

**:: You are invited to get involved ::**

**New to our Church ...** We are honored to see new friends coming to our church every weekend! Please stop by the Welcome Center and receive a small gift of appreciation for being with us today. Pastor Terry would love to meet you at the door as you leave.

**Vacation Bible School ...** Save the dates of August 11-14. It is time to step up to the plate and volunteer to help for one night or the whole week! Come to the Welcome Center and check out your options. Pastor Darcy is organizing a meeting for any volunteers after each service on June 29. See her for details.

**Youth Mission Trip ...** Pray for our team as we travel to St. Paul, MN June 22-28. You can hear about the trip Sunday morning, June 29!

**World Vision & The Detroit Marathon ...** It's go time! Training starts this week!! See Trudy Tabor or Pastor Terry for the days and times of our group run opportunities. Start changing lives by raising your support, too! We can do this!!

**Review New Service Format ...** Our Board of Stewards would like to hear both positive feedback and concerns about our 2-service format. This has been a trial for 4 months and it's time to see what you think. You may speak with them this morning in the back of the gym.

**Sunday, July 6 ...** Due to the holiday weekend, we will be offering ONE service on this day at 10AM. We hope you can join us!!

**Church Cleaning Crew ...** If you are interested in helping us clean the church, please contact Pastor Mike DeVuyst.

**Projectionist ...** We are looking for a few friends who can operate our PowerPoint slide show during worship. It's a great way to serve! To learn more see Pastor Terry.

**Online Giving ...** You can now visit our website and make a contribution online. This simple tool has been designed to enhance your worship through giving. Check it out!!

**Flushing Christian Outreach Center ...** Please consider dropping off soap and toothpaste in the donation box at our church entrance. Our Mercy Team will see that the items get to FCOC.

**Summer Fest Parade ...** Everyone loves a parade! Line up for our group begins behind Central Elementary at 6-6:30PM. Bring your strollers, wagons or bikes, whatever will help your kids be a part of the fun. We want Flushing to see a big group of us ready and excited about sharing the transforming love of Christ.



In the summer of 1996, God began to move in the hearts of a handful of people to start a creative new church in Flushing. In January of 1997, Pastor Darrel Harvey and his family moved from Cincinnati to the Flushing area to begin this new ministry and by the following fall eight families had responded to God's call to begin this new church.

The church was officially launched on March 28, 1999 initially meeting at the Crouse Instructional Center. Through the years we've met in various places but always had the same drive to be a relevant voice of God's love to the community of Flushing and the surrounding area.

Our church was blessed and grew quickly and in the fall of 2003 we moved into our new multi-functional facility here on Pierson Road. Over these wonderful years, we have experienced some wonderful days and some deep struggles. Through it all, we've seen God's loving arms reaching down to us offering love, hope and purpose.

Pastor Terry Bate became our Lead Pastor in 2009 and God has called a fantastic staff to join him in leading our church into the future. By God's grace, the next exciting page of our story is still being written. Will you join us to see what God has in store for our journey together? We really hope that you will! Feel free to contact any member of our staff with questions you have about FCC and be sure to explore how you can be involved.

Stewardship Report:	6/8 Giving:	Weekly Goal:	Giving YTD:	Budget YTD:
Tithes and Offerings:	\$6,710	\$7,707	\$127,588	\$115,305
Morning Worship Attendance:	291			

*Weekly Goal = Fiscal Budget ÷ 52 weeks | Budget YTD = Weekly Goal × # of weeks into fiscal year  
Our Fiscal Year is March to February (established by our Nazarene District)*

**:: Our Leadership Team ::**

**Terry Bate** (Lead Pastor) ..... terry@flushingcommunity.org  
**Steve Close** (Creative Arts) ..... pastorsteveclose@yahoo.com  
**Joel Heald** (Student Ministries) ..... joel@flushingcommunity.org  
**Darcy Smith** (Children's Ministries) ..... darcy@flushingcommunity.org  
**Mike DeVuyst** (Spiritual Formation) ..... mike@flushingcommunity.org  
**Bob Coe** (Mercy & Care) ..... bob@flushingcommunity.org  
**Mary Ann Korte** (Administrator) ..... mak@flushingcommunity.org

**Our Church Board Members:**

Dave Barclay (2016) | Kari Burba (2017) | Rich Christopher (2017)  
 Matt Johnson (2016) | Melissa Maynor (2015) | Dan Tabor (2015)

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**Pick up your Summer Fest Parade T-shirt!**

*If you ordered a shirt, please pick it up at the back of the church today.*

*Many thanks to Chrissy Popovits for coordinating this project for us.*



**More Hope Than Time...**

**the modern impact of ancient stories**

*We are so honored & glad you are here!*

June 15, 2014

Today is going to be a great day to experience the power of God. We are excited that you have chosen to join us on this Sunday morning! You find yourself in a safe place today to engage your faith and your questions.

This morning we begin our summer long series considering the stories of the Jesus. "Once Upon a Time" will look at 10 of the most powerful teaching moments of Jesus and apply those ancient truths into our modern context. Each week a member of the staff will bring new insight into the parables that Jesus taught his followers. We all have a lot to learn from the greatest preacher who ever walked this earth!

Grab some coffee, find a comfortable seat and open your heart to the work of God today. Sing with us. Pray with us. Stay with us!

## We invite you to join the story!

There is more to our worship experience than Sunday mornings! We invite you to plug into the several ways we communicate throughout the week utilizing social media and email!



### Join our weekly Live Event

Download the free YouVersion Bible App  
Scan this code to take you there!



### Join our group on Facebook

Flushing Community Church of the Nazarene  
"Check In" today and let your friends know!



### Sign up for Email Communications

Get regular reminders directly in your inbox!  
mailto: mak@flushingcommunity.org



### Follow us Twitter!

@FlushingCCNaz | Today: #FCConceuponatime



### Worship through Giving!

Scan this code to go to our online giving site!

Every life that is touched, every child that is fed,  
every spiritual seed that is sown is made possible  
through the sacrificial giving of the congregation!  
Discover the blessing of giving today at our offering  
boxes located at the gym door and Welcome Center.



## Kid City & Club 56 Ministries:

### THIS MONTH: FRIENDSHIP & HARMONY TREATING OTHERS THE WAY YOU WANT TO BE TREATED

**Kid City Lesson & Verse** ... Friendship Train. *Romans 15:14*

**Bottom Line** ... Friends teach each other.

**Memory Verse** ... "Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we should also love one another." *1 John 4:11*

**Club 56** ... "Why Doesn't Everyone Just Believe in Jesus?" *John 1:6-13*  
During the summer months Club 56 will meet during 2nd service.

**Club 56 Fun** ... Join us for a trip to King Par for mini-golf and ice cream.  
Meet at King Par on **June 29** (*note the date change!*) at 5:30PM. Pick up time is 7:00PM. \$4 includes mini-golf and ice cream!

**Children's Summer Mission Project** ... We have a goal of collecting 50 crisis care kits. These kits contain specific hygiene items that will be sent to victims of natural disasters. Ask your child how you can participate in this project. If you don't have a child in Kid City, stop by the Welcome Center for a list of items needed.

**6th Grade Promotion Sunday** ... This special day is set for August 17 during morning worship. Refreshments will be served between services. See Pastor Darcy for a form to fill out. Plan on submitting three pictures (baby, preschool or kindergarten and present).

### ... Water's Edge 2014 Summer Camps ...

Applications at the Welcome Center or go online [watersedgecamp.org](http://watersedgecamp.org)  
We are able to reduce the price of camp by **40%** (use code FLC1) and bring a friend for a **20%** reduction (use code FLC2)!



Camp Name:	Dates:	Grade: Completed	Full Price:	FCC Price:	Friends Price:
Encompass	July 6-11	9-12	\$250	\$150	\$200
Base Camp	Jul 27-Aug 1	7-8	\$250	\$150	\$200
LEAP	June 22-27	5-6	\$250	\$150	\$200
Champ	July 13-17	3-4	\$200	\$120	\$160
Discovery	July 17-18	1-2	\$80	\$48	\$64

## fusion Student Ministries:

**Tonight...** (6:30-8PM | Location: The OAK) Come decompress after all the studying and test taking, and watch a movie. Popcorn and drinks provided, and we push PLAY at 6:30.

**Next Week...** Pool Party & bonfire at the Cole's starting at 6:30 PM. Bring a snack or drink to share.

**NEW Tuesday Night...** (7-8PM | Location: The OAK) Beginning this Tuesday, June 17, all high school students are invited to join a mid-week study called "Can I Ask That?"

**Summer Stuff...** Save the date for these awesome summer events: Family Canoe & Camping Trip (Aug 23-24), EMD Cedar Point Day (Aug. 27).

## :: Prayer & Praises ::

We believe in prayer and that it impacts lives! Take time to pray over these needs and take some tangible steps to encourage those laid on your heart!

**The Cole Family:** in the adoption process

**David Crawley:** diagnosed with cancer

**DeVuyst Family:** as they welcomed Hannah Elizabeth on June 6

**Lee Kerry:** undergoing tests for aortic aneurysms

**Selvig Family:** as they welcomed Emmett Dean on June 13

**Mason Upleger:** recovering from ACL surgery

**The Young Family:** in the adoption process

**Those Recovering:** Tom Fonger, Darlene Holmes

**Our High School Graduates:** Mary Everett, Lauren Fox, Amanda Harris, Toni Herrig, Drew LaCroix, Nicola Pistilli, Noa Robson, Daltan White, Lance Willette

### General Prayers to remember ...

**Our Staff & Leadership:** wisdom, protection, unity, and vision.

**Our Expectant Moms:** Kari Burba, Courtney Selvig, Elizabeth Wickerham

**Families & Marriages:** many facing rough times, separation, divorce

**Our Soldiers** ... Josh Barber (USMC); Ryan Crist (USARMY - Kansas); Shane Cunningham (Marines - Deployed); Allan Hadland (USARMY - South Carolina); Josh Keeler (USAF-Texas) Marcos Lambaria (US Marines); Matthew Lockitski (USARMY - Ft. Benning); Andrew Marks (USAF- Kansas); Conner Robertson (Naval Academy); Tyler Salem (USARMY - Texas); Ben Shelton (Coast Guard - Alaska); Jacob Wittbrodt (US Marines - Japan).

*If you have a prayer concern, please let us know!*



Other prayer requests are available on our iPray Guide which is emailed out each week to those who have signed up for it. You can request a copy by emailing [mak@flushingcommunity.org](mailto:mak@flushingcommunity.org)

## :: Upcoming Events & Dates ::

### JUNE

15 ..... **Happy Father's Day!!**

15 ..... Fusion Study Break at THE Oak (6:30PM)

17 ..... Fusion Mid-Week Study THE Oak (7:00PM)

18 ..... Mobile Food Pantry at Westwood Heights (8:30AM)

18 ..... Summer Fest Parade. Line up is behind Central Elem (6:30PM)

19 ..... Men's Softball at Trinity Assembly of God (6:00PM)

22 ..... Youth Leave on Mission Trip Returning on June 28

22 ..... LEAP Camp for Grades 5-6

22 ..... Fusion Pool Party at the Cole's (6:30PM)



**Baptism Sunday Coming on August 3** ... Have you been baptized? Scripture calls for all who believe to experience the power of water baptism. Take a brochure today from our Welcome Center to learn more about the beauty of baptism for you or your children. Contact Pastor Terry if you are interested.