

:: You are invited to get involved at FCC ::

Ladies Night Out ... Our next LNO will be Monday, June 20, 6:00 PM at Taboon (Linden and Miller Road). Sign up at the Welcome Center this morning or see Donna O'Brien for more details.

Bread 4 Life ... is a program that has fed over 80 children in Flushing this past school year on the weekends. Thank you for your part in funding this partnership and making a real impact in the lives of children. To learn more about this program, see Bob Coe today!

Flushing Christian Outreach Center ... The FCOC continues to serve nearly 400 friends a month with food and clothing. They are currently in need of cereal, diapers (sizes 4, 5, 6), baby wipes and paper grocery sacks. Donations received in our bins located in the airlock.

Women of Faith ... is coming to Indianapolis this August and we have only a few tickets remaining! Discover details at the display next to the Welcome Center this morning. For those who have signed up, please remember to make your payments directly to Tammy.

Summer "Play Dates for Mom" ... Hey Moms, this summer we are going to have some fun times with each other and our children. Join us for our next outing on Thursday, June 29 at the Riverview Playscape in downtown Flushing. Come and go anytime between 1-4 PM as we enjoy some casual conversation while the kids play. EVERYONE is welcome to join us! See Tammy Bate for details.



Our Church Story

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. By September 1998, eight families had

responded to God's call to form the core of Flushing Community Church of the Nazarene. 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.

We moved into our current worship facility on October 5, 2003. This 12,000 sq. ft. facility was built with the dream of being a place where our community and church would gather for various purposes. It has been used for sport and recreation, funerals and weddings, and weekly worship.

Flushing Community Church has experienced some wonderful days! We've also experienced some great struggles and deep trials. Through it all, we've seen God's loving arms reaching down to us offering hope and purpose.

The next page of our story is still being written. Will you join us to see what God has in store for our journey? We 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!



Welcome to Worship!
Sunday, June 19, 2011

Sunday, June 26
1-4 PM at Seymour School

This will be a simple get together where you can meet others from the church while eating and playing a fun game of family kickball and more!
SIGN UP at the Welcome Center and let us know you are coming!

See Kendra Minton | 659-0745

Summer Camps at Waters Edge ... Forms are available at the Welcome Center for our 2011 summer camps. The proceeds from our dessert auction allow us to offer camps at a new reduced price!! If you have registered your child, please confirm that with our camp coordinator, Kendra Minton.



watersedgencamp.org

| Name: | 2010-11 Gr: | Price: | Our Price! | Dates: |
|-------------|-------------|--------|--------------|----------------|
| Senior High | 9-12 | \$250 | \$150 | June 19-24 |
| Junior High | 7-8 | \$250 | \$150 | June 26-July 1 |
| Primary | 1-2 | \$150 | \$75 | July 6-8 |
| Preteen | 5-6 | \$250 | \$150 | July 10-15 |
| Middler | 3-4 | \$225 | \$125 | July 17-22 |

| Stewardship Report: Mar. '11 - Feb. '12 | 5/29 Actual: | Weekly Goal: | Raised YTD: | Budget YTD: |
|--|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Morning Worship Attendance: | 325 | | | |
| Tithes and Offerings: | \$0 | \$6,734 | \$87,474 | \$94,276 |
| "All In" Fund (2011-12 Ministry Initiatives) | \$0 | \$1,154 | \$35,041 | \$16,156 |

Thank you for your faithfulness in worshipping the Lord by giving of your financial resources!

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We are glad you are here!

Today at Flushing Community Church:

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.

Today is a great day to celebrate the father's in our lives. Our dads are often busy people balancing the pressures of work, the needs of the home and finding time for the family. Today, we are going to look at the Old Testament book of Habakkuk and look at the timeless traps of our society and discover God's role in helping all of us navigate life.

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!

Where Do I Go From Here?

Have you responded to God's grace today? Are you interested in learning more about God and His amazing love for you? We would be honored to share some information with you and help you discover this love. Please give the pastoral staff a call [732-0282] or send them an email [located on back] to set up a time to talk more or just to ask questions! We are here for you!

Who We Are:

Flushing Community Church is a Church of the Nazarene. Our focus in ministry is to all people from all walks of life in Flushing and its surrounding communities, yet we also exist to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus around the world through world missions and the Church of the Nazarene. If you would like to know more about the Church of the Nazarene, check out our denominational website at www.nazarene.org.

What We Do:

Our mission in starting Flushing Community Church in March of 1999 was, and continues to be, "Sharing Christ and Equipping People in Creative, Contemporary, Credible and Caring Ways." We see a clear picture of what the church should look like in scripture (Acts chapter 2) ... "They committed themselves to the teaching of the apostles, the life together, the common meal, and the prayers. Everyone around was in awe ... and all the believers lived in a wonderful harmony, holding everything in common." That continues to be our goal as we share life together.

Financial Contributions:

Our church is a non-profit organization that is funded 100% through the gifts freely given by its people. We believe that God's Word challenges all those in the faith to give 10% (also known as a "tithe") of their income back to the Lord to be used for ministry locally and globally. While 10% is a challenge for many of us, we encourage everyone who attends FCCN regularly to participate in supporting the church. You may place any financial gifts in the wooden stands near the entrance of the worship facility. Online contributions can be done through your personal banking institution. Instructions on this method are at the Welcome Center. Thank you for your faithful giving and support of our church.



Summer Teaching ... Children K-4 are going to be watching a series of videos this summer called "The Story Keepers." This faith-based video series takes the stories of the Bible and brings them into our lives today. Your children will love them and come home ready to live for Christ!

Prayer Bear Program ... Would you like to help connect with children who could use some encouragement? See Debbie to learn more!

CLUB 56

A ministry for 5th & 6th graders

Sunday Mornings ... All preteens (5th & 6th grades) meet in Room B this morning. This will be our summer location as the loft get's pretty hot!

School's Out Celebration ... We are having a summer celebration so big we'll need ALL NIGHT to pull it off! All NEW 5th, 6th and 7th graders are welcomed to join us for our annual all-nighter on Monday, June 27 thru Tuesday, June 28! Cost is \$10 (at the door) and we need you to sign up at the Welcome Center! See Josh or Angie Upleger with questions.

Flushing Student Ministry

High School Boys Bible Study ... Join us at 7:00 PM Monday evenings at the Lord's house (1333 N. Seymour Road) for a great Bible discussion and some activities, as well. Jason Lord is leading this group so see him if you have any questions (248-763-9680). Everyone is welcome!

High School Girls Bible Study ... Join us from 7-8:30 PM at the Wallace's (3366 Ambleside) each Monday. See Carly Lord or Adalee Roberston if you'd like more information today.

Junior High ... Our next gathering will be Sunday, July 10. Details coming soon!

Mercy Team

Ministry leader and contact: Bob Coe (659-9719)

What is Mercy Team? We seek to meet the needs of our community through financial assistance, physical labor or whatever it takes! Do you have an idea for the Mercy Team? Join us on the first Monday of each month as we openly explore new ways to meet the growing need!

Mobile Food Pantry ... our next food distribution will be Wednesday, June 29 at Westwood Heights Park (this is east of I-75 off of Pierson Road. Join us at 9 am as we get things set up and ready to distribute. See Bob Coe with questions. All are welcomed to join us!!

:: 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!

- Kathy Bendall:** finishing her cancer treatments
- The Cole Family:** in the adoption process
- Family of Greg Flint:** Lora, Josh, Talia, Elijah (and his many friends)
- John Harris:** recovering
- John Jordan:** recently diagnosed with cancer (friends of Brandt's & Fras')
- Melody Keeler:** recovering
- David Piechowski:** multiple health concerns including ALS
- Karen Quintal:** battling Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy (RSD)
- John Rau:** battling colon cancer (uncle to Wendy Freeman)
- Karen Rosell:** multiple health related concerns (friend of Michelle Cole)
- Gene Tabor:** serious heart related concerns (father of Dan Tabor)
- Bernie Towns:** battling cancer (friend of the Upleger's)
- Expectant Mothers:** Rojeanna Williams.

General Prayers to remember ...

- Youth Pastor Search:** pray for guidance in this new pursuit
- Our Staff & Leadership:** wisdom, protection, unity, and vision.
- Those Looking for Work:** may God open the right doors!
- Our Soldiers** ... Josh Barber (USMC); Ryan Crist (USARMY - Iraq) Levi Garret (USARMY - Afghanistan); Allan Hadland (USARMY - Afghanistan); Cole Iaquinto (Nat'l Guard); Andrew Marks (USAF in Kansas); Tim Sunday (USAF in Washington) *[share any additional military names with Pastor Terry]*

If you have a prayer concern, please share those with our office staff so that you can be supported through prayer! Call the office at 732.0282. Thank you!

:: Upcoming Events & Dates ::

JUNE:

- 26 Church Picnic at Seymour School Pavilion.
- 27 Club 56 All-Nighter
- 29 Mobile Food Pantry (Westwood Heights)
- 29 Playdate for Mom (Riverview Park)

JULY:

- 7 Ministry Leadership Team (MLT)
- 11 Mercy Team Meeting
- 12 Playdate for Mom (Bowling at Colonial Lanes)
- 12 Board Meeting
- 20 Mobile Food Pantry (Meadowbrook Manor)
- 21 Children's Ministry Team Meeting
- 27 Playdate for Mom (County Park off of McKinley Road)