

Word Of Hope

The Amazing
Grace
Place

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS
January 3rd

WELCOME!

Welcome to worship!
It's the most exciting thing we do all week and we love having guests.

On Sunday morning we offer two different worship experiences. Our 8:15 service is quiet, meditative & traditional while 10:45 is more contemporary with a range of instruments and projected music.

Whatever the means through which God's gracious presence becomes more real for you, we all give thanks for the variety of gifts God has given us for worship & praise.

There are many ways for you to become involved in the life of the church at Word of Hope and we invite you to participate in any activity that might interest you. Or, you may wish to simply observe and that's welcome too.

Either way, we would like to get to know you. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to Pastor Duval and other WOH folks before or after worship service.



HOLY COMMUNION

God's gift to us is the presence of Jesus in the bread and wine ~ and we're happy to share it with you as you are touched by the presence of God. In fact, that's one of the expectations we have of worship, that God is in this place and that his presence makes all the difference in the world for our lives. (Ushers will direct you to the table.) We invite all Christians who trust in Jesus' presence in the bread and wine to participate in this holy meal – for this is the Lord's Supper.

Peace be with you.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY

8:15 Classic Grace Worship
9:30 True North/Lifeline
10:45 Celebration Worship
Annual Reports Due
Noon – Youth to Lunch
6:30-8pm Confirmation
"Bible Basics"
6:30pm Parent/Tween Group

TUESDAY

7pm Church Council

WEDNESDAY

7-8pm "Live the Faith" Group
8pm Praise Band Practice

SATURDAY

6:30pm "Diner's Night" –
Dinner & Games

NEXT SUNDAY

8:15 Classic Grace Worship
9:30 True North/Lifeline
10:45 Celebration Worship
Annual Report Available
6:30-8pm Confirmation
"Bible Basics"

PRAYERS

Prayers for Health: Lois Moston, Jim Clemons, Ng See Wong (Wong), LeeAnn Toomey, Andy Bosomworth, Bill & Lynn Parker, Dash Reardon & Jill Daniels (Black), Michael & Margaret DeCarlo (Campbell), Dolores Alexander, Connie Paulson, Dennis Reibold (Metzler & Vannoy), Jamie Nicholas, Bill Irby (Frazier), Marti Kleinpeter, Jessica Moore (Kleinpeter), Silke McEwen, The Baglivi Family, Joan MacNair, Zain Finger (Brown), Leo & Irene Stevens, William Matthews, Gary Tharp (Adams); Carlisle Farmer (Davis); Sarah & Rita Schumacher, Mary Jo McClure(Cook); Helen Warren (Polnisch); Bill & Pat Blake (Simpson), Kay Davis, Jamie Martin, Lynn Alexander, Charlotte Mary, Griffin, Eli & JB Wong, Sherri & Vickie Stevens (Adams), Barb Burchardt, John & Carol Schumacher

Prayers for Word of Hope folks:
HILDI and JADEN KORSE;
JASON, APRIL and SHAWN LAMBIRTH; ROBERT and JAN LIPINSKI; JERRY and JULIE McEWEN; CRYSTAL, JOHN and JOE McMULLEN.



Prayers for

For those serving our country:
ALEX EARNEST; ELIAS ISREAL;
LINDA (KNAPP) GLUSSON;
AMANDA TAYLOR.

"House-of-God Keeping"

WE CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH CHRIST

The giant step in the walk of faith is the one we take when we decide God no longer is a part of our lives.
He is our life.

Beth Moore – *Praying God's Word*

Sharing the Love of Jesus with All others & growing Disciples.

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Pastor Thom Duval

OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thurs
7:30-11am
(859)272-8515

Pastor's Day off:
Friday.

Emergencies Call:
(859)271-5233



The sanctuary
candle is given
for the
Glory of God



ANNUAL REPORTS DUE TODAY from all teams & leaders. Those summaries will be compiled into our Annual Report, which will be available next Sunday.

CHURCH COUNCIL will have its regular meeting this Tuesday at 7pm. All are welcome to join in the conversation.

A BUDGET FORUM will be held Tuesday, Jan 12 when you are invited to offer your input regarding the 2010 budget. Copies are available in the entry.

OUR WORSHIP & ANNUAL MEETING will be at 9am on **Sunday, Jan 24**. We'll take care of official acts of the congregation – reports, elections, budgets AND celebrate Holy Communion together: the Body of Christ for the Body of Christ. Join us for an extraordinary experience.

CHURCH CLEANING SIGNUP FOR JANUARY
The calendars for Jan/Feb are now available. Stop in and take a look to see when you can help out. It'll only take about an hour to do a section! Church cleaning for this week: (for the week ending 1/9) **Side A:** J.Adams; **Side B:** Taylor; **Side C:** Floro. Our thanks to those who took care of cleaning this past week: **EARNEST & TAYLOR**.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT WOH



"DINER'S NIGHT" SATURDAY 6:30PM. Everyone is invited to bring their favorite casserole or dessert and a beverage of your choice. We'll enjoy a great meal and try our hand at a few games – Come join the fun! For more information see **DARLENE** or **CLIPBOARDS**

YOUTH TO LUNCH TODAY All are welcome to join us in this get together as we share a meal and do a little catching up. It's a great way to get to know the younger folks at WOH.

OUR PARENT/TWEEN GROUP (PTG) will meet tonight at 6:30pm. If you haven't joined us, come give it a try! It's a casual and fun conversation about the joys & challenges we face as parents. All are welcome!



WOMEN'S WINTER RETREAT Mark your calendars for January 15 & 16 for an opportunity to relax & recharge - a time to reconnect with friends and with God in the beautiful setting of Aldersgate Retreat Center. Cost is just \$30/person and space is limited so get your reservation in early! We'll begin with dinner on Friday and wrap things up by dinnertime on Saturday. See **JANICE ADAMS** or **DARLENE TAYLOR** for details or to make your reservation or see the **CLIPBOARDS**.

SHARING THE LOVE OF JESUS WITH ALL OTHERS