



The West Side Story

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West Side Christian Church

STATEMENT OF CALLING

West Side Christian Church is a faithful and caring church family committed to making disciples of Jesus Christ in our CHURCH, our COMMUNITY, and our WORLD.

CHURCH: *Equip* our church family through spiritual growth and leadership development.

COMMUNITY: *Share* the love of Christ through service.

WORLD: *Witness* through support of Disciples' missions.



PRAYER LIST

Church Members

Bill Taylor, Beth & Amy Branch,
Michael Stevenson, Justin Friberg,
Wilma Ingram, Barbara Powell, Frances Wells,
Mary Wyatt

Family & Friends

Dolores Lohr, Mike Wise, Bailey Lowe,
Fred Vroccolo, Ashley Aughtman, Ruth Kay,
Farley Family, David Campbell Family,
Marcie Shea, Joan Newsome, Frances Martin,
Jean Thompson, Angela Powell, Frankie Hall,
Daisha Melchor & family, Eliana Nanni,
Stuart & Amy Emerson,
Steve, Renee, Twyla & Zoe Mitchell,
Billie Warren, Mary Grace Thomas,
Kathy & Curtis Nelson,
Amber Critzer & Family, Shirley Jones,
Katrina Hastings, Phil Barnes, Judy Kelly,
Ruth Ann Gonzalves, Jordan Lahy

SHUT INS

Ruth Blackman, Maud Hemby,
Belinda Gray

Lectionary Readings

August 7 **Isaiah 1:1, 10-20**
Psalm 50:1-8, 22-23
Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
Luke 12:32-40

August 14 **Isaiah 5:1-7**
Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19
Hebrews 11:29-12:2
Luke 12:49-56

August 21 **Jeremiah 1:4-10**
Psalm 71:1-6
Hebrews 12:18-29
Luke 13:10-17

August 28 **Jeremiah 2:4-13**
Psalm 81:1, 10-16
Hebrews 12:1-6, 15-16
Luke 14:1, 7-14



Stewardship Giving for June 2016

Weekly Operating Expenses:
\$ 4,054.00

(Corrected amounts for May)

Beginning balance for May: \$ (2,451.76)
Received in May: 18,521.62
Expenditures in May: (17,399.30)
ENDING BALANCE on 5/31/16 \$ (1,329.44)

Beginning balance for June: \$ (1,329.44)
Received in June: 11,462.29
Expenditures in June: (15,842.16)
ENDING BALANCE on 6/30/16 \$ (5,739.31)

Oasis Social Ministry

Thursday, August 18
10:00 AM

Please sign up on the bulletin board
leading to the Fellowship Center.
Carpooling is available.



- 1st **Brittany Gay Williams**
- 2nd **Jimmy Jarvis**
- 3rd **Donna Nutting**
- 4th **Hunter Williams**
- 5th **Mark Poindexter**
- 7th **Jayce Williams**
- 10th **Donna Owens**
Lillian Holland
- 11th **Don Olson**
- 12th **DeeAnn Phelps**
- 15th **Belinda Gray**
- 16th **Cheryl Jarvis**
Diana Davenport
- 18th **Doris Tugwell**
- 21st **Ernestine Atzert**
- 26th **Melinda Powers**
- 28th **Andrea Scharf**
- 29th **Lynne Thomas**
- 31st **Evelyn Brown**

Memorial Donations



Wanda Hackler
given by
Robert & Ethel Ropp



Dear West Side Family & Friends~

We would like to thank all of you for your many phone calls, cards and prayers during the recent death of our precious brother-in-law, Paul Georganzis. We are so very blessed to have such a caring and compassionate church family as West Side.

May God bless each of you and keep each of you in His tender loving care!

Love, George & Lois Pyles and the Georganzis Family

**It's summer time and the living is easy....
many vacations, especially on weekends.
This is a friendly reminder that even while
we're away, ministry happens.**

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR OFFERINGS

DISCIPLES WOMEN

**The Rebekah & Lydia groups
will meet on Wednesday, Sep-
tember 7 at 10 AM in the
Fellowship Center.**

**All women of the church are
invited!**




Special Events

- Sunday 8/7 Dedicate the Display Case
- Sunday 8/14 Charter Members Celebration
- Sunday 8/21 Presentation of the Last 60 Years
- Sunday 8/28 Honor Servants of the Church
- Wednesday 9/7 Pot Luck Supper
- Sunday 9/11 Honor Past Ministers
- Saturday 9/17 Church Picnic and Drive-In Movie Night

**60TH ANNIVERSARY
CLOSING WORSHIP
SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 18, 2016
11:00 AM**



**Saturday, August 27
6:30 PM**
Please bring 2 dishes to share.



Drew Thompson continues his music ministry to the elderly. His next performance will be at the Lighthouse on Cedar Road in Chesapeake, Thursday, August 25 at 6:30 PM. For more details, call Drew at 488-0083



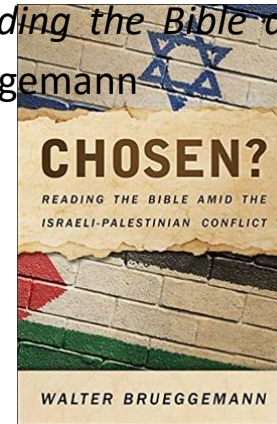
Applications for Preschool (ages 2– 4k) are still being accepted for the 2016-17 school year. Stop by the church office or speak to Carrie Kelly for more information.



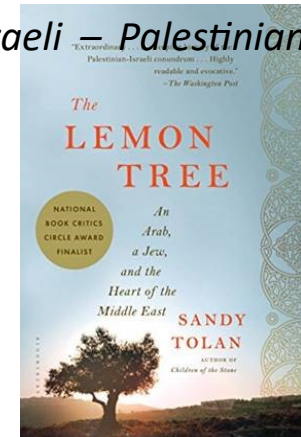
Israel - Palestine Study will be held in the sanctuary during the month of August. We will learn about their history, reading the Bible through the conflict and what are some of the ministries Disciples are engaging in.

If you would want to prepare, suggested reading are the books:

Chosen? Reading the Bible amid the Israeli – Palestinian Conflict by Walter Brueggemann



AND



The Lemon Tree; An Arab, A Jew, and the Heart of the Middle East by Sandy Tolan.

August 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 7:00 PM Ministry Action Team	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 7:00 PM Elders	17	18 10:00 AM Oasis	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 6:30 PM Pot Luck Supper & Movie Night
28	29	30 6:30 PM Preschool Orientation	31	EVERY SUNDAY: 9:00 am Coffee Fellowship 9:45 am Church School 11:00 am Worship Hour		