

CAC's Bulletin for Sunday, October 7, 2012

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Last Sunday AM

CAC was blessed by the ministry of Rev. Stan Wilt, who is the newly appointed intra-cultural missionary to the Native American Peoples. He preached about the need for pressing passionately (fiercely in fact) to get into the Kingdom of God. He read from several verses, including Luke 13:23-24, which says, "Then one said to Him [Jesus], 'Lord, are there few who are saved?' And He said to them, 'Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able'," and Luke 16:16, in which Jesus said, "The law and the prophets were until John. Since that time the kingdom of God has been preached, and everyone is pressing into it" and Matthew 11:12, where the very same concept is expressed as, "And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffers violence, and the violent take it by force." The Kingdom of God is not for those who are lazy or who do not care. It takes all the passion we can muster. God won't put anyone into His Kingdom who does not desire it more than anything. It takes self denial. We must care about gaining His blessing, and press into His Kingdom with all our hearts. It the day we do that, He will be found of us.

Last Sunday PM

Pastor Joseph preached "O Taste and See" humorously asking the question "Have You Eaten?" The Word of God is literally spiritual food for our souls. God describes His Word using the terms "milk" (which is food in liquid form) and "meat" (a word for food in solid form, whether vegetable, fruit, or animal). Most people today think "meat" only refers to animal protein, but it refers to the edible part of a solid thing. Some portions of the Word are especially suited for spiritual infants, those not yet mature. Other portions are beyond the understanding of the immature. Our goal should be to grow and develop in our understanding so that we can graduate to the strong meat. Interestingly, in the Lord's Supper we can see references to both liquid (fruit of the vine) and solid (bread). Our Communion requires that we recognize and welcome both the immature and the mature, as we "discern the body of Christ." Proverbs 25:21 says if your enemy thirsts give him drink, and if he hungers give him food. This is a literal command regarding both natural food and spiritual good (i.e. giving them the Word of God, the Bible).

Last Wednesday

Elder Lorren Godwin preached from Proverbs 23:7, which says (in part) "For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he." Our words define our attitude as much as our attitude defines our words. We can cause someone to feel bad (physically) by merely suggesting to them they may look like they're sick. We can cause people to feel bad (emotionally) if we speak words that insult and tear them down. We must be careful of the words we use. Our words can cause great pain and hardship if not guarded. Our words are a reflection of our heart. Our daily conversation may be our only opportunity to reach someone so we must reflect Jesus in everything we say.

Elder Baron Claypool preached from Deuteronomy 20:19-20 & II Corinthians 10:3-6. God instructed the Israelites when they besieged a city to cut down unprofitable trees and use them to build defenses against the enemy and to utilize the fruit of good trees for food. We are all in a spiritual battle whether we are a new convert or a veteran saint. God gives us instruction through His Word and the man of God regarding our lifestyle and our duty as children of God. Being obedient to the Word and to those who have rule over us is of utmost importance if we are ever gong to be successful Christians. It is simply not enough to do the "minimum standard" but we must all strive to be more for God and His Kingdom. God is looking for people in these last days that are willing to sacrifice more, to go deeper in intercessory prayer, fasting, and studying the Word. The Apostle Paul wrote in Hebrews 13:20-21 "Now the God of peace, that brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory for ever and ever." Our goal should be to do His will and that which is pleasing to God.

Natural Birthdays	Spiritual Birthdays	Anniversary
Sis Teresa Claypool (10/8)	None to list. Did we miss	None to list. Did we miss
Sis Mary Barberio (10/11)	something?	something?
Cassie Myers (10/11)		
Sis Stephanie Zamora (10/11)		

Announcements / Events / Ministry Opportunities

- Voice of Truth is aired each Sunday at 11:30am on News/Talk WAJR 103.3 FM.
 Today: "A List of Regrets and the Remedy for All" by Pastor Doug Joseph
- Fri, Oct. 12 Rally & CFC Launch, Oakhill, WV, Speaker: Phillip Zook of PA.
- Sun, Oct. 14 CAC's guest: **Pastor Phillip Zook**, PA Dir. of N. Amer. Missions
- Fri- Sat, Oct. 19-20 ACE Christian Educators Convention in Charleston, WV
- Fri, Oct. 19, 7am 11:30pm "Church In A Day" in Hamilton, OH help needed.
- Fri-Sat, Oct. 26-27 **Purpose Institute**, at the Morgantown Campus
- Sun morning, Oct. 28 CAC's guest: a **Gideon Representative**
- Fri, Nov. 2 Rally & CFC Launch, Weirton, WV, Speaker: Scott Ardary of OH.

Fun! Kids Corner Humor!

It doesn't hurt to have a little humor to enrich your day...

"What is the plural of man. Willie?" asked the teacher.

"Men," he answered.

"And what is the plural of child?"

"Twins," replied Willie.

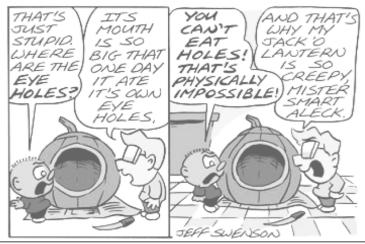
Grandpa entered the vacation cabin with his grandson, Tommy, keeping the lights off until they got inside to avoid attracting any pesky insects. Still a few fireflies followed them in. Noticing the fireflies before Grandpa did, Tommy quietly whispered, "It's no use Grandpa. The mosquitoes are coming after us with flashlights!"

Fun! Stan 'N' Isaac

Submit your funny things to news@cac.us.com







Special Prayer Needs		Featured Verse	
Bro Zach Sandy	Bro. Jim Starkey	"[Our fathers] were all baptized unto	
Elder Charles Hoskins	Bro. Bill Pearce	Moses in the cloud and in the sea; and did all	
Sis. Charlotte Evans	Bro Roger Blaniar	eat the same spiritual meat ; and did all drink	
Sis. Bev Feathers	George Jones / kids	the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that	
		spiritual Rock that followed them: and that	
		Rock was Christ " (I Corinthians 10:2-4).	



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Where Miracles Live!

2012 UPCI General Conference was awesome!



What an amazing time! There was great anointing. Miracles occurred, and several were filled with the Holy Ghost and baptized in Jesus name. Officers elected include:

Global Missions Sec:	N. Amer. Mission Sec:	Sunday School Sec:	Youth Sec:
Scotty Slaydon	Bill Hobson	Robby Knox	Michael Endsley
Ladies Sec:	Presbyter Eastern zone:	Presbyter NE zone:	Presbyter – SE zone:
Linda Gleason	Bent Coltharp	WV's own Dan Garlitz	Marty Johnson
Presbyter – SW zone:	Presbyter - Canada	Ministers Appeal Council	Ministers Appeal Council
Bernard Elms	Raymond Woodward	Terry Shock	Terry Pugh

Some interesting info:

The UPCI now has over 45,000 church congregations in over 200 nations. Total constituents exceed 3,000,000.

Note: The 2012 goal for giving to North American Missions via Christmas For Christ: \$3,061,162.33