



The church received a letter from GNPI (Good News Productions International) thanking us for partnering with them and giving our annual donation to them. Here is a list of what that partnership made possible. Solar Kits have been deployed to Nepal, and media training has been lined up for Chinese students this coming fall. Shepherding of the regional center staff is happening monthly, and they have been able to deliver production equipment like laptops, steady cams, and Nomad Production Kits to SE Asia, Uganda, and Chile. GNPI's headquarters is located in Joplin, Missouri –a long way from these countries. GNPI has had a good year so far, as they have grown their budget for the third consecutive year, added more staff, and taken on more projects, as well as increased their financial needs. Their website is www.gnpi.org, if you would like to know more.

In case you did not realize, GNPI produces the Tracts that are hanging in a rack at the back door of the church on the wall. There are 12 different tracts that we believe fit our church. The Good News Tracts is a ministry of Crossway, which provides resources to help you share the living gospel. We hope that these tracts strengthen you to spread Jesus's name to unbelievers. Pick up a few and start passing them out to neighbors, waiters at restaurants, maintenance workers, businesses or anywhere. Our granddaughter spent the summer with us and she took some tracts to pass out at her college in Joplin, Missouri. One of the favorites picked up, is the Mickey Mantle Tract which is good especially for men. Also, we have a new one "How to Become a Christian" by Billy Graham. It introduces the lost to God's unchanging love for us. Another one, is "What If", it answers questions like what if the Bible is true, where will you spend eternity? It draws the lost towards repentance of sin.

Executive Director, Mike Schrage of GNPI, should be here at our church with his booth on January 8, 2017, at our Missions Fair. You can ask your questions directly to him at that time.

Don't forget, if you need tracts please take them. They are FREE thanks to your church. Some are even printed in Spanish.

See you on the Mission Field,

Bill H. Gepford and the Mission Committee

Attendance & Offering Report

DATE	ATTENDANCE	OFFERING
August 7	169	\$11,598.00
August 14	210	\$8,971.00
August 21	228	\$9,353.00
August 28	212	\$8,257.00

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Dear Church family

As you are reading this note school has already started. Most parents are happy about that and most kids aren't so happy.

I learned an important truth in Christian College, we never stop acquiring knowledge and instruction about Jesus and the Christian life. We just keep learning about Jesus and serving Him till life ends.

It is a beautiful thing to witness how much people change as they walk with Jesus. I have been granted the great privilege of watching the spirit filled change on many of you.

Be faithful to Jesus because He is always faithful to you and his promises. Pray Hard. Time is short.
Love,
Pastor Curt



Worship Service Schedule

Contemporary Sunday 9:00 AM

It's hard to believe that we are already working on our Christmas Cantata entitled "We Believe". **Practices** are on both **Sunday & Thursday nights at 6pm – 7:30pm**. Make it to practice as often as you can. The choir's **presentation** will be on **Sunday, December 4th**. Be watching for more information about the time of this performance.

Blended Service Sunday 11:15 AM

We have a wonderful online tool for anyone involved in the Music Ministry in anyway called *THE PLANNING CENTER*. Our Choir Members can go to the Planning Center online (after providing us with an email) and look at the music PDFs & also listen to the music MP3's. Each week we are uploading a new song with the teaching instruction from our practices. This is beneficial for all choir members to be able to get the instruction for the songs we are working. So if you miss a practice or you're still up north be sure you can keep up with us by working with this online tool.

Sunday School For all ages also offered during the 10:15 AM Worship Hour

If you aren't signed up yet or have forgotten your user name/password or just have forgotten how to use the Planning Center Online we can help you out. Please contact me or KC Douglas and we will help you out.

~Steven Dawes
Associate Pastor

Love God

YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY

New Married People Small Group

Yes, finding the right group is always worth it, because connecting with other married couples who want your marriage to win, is one of the best things you can do for your marriage. We have a new class coming up called, 'Becoming Your Best Us.' It's a five-week study where you will focus on 4 doable things to make your US better than ever. We are going to meet once a month for 5 sessions starting (October 5th, 6-7PM) and continuing every first Wednesday of the month. Don't worry there is no prep work or homework. We will meet just once a month. This study is for everyone who is married. Can't wait to see you there.

CaPreKidz/Caprikidz

Nursery/PreK: I can Trust God

K-5th Grade: Trust

Parents Night Out: September 2nd, October 14th

Midway: Wednesdays 6-7PM

Capristudents

Lely Lunch: Friday's 11:43AM

MICMS Lunch: Thursday's 11:17AM

Lely Football: 9/9, 9/16 at 7:30 PM

Youth Group: Sunday 4-6PM, Achieving Happiness (Series Title: What makes you happy)

Movie Mornings: Sunday 10:15AM Room #3 (This month's movie "Camp")

Outreach Night: Zoomers Activity Park, Ft Myers Sept 25th @ 4PM

Helping Hands Ministry

The Helping Hands Ministry is now in their fourth year of serving families in their time of need by providing meals.

A new sign-up sheet will be available next Sunday September 4th, 2016 for anyone interested in helping provide a meal for someone in need. For example: someone coming home from the hospital, an illness that prevents someone from preparing a meal for themselves, or someone who has experienced a loss.

Please come see us at the Welcome Center and become part of this special ministry. Thank you! Be sure and go to the church website and click on Ministries/Women's Connections for more information.

Tabitha Dawes and Patty Irving

Love Others

Up Coming Events

- **Philip's Ministry, Wednesday September 21st 2016 12:00pm.** The widows group will be meeting for lunch at Bill's Steak & Seafood Restaurant: 4221 Tamiami Trail E Naples, FL 34112. Contact Nancy DeVolder at (239) 642-5155 or Charlotte Paul at (239) 259-2046 for more information.
- **All Church Dinner, Sunday September 18th 2016 following the 11:15am Worship service.** Sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center to bring a dish.
- **New Ministry** to our Widowers will kick off on October 27th, we will be giving more information in the October Newsletter and in the bulletin.
- **Upcoming Small groups:** *Book of Psalms*(Monday Nights and Wednesday Nights: Pastor Curt, Pastor Steve), *Parables*(Monday Nights: Pastor Steve), *Connecting/Teaching Married Couples and Parents*(1st Wed. of each month: Pastor Tim), and *Women's Ministry*(Monday/Tuesday Night: Debt Haeussler)

2016-2017 Major Events

- OCT. 9..... **BREAKFAST BETWEEN SERVICES**
- OCT. 23..... **FISH FRY**
- DEC. 1..... **BEAN SUPPER WHITE ELEPHANT**
- JAN. 8..... **MISSIONS FAIR**
- JAN. 21 **WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**
- JAN. 28 **GARAGE SALE**
- FEB. 3 **SOLD OUT CONCERT**
- FEB. 10 **SWEETHEART BANQUET**
- FEB. 19 **'BALL PARK' SUNDAY**
- MARCH 4 **ISLAND BBQ**
- MARCH 11..... **LADIES FASHION SHOW**
- APRIL 16 **EASTER SUNDAY**

Serve Others



October Birthday's

- 1 Stephanie Gardiner
- 2 Cheryl Tucker
- 3 Carol Toogood
- 4 George Collingsgrove
- 5 Brian Armstrong
Kris Christie
Rich Christie
- 6 Nicole Collingsgrove
- 7 Betty J. Kuehn
- 13 Robert Ditton
- 14 Zachary Tower
- 21 Deana Paul
Mary Husted
Mike Cox
- 22 Judy Tauriello
- 26 Lincoln Garwood
- 28 Sandra Denkhaus
- 29 Shelby Scornavacchi
- 31 Debbie Bartman



October Anniversaries

- 1 Bob & Sarah Grosz
Jeff & Nancy Lambert
- 9 Marv & Gayle
Kopelson
- 12 Tim & patty Irving
- 15 Robert & Joanne
Miller
- 18 Charles & Marie
Smith
Jim & Dorothy Warren
- 19 Rick & Neva Nolan
- 24 Jerry & Gloria Kratz
- 27 Harold & Elahvonne
Wright
- 28 David & Dana Curtis
Warren & Carole
Kratz