



### **CELEBRATION CORNER:**

Weekend Worship attendance last week:

686

**Sunday School attendance:** 

309

**Facebook Views:** 

317

Celebration numbers since 3.1.2024:

**Salvation Experiences** 

4

Baptisms this year:

9

**New Church Members:** 

2

Families served since 3.1.2024 through:

Clothes Closet: 535 Essentials: 672

#### WEDNESDAY AFC MIDWEEK SCHEDULE:

- ALL CHURCH DINNER: 5-6pm
- 5/8 MENU: TBA
- LUNA COFFEE open until 6pm

#### KIDS:

- 5:00-6:00PM: PLAYZONE OPEN
- 6:15-7:15PM: BIBLE QUIZZING OPTION
- 6:15-7:15PM: NURSERY
- 6:15-7:15PM: PRE-K & K CLASS
- 6:15-7:15PM: GRADES 1- 5 CLASS OPTION

#### YOUTH:

- 5:00-6:00PM: WORSHIP REHEARSAL
- 6:15-7:15PM: YOUTH SERVICE
- + MIDDLE SCHOOL SMALL GROUPS
- + HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUPS
- 7:15-8:15PM: BIBLE QUIZZING

#### **ADULTS:**

- 6:15-7:15PM: BIBLE STUDIES
- 6:15-7:15PM: YOUNG ADULTS
- 6:15-8:00PM: GRIEF SHARE
- 7:15-8:15PM: LIFE RECOVERY

## HAPPENING TODAY:

Sunday, May 5

9:00 am Traditional Service 10:00 am Worship Service

10:20 am Sunday School for all ages

11:15 am Contemporary Service

11:15 am Spanish Service / Creative Campus / 3615 Raible Avenue

6:00 pm Small Groups

# HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

#### Tuesday:

• 7pm: Children's Council meeting

#### Wednesday:

• AFC MIDWEEK (see complete schedule below)

#### Thursday:

• 5pm: Pre-School Playdate

#### Friday:

• 10:30am: Pre-School Playdate

#### Saturday:

- Kids State Quiz
- 4pm: Date Your Mate / Cammack Station

### **PRAYER REQUESTS:**

#### **Health:**

Margie Sturgeon, Ryan Smith, Lydia Coombs, Noreen Weston, Raymond Brewer, Roger Phillips, Carolyn Carpenter, Kevin Folsom, Linda Folsom, Julie Morson, Sue Tellman, Linda Williams, Jessie Johnson, Ed Moore, Mike Derexson, Sue Handley, Justin Brown, Sally Derexson, Misty Karnes

#### Our sympathies to:

the Gilmore family in the loss of Carl; Miguel Moreno & family in the loss of his dad

#### Other needs:

Our missionaries: Abby Cabello (Dominican Republic); Tim & Michelle Eby (LINKS missionaries to South Africa); Frontline workers, AFC Staff, our city, state, and country; the NEI District; The Community Center, those that are caregivers; families with those in military, Taybor O'Neil (Army), Jaren Cravens (Army/deployed), Brodie Wallace (Army); Clayton Stephens (Marines); the Ukraine region; our Grid; teachers and students; Israel

## **LOOKING AHEAD:**

May 12: Mother's Day!

May 14: Welch Baby Shower / 6-8pm

May 15: AFC Midweek Finale!

May 16-18: Regional Celebrate Life / Youth / Olivet Nazarene University

May 17: NEI District Ordination Service / 7pm / Ft Wayne Grace Point

May 18: District Assembly Business mtg / 8am / Ft Wayne Grace Point

May 19: Kids Quiz Team Year End Party following third service. This fun event is for quizzers and their families!

May 19: Young Adult Lunch following third service

May 19: Small Groups

May 21: Seniors on the Go / 11:30am / catered lunch in lower level

May 21: Tag Team Tuesday / 4:30-6pm / Anderson Elementary School

May 21: Church Board meeting / 6pm





PRESCHOOL
PLAYDATE
HAPPENING
THIS WEEK!



ALL COUPLES
ARE INVITED
FOR THIS
ONCE A
MONTH
GATHERING!



CHILDREN'S
QUIZZING
STATE QUIZ
THIS
SATURDAY!

# SAVE THE DATE!



# church staff:

Dr. Joseph Dagostino III, Lead Pastor / Days off: Thursday & Saturday Rev. Shelly Stottlemyer, Associate Pastor / Days off: Friday & Saturday Rev. Mark Heskett, Executive Pastor / Days off: Friday & Saturday Rev. Cortney Coombs, Children's Pastor / Days off: Monday, Friday & Saturday Rev. Elias Cabello, Spanish Ministries Pastor

Pastor Joey Claus, Pastor to Youth & Young Adult Days off: Monday & Saturday Ashley Dagostino, Guest Visitation, ONU + Director / Days off: Thursday & Saturday Lilli Burkhardt, Community Center, College Age Ministry / Days off: Monday & Tuesday Jami Dailey, Nursery Director / Days off: Thursday & Saturday Keri Kardatzke, Church Admin / Days off: Saturday & Sunday

Please honor the days off for all staff. These days away are vital to being their very best!

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Core Values:

Our number one core value is WORSHIP.

Our number two core value is DISCIPLESHIP... Sunday School and Small Groups

Our number three core value is SERVICE... Community Engagement



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