

Jason Locke has been our preaching minister since 2009.

Minister's Message

I am thankful for the many hard workers and servants in this church. **Lex Henderson** did a tremendous job once again heading up our Trunk or Treat. It's not a stretch to say that 1,000 or more people came through our front lawn and loop. While cooking hot dogs, **Bob Ward** overheard more than one person phoning friends with this message, "Dude, you have to get over here. This is all free, and the hot dogs are actually good!" As a church, we are at our best when we are out of the building rubbing elbows with our neighbors.



I appreciate the hard work put in by **Tina Eckrich** to organize this

year's Holiday Boutique. This has provided a wonderful outlet for our more creative individuals. I'm sure there have been many other serendipitous benefits as well.

Our children's ministry transition is gathering steam. You may not see the evidence of it for a few weeks, but **Doug Baker** has been leading multiple teams of people to assess our current situation and make plans for 2012. You'll hear more details next week. These changes may ultimately cause some minor discomfort for the rest of us as we get used to new adult classrooms or shift our fellowship time. We're focusing our eyes on our neighbors and on their need to know Jesus. These changes will ultimately help make space for new people and thereby enrich us all.

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Welcome! If you are **visiting** with us today, please give us your name & contact information on the card below. **Tear it off and place it in the offering basket** later in the service. We invite you to experience God's grace among us and to think about finding your place in this fellowship of believers.

Name(s): _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

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Comments: _____

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Mountain View Christian School

is a church-affiliated pre-school, day care, and primary school (K-6) that uses our facility. It operates under its own board, most of whom are members of our church. For info, call 435-2923.

Sunday Worship

9:00-10:20 AM

During worship, a **Staffed Nursery** is available for children from birth to 2 years of age. That room is off the foyer.

Kids from kindergarten to 6th grade will be invited to participate in children's church, called **PowerUp**, during the second half of worship. They will be dismissed with their chaperones at about 9:30.

Sunday Classes

10:30-11:30 AM

Adult

College-Age Group	Rm 500
Drury Group	Rm 305
Button Group	Rm 405
Watson Group	Rm 406
Rodriguez Group	Rm 411
Smith Group	Rm 501
Wint Group	Rm 503
Sue Group	Fellowship Hall

Children & Youth

2-3 Years	Rm 103
4-5 Years	Rm 104
Kinder/1st Grade	Rm 205
2nd/3rd Grade	Rm 206
4th/5th Grade	Rm 203
6th Grade	Rm 307
Junior High	Rm 600
High School	Rm 600

Wednesday Classes

6:30-7:30 PM

Women's Series	Rm 406
Ten Commandments	Rm 305
Prayer Group	Rm 405
College Age	Rm 600
Overcomer's Outreach	Rm 700
Stroke Support Group	Rm 211
Teens	Rm 500
Kids	Children's Wing



The College Church is God's safe house, a place where you can find refuge and care. Instead of judgment, you will experience the grace of God through Jesus Christ.

And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these.
Matt 6:28-29

After the sermon, we will have a "Time of Response." Various folks will be available to talk or pray. Others will be available to assist. You can respond by moving to one of the aisles.

Today's Order of Worship

Cry of My Heart

Call to Worship

Cry of My Heart

Restore My Soul

You Are Worthy of My Praise

Lord, You Have My Heart

Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross

Communion ~ Aaron Watson

Offering

Lord, We Come Before Thee Now

Offering

Message ~ Doug Baker

"God Can Use the Insatiable: Solomon's Story"

Time of Response

My Eyes Are Dry

On Bended Knee

Offering ~ Michael Rodriguez

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

Blessing ~ Doug Baker

November 6, 2011

Shepherding Group News

Smith: A special thank you to those who made the "Trunk or Treat" event a success. Another thank you to all those who participated in the Holiday Boutique. We praise God for the outstanding abilities displayed in both of these events.

Wint: Praise: We thank and praise God for the opportunity to meet David Tonui, and to hear of the good work that is being done at the Horn of Africa through the Nairobi Great Commission School. **Birthday Praise:** Richard Caples (10/29); Sandy Lohman (11/1); Steve Thurman and Doug Baker (11/3). **Anniversary Praise:** Ron & Marsha Rocha (10/23)

Wednesday Night Dinner

MENU

Orange Chicken,
Fried rice,
Chinese Chicken
Salad

Starts at 5:30 p.m.
\$4 per Person
\$10 per Family

Classes follow
at 6:30.

In Our Prayers

Doug Pafford's father, Charlie: stroke
Mercy Tonui: ulcers/tests

Maysee Yang: started chemo on 11/1

Mary Tarkenton, Marsha Rocha: on the liver transplant list

Alfred Ramirez: health/family

Suzanne Soliday: angioplasty

Children's Ministry/Shepherding groups: transitions

Clenton Wells & family: brother **Nolan Wells** died last weekend; the funeral was yesterday in Anderson.

Ongoing Concerns: Florence Bedoian, Bob Biggers, Mary Tarkenton, Betty Brown, Lloyd Vincent, Jessie Jarman, Herb Watkins, Agnes Tinsley, Eva Trader, Joann Wells, Edith Hood, Margaret Cooke and Christine Hampy.

The church office will be closed Friday, Nov. 11 for the Veterans Day holiday.

For the Record

Attendance:

Worship (10/30)	340
Classes	217
Wed. Night (11/2)	111

Contribution:

Last Week (10/30)	\$4,747.00
Weekly Average	\$9,146.48
2011 Budget	\$11,078.00

Harvest Day: Please make a note about the annual harvest day collection coming up on December 4. This supports all of our global missions efforts. A detailed budget will appear next week.

Upcoming Church Activities & Events



Veterans Day Breakfast

This Friday, Nov 11, 6:30-8:30 a.m.

All veterans or active military personnel and their spouses are invited to a free breakfast provided by the Men's Ministry. We encourage you to invite a veteran as a guest—perhaps a friend, neighbor or relative. Breakfast will be served in the fellowship hall starting at 6:30 so that those who are working can still make it to their jobs.

Women's Retreat

Deposits for the annual women's retreat are due on November 13. Please call Grace Pendleton with any questions, 288-5727. You can also check our website at www.collegecofc.com under "women's ministry" to get detailed information about this event.

Ladies Take Note: Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Class has moved to room 406.

Christmas Party Tickets

The Christmas party will be here before you know it. Please visit the table in the foyer to purchase tickets today.

For Your Calendar

11/11	Veterans Day Breakfast
12/4	Church Christmas Party
12/4	Harvest Day Collection
12/24	Candlelight Service
2/10-12	Renew Conference
2/24-26	Women's Retreat

Misty Baker invites everyone to a cake celebration TODAY in honor of Doug Baker's 50th birthday!

Place:

Fellowship Hall/Front Lawn

Time:

Come & go from 1:30-4:30

Mexico Mission Trip 2012

The Mexico Mission Trip for 2012 is scheduled for April 1-7 and is open to all church members. There will be an informational meeting on Sunday, November 13, following class. Please attend if you are interested in going. Each participant will need to provide a \$50 deposit by December 4. Please contact Jon Frame (jwfarchitect@att.net or 281-0268) if you have any questions.

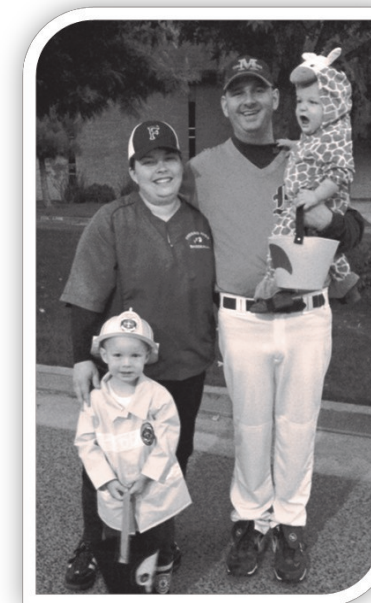
TRUNK OR TREAT 2011!



Gary & Grace Pendleton dressed the part!



Sydney & Kindie looking so cute.



Shane, Darla, Luke & Noah Mason pose for the camera.



A big thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Trunk or Treat such a success. All 520 hot dogs were given away with still 45 minutes to spare. We gave out more candy than anyone could count. It was a great event!

Communion Servers for November

Jeremy Ellington, Darrell Hyatt, David Morris, Ellery Ellis, Tom Patterson, Ryan Smith, Casey Sue, Dustin Swain

Prayer Request: _____ Date: _____

Updates (Address, Phone, E-Mail): _____

Member Requests & Information

