



# Wheeler Road Church of Christ

January 12, 2025

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## Wheeler Road Family News

#### **WRCC** Family Celebrations:

Happy Birthday to Mary Davis today, to David Sitter on Thursday, and to both Gwen Karl and Jean Erickson on Friday. Congratulations to you.

**Ladies Class:** Ladies Class is Tuesday at 10am.

**Wednesday Bible Study:** The Bible Study is at 6:30pm.

**Small Groups:** Small groups start today with several 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.

Ladies Business Meeting: The ladies

are getting together Saturday, January 25th for a business meeting at 10:30am.

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

Welcome Sister: Welcome to Elaina Martin our new Sister in Christ who was baptized last Sunday. Congratulations to proud grandparents Ed and Jill.

Shoebox Collection: Jennifer Earley shared that we'll be putting the Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes together this year for boys ages that often get overlooked. January items include *Men's Socks and T-shirts*. These T-shirt sizes are needed - Boys size 10-12 or Boys size 14-16 or Men's size Small.

College Boxes: We're collecting goodies now through February 2nd to encourage our college students. Suggested items are all individually wrapped and include candy, granola bars, snack bars, microwave popcorn, crackers, fruit snacks etc. Parents of college students please turn in their updated addresses to the office. See Ruby with any questions or if you would like to donate money towards the boxes.

**Furniture Needed:** We're looking for a buffet or armoire for use in the Church building. If you have one you would be willing to donate, please contact Diane Wanous with the details.

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 this Thursday, January 16th and here is his address in case you wanted to wish him a Happy one.
David Sitter
Inmate # 786805
Newberry Correctional Facility
13747 E. County Road 428
Newberry, MI 49868

#### 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

#### **Church Office**

Phone — 989-835-8559 Email — wrccoffice@gmail.com

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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 transition season.

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

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR WRCC FAMILY AND FRIENDS

- Pam Cramer went to the ER on Thursday and would like prayers that any tests she receives will help determine what she's had going on lately and how they can treat it.
- Jason Belich (Gary and Lena's son) is having employment problems and prayers of reassurance for him are requested.
- Connie has been dealing with Covid.
- Maddy Kurschat will be starting Physical Therapy on January 22nd for her head and neck region pain she has had for some time now. Also, her infusion port won't be put in until late January or early February.
- Kim Chilton (Jim and Mary's daughter) has been dealing with a broken ankle and it has been healing very slowly. She will be reevaluated on January 21st.

#### **Praise**

 Sara Callison (cousin of Sue Wells and Aunt Mary's granddaughter) Her cancer surgery went well and she's now back to work. Sue thanks everyone for the prayers and would like prayers for ongoing follow up tests to go well.

#### Monthly Memory Verse:

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

John 3:16 (King James Version)

#### **Budget Report**

Contributions YTD as of December - \$161,722 YTD Budget - \$170,000

#### **Ministry Spotlight**

The Helping Hands Ministry was busy in 2024. They had 13 projects some of which required multiple days. Their projects included working on flooring, changing batteries, setting the timers for lights in the Church parking lot, digging a trench, moving furniture, giving members rides to services and to physical therapy, moving a piano, stripping and waxing floors in the Church building, raking leaves and the Mobile Food Pantry. If you'd like to get involved with Helping Hands or have a project you need their help with you can contact Ann Joseph.

Thank You Helping Hands for your Servant Hearts!



#### Order of Worship

Bill Thena — Song Leader

Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Welcome —Matt Loree

**Scripture Reading** 

Faithful Love Amazing Grace/My Chains are Gone

Communion Devotional Joe Chai

**Offering Prayer** 

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Conversation With Children Fred Sitter

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

Christ Kids — Kelly Thena

Sermon Adam Davis

I have Found a Friend in Jesus

Announcements & Family Time Memory Verse — John 3:16

Worship Rotation
January 12
Nursery

Lisa Chai and Jessica Chai

Medical Ministry

Donna Anspaugh

**Greeters** Jill Martin

January 19 Song Leader Bill Thena

Welcome

Matt Loree

Table Chairman

Joe Chai

**Nursery**Bobbie Forgie and Jill Martin

Christ's Kids

Kristen Cantrell

Children's Conversation
Rick Miller

Medical Ministry

Ruby Dresden

**Greeters** 

Jennifer Earley