



# Capital District Church of Christ Announcements

February 25, 2010

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Contribution Goal: \$2,042

(February 14 goal was \$1,683. We actually collected \$1,165. February 21 was \$2,018. We collected \$1,476.

Contribution Goal Year-To-Date: \$12,000

Collected Year-To-Date: \$16,139

**\*FYI-The differences btw the year-to-date figures and the monthly figures will vary. This is because the yearly amounts are cumulative.**

HOPE Collection Year-To-Date: \$794

Special Contribution Year-To-Date: \$2,514 (collected \$500 this past week)

Attendance: Did not take

## Midweek Services

Thursday, Mar 4, 2010  
Congregational-Wide Midweek

Thursday, Mar 11, 2010  
All Men's/Single & Campus

Thursday, Mar 18, 2010  
Family Group Midweek

Thursday, Mar 25, 2010  
All Women's/Single & Campus

Thursday, Apr 1, 2010  
Congregational-Wide Midweek

Thursday, Apr 8, 2010  
All Men's/Single & Campus

Thursday, Apr 15, 2010  
Family Group Midweek

Thursday, Apr 22, 2010  
All Women's/Single & Campus

Thursday, Apr 29, 2010  
Family Group Midweek

*Proverbs 14:14-16 — <sup>14</sup> The faithless will be fully repaid for their ways, and the good man rewarded for his. <sup>15</sup> A simple man believes anything, but a prudent man gives thought to his steps. <sup>16</sup> A wise man fears the LORD and shuns evil, but a fool is hotheaded and reckless.*

## Sunday Service February 28, 2010

The congregational theme for the year is "2010—A Year of Faith"!!! Therefore, Scott will be preaching on the topic of faith throughout the entire year. The title of the sermon for this worship service is "Keeping The Faith Without Losing Your Mind". The premise of this message deals with the fact that God calls us to be faithful and righteous in a way that sometimes is very contradictory in the world around us and our selfish desires. This sometimes can make us feel like we are going crazy, make life very overwhelming, and lead us to think and reason in ways that tend to be very faithless. Obviously, if God calls us to keep the faith and live by faith, we all must "live a life worthy of His calling". This sermon will be inspirational, challenging, and very practical. Our attendances have dropped off a bit in February so let's try to make our final Sunday a worship service in which there are many souls visiting with us. Service will begin at 1:00 pm and we ask that you arrive a little bit early for some pre-service fellowship. To God be the glory!

## Sunday Service March 7, 2010

For this service we will be seeing a couple of short videos from ICOC Hot News in regards to kingdom news taking place throughout our family of churches around the world. As a congregation, we derive much faith and encouragement when we have the opportunity to hear the good news that is taking place in our family of churches throughout the world. This also helps our friends and family who are visiting with us get a glimpse of just how incredible God is and how amazingly He works through our brothers and sisters in various places around the globe. The plan for the sermon is to show one of these short videos and then have a message on faith to follow. Let's all remember to spend some time alone with the Lord before we come together in corporate worship. Service will be held at the church building beginning at 1:00 pm.

**NOTE: On the church's yearly calendar March 7 was supposed to be a Campus Sunday. Due to the unavailability of Empire Commons our Campus Sunday has been postponed to a later date.**

## Prayer Requests

Pray for Sabrina that good health will be restored to her soon and that God would remove the health issues she is struggling with.

Pray for Marsha's mom as she struggles with the side effects of chemo treatments.

Pray from Chester Szetela, Mary's father, who had a biopsy on his bladder. The biopsy showed cancer so please pray that it is treatable and non-aggressive.

Pray for Mary that her heart and love for people would not diminish.

Fay requests prayers for Remby, a NJ campus brother, whose brother and sister were in an accident and whose Dad is ill.

Pray for the Men's Forum to honor God, to be impactful to hearts and minds of the men, and that we have one-to-one visitors present.

Pray for the evangelism of the church to reflect the heart of Jesus and His love as well.

Pray for all those studying the Bible and for many more to accept the invitation to study the Bible.

Continue to keep in your prayers all those families that were impacted and continue to be impacted by the Haitian earthquake.

## Prayers Answered

Many people have been praying for Chester Szetela, the father of Mary McNair. The prayers were for a successful and safe operation and God answered the prayers and Chester is out of the hospital and recovering from his operation. To God be the glory!

## Sunday Service March 14, 2010

This service comes a day after our church's Marrieds Devotional and we hope to have some of the marrieds share good news/highlights about the devotional and some things that inspired them. In keeping with our yearly theme of "faith", the sermon will focus on faith in marriage and the important role faith plays in a godly marriage. Please do not think this is some sort of "married church service". It will be impactful and enlightening to all people regardless of whether they are married or not. Therefore, be sure to invite marrieds, singles, campus, teens, toddlers, etc. out to worship alongside the amazing members of the CDCC.

## Men's Forum Saturday, February 27, 2010

With only a couple of days left before the Men's Forum, the need of the hour is to invite out and follow up with as many souls as possible. We need to be faithful in our prayers and diligent in our actions in order to give as many men as possible an opportunity to be part of this awesome men's event. We will have three main speakers and they are Mark Rogers, Andy Laine, and Byron Smith. The theme for the breakfast is Man Vs. the Wild and is sure to be appealing to men both from a spiritual standpoint and a "manly" standpoint. This topic will not only connect with the men in the congregation it will also be a very powerful and practical outreach to the friends, family, and acquaintances we bring along with us. The Men's Forum will take place at the Turf Tavern in Scotia and will run from 9:00 am—11:00 am.

## Church Outing/Rollerskating February 27, 2010

A reminder for the church that Saturday, February 27th, we will be rollerskating at Guptills arena at 12:30pm. Admission is \$7 and skates are \$3. For more information you can call Guptills at 785-0660 or go to [www.guptillsarena.com](http://www.guptillsarena.com). Their address is 1085 Route 9, Latham, NY 12047. The coordinator for this event is Rachel Rogers. Thank you!!!

**NOTE:** Please let your family group leader know if you are planning to attend or not. A head count will help all parties involved. Thank you. Thank you. Thank you.

## Food Pantry Donations

Throughout the month of March the congregation will be taking up donations of food for the Doors of Hope Food Pantry which is located in West Sand Lake village. Lisa Deck will be handing out a reminder sheet with food suggestions on Sunday.

## **Marrieds Devotional Saturday, March 13, 2010**

The married couples of the CDCC along with any of their married friends who would like to participate will be having a devotional held at the church building. The time and itinerary will be forthcoming. This will be the first devotional of its kind in a good number of years and we plan on making it spiritual, insightful, and even a bit fun!!! The hope is that each and every married couple can clear their calendar for that afternoon and be present for this uplifting devotional.

## **CDCC Women's Day 2010**

On May 1, 2010, the women of the CDCC will have their annual Women's Day event. This is a spectacular opportunity for the women to unite as well as reach out to friends, family, and neighbors. Mary McNair has volunteered as event coordinator and is gathering together a team to make this day great.