



Capital District Church of Christ Announcements

March 18, 2010

March 21, 2010

Contribution Goal: \$1,500

(Last Sunday we collected \$1,546 on a goal of \$1,500.)

Contribution Goal Year-To-Date: \$16,500

Collected Year-To-Date: \$21,145

***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: \$994

Special Contribution Year-To-Date: \$3,514

Attendance: 47 (This is the same as last week. Let's all be praying to see our attendance be at 60 and above.)

Midweek Services

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 15:1-3 — ¹ A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger. ² The tongue of the wise commends knowledge, but the mouth of the fool gushes folly. ³ The eyes of the LORD are everywhere, keeping watch on the wicked and the good.

Sunday Service March 21, 2010

We hope that our worship service brings much joy to the heart of God along with much glory and praise due to His majesty. We will be able to accomplish this if we are willing to come to service prepared to give of ourselves completely in heart, mind, and soul to God. Also, we must remember that when we come together we are looking out for the needs of others and allowing God to meet our individual needs through the singing, fellowship, biblical teachings, and prayer. The theme will continue to be on the topic of faith and Scott's sermon will highlight this. Let's all be praying for the brothers and sisters who will be singing/sharing/preaching/teaching the children/praying during our worship service. Once again, service will be held at the church building beginning at 1:00 pm.

NOTE: Let's do our best through prayer, evangelism, and follow-up to bring visitors out to service. We really do need to petition God and act faithfully in this area as our attendances have been very low. To God be the glory!

Sunday Service March 28, 2010

This service will be following our first Singles Devotional of the year. The plan now is to have some of the singles incorporated into the worship line-up and have them share some insights from the devotional. There will be single disciples from other ministries traveling to this devotional and we hope to have some of them participate in leading our Sunday worship. We are all familiar with the saying "March comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb" and it is with this in mind that Scott will be preaching a message on faith surrounding the "lamb of God". Service will be held at the church building beginning at 1:00 pm.

Easter Service April 4, 2010

Our Easter worship service always holds a specialness due to the fact that we rejoice in the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Currently, we have various skits/presentations planned as well as a possible Easter dinner following church service. We hope to get out invites by Sunday, March 21, so that we can start inviting our friends, family, neighbors, community members, etc. Scott is currently thinking through a sermon that would surround the passage of Scripture highlighting the road to Emmaus. More details to follow.

Pray for Sabrina Taylor and her ongoing health and medical issues.

Pray for the family of Basharu Bolligun, a friend of the CDCC. He lost his uncle last week.

Pray for Mary McNair as she is currently at home very ill with a stomach virus.

Pray for a friend of Terry Foy's who has been diagnosed with cancer and given six months to live.

Pray for our special contribution collection and that we reach \$8,000 by the end of March.

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

Scott McNair has been praying that God would lead him to open souls when he is sharing his faith. Yesterday, Scott met a 21 year old young man named Jay who is very open to both Bible study and coming out to church. To God be the glory!

**Men's All Night Prayer
Friday, March 19, 2010**

It is with much excitement and expectation that we announce the first men's all night prayer in quite some time. These prayer nights are always an incredible time of soul searching, openness and vulnerability, as well as spiritual enlightenment and encouragement. It is a time for the men to gather with one another and connect with their powerful God through prayer. This will be the first time that the men have the prayer night in a location other than someone's home. The men will be meeting in the church sanctuary for their prayer time and also utilize the fellowship hall for drinks and snacks. The time for the prayer night will be 11:00 pm–6:00 am.

NOTE: The goal is that all the men sacrifice their time and sleep to meet together in a unified effort of prayer. To God be the glory!

**Preteen and Young Teen Bake Sale
Sunday, March 21, 2010**

This upcoming Sunday we will begin our bake sale for the preteen and young teen ministries. There will be delicious foods for sale. Please come and support our kids as all monies will be used to send our kids to Christian summer camps. Thank you for your participation in this endeavor.

**Singles Devotional
Friday, March 26, 2010**

It is very encouraging to see that the singles will be having their first devotional since they came together as a ministry at the beginning of 2010. We are all very grateful to Mark and Rachel Rogers for their heart and conviction to lead this awesome ministry. They have been working very hard on behalf of the singles and are truly fighting to see this ministry grow spiritually, to become more unified, and to save more single souls around the Capital District. Mark will be teaching/preaching an amazing message during the devotional on the topic of unity. There will also be some great ice breakers to start the devotional off and some refreshments to be shared during fellowship. The devotional will be held at the church building in Clifton Park, and will run from approximately 7:00 pm–10:00 pm. Please be praying for this devotional!!!

Special Contribution Update

A reminder that our goal is to have collected \$8,000 by the end of March towards our overall special contribution goal of \$25,000. The importance of collecting this \$8,000 by the end of March is that it enables us to continue to operate as a church in the manner that was presented at our annual meeting in January. Therefore, please pray for each member to think and reason sacrificially and to give sacrificially at this time. Currently, we have collected \$3,514 so we only need \$4,486 more. To God be the glory!

Food Pantry Donations

Whenever we give food to the poor and needy we are imitating the heart and actions of Jesus himself. We want to remind everybody that each Sunday in the month of March there is a blue bin stationed right at the top of the stairs leading from the children's classes to the sanctuary. As of now there really is just "slim pickings" in the bin. If you are able, please bring in donations. Thank you. Thank you. Thank you.

CDCC Women's Day 2010

The women of the CDCC have been faithfully working hard on the upcoming Women's Day event that will take place on May 1, 2010. The hope is that the women and men are already letting friends, family, and even strangers know about this amazingly empowering spiritual gathering. Mary McNair has been coordinating the event and is appreciative of all the help and support from various sisters. Let's honor God and bring out lots and lots of ladies. To God be the glory!