

The Heartbeat



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Reflections

Rev. Philip Harrison, Assistant District Superintendent

Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death - even death on a cross!" (Philippians 2:5-8, NIV).

Christmas gives us the wonderful opportunity to celebrate the love of God through the gift of the incarnation: Immanuel, God with us.

If followers of Christ are to become more like Christ and reflect His attitudes, values and behaviors (and we are), His example at Christmas will affect our celebration of Christmas and every day of our lives.

Jesus "did not consider equality with God something to be grasped." While we may not be able to fully comprehend the kenosis, we recognize that Jesus released His position and status. How are you following Jesus' example? Do you expect others to pay deference to you as someone who is greater than they or at least further down the road than they? Or do you relate to others as equals, fellow travelers on the journey of life? How might you demonstrate the attitude of Jesus in your relationships with others?

Jesus was "made in human likeness," in the form of "a servant." It is one thing for someone to surrender the spe-

cial treatment that position usually brings; it is another to become a servant. When Jesus as "master" stooped to wash the feet of the disciples, Peter was appalled! This was beneath Jesus' status. What will following Jesus' example look like in your Christian celebration? in your everyday life? What are some ways in which you can give yourself as a servant?

Jesus was obedient unto death, death on a cross. Numerous stories are told of "good kings" who left their castles for a season and lived among the common folk. But they always survived and returned to their thrones. They didn't give their lives. Jesus steadfastly obeyed God even to the point of giving His life for us. Would you give up your life? Before answering, reflect on the last time you said, "I don't have to put up with this." Or "I don't deserve this." What are some action steps that might lead you further down the road of "obedience unto death?"



This Christmas, may your celebration reflect the example of Christ Jesus who gave Himself for us. When giving your gifts, remember to give yourself. When receiving, rejoice in the heart of the giver.

- ◆ Christmas gift, \$25
- ◆ Wrapping paper, \$5
- ◆ Heart of the giver, *PRICELESS!*



PASTOR/STAFF CHANGES DECEMBER 2009

- **Beckerink, Rev. Neil (Joni)**, New home phone: 814-964-0646.
- **Beeman, Rev. Daniel**, New home phone: 814-387-3557 and email: pastorbeeman@gotmc.net
- **Bowman, Mr. Curtis (Kendra)**, New Pastor at Moon Twp West Hills effective November 22.
- **Hanna, Mr. Glenn (Patricia)**, New Assistant Pastor/Pastoral Care at Pgh Allegheny Center Alliance effective November 2.
- **Miller, Rev. Timothy**, Leave of Absence effective November 1.
- **Piazza, Mr. Daniel (Holly)**, Moving to Toccoa Falls, Georgia effective November 1.
- **Ressler, Mr. Chad (Katie)**, New Assistant Pastor for Evangelism at Warren Alliance effective November 11. Home address 122 N Irvine St., Warren, PA 16365, phone: 814-728-5503 and email: chad.ressler@hotmail.com.
- **Vance, Rev. Douglas (Debbie)**, Unassigned effective November 29.
- **Walborn, Rev. Grant (Madaline)**, Retired. New home address 148 Marwood Rd., Apt 1358, Cabot, PA 16023, phone: 724-524-1377, cell: 724-841-8014 and email: wo3q@aol.com.
- **Watkins, Mr. Nathan (Lindsay)**, Unassigned. New home address: 633 East Tenth Ave., Apt 1, Tarentum, PA 15084.
- **Wattenphul, Rev. Myron (Kathy)**, New Pastor at Mahaffey Alliance effective December 6.

Email Changes:

- ♦ Jerry Hunter, Greenville—lawh39@verizon.net
- ♦ Steven Miller, Osceola Mills - srm8080@yahoo.com
- ♦ Spartansburg C&MA - spartacma@hotmail.com
- ♦ Ron Wallace, Retired - lrwallace977@comcast.net

Recently Ordained:

Rev. Daniel Aluise, Pastor of Cranberry Twp Oak Hill Alliance was ordained November 7, 2009.

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Daniel and Karen Bishop (Youth Director at Greenville Alliance) announce the birth of a baby daughter, Calen Elizabeth, on September 8. Congratulations!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNUAL REPORT: Later this month material will be sent from the National Office for the Annual Report to the President for your church. Please be looking for your packet of information. This report must be completed by every district church. We are looking forward to 100% participation!

CONTACT CHANGES: Please remember to notify the district office when you have changes in either the church's or your home address, telephone number, or email address. We will then forward the changes to the National Office. Please do not contact the National Office with these changes. Thank you!

DISTRICT CORE VALUES



- ◆ *Lost people matter to God! Our mission is to find them.*
- ◆ *Prayer is vital for Christian life and service. Our priority is to seek first His Kingdom in prayer.*
- ◆ *Everything we have belongs to God. Our responsibility is to be wise stewards.*
- ◆ *God wants His people to become His fully devoted followers. Our devotion expresses itself through love for God and love for others.*
- ◆ *Without faith, it is impossible to please God. Our planning and practice take God-pleasing risks.*
- ◆ *Social justice is a passion of God. Our faith champions justice for all.*

Prayer Requests - Remember these special needs in prayer



♦ **Kim Milford**, wife of Rev. Tom Milford, Pastor of McPherron Alliance Church, experienced a seizure on November 19 and was treated at Punxsutawney Area Hospital. After a CT scan, blood and urine tests, Kim was put on an antiseizure medicine. Doctors will have to adjust the level of medicine in her blood. A month ago a second neurologist confirmed the MS diagnosis. Please remember Kim and Tom in prayer.

♦ **The New Castle Washington Union Alliance Church** was broken into and robbed November 14. Among the things that were taken were the church's computer and sound system. Please remember Pastor Rich Noble and the Washington Union Church in your prayers.

♦ **Celia Watts**, daughter of Rev. Don and Betty Miles (Retired Pastor) had a heart catheterization. Doctors reported that everything is fine. Rev. Miles is praising God for His goodness and thanking everyone for their prayers.

♦ **Dr. Duane White** (recently retired pastor of Clearfield Alliance Church) is scheduled for heart valve replacement surgery. We will update you as more is known. Please uphold Duane, Lee (wife) and the family in prayer during this difficult time.

In Remembrance - Remember these special needs in prayer.

* **Ruth Raymond Herman**, mother of Rev. Jack Herman (Senior Pastor of Uniontown Cherry Tree Alliance) passed away in November. Services were held at the West End Alliance Church in Richmond, VA. Your prayers for the family are especially appreciated as Jack's dad passed away just a few months ago.

* **LaVerne Sakariasis**, grandmother of Lora Hutchison (Lora is the wife of Rev. Marvin Hutchison, Pastor at North East Alliance Church) passed away in November. Services were held in New London, MN, at the Johnson Funeral Home.

* **Dr. Kenneth Opperman**, father of Mr. Bill Opperman (Youth Pastor at Butler Community Alliance Church) passed away November 19. Dr. Opperman was the President of Toccoa Falls College from 1974-1978. He was greatly used of God in Peru in the Lima Encounter with God movement. Services were held at the Westburne Alliance Church, Saint Catherines, Ontario, Canada.

* Also pray for the Rev. Gary Koontz and his family in the recent loss of his sister-in-law.



A special thank you to all churches participating in Operation Christmas Joy 2009. Because of your generosity a fellow pastor, evangelist, retired pastor, or international worker will receive a wonderful, unexpected surprise this holiday season.

If your church or maybe an individual or family from your congregation would like to be a part of this unique and awesome program, we are still accepting donations. All you need to do is contact Janeen Barrett by phone 814-938-6920 or email barrettj@cmawpa.org. She will let you know how easy it is to contribute to Ocj and spread a little Christmas Joy.

District Churches Seeking Pastors

- Aliquippa Hopewell
- Beaver
- Bedford*
- Clearfield*
- Coraopolis Whosoever*
- Fuoss Mills
- Neshannock
- Pgh Hilltop Community*
- Spartansburg
- Webster Avenue*

Churches With Credentialed Interim Pastors

- Acmetonia*
- Clymer
- Erie Grandview
- Greenville
- Punxsutawney*

Churches With Uncredentialed Ministry Leaders

- Mina, NY
- NC Clifton Flat
- NK Greensburg Road.
- New Wilmington
- Sandy Lake
- Sewickley Pinehurst

Churches With Lay Leadership or Pulpit Supply

- Ambridge
- Beccaria
- Gray
- Titusville

*Receiving Resumes

Anyone interested in submitting a resume should send it to the attention of:

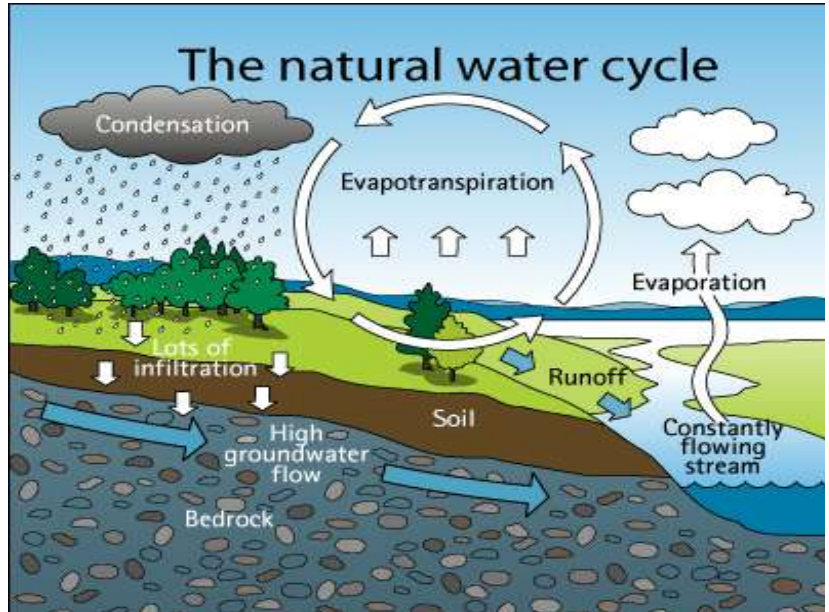
Rev. Jeffery Norris, DS
341 Chestnut Street
Punxsutawney, PA 15767
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Pass It On

By Rev. John Fogal, Sr.

looked up the word “sustainability” and found that it meant: “the capacity to endure with continued viability and remain productive over time.” This principle applies to every form of life, including church life. It is having the foresight to meet the present needs without compromising the life of future generations.

We see this principle happening all around us. Every living organism contains the seed for future life cycles. The leaves fall from the trees, become humus, which becomes new nutrients for new life next spring. There are all kinds of cyclical activities in nature like the water cycle pictured on this page.



However, in our churches we seldom think beyond the end of our noses. The tendency in many of our churches is to focus on programs and buildings with the same people doing the same old things, while the life of the church becomes less and less viable. Like the old codger said, “What use is a sawmill without a forest?” What if all the “seed corn” in the world was used last spring and all the corn harvested this fall was used to make corn flakes, ethanol, etc. and nobody was thinking long-term about next spring’s planting?

Too many of our churches slip from “Growing” to “Plateaued” to “Decline” to “Closure.”

The Bible teaches this principle. It is best seen in II Timothy 2:2 (NLT); “You have heard me teach things that have been confirmed by many reliable witnesses. Now teach these truths to other trustworthy people who will be able to pass them on to others.” Early on, I thought the hard part of this verse was finding

“trustworthy people.” Now, I’m convinced that the hardest part is doing the “commit thou” (KJV). The “old man” in us likes the prestige/power/control that we associate with leadership rather than passing it on. This blocks the flow of God’s work through us in the raising up of emerging leaders for the future. And too many of our churches slip

from “Growing” to “Plateaued” to “Decline” to “Closure.” I am not arguing that every church on the corner of Main and Broadway should stay there until Jesus comes but I am very deeply concerned about the high number of premature church deaths.

Here are some examples of what we could do:

- People we lead to Christ become involved (along side of a mature Christian) in leading others to Christ. One of the best tell-tale signs of a genuine conversion is a burden for lost friends. Don’t let that fire go out.
- Instead of one person doing all of the counseling, train others who are “able also to admonish one another” (Romans 15:14 NKJV). This means that married couples (for instance) who have been helped by counseling could help other couples with troubled marriages.
- Small group leaders have a designated “apprentice” beside them who are receiving “on-the-job” training to become a small group leader - because the plan is for that group to become two groups.
- Institute the idea of “elders-in-training” with your present elders pouring themselves into at least one potential elder.

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Pass It On - continued

A few years ago, I went to a church as a coach to help them become healthier. I presented the results of the NCD survey to about 30 people - one man was in his middle 60's and the rest were over 75. I asked them, "You want this ministry here on this corner to continue, don't you?" They were awakened by that question. They responded with a big "YES!" Then I asked this question; "What have you done to raise up future leaders for this ministry after you are gone?" I got this blank stare. Finally, one man said, "You mean we are to think about future leaders? Why, we don't even have enough people to fill the slots on the Nominating Committee's report now."

Get your leaders on board with this biblical principle. Evaluate the ministry of the church you serve in light of its "sustainability." Don't go down any more dead-end streets. Every time you make a decision, anticipate the next steps before you take this one. Stop the spectator/consumer mentality and get the people out of the bleachers and onto the playing field. Instead of leaders doing the work themselves, pass it on...and on...and on...and on - until Jesus comes!



LATROBE ALLIANCE CHURCH MORTGAGE BURNING

On Sunday, November 15, 2009, **Latrobe Alliance Church** celebrated the burning of the mortgage on their current facility which was purchased in 1997 and refinanced in 2003. Future plans include constructing a new multi-purpose structure adjacent to their current building. The congregation gives praise to God for His blessing in enabling them to accomplish this milestone.



EDINBORO CONFERENCE GROUNDS Winter Events

Make Tracks to Edinboro - Snow Camp '10

Come and bring your friends for lots of winter fun and be challenged in your relationship with God; plan for good times inside & out. Bring a warm jacket, hat, gloves, boots, & plenty of extra clothes. Also, bring your sleeping bag, a pillow, personal items & Bible.

January 9-10, 2010 for grades 1-4

January 30-31 for grades 9-12

February 13-14 for grades 5-8

Chili & Soup Cook-off

January 16, 2010

Serving begins at 1 p.m. - Cooks MUST contact Jerry Ester by January 12 for a table.

Questions, contact Jerry Ester by email: edinborocamp@hughes.net

District Pastoral Chaplains



Sutton/Ulrich Cottage

The purpose of the cottage is to provide a safe haven for official workers and their families who reside in and are a part of the Western PA District of the C&MA and who may need a place apart for rest, study, prayer and in general for one's personal pursuit of God. Contact Rev. Bill Wood for reservations.

Northeast Quadrant
Rev. Bernard Knefley
814-274-8661

Northwest Quadrant
Rev. Edwin Dixon
814-786-7669

Southeast Quadrant
Rev. William Hazlett
814-736-4032
and
Rev. James Vandervort
814-444-8783

Southwest Quadrant
Rev. William Wood
Chaplain Coordinator
724-863-5179

The Crisis Experience

By Rev. Richard Jenks, District Prayer Convener

What changed Saul of Tarsus from a hate-filled enemy of Jesus Christ to an apostle and missionary of the Gospel?

He was a man whose every breath was filled with threatening animosity against the People of the Way. His burning desire was to wipe them off the face of the globe and rid the world of this threat to his religious piety.

He was a man without compassion for the victims of his hatred. In his zeal, he was not even aware that he had no love for the Lord of the Law. The Law was everything! There was no room for grace, no room for mercy or pity. Something about the Christians chilled him and caused him to feel only the goad as they responded to him with forgiveness and love.

Then Saul saw a great light and heard the voice of the Lord calling him by name, and he was changed in an instant. His response was an immediate, "Lord, what will you have me do?" Saul of Tarsus became a believer. He was convinced of his own fallen nature and sinful heart. He knew that he was the worst of the worst. He was the lowest of the low.

From a pious, religious fanatic out to kill and destroy, he was changed into a repentant, broken man. Saul's conversion was genuine and life-changing. But, like the other apostles who followed Jesus and ministered with Him, Saul was not immediately ready to go to the ends of the earth with the Good News of the Gospel. He was forgiven and cleansed by the blood of Jesus Christ. He was broken and empty of all the bitterness and anger. He was submissive and yielded to the will of God. However, even as the disciples were told to tarry in Jerusalem until they received power, so Saul must also receive the same baptism

of the Holy Spirit that Peter, James, John, and the rest of the one hundred twenty disciples in the upper room received. If Saul of Tarsus was to become Paul the Apostle, he would have to be filled with the Holy Spirit and power.

Everything was about to change for Saul when a man called Ananias entered the house. Putting his hands on Saul, Ananias said, "Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, that appeared to you in the way as you came, has sent me, that you might receive your sight, and be filled with the Holy Spirit." This was the crisis experience in the life of Paul that took a new follower of Christ - a sinner saved by grace - and empowered him to become the giant of the faith that would change the world with the message that he had once hated.

That is why Paul, upon entering the Church of Ephesus and seeing a little group of believers, numbering about twelve, asked them the question, "Did you receive the Holy Spirit since or when you believed?" He recognized what was missing, and pointed to the crisis of sanctification. They became true believers, and were baptized in water; and when they came up out of the water, Paul laid his hands on them, and they received the fullness of the Holy Spirit. All throughout church history, the need for the Crisis Experience of Sanctification has been emphasized to a greater or lesser degree because the evidence is irrefutable. We cannot do the work of ministry in our own power. Hear once again the promise of Acts 1:8: "You shall receive power, after the Holy Spirit is come on you: and you shall be witnesses to me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and to the uttermost part of the earth."



Disciplemaking Ministries

Mrs. Cheryl Grossoehme, Director

Let's Ring the Bell!!!



Children's Mission Project "Playground for MKs"

June 1, 2009 to May 31, 2010
Darhan MK School,
Darhan, Mongolia

Goal: To provide playground equipment for the school and a safe place for the children to play.

All contributions will be used for the purchase of playground equipment. Whatever might be in excess will go towards improving the area with some landscaping.

Brent and Lisa Liberda's children attend the school. Learn more about their ministry in Mongolia, visit their website at www.liberdafamily.com.

Resources for the project are available. Contact Ruby by phone: 814-938-6920 or email: piskerr@cmawpa.org.

THE KIDZ MISSION IMPACT held at Grove City Alliance Church, Grove City, PA on November 14, was a huge success. 75 students and counselors were in attendance.

Special guests Eric Maxey and Todd Althaus were in charge of the many activities which included: language lab, craft prayer reminder, games and big slide, prayer time with the international workers, and a closing challenge encouraging the children to do their part in completing The Great Commission. 14 responded to the call.

Another KIDZ Mission Impact will be held in 2010. Plan to attend!



BREAKAWAY

Senior High Retreat
April 16-18, 2010

Family First Sports Park, Erie, PA

Brochure with complete details will be emailed to all churches soon!

*C O L L I D E
LIFE 2010
Louisville, KY
July 6-10, 2010*

LIFE is a unique once-in-a-lifetime event, to help students enter into the LIFE experience with a solid foundation and to ultimately return from LIFE 2010 with a maximum personal impact. Cost is \$395. Register online: www.lifeimpactcma.org/LIFE/2010.html.

**Legacy Builders' Bus Tour
Millennium Theater
Lancaster, PA
April 6-7, 2010**

Joseph!

This marks the beginning of your adventures to Lancaster, PA, the heart and soul of the Amish and Mennonite community in Pennsylvania.

You will have reserved seating at the Millennium Theater for the brand-new performance of "Joseph." Sight and Sound's depiction of this classic story will magnify the many qualities that make it appealing to all ages. Of all the characters in the Bible, perhaps Joseph is the best parallel to the character of Jesus that can be found. The production has a larger-than-life staging that includes a spectacular Egyptian palace scene spanning 300 feet and wrapping around three sides of the audience. You will leave this show energized with the character of Joseph., renewed in your faith and inspired to dream big for God's glory.

Tour includes:

- Roundtrip deluxe mini coach transportation for 29 passengers.
- Overnight lodging at the Mill Stream Country Inn.
- Dinner at Good & Plenty Restaurant.
- Reserved seating for "Joseph."

Cost per person: \$280 - Double, \$265 - Triple and \$255 - Quad

Make your reservations early!!

Pastors & Wives Prayer Retreat

Tentative Schedule

Monday

“A Day in His Courts”

9:00 a.m. Arrive, settle in, spend time alone with God until noon. Everyone should arrive before 11:30 a.m.

12 Noon - Lunch together
1-2 p.m. - God Time!
2-3 p.m. - God Time!
3-4 p.m. - God Time!
4-5 p.m. - God Time!
5:30 p.m. - Supper together
6:30 p.m. - Worship service
7:00 p.m. - Lecture 1, “Needing a Second Touch”
8:00 p.m. - Break
9:00 p.m. - Video: “Fireproof”
10:00 p.m. - Free time
11:00 p.m. - Quiet time

Tuesday

“Quietly Listening to God”

Lectures are 45-50 minutes plus discussion and Q&A. (Earn 1 CEU for each lecture)

8:00 a.m. - Breakfast
8:30 a.m.—Lecture 2 “Building Sabbaths and Sabbaticals”
10-11 a.m. - God time!
11-Noon - God time!
12 Noon - Lunch together
1-2 p.m. - God Time!
2-3 p.m. - God Time!
3-4 p.m. - God Time!
4-5 p.m. - God Time!
5:30 p.m. - Supper together
6:30 p.m. - Worship service
7:00 p.m. - Lecture 3, “Becoming a Praying Pastor”
8:00 p.m. - Break
9:00 p.m. - Lecture 4, “Building a Praying Church”
10:00 p.m. - Free time
11:00 p.m. - Quiet time

Wednesday

Study Hall & Fellowship
(Optional: stay to fellowship and study)

8:00 a.m. Continental breakfast or eat out together at “The Cabin,” Dutch Treat.
9 a.m. to 3 p.m. —God time to study, pray etc. (You are free to leave at any time.)

Pastors & Wives Prayer Retreat



The Castle at Franklin, PA

March 22 - March 24, 2010

We welcome you to Life Ministries’ Castle just outside of Franklin, PA. The facilities are huge, the rooms comfortable and the fellowship sweet. Enjoy slowing down in the silence and solitude of this retreat center.



Retreat

Full Retreat: Two nights (Monday and Tuesday) - \$65
Couple: \$100 is the discounted price for husband and wife. Sorry no one-night stays or drive-ins. (Cost: lodging per person: \$40 plus food per person: \$25 totaling \$65. Add \$35 for a spouse for a total of \$100 per couple for two nights and meals.)

Early Bird Special: Extra \$25

for single or couple. Early arrivals who want to spend time with God can arrive on Sunday night. Begin to slow down and have a fresh start on Monday morning. NO food will be provided Sunday. Bring your own snacks and supper.

All fees must be paid in advance to “Grove City Alliance Church.” Call the office to register, 724-458-8497. Send check or money order to Grove City Alliance Church, 845 North Liberty Road, Grove City, PA 16127.

Please ask your governing board or elders to consider assisting you in the funding of this important prayer event. There may be individuals in your congregation who would love to sponsor you financially to make this possible. If you are financially unable to attend and your church will not help please ask if scholarship monies are available.

The following four lectures are being offered: “Needing a Second Touch,” “Building Sabbaths and Sabbaticals,” “Becoming a Praying Pastor,” and “Building a Praying Church.” Earn one CEU for each lecture.

WPA District Office Personnel

District

Leadership Team

- Rev. Jeffery Norris, District Superintendent
- Rev. Philip Harrison, Asst. District Superintendent Regional Team Leader
- Rev. Joseph Toomey, Director of Church Planting Regional Team Leader
- Mrs. Cheryl Grossoehme, Director of Disciplemaking Ministries
- Rev. Robert Douglas, Director of Church Health Regional Team Leader

Support Staff

- Kathy Anderson
- Janeen Barrett
- Susan Harrison
- Dixie McIntire
- Lynette Norris
- Ruby Piszker

Questions, contact Rev. Richard LaFountain by phone: 724-458-8497 or email: rlafoun-tain@zoominternet.net

Pulpit Supply List

This list has been prepared to assist you in locating individuals to minister in your services in the absence of a pastor. The people listed are available and recommended for this ministry.

- **Rev. James Ailes (Mars)**, Phone: 724-625-1549.
- **Rev. Larry Aldrich (Retired - Oil City/Franklin)**, Phone: 814-678-0004 or email: larjean216@comcast.net.
- 🎵 **Rev. Melvin Allison (Retired - New Brighton)**, Mel & Jan Ministries, phone: 724-847-7445.
- **Rev. Robert Baer (Retired - Johnstown)**, Phone: 814-266-3349 or email rjbaer@verizon.net.
- **Rev. Richard E. Bartmas (Retired - Cabot)**, Phone: 724-352-0687 or email: rbartmas@yahoo.com.
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- **Rev. Duane Blough (Johnstown)**, Phone: 814-539-4247 or email: pamduane@atlanticbb.net.
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- **Rev. Edwin A. Dixon (Retired - Grove City)**, Phone: 814-786-7669 or email: edixon@access995.com.
- **Mr. Ronald Evans (Mars)**, Phone: 724-625-6608 or email: revansed@yahoo.com.
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- **Rev. Roland Gray III (Butler)**, Phone: 724-287-2322.
- **AW - Mrs. Cheryl Grosseohme (DO)**, Phone: 814-938-6920 or email: grosseohmec@cmawpa.org.
- **Mr. Ben Harrison (Punxsutawney)**, Cell phone: 724-984-7271 or email: harrisonbj87@yahoo.com
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- **Mr. Don Higley (Coudersport)**, Phone: 814-274-8833.
- **Rev. Dave Hunter (Clearfield)**, Phone: 814-661-2576 or email: dvhntr@gmail.com.
- **Mr. John Impavido, M.Ed., CAC (Pittsburgh)**, Phone: 412-303-2750 or email: Impavido@city-net.com.
- **Rev. James Ishler (Butler)**, Phone: 724-282-9878.
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- **Mr. Jim Mahan (Butler)**, Phone: 724-352-7034.
- **Mr. Matthew Mahan (Pittsburgh)**, Phone: 814-598-7837 or email: m.john.mahan@gmail.com.
- **Rev. Jerry McCauley (Retired)**, Phone: 863-699-2864 or email: jrml1957@yahoo.com. Summer months only.
- **Rev. George McNeel (Pittsburgh)**, Phone: 724-736-0957 or email: gvmcneel@juno.com.
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- 🎵 **Rev. Jim Yates**, a member of the Focus Quartet and is available during the winter months. Phone: 814-866-8677.
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AW Women's Ministry • 🎵 Music Ministry • ♥ Special Ministry

2009-2010 District Calendar

Vision Statement: Our vision is to plant churches and to enable all district churches to be culturally relevant and biblically sound.

Schedule of Events

- 12/8 - DEXCOM Meeting, Castlewood Alliance, New Castle
- 12/14 - Christmas Dinner, Legacy Banquet Center, Mercer, PA
- 12/24-25 - Christmas Holiday, District Office Closed
- 1/1 - New Years Day, District Office Closed
- 1/12 - LO&CC Meeting, District Office
- 2/15 - President's Day Holiday, District Office Closed

2010 District and Prayer Conference
 Sheraton Four Points
 Cranberry Twp, PA
 April 27-29, 2010

December 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 <i>DEXCOM</i>	9	10	11	12
13	14 <i>District Christmas Dinner</i>	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 <i>Christmas Holiday</i>	26
27	28	29	30	31		

January 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 <i>New Years Day</i>	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 <i>LO&CC</i>	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

February 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 <i>Pres. Day Holiday</i>	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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