

Welcome to Servant's

JUNE 28, 2009

Nursery is provided for children 2yrs and under. Little Lambs is provided for children aged 2-3, children ages 4-11 go to the Lighthouse next door for worship today.

THE POWER OF WORDS

For the next five weeks in worship we will be thinking about the power of words. James says that our mouths, and way we choose to use them act like a rudder for the rest of us. We'll be looking at some teachings from scripture about the way we use our words, and exploring some of the stories in scripture that help root us in God's word.

June 28th: Luke 6:43-45, 2 Kings 6:8-23

July 5th: James 3:1-12, Matthew 16:5-20

July 12th: Colossians 4:6, John 4:1-30

July 19th: Proverbs 12:18, 2 Samuel 11-12:25

July 26th: Proverbs 26:17, Judges 14

NEW CONSISTORY NOMINEE

Last week the congregation voted to approve the nomination of Renne Huisman for the office of deacon. Renne will be finishing the three year term started in January by Mike VanBeek. Mike, Leanne and Charlie are relocating to Midland for Mike's new job. There is a three week window for concerns about Renne's ability to serve our church to be brought before the current board of elders; Jody Horton, Cindy Bennett, Bill Beatty and Pastor's Jeff and Jen. Please feel free to contact any of these people with concerns or feedback.

Verse to Remember

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows Me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life. John 8:1

Announcements cont.

SHARING A MEAL

Don and Karen Thoms are hosting a spaghetti dinner every Sunday night through August 23. Meet at their house, dinner will begin at 6:00pm. Bring a dish to pass, plus table service and drinks for your family. These dinners will be outside, so will not take place if it is raining.

PICNICS IN THE PARK

We have a beautiful park down at the corner of Fulton and Straight. Last year, we hosted a series of dinners there dubbed the "Picnics in the Park" which were so successful that we wanted to add more weeks onto it for this summer. We are looking at hosting the picnics for the whole month of August, plus adding three weeks in July on. Check out the volunteer list (on the Fridge) for ways that you can participate, if you would like to help with the planning details, contact Christy or Nate.

Getting Ready: Sat, July 11, 9:30am

We have a few things to do in order to get ready. So Saturday, July 11th, we are meeting at 9:30am at the park to do some weeding and general clean-up. So bring your gardening supplies and come on down to join the crew.

CANVASSING THE COMMUNITY: WED. JULY 8, 6:00PM

This summer, like many summers, groups from supporting churches are interested in coming to our neighborhood to help out in a tangible way. When groups like this call, we would like to have a list of neighbors who could use some help in some way; a ramp built, a tree cut down, the yard cleaned up. In order to connect these service groups with the needs of our neighbors, we need to create a list. On Wednesday evening, July 8th, we are going to canvass the community to ask our neighbors what needs they see of which we can help. While on our walk around, we will also hand out flyers, inviting these same neighbors to our Picnics in the Park.. Hope to see you there, as we step out into our neighborhood.

END OF YEAR BASH

Who: Children Ministry Volunteers. Where: Millennium Park. When: Tonight, 4:30pm. Bring a dish to pass!

AUCTION PLANNING MEETING: JUNE 30, 6:45PM

From the Consistory

June Offering:

6-7-09	\$3,266.55
6-14-09	\$2,289.88
6-21-09	\$1,389.50
Total (June)	\$6,945.93
Weekly Average (June)	\$2,315.31
Year to date	\$54,988.47
Weekly Average (Y-T-D)	\$2,199.54
Average needed for budget	\$2,115.38

Volunteers

THIS WEEK (JUNE 28)

Prayer Leaders
Paul, Jody

Greeters
Beth K.

Nursery
Tammy S, Miranda,
Christian

Little Lambs
Julie, Ann

Children In Worship (4-7)
Charles, Chelsea

Children In Worship (8-11)
Craig & Martie

NEXT WEEK (JULY 5)

Prayer Leaders
Pastors

Greeters
Eileen

Nursery
Margaret, Ezzy, Cheri,
Joslyn

Little Lambs
Rachel, Ed

Kids of the Kingdom
Ann

WE ENVISION

Servant's Community Church envisions a community of transformation seeking Christ's Kingdom, loving God and loving our neighbor.

This Week at Servant's June 28 – July 4

TODAY

10:00 am Worship Service

MONDAY

7:00 pm Prayer Meeting: In Lighthouse

TUESDAY

6:45pm Auction Planning Meeting

WEDNESDAY

6:00 - 7:15 pm Cultivating the Word: Lighthouse

THURSDAY

9:00 am Bulletin Announcements Due

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

NEXT SUNDAY: JULY 5

10:00 am Worship Service

CHECK OUT THE SCHEDULE IN ADVANCE AT OUR WEBSITE:

WWW.SERVANTSCHURCH.ORG

FROM CHARLES AND CINDY

We are so overwhelmed with awe and wonder by the love here at Servants' Community Church and want to thank our Servants' Family for coming to our 20th Wedding Anniversary/Vow Renewal Ceremony. Even though it was SUPER HOT the ceremony was beautiful. Thanks to all who took part in it one way or another to make it a reality. Cindy and I were very blessed to see the church packed with friends, family, and coworkers who wanted to celebrate with us in this very important milestone in our lives together as a couple.

With Great Thanks!

Charles and Cindy

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Columns with Capstone, Elizabeth Steele Halstead

In biblical times the city was the center of life, where feasts and celebrations drew people together from all around. Like the image of a building with a cornerstone, the columns here symbolize a strong community edifice whose capstone is Jesus Christ. The building columns also represent a connection between heaven and earth. Through reconciliation and being one in Christ, may we as a community represent the kingdom of God here on earth.

Scripture: 1 Peter 2:4-5, Ephesians 2:19-22, Hebrews 11:1-3

Servant's Consistory and Staff

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Servant's Community Church

Order of Worship

JUNE 28, 2009

APPROACH

Gathering Song

“Psalm 121”

Call to Worship

Passing of the Peace

Songs of Praise

“We Worship You God”

Let the River Flow”

WORD

Dismiss Kids

Scripture Like 6:43-45, 2 Kings, 6:8-23

Message

RESPONSE

Song of Response

“Change My Heart O God”

Call to confession

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Assurance of Pardon

Ascription of Praise

“Nothing But the Blood

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