



McPherson Free Methodist Church
 Schedule of Events
 For August 11 - 18, 2008

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Mon., Aug. 11	4:30 pm	Outreach McPherson Team Meeting
Tues., Aug. 12	1:00 pm	Staff Meeting
Wed., Aug. 13-18		Pastor Zach on vacation
	9:00 am	Play Date for 3's-K at Jan's House
	6:15 pm	Instrumentalist Practice
	7:00 pm	Prayer meeting
		Choir Practice
Thurs., Aug. 14	8:00 am	TOPS
	7:15 pm	All Church Thursday Night Prayer
Fri., Aug. 15		Happy Friday!
Sat., Aug. 16	7:00 am	Men's Prayer Group
Sun., Aug. 17	8:30/10:45 am	Worship
	9:35 am	Sunday School
	9:35 am	Promotion Sunday for 3's-K
	10:45 am	Service of Infant Dedication
	5:30 pm	ReMix
Mon., Aug. 18		"Be mindful that happiness isn't based on possessions, power, or prestige, but on relationships with people we love and respect. Remember that while money talks, chocolate sings!"

Note from Pat... Our church calendar is available online at www.macfmc.org. Click on "Happenings" on the home page, then on "Calendar." It is updated regularly and if corrections need to be made, please call me @ 241-7176. Thank You!

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“PEACE BE WITHIN YOU.”
Psalm 122:8

A worshipping community
 seeking to love God and others,
 and to make disciples for Christ.

AUGUST 10, 2008

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

- 8:30 am Worship Service
- 9:35 am Sunday School
- 10:45 am Worship Service
- 6:00 pm Small Groups

1010 S. Maple
 P.O. Box 313
 McPherson, KS 67460

Prayer Needs



Requests:

- *Preparation for fall programming and preaching series
- *Encouragement for Danny and Jan O'Dell
- *2 unspoken requests
- *The church women preparing for Women's Retreat 2008

Health:

*Helen Louise Cheesman, Donna Hull, Bonnie Park, Danny O'Dell, Dean Berline (Jill Reimer's father fighting cancer), Bert Martin (Steve Martin's father), Charlie Wright (friend of Norm & Janice Healey), Emma Mae Shively (Baron's mother), Philip Harden, Matthew Anderson, Monroe Hughbanks, Orvetta Mellinger, Carl & Ruth Ratzlaff, Marion & Joanne Wood and all other unspoken concerns

Missionaries:

*Al and Diane Mellinger-Bulgaria

Praises for:

- *Rachael Walker returning to China on Aug. 20
- *A break from the extreme heat/humidity for a few days this week
- *Good Sunday Worship Service
- *Name tags to help the Somerville's learn to know our names
- *Small steps of improvement for Danny O'Dell

Central Christian College:

- *Administrators as they prepare for the upcoming school year
- *Students, that they will have open hearts for God's plan in their lives

Our Conference:

- *Supt. Tom and Karen Mayse
- *Osborne - Aaron and Sarah Keller

Our Nation and Men/Women in Service:

*Adam Ediger, Stephen Edwards, David Esau, Craig Hart, Brandon Hawkes, Todd Klein, Andy Rott, Tyler Wiggins, Nathan Reagan (Angie Bonham's nephew)



Please let Pastor Deb or Pat know if you are interested in participating in a service of infant dedication or baptism on Sunday, August 17 during 2nd service.

Weekly Giving Report

Annual Budget	\$523,675.50	Amount to Date	\$291,481.05
Monthly Budget	\$43,639.63	Amount in July	\$12,585.88
Total LTF Pledges	\$620,787.54	LTF Received to Date	\$564,135.82

Deborah Somerville, Senior Pastor
Jan O'Dell, Children's Ministry Director

Zach Fleming, Pastor of Student Ministries
Barb Claassen, Hope Counseling

Pat Reimer, Office Manager

Office Hours: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Phone: 620.241.7176 Fax: 620.241.2525

FMC Student Ministries

- JOLT (MS) - JOLT resumes on Sept. 3
- ReMix (HS) - Tonight, 5:30 pm at CCC Sand Volleyball Court
- Bible Quiz Kickoff Meeting for students and parents, Sun., August 24 after 2nd service in the Parlor

Children's Ministries



Nursery Staff Meeting- Today at 12 pm in Parlor
Back to School Party for Gr. 1-5- Tonight, 6 pm
Promotion Sunday for 3's-K -Next Sunday, August 17 in the Sanctuary at 9:35am. This is for parents too!

Childcare Information

Next Sunday: Keri Fields, Supervisor (Week 3)

- 8:30 Carol Fithian
- 9:30 Dennis Minner, Suzanne Fleming
- 10:45 Donna Shields, Brooke Gaedert, Keri & Addison Fields



Information

- **Women's Retreat 2008:** Information about retreat and savings jar labels are available at the Welcome Center. It is Friday, Nov. 14th thru Sunday, Nov. 16th, and the base cost is \$130 to attend for the full weekend. If you'd like to help with putting on this exciting event, please contact Suzanne Fleming at 755-2961 or suziql@hotmail.com
- **Red Cross Blood Drive:** Battle of the Badges, Fire vs. Law at Trinity Lutheran Church, Thurs., Aug. 21 ~ 12pm-6pm, Fri., Aug. 22 ~ 8am-1pm. For appointment call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE.
- **Bible Quizzing:** a new season is about to begin! Any interested student and/or parent is requested to attend a kickoff meeting on Sun, Aug. 24, immediately following 2nd service in the parlor. We'll explain what quizzing is, answer questions, and distribute new material for students to prepare for our first practice on Sept. 7. Questions? Call Greg Fields 241-7421 or Dianne Craig 241-7165.



We want YOU if you desire to be a part of our Worship Team on a Sunday to Sunday basis. Worship Team is comprised of sanctuary choir, instrumentalists and vocal team. Choir rehearsals will begin @ 7pm on Wed., Aug 13 under the leadership of Don Mason; instrumental rehearsal will begin at 6:15 and end around 7pm. Vocal teams lead on a rotation schedule, with Tuesday night rehearsals beginning at 6:15pm on Aug. 19. The next rotation will occur mid-Sept. Interested in multi-media? We also need a volunteer, 1 Sunday per month, to run the Powerpoint during Sunday worship services. If you have an interest contact Don Mason, Coleta Steers or indicate it on the yellow attendance sheet. Thank you for your consideration!

Morning Worship
August 10, 2008
8:30 a.m.

ENTERING HIS PRESENCE

Prelude
Call To Worship *“O Come, Let Us Adore Him”*
Invocation Pastor Somerville

SINGING HIS PRAISE AND PRAYER

HWC 64 (v 1, 2, & 5) *“All Creatures of Our God and King”*
HWC 10 (v 1, 4) *“O Worship the King”*
Responsive Reading
Pastoral Prayer *“I Give You My Heart”*
Pastor Fleming

WORSHIPING WITH OUR GIVING

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