 items
- In 2024 our Food Pantry helped about 93 households serving 219 total people in those households. Total items given out to them all was 6,224 including 1141 of those that we put together for the senior boxes.
- Our Mobile Food Pantry served 142 families of 413 people with about 13,000# of food in February and in October we had a Mobile Food Pantry here to help another group out.

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Our Vision Statement

We are a church family growing in the knowledge and love of God, committed to unity, pursuing godly character, and becoming the hands and feet of Jesus in our community.

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Wheeler Road In Prayer

SALVATION FOR THE LOST

TRAVELERS — Safe travel on their journeys **NATIONAL CONCERNS** — War on terrorism, wounded warriors, our leaders, water shortages around the world, ongoing wars. Prayers for civility during this political election season.

MISSION CONCERNS — Brazilian missionary team MINISTRY CONCERNS — Church family, leadership team, our community

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR WRCC FAMILY AND FRIENDS

- Pam Cramer has been in the hospital this past week and continues to be dealing with pain issues. She thinks she will be going to Brittany Manor when she leaves.
- Maddy Kurschat continues to heal from her hospital stay and from her surgery and procedure due to the infection found in her port. In a week she will have a new port put in.

Monthly Memory Verse:

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."

John 3:16

Budget Report

Contributions YTD as of November - \$138,885.31 YTD Budget - \$155,833.37

"In the upside-down economy of Jesus, those closest to the bottom are nearest to grace. Polished and put together, many of us live our lives without a real, palpable need for God. We preach grace. But we're working really, really hard to avoid hitting bottom ourselves."

- Chuck DeGroat

Thank You: Vicki Phillips wanted to say a special Thank You to everyone for their generous giving to our Food Pantry, the Sharing Tree, Shults Lewis, Sunshine Baskets as well as all the other things people have given toward last year! We also say thank you to all of the Pantry Volunteers for their hard work and Vicki for her leadership of the Pantry.

Order of Worship

Allen Cardinal — Song Leader

Holy God We Praise Thy Name

Welcome — Bill Thena

Scripture Reading

Holy, Holy, Holy Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross

Communion Devotional Glen Erickson

Offering Prayer

More Holiness Give Me On Zion's Glorious Summit

Conversation With Children Ruby Dresden

(Children Ages 4-3rd Grade dismissed for Christ Kids) Christ Kids — Mark Wanous

Sermon

Take Time to be Holy

Announcements & Family Time Memory Verse — John 3:16

Worship Rotation

<u>January 5</u>

Nursery Tammy Cardinal and Carlee Olenczuk

> Medical Ministry Loran Brown

Greeters Bobbie Forgie

January 12 Song Leader Bill Thena

> Welcome Matt Loree

Table Chairman Joe Chai

Nursery Lisa Chai and Jessica Chai

> **Christ's Kids** Kelly Thena

Children's Conversation Fred Sitter

> Medical Ministry Donna Anspaugh

> > **Greeters** Jill Martin