



# Wheeler Road Church of Christ

August 10, 2025

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# Wheeler Road Family News

### **WRCC** Family Celebrations:

Happy Birthday to Jonathan Moore on Monday and to Elaina Martin and Mari Sitter on Tuesday. Happy Anniversary to Joe & Lisa Chai on Thursday. Congratulations to you!

Parking Lot Work: On Monday and for some days thereafter, our parking lot will not be accessible due to asphalt work.

**Schedule Changes:** There's no Pop-Up tonight and no bible study on Wednesday this week.

**Family Meal:** The next Family Meal is Wednesday, August 20th

#### Renewed Minds Book Club:

The next meeting is Saturday, August 23rd at 9am at the Grove Tea Lounge in Midland.

### Agape Dinner Schedule Change:

There's no Agape Dinners on August 31st or November 30th. The Brian's Bucket will still be out on those dates and the Pop Can/Bottle collections will still be done on August 31st. Our last Agape Dinner for the year will be held on Sunday, October 26th.

Shoebox Collection: The August Operation Christmas Child items are school supplies. No notebooks are needed because they've already been purchased. Needed School Supply items for boys between the ages of 10 - 14 years old include:

Pencils, pens, pencil sharpeners, pencil pouches, erasers (cap and bar style), 6-inch to 8-inch scissors for ages 10 - 14 years, colored pencils, glue sticks, markers, and crayons.

**Gospel Reading Schedule:** The August Reading List is on the Welcome Center.

# Shults Lewis Children's Home Commodity Drive:

Our Commodity drive for Shults Lewis goes through Sunday, August 24th. Their needed items include:

Pancake Mix—12 boxes Instant Oatmeal—11 boxes

We're doing a Specialty Breakfast Basket for their September Annual Day to help them raise money for their programs. If you'd like to add to that you can bring in small jars of specialty Jams, Jellies, Honey or Syrup and put them all in or by the round basket at the front of the auditorium.

They also accept gift cards or monetary donations for needed supplies.

#### 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**

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Office Days: Monday—Friday Call to make appointments or set one up at site below: https://calendly.com/adavis-minister/60min

#### **Church Office**

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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** — Wounded warriors, our leaders, national disasters, water shortages around the world, ongoing wars.

MISSION CONCERNS — Brazil School of Preaching, Shults Lewis, Young Life, Operation Christmas Child, Church of Christ Disaster Relief. MINISTRY CONCERNS — Church family, leadership team, our community.

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

- Sue Wells surgical biopsy results showed stage 2 cancer. She will need to get radiation and will be finding out more information in September. She will be consulting with the Oncologist on August 21st at U of M. Please keep her and Darren in your prayers.
- Bette Lieber and her family need prayers for peace and comfort during this time. Her health was failing last week and she's been on hospice.
- Maddy Kurschat continues to experience physical health challenges, and her ongoing fatigue is weighing heavily on her mental and emotional well-being. Her and Ryan need ongoing prayers and support.
- David Sitter will be having a parole hearing in two months to determine if he will be released in March. He asks for prayers throughout this whole process.

# Question of the Month

What does living in the kingdom of God look like today?

#### **Budget Report**

Contributions YTD as of July - \$88,743 YTD Budget - \$99,162

## Ministry Spotlight—WRCC Missions Update

Committee - Loran Brown, Al Henry, Ann Joseph, Gwen Karl, Vicki Phillips, Sue & Darren Wells, Adam Davis

WRCC sends funds quarterly to the following:

Brazil - In one way or another we have supported the effort in Brazil for many years (ask Al Henry!) and at this time we send funds to the Charlie Huffman School of Preaching. In 2024 there were 16 students on campus and 10 on-line. Funds are sent to the Kingwood Church of Christ in Murfreesboro, Tennessee where they're directed to Brazil. Young Life - This organization works with our young population. "More than one million kids in over 100 counties are impacted every year". WRCC helps monetarily and we've also provided meals at youth gatherings here in Midland.

Schults Lewis - Child & Family Servies in Valparaiso, IN. A mission WRCC has partnered with for many years, we continue to see their continued work with families. In 2024 WRCC youth spent a few days at Schults Lewis doing projects (painting, trimming shrubs, weeding, cleaning, etc.). WRCC also every summer does a commodity drive. COC Disaster Response - "You are helping to meet basic individual needs (food, water, personal care, cleaning kits, school kits, and baby care items) of people affected by a disaster. Because DRT (Disaster Response Team) joins forces closely with local congregations in the disaster area, the emotional and spiritual needs can be met for months and years to come". This team sends trucks of supplies all over the country after disasters.

#### Other Individual Items:

\$400 to Schults Lewis for new washer/dryer, \$1,500 to Rochester University, \$115 to Special Olympics, \$650 to Haiti minister for two-years rent

Thank You Missions Team for your focus on Missions and to the Congregation for helping us support the Missions

## Order of Worship

Allen Cardinal — Song Leader

He's My King

Welcome — Matt Loree

Scripture Reading—Eccl. 12:13 -14

He is Able to Deliver Thee Nearer, Still Nearer

Communion Devotional Rick Miller

**Offering Prayer** 

Nearer My God to Thee None of Self and All of Thee

# Conversation With Children Fred Sitter

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

"The Net" Adam Davis

Love Lifted Me

# Announcements & Family Time Question of the Month

Worship Rotation
August 10
Nursery

Stacie Young and Annabelle Young

# **Medical Ministry**

Adam Joseph

Greeters

Jill Martin

August 17

**Song Leader** 

Bill Thena

Welcome

Adam Joseph

**Table Chairman** 

Bill Thena

Nursery

Donna Anspaugh and Stephanie Miller

**Christ's Kids** 

Bobbie Forgie

Children's Conversation

Rick Miller

**Medical Ministry** 

Leland McClain

**Greeters** 

Jennifer Earley