



CIRCLE CHURCH OF CHRIST  
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UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CENTER  
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## FAMILY NEWSLETTER

OFFICE HOURS Monday through Friday 9 AM to 1 PM

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### "THE MAIN THING"

1. To love the Lord our God  
with all our heart and with all  
our soul and with all our mind  
and with all our strength.

2. To love our neighbors as  
ourselves.

3. To go and make  
disciples of all nations, baptiz-  
ing them in the name of the  
Father and of the Son and of  
the Holy Spirit, and teaching  
them to obey everything  
Christ has  
commanded us.

Delivery today!! If you have time and muscle, please assist us in loading boxes into vehicles.



*Let us come before him with  
thanksgiving and extol him with  
music and song. Psalm 95: 2*

Thank you for your help creating the Thanksgiving boxes with either donations of food, money or helping to put the boxes together. If you are scheduled to deliver a box, please find Tami after services, look for her by the information table.



Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. All hands on deck decorating for the Sing A Long. All life groups meeting on Wednesdays are asked to cancel their meeting and instead help decorate from **6 to 8:30 PM** at the building (this is also for those not in life groups - we need everyone!). If you can't be there at 6 PM get there when you can. Thanks!

The Elders

### PLEASE FILL OUT A FELLOWSHIP CARD

Everyone is asked to fill out a Fellowship Card, which you will find in the song book rack. If you have questions or comments, feel free to write them on the back of the Fellowship Card, or talk to any member. The cards are picked up at the start of our service or can be placed in an offering plate.

For visitors, more general information is available on bookmarks in the Bibles located in the song book rack.



## Gregg's Good News

The Community Christmas Sing-A-Long event is now less than **2 weeks away**. It is set for Saturday, December 6 at 7:00 pm. Join us for **Christmas Sing-A-Long practice today at 4:30 pm**.

I've been reading through the Bible slowly. I'm not on the one year plan, so this morning I came to I Kings 7. It led me to consider the beauty of every Christian man or woman.

I Kings 7 offers a description of the incredible bronze work done by Hiram of Tyre for the temple of the Lord. The craftsman created numerous elaborate items.

I Kings describes these in detail. It is obvious these creations were decorated with utterly eye-catching engravings and hammered work. Yet I was struck by the fact that these objects were not only incredibly beautiful, they were also objects that served a purpose. The striking bronze objects were actively used in the worship of the Lord.

Now my thoughts time travel ahead to the New Testament. At our time, the temple of the Living God is no longer a building in Jerusalem filled with beautiful bronze implements used in worship. The temple of the Lord is now constructed of diverse Christians who are "built together to

become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit." (Eph. 2:22)

In the Jerusalem temple, bronze items were beautiful as well as purposeful. When you look around this morning at a temple built out of brothers and sisters, stop for a moment and be awestruck. Everyone is beautiful who is built to accomplish the purpose and worship of God.

To teenagers upset that their bodies don't look like the air-brushed models in fashion magazines, to the divorced person who questions their worth, to anyone wondering how they look—the best bronze in that old temple doesn't shine as brightly with the glow of God as you do.

**PM Preview TONIGHT:  
4:30 Sing-A-Long Practice  
5:00 PM "The Story"**

## Scripture Quilt for Rex Earnhart



Please leave an uplifting or favorite scripture in the basket in the lobby with your name. The scriptures will be written on fabric and made into a quilt to bless Rex. You don't have to know Rex to help make the quilt.



**The Sing A Long is coming soon!!**

Have you invited all your friends and neighbors?

Can you bring a yummy dessert?

See one of the ladies handing out trays to volunteer.

## SCHEDULE OF FAMILY EVENTS

**Nov 23rd - Thanksgiving Food Boxes delivered**

**NOV 25th - TND&D, 7 PM at the UCC hosted by Powells**

**Nov 27-28th - HAPPY THANKSGIVING - Church Office Closed**

**Nov 30th - Fifth Sunday Singing, Grant St Church of Christ 2 PM**

**Dec 3rd - Sing A Long Decorating 6-8:30 PM at the building—ALL HANDS!!**

**Dec 4th - Empty Nester's, No-Host meal at Izzy's, 6:30 PM**

**Dec 6th - ♪ SING A LONG ♪, 7PM; Bring your friends & neighbors**

**Dec 9th - Women's Bible Study, 10:30 AM at the building**

**Dec 24-25th - MERRY CHRISTMAS - Church Office Closed**

## Women's Winter Retreat

**Feb 6-8, 2015**

Ladies please make sure you register! Stop at the registration table before or after services today. You can pay in full (\$85) or reserve your place with a \$25 deposit. All funds need to be in by December 31.



1655 NW Monroe Ave. Corvallis, OR 97330



## Campbell Institute for Theological Education

Winter Quarter 2014 (Jan 5 – Mar 20)

### 2512 BIBLE STUDY & TEACHING

Have you ever thought about sharing your faith but didn't know enough? Feared being asked something you didn't know the answer to? This class is just what you need to gain confidence. We will focus on personal Bible study and preparation for leading a Bible study or class. You will gain tools for answering questions and going deeper in the Word of God.

Time: Thursdays, 5:30-8:30pm Instructor: Jason Swick Cost: \$20 for credit, \$50 audit

### 4802 MARRIAGE & FAMILY

A study of the characteristics of a Christian family with attention to dating, communication, money, conflict, sexuality, parenting, and biblical teachings on marriage.

Time: Tuesdays, 4-7pm Instructor: Dr. Shawn Jones Cost: \$20 for credit, \$50 audit

Class Location: Classes are taught at the University Christian Center across the street from OSU.

Registration: 1) Fill out form at [www.osucc.com](http://www.osucc.com). 2) Bring with payment to Jason Swick at UCC.

### Contact Numbers:

541-753-4310 UCC  
541-207-2777 cell

### UCC Office Hours

M 9am-3pm  
T 2pm-10pm  
F 9am-3pm



Campus Minister and Family  
Jason, Amanda, Josiah and  
Jaron Swick

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE FAMILY NEEDS

### Health:

Please pray for God's healing hand to be upon those with cancer:

- Rob Hartley, Renee Gunselman's brother
- Greg, Jensens' neighbor
- Ruby Warren, Tami Brown's grandmother
- Debbie Smith, Florence Purvis' granddaughter
- Lydia Perry, breast cancer
- Karen Solomenson, Evelyn Eastridge's friend

Please continue to pray for the health of

- Katy Pyron
- Phil & Linda Weimer
- Patsy Linder
- Donna & Paul Johnson, daughter Heidi
- JoAnne Million
- Zane Rogers (Brooks' grandson)
- LaVera Crownover
- Cathy Bussard
- Alex Bracht, daily headaches
- Elizabeth Emmerich
- Bob Gunn
- Joyce Brooks
- Becky Miller

- Jerry Hammar - Joe's brother
- Mialee Womack
- Ezra Parker
- Kelby Hazelton (Josh Wise's sister)

Please pray for Brock Cloutier, surgery on his shoulder last Tuesday. Pray for a good outcome and healing.

### Physical:

Pray for John Kelper, a former brother trying to reconnect with his brothers and sisters, with heart issues, pending 5 bypass surgery and bad health. (Longs)

The Eastridges pray for peace and joy.

### Spiritual:

Pray for Addie, friend of Ashelly Brooks, who is struggling with addiction and needs God in her life. She needs to keep her faith.

Pray for Karen Alkire, who needs to seek Godly things in her life and trust He is able to do good things in her life. (Cathy Brooks)

### Pray for our Moms-to-Be:

Marissa and Aaron Veik, due April 6, 2015

Melody and Nate Otta, due April 28, 2015



Jared Ireland, Corvallis  
Cory Murray, Afghanistan  
All active duty military around the world.

### Travel:

Pray for safe travels for Joe & Barb Hammar, Johnsons from Arkansas, Sarah Calkin traveling from San Antonio and the ethics debate team.



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## Want to get involved?

Assembly Ministry . . . . . Gregg Strawn, Mike Sorah  
Building/Grounds (Church & UCC) . . . . . Greg Brown  
Josh Wise, Peter McPartlin, and Ezra Childress  
Campus Ministry . . . . . Jason Swick  
Education Ministry . . . . . Eric and Chris Jensen  
Evangelism Ministry . . . . . José Reyes  
Fellowship Ministry . . . . . Ed and Renee' Gunselman  
Involvement Ministry . . . . . See Elders  
Life Group Ministry . . . . . Mark and Nancy Johnson  
Media Ministry . . . . . Frank Cloutier  
Webmaster Tim Emmerich  
Men of Iron . . . . . Rolland House  
People Needs Facilitator . . . . . Tami Brown  
Clothing Drive Lead . . . . . Linda Leslie  
Food Boxes Lead . . . . . Charlene Franklund  
Publicity Ministry . . . . . Tami Brown  
Van Ministry . . . . . Bob and Cody Parsons  
Visitor Experience Ministry . . . . . See Elders  
Vision Ministry . . . . . Elders, Deacons, Ministers and  
their wives  
Widows Ministry . . . . . Peter and Pam McPartlin  
Women's Ministry . . . . . Laurie Eastridge  
Youth Ministry . . . . . Mike and Shannon Sorah  
and Eric and Jann Bracht

## MONTHLY SERVANTS

Eldership Leader: Mark Johnson  
Deacon/Minister Leader:  
Ezra Childress  
Emergency Needs: Shannon Sorah  
541-231-8783  
Communion Prep: Lorena Childress  
PA Attendant: Josh Zittel  
Kids' Time: YES!!  
Service Monitor: Eric Bracht  
541-754-3835

## WEEKLY SERVANTS

	Nov 23rd	Nov 30th
<b>MORNING</b>		
<b>Greeters:</b>	J Wise L Wise J Parker	P McPartlin P McPartlin M Gomes
<b>Ushers:</b>	T Eastridge D Brown	A Rugh J Wise
<b>Attendance:</b>	J Paul	N Franklund
<b>Communion:</b>	B Sorah	L Sorah
<b>Counting Aide:</b>	L Sorah N Franklund	J Emmerich K McPartlin
<b>Nursery:</b>	L Calkin D Eastridge	K Lopez N Eastridge
<b>Notes /Cards:</b>	Er Gunselman L House	D Eastridge S Potter
<b>Song Leader:</b>	J Swick	C Clotier
<b>Speaker:</b>	G Strawn	G Strawn
<b>Lord's Table:</b>	J Strawn	J Hammar
<b>Servers:</b>	E Gunselman E Jensen Hammar	J Swick C Long R Holland
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	B McCaughn	R McPartlin
<b>Pastoral Prayer:</b>	C Long	M Johnson
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	C Long	M Johnson
<b>5:00 PM EVENING SCHEDULE</b>		
<b>Song Leader:</b>	J Swick	J Zittel

SECOND SUNDAY EVENING of the MONTH  
Singing at Park Place Assisted Living,\*  
2595 NE Jack London, at 5:45 PM

Sunday Morning Attendance	151
November 16th Contribution	\$2,895
Year to Date Weekly Average	\$4,435
Weekly Budget	\$4,400

## Good News section:

Praise for the help moving Cyndi Colvin yesterday - thank you!! (Geri York)

Praise our wonderful God that Lydia Perry's first chemo went really well. Thanks to you all for your continued prayers and thanks to God for such a loving and supportive church family.

Thank you for your support of Operation Christmas Child! Natalie was able to deliver 23 boxes.



## Circle Leaders

### Elders



Mark Johnson  
541-758-5065  
thefam@comcast.net



Casey Long  
541-752-4771  
corcasey@aol.com

### Deacons

Ezra Childress, Ed Gunselman, Eric Jensen, Peter McPartlin, José Reyes, Michael Sorah, Josh Wise

### Ministers

All the members of the  
Congregation  
(1 Peter 2:9)



W. Gregg Strawn  
Minister of the Word

Jason Swick  
Campus Minister



Tami Brown  
Office  
Administrator

### Outreach Programs:

Bay Area Rescue Mission  
Clothing Drive  
Food Boxes  
Mountain States Children Home  
Orphan Sunday  
Quilts for CASA  
Special Situations  
University Christian Center  
Wells in East Africa

### 2020 Circle Family Times

#### Sunday

9:30 AM Bible Classes  
for all ages  
10:30 AM Worship  
5:00 PM Assembly

#### Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class  
10:30 am

#### Wednesday

7:00 PM Bible Study  
At Circle

Assorted Life Groups

Call 541-758-4456 for details