

# Community of Christ

Lamoni Congregation

November 15, 2009

Lorrie Long, Kelly Everett, Nick Hartwig, Co- Pastors

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9:30 a.m. Church School Classes

10:45 a.m. Communication Time

Barbara McKiernan

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

## *Provoke One Another to Love*

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship

\*Hymn "Companions on the Journey" NS 7

\*Invocation

\*Response

Disciples' Generous Response

Morning Message

Congregational Response

\*Hymn "Bring Forth the Kingdom" SP 9

\*Benediction

\*Response

\*Postlude

\*Congregation Please Stand

Presiding: Don Breshears

Assisting: Joan Green

A/V: Jonathan Johnson

Greeters: Gregg and Judy Badder

Speaking: David DeBarthe

Pianist: Pat Magle Jones

Nursery: Janelle and Steve Anders

Worship Center: Becky Long

*Welcome! We believe every person who comes into this fellowship was sent by God. It is not an accident that we have the joy of meeting you now. God is working in each of our lives. We welcome you and invite you to join us in our Spiritual walk in rich fellowship with God and His Son, Jesus Christ. Welcome this day to the House of the Lord.*

**Next Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>**, we will be considering the theme, "Alpha and Omega." You will want to invite your friends to come and share in worship with you next Sunday as Jack Ergo will be in charge of the Service of Worship and Music. The Lamoni Choir will offer the ministry of music and Dick Clothier will be the organist for the service. To help you prepare for the service, the World Church has provided the following scriptures:

II Samuel 23:1-7; Psalm 132:1-18; Revelation 1:4b-8;

John 18:33-37; III Nephi 4:48; Doctrine and Covenants 115:1e

If you need a ride to church, call Barb Daily (784-6141), Clarence Snethen (784-3997) or the church (784-4405) on Sunday morning.

## **Childcare**

Childcare (supervised by an adult) is available in the preschool room south of the balcony for anyone who wishes to use it during the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

<b>HS</b> -Hymns of the Saints (big burgundy hymnal) <b>SP</b> -Sing for Peace (small burgundy hymnal) <b>NS</b> -Sing a New Song (small gold hymnal)
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Those providing ministry elsewhere today include:

Trish Heath – Andover

Bob Ramsey – Jefferson

Milda Lewis – Mount Ayr

Bill Russell - Pleasanton

### Harvest Dinner

Our annual Harvest Dinner will be held today. All are invited to stay and share in the food and fellowship. A freewill offering will be received.

### 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Together they have found a friendship, raised a family,  
and built a beautiful marriage.

You are warmly invited by the children of

Dr. William and Doris McElroy

in the joyous celebration of their

60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

**today** from 2-4 p.m.,

at the Heritage Chapel, Graceland University

No gifts, please.

### Food and Fellowship

The Lamoni Congregation invites you to plan to come, share the Food and Fellowship next Sunday (November 22) in the lower auditorium, immediately following our worship service. We want you to “come” whether or not you have food to share. However, if you want to make a monetary contribution (but it’s not “expected”) in place of bringing food, the money will be used to purchase items for future meals. In support of our congregation’s focus to Reach Out! the congregation is also inviting the Lamoni community to come, share the Food and Fellowship with us (with no expectation of contribution). For this reason, if you do bring food, we encourage you to bring enough for yourselves and someone else.

**Poinsettias** are available for Christmas. They will be used as decorations in the sanctuary prior to Christmas, and then can be taken home. You may have your choice of red or pink for \$10.00 each. You may take yours home after the Christmas Eve service. Please contact Carol Hough (784-3442) before Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>. Part of the cost will benefit the congregation. We will print remembrances in the bulletin if you wish.

**The Young Adult discussion group** will be meeting Monday, December 7, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at Julie Elliott's house (259 W. Lincoln St.) Please plan on joining us!

### World Conference Delegate Nominations

If you would like to have your name placed in nomination to serve as a delegate to the 2010 World Conference (and you have not already done so), please submit your name in writing or via email to Linda Fisher at [lfisher@cofchristlhmc.org](mailto:lfisher@cofchristlhmc.org), by **Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>**. We will be electing delegates at our Mission Center Conference on Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>.



**Lamoni Congregation Hayrack Ride:** Come one; come all to Lamoni Congregation's first annual hayrack ride and campfire on Saturday, November 21. We will gather at the church parking at 4:30 p.m., and then ride to the Persall farm for a Hobo soup supper and campfire. Alternative transportation will be provided for

those who would rather not ride on the wagons. Bring with you: a can of soup to share (enough for everyone in your family), lawn chairs, blankets, and flashlights. We would love to see you there!

### Angel Tree

Nu Eta will be hosting its Annual Angel Tree. The Angels will be located at Bank of the West beginning Wednesday, November 25<sup>th</sup> and ending Wednesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>. For those that would like to participate, but do not have the time or possibly financing to sponsor an Angel, you are welcome to donate toys, gloves, hats or even money if you would like, to be used as needed. You can contact Serena Schwab at Bank of the West with any questions.

### Detroit Hope Congregation

Former Lamoni Congregation member, Jacob Blakesley is the Pastor of the Detroit Hope Congregation. Recently they have had some break-ins' to their church. The results were stolen and destroyed computers and supplies for upcoming activities. Jacob would appreciate our prayers and a word of encouragement. You can visit Detroit Hope's website at: <http://www.detroithopecofchrist.org>; or you may send mail to Jacob at:

Pastor Jacob Blakesley  
Community of Christ  
6764 Childsdale Ave NE  
Rockford, MI 49341

### Birthday Greetings to:

Judy Harrop	Nov. 15
Patsy Johnston	Nov. 16
April Mohler	Nov. 16
Susan Knotts	Nov. 17
Sariah Williams	Nov. 17
Lester Stevenson	Nov. 19
Brenda Martin	Nov. 20
Doyle Baughman	Nov. 20
Edie Neal	Nov. 21

### Upcoming Events

Wed. Nov. 18	7:00 p.m. Prayer & Share – Marie Hawley
	8:15 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
Thurs. Nov. 19	7:00 p.m. Book of Mormon Study Group
Sun. Nov. 22	9:30 a.m. Church School
	10:40 a.m. Communication Time – Paul Davis
	Worship – Music Service
	Jack Ergo in charge

### NOVEMBER/DECEMBER DINNER EXCHANGE GUESTS

It is time once again to post the dinner exchange assignments. If you somehow did not get signed up and would like to, **it is NOT too late!** Just give Merilou a call at 784-6407 or e-mail me at [n.hartwig@mchsi.com](mailto:n.hartwig@mchsi.com) and you can still get in on the fun. If you are a single and don't feel you can be a host, that is no problem. Let me know if you would like to be included and we'll get you on the list! We don't want to leave anyone out that would like to be included.

#### HOSTS

Ann and Rick Zieger	3730
Jerie Gail and Bob Ramsey	3492
Louita and Dick Clothier	6270
Diana and Elmer Stevenson	7649
Bruce and Betty Graybill	3940
Joan Green & Marie Hawley	6391/6157

#### GUESTS

Benna and Mark Easter	7650
Kay and Alma Blair	6408
Lorrie Long	7272
Lila and Jack Barnhouse	812/343-2326
Merilou and Nick Hartwig	6408
Deanna and Rod Schall	3479

