

AWANA Club Corner

Special AWANA Nights
 April 17 - Sparky Carnival
 May 1 - Awards Night

MAKS
 Moms And Kids

MAKS is an organization for mothers of young children.
We desire to minister to the hearts of mothers and to encourage & nurture them in their personal & family lives.

Join us on the first & third Tuesday of each month in the Fireside Room, from 10-noon.

April 2nd
"Safety Day"

April 16th
"Hear from a Dietician & Recipe Swap"



WOMEN'S MINISTRY

It's time to register for the Women's Retreat!

"A Heart Set on Heaven"
 Guest speaker: **Gretchen Havlicek**



April 19-20

We will learn what it means to have Christ-like attitudes in our lives, and put aside our pride, critical spirits and have true joy. God wants us to experience the joy in our lives when we recognize that HE is the source of all of our strengths and all of our abilities.

Brochures/registration forms at Info Booth!
 Cost \$60

"Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things." Col. 3:2

ELDER RETREAT REPORT

February 19-20, 2013

Most of the current elders and wives and some past elders and wives met Friday evening and Saturday morning at the University of Minnesota Southern Experiment Station. There were 28 people in attendance. John Hanson and Pat Davis were the moderators.

We started activities with a meal followed by singing, prayer, a devotional, and a state of the church presentation by Pastor Chris Johnson. This was followed by some testimonies from several of those in attendance.

Then we spent time in a large group recalling ways in which God has blessed us at CCC. The list exceeded 22 items! The remainder of the evening was spent in small groups listing and discussing areas within church ministries that could be improved.


Saturday morning started with breakfast together followed by worship singing and prayer. The large group further discussed the topics from the night before. Of the identified areas for improvement, the fostering of intentional relationships among people at church emerged as the priority area.

The Elder Board was charged with the responsibility of further evaluating and determining steps of action to be taken as well as prioritizing these action steps. We invite your prayers for the elders as we take future months with this process.

The Discipleship Pathway—Loving God with all we are, loving one another as Christ has loved us, and loving our neighbors as ourselves—is to be woven into all that we do. Therefore, as we strengthen our strengths, and improve in the areas needing improvement, we will want to see evidence of a deep love for God, one another, and neighbors reflected in all we do.

Carroll Galvin
 Chairman, Elder Board

APRIL 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 10:00 Women's Study 6:30 Precepts	2 10:00 MAKS 3:30 Kids Bells 6:30 Children's 7:00 Cong Care 7:00 Property	3 6:00pm AWANA 6:00 Jr Hi 7:00 Sr Hi	4 12:00 Men's Lunch 6:15 Worship Team 7:00 Women's Study	5 6:00am Men's 8:00pm Club 180 Concert	6
7 8:00 Worship 9:30 S.S. 10:45 Worship 2:00 Bridal Shower 5:00 Prayer	8 10:00 Women's Study 6:30 Precepts 6:30 Outreach	9 3:30 Kids Bells 4:30 Women's Ministries 7:00 Missions 7:15 Youth	10 6:00pm AWANA 6:00 Jr Hi 7:00 Sr Hi	11 12:00 Men's Lunch 6:15 Worship Team	12 6:00am Men's Group 8:00pm Club 180	13 7:30am Next Man Up 5:00pm Wild Beast Feast
14 8:00 Worship 9:30 S.S. 10:45 Worship 2:00 Bridal Shower 5:00 Prayer	15 10:00 Women's Study 1:00 Quilting 6:30 Precepts	16 10:00 MAKS 3:30 Children's Handbells 6:30 Elder Meeting	17 6:00pm AWANA 6:00 Jr Hi 7:00 Sr Hi	18 12:00 Men's Lunch 6:15 Worship Team	19 6:00am Men's Group 8:00pm Club 180	20 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 5px auto;">Youth District Blitz in Duluth April 19-21</div>
21 8:00 Worship 9:30 S.S. 10:45 Worship 5:00 Prayer	22 10:00 Women's Study 6:30 Precepts	23 3:30 Children's Handbells 7:00pm Adult Discipleship	24 6:00pm AWANA 7:00 Jr&Sr Hi End of Year Celebration	25 12:00 Men's Lunch 6:15 Worship Team	26 6:00am Men's Group 8:00pm Club 180	27
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Cornerstone

A heart for God and you

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I've Been Thinking About . . . the Resurrection of Christ

By Pastor Chris

The resurrection of Jesus is the ground of our faith (1 Cor. 15:3-8, 12-19). As the foundation of our faith, Christ's resurrection in the historical past generates a present power and a future hope.

A Present Power

While having occurred at a definite point in space-time, the resurrection of Jesus bursts through the finite dimensions of space and the ephemeral bounds of time to invade our lives in the here and now. God's incomparably great power that raised Christ from the dead enables us to live a victorious Christian life (Eph. 1:19-20). The same resurrection power that put death to death enables us to die to our old selves. The same resurrection power that conquered the grave enables us to conquer the deadly impulses of our sin nature. The same resurrection power that raised Jesus to life enables us to live a new life. By faith and in the Spirit, let us avail ourselves of Christ's resurrection power to live in victory over the world, our sin nature, and Satan.

A Future Hope

By rising from the dead, our Savior defeated death and guaranteed that God will raise the dead in Christ when he returns (1 Thess. 4:13-18). Our resurrection bodies will be immortal, imperishable, glorified bodies like Christ's resurrection body (1 Cor. 15:20-23, 35-57). No longer will we be subject to disease, decline, and death. Jesus declared, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies" (Jn. 11:25). Jesus has defeated our last and most formidable enemy, giving us the sure hope of sharing in his resurrection when he returns! Let us stand upon death's carcass and with triumph declare:

Death has been swallowed up in victory!
Where, O death, is your victory?
Where, O death, is your sting? (1 Cor. 15:54-55)

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Christ Community Church Mission Statement

As a local body of believers, we will seek to glorify God in worship, in evangelizing the unsaved and in teaching Christians to obey everything Christ commanded. To that end, prayer will be our foremost task, Scripture will be our authority, God's Holy Spirit will be our source of power and love will be our motivation.

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