

## Missions Updates

### Creative –Access Countries

Remember creative-access workers around the world. Pray for protection, good health, and opportunities to share the good news. Pray that contacts will be drawn to Jesus. Pray that God will break down strongholds and give courage and boldness to national believers.

Pray that regime changes in several creative-access countries will lead to more tolerance toward those who desire to exercise their Christian faith.

### Gabon

The general surgery program at Bongolo Hospital has made some progress in getting recognized by the Gabonese government. Please continue to pray.

## CCC Stewardship Report

Weekly need per Sunday	\$2,302.00
Receipts for budget 11/27	\$1,199.94
Shortage	\$ -876.00
Sunday School Offering 11/27	\$55.91
GCF Faith Promises	\$8,657.00
GCF Received 11/27	\$69.00
GCF Received to date	\$10,219.00
Church Planting/Home Missions 11/27	\$17.00

### Update on New Roof Fund

New Roof Fund 11/27	\$104.00
New Roof Fund to date	\$4,272.00

## Year End Giving

*He is the Reason for the Season! It's not our birthday.*

Yes, it is Jesus' birthday celebration. Please prayerfully consider a faith-filled sacrificial offering for the Lord's work here at Christ Community. This is also in regard to year-end giving as there are only 3 more Sundays until 2012. The Governing Board & Elders are believing God for several thousand extra dollars to end the year in the black. Please ponder & pray about your year-end Christmas offering. Thank you in advance for your giving.



## Sermon Notes

*It is More Blessed to Give Than Receive*

*Text: Acts 20:35*

*You are invited to a Christmas Open House at the Parsonage*

*734 Lindley Blvd in DeLand*

*Please drop in for a visit, fellowship and light refreshments.*

*Please note the days and times of the Open House below:*

**Thursday, December 15th 7-9pm**

*for our Church Leaders & Sunday School teachers & their families*

**Friday, December 16 2-4pm**

*for our church family who live at the Alliance Community for Retirement Living*

*The church bus will be at the ACRL at 1:50pm*

**Friday, December 16 6-9pm**

*Open house for the church family*

*We look forward to welcoming each of you!*

*Driving directions are available on the guest services desk in the church lobby.*

*Pastor Mark & Joy Gorgans*

# Welcome to Christ Community Church



*of the Christian & Missionary Alliance*

*December 4, 2011*

*Second Sunday in Advent*

*Pastor: Rev. Mark T Gorgans*

*Minister of Music: Rev. Glenn Merrill*

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## Welcome to Christ Community Church!

### We are glad you're here!

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We would like the opportunity to get to know you better, please take a moment to fill out the "Care & Communication Card" which you will find in the pocket of the chair in front of you and place it in the offering plate today. Thank you and welcome!

### We love kids at Christ Community

A staffed nursery is available for babies & toddlers up to 3 years old.

Children's Church is available for children age 4-10 yrs. in the children's worship room in the education wing during the service

Contact Person: Joan Bishop  
(386)985-5140



### Alliance Youth News

Sunday School/Life Groups for middle school & high school on Sundays at 9:15am

Contact Person: Kathy Evans katevans64@yahoo.com

### Nursery Schedule

Today: Gail Fallon & Abigail Phillips

Next Sunday: Joan Bishop & Edward Maddox

### Children's Church

Month of December: Mike & Rebecca Deaton

### Greeters

Today: David Browne & Marilyn Maliskas

Next Sunday: Dan & Faith Eriksen

## Today, Sunday December 4th

⇒ 9am Prayer Gathering for leaders & teachers

⇒ 9:15am Sunday School for all ages

⇒ 10:10am Meet & Greet Fellowship in Café

⇒ 10:30 am Communion Worship Service

⇒ 6pm Life Groups

Life Group@CCC 6pm

Life Group@Home of Beth Merrill/1403 Sharon Dr.

DeLand 6pm

## This Week@CCC

Tuesday, December 6: Life Group/Women 7pm

@The Parsonage 734 Lindley Blvd/DeLand

Wednesday, December 7: Worship Team Rehearsal 6pm

Prayer Gathering 7pm

Musical Rehearsal 8pm

Thursday, December 8: Crochet for Missions 6:30pm

@the home of Ruth Nohitsch 1108 N Garfield Ave/DeLand

Saturday, December 10:

Choir Rehearsal at Alliance Chapel 10am

Ladies Christmas Tea 5pm

@CCC

You are invited to

### A Song in the Air

A Musical for Christmas

Sunday, December 18th 10:30am

At Christ Community Church

Presented by the Combined Adult Choirs  
from Christ Community and the Alliance  
Chapel at ACRL

## News to Use

◇ **Want to grow up to maturity in your Christian walk? Desire deeper relationships with fellow believers?** Then a Life Group is for you. Life Groups have started here at CCC and it is not too late for you to get involved. Contact Pastor Mark or the church office for more information.

◇ The **Ladies Christmas Tea** is planned for this Saturday, December 10th 5pm in the worship center at CCC. Betty Constance is our guest speaker. Contact Joy in the church office for a complimentary tea. **Each lady attending from CCC is asked to bring a finger-food to share; a sign sheet is available on the table in the back of the worship center.** Thank you.

◇ Thank you for continuing to supply **The Servant's Heart Pantry** here at CCC; Place your donations in the pink box in the church lobby. Contact Ruth Nohitsch @624-7795/varenyky2@yahoo.com for more information about the pantry and what items are needed

◇ If you wish to **place a poinsettia** in the worship center in honor or memory of someone please fill out the bulletin insert and place it in the offering plate or give to Joy in the church office. The poinsettias will be \$6 each and displayed December 11, 18 & 25th in the Worship Center. They may be taken home after the service on Christmas morning. For more information please contact Joyce Evans @747-0556/joyvern@juno.com

◇ A free **Give-Away Day** is planned for Saturday, December 17th from 9-11am here at CCC; volunteers are needed to welcome people from the community as they pick up items donated from Wal-Mart. Contact Ruth Nohitsch @624-7795 or varenyky2@yahoo.com if you can help with this outreach.

## Mark Your Calendars

December 31(*New Years Eve*)- Watch night Family Event @CCC 6-10pm/Movie, Games & Finger-foods-fun for the whole family!

January 1- New Year's Worship/Communion Service 10:30am  
*No Sunday School or Life Groups on January 1*

January 15- Southern Gospel Concert with the Dunnamens 6pm

February 24-26- Missions Festival @CCC



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*Today, December 4th is the last day to place your order  
The poinsettias may be taken home after the service on  
Christmas morning.*

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Person(s) Poinsettia is placed in Memory/Honor Of (Circle one)

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