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ing of all, this November at KRBC there will be a regional mentor training conference for anyone interested in starting similar ministries in their churches.

When I look back over this last year, the experience of simply saying "yes" to God and watching him work through me is the most thrilling one I have ever had. When I've had questions, He's provided answers. When I've had doubts, He's provided encouragement. When I've faltered, He's stepped in. I have learned more about God's unfailing love and unstoppable plan than I've ever knew before. My faith, trust and joy in the Lord has grown by leaps and bounds because of allowing Him to use *me* in carrying out His plan to reach out to His beloved young daughters.

I challenge each of you to get involved in this ministry or in other areas of service. God is doing something great in our church, leading us as a body into a new era of service for His kingdom. He has a plan, and He's inviting ALL of us to join Him. *He will accomplish His will regardless*, so why not join Him and experience the greatest joy of your life?

Editor's note: If you would like more information on this mentoring program, contact Krista Wood at (614) 478-9611 or attysirk@yahoo.com. Registration brochures for the November regional mentor training conference (to be held at KRBC) will be available at the Welcome Center.

by Jeff Farquhar



Facelift for the Future

Phase I of building renovations is in the planning stage. The bathrooms by Fellowship Hall will be the first area to be remodeled. One of two building contractors has been to the church with their sub contractors to develop a quotation package. We are awaiting the contractor's reply to our quotation request. Stay tuned.

Michael G. Martin Chosen as KRBC's Music Director

by JoEllen Landman

Mike Martin started his second musical ministry season with KRBC on Sunday, September 7. Mike was Director of Music here at Karl Road Baptist 1995-2004. Since 2004, Mike has worked with the adult choir and worship team at Upper Arlington Lutheran Church on Lytham Road. He holds a Bachelor of Music Education degree and Master's of Art degree in Choral Conducting, both from the Ohio State University. Mike also has hours of doctoral study work at OSU and Boston University towards completion of his doctorate. An accomplished pianist and organist, Mike has performed for former Presidents Ford and Reagan, Lauren Bacall, Bob Hope, Phyllis Diller, Tommy Tune, Marvin Hamlisch, Kenny Rogers, and others.



Michael G. Martin

Mike has been Director of Choral Activities at Hilliard Darby High School since 1995. He has taken his school choirs on various foreign and domestic trips for concert performances. Mike and wife Carolyn are proud parents of son Noah, age 7. Even though conducting, composing and arranging music take up much of his time, Mike has other interests such as home remodeling, golfing, and traveling. Other favorite activities are Christmas, the beach for vacation and snow days off from school. When asked about his favorite music, Mike states he enjoys classical music, especially large works for choir and orchestra.

Women Living an Outflow Lifestyle

All women in the church are invited to join us Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will enjoy a light supper and a different speaker each month to help us learn how to live a lifestyle of Outflow.

Date	Focus	Speaker
Oct 5	Community	Wanda Campbell
Nov 2	World	Sarah Moseley

Call the church office to register. Please bring \$1 to help cover the cost of the meal.

WORLD MISSION OFFERING

To be Received October 19

They were all amazed and glorified God saying, "We have never seen anything like this!" Mark 2:12

Have you ever thought, "The needs of people are so enormous, how can I possibly make a difference?" The World Mission Offering is one very powerful way to say to a world in need, "Jesus knows and loves you." Investing in the work of missionaries meets an incredible range of human needs while sharing the good news of Jesus.

This year, the World Mission Offering will provide salary support for Kim Brown as she continues with her areas of ministry in Thailand. These are the House of Love, House of Blessing, Health Project for Tribal People and the Community Based Rehab Program.

Our World Mission Offering will also help provide salary support for Wendy Bernhard in the Democratic Republic of Congo. Wendy helps the Baptist Community of Congo train pastors and the Bible Institute in Kimpese. She also works with a multidisciplinary team focusing on HIV/AIDS awareness and prevention, especially among Congo's youth and young adults.

Our goal this year is \$5,000. We will be receiving the WMO on October 19. Give generously and join in embracing this challenge.

BE SURPRISED BY GOD'S PEOPLE.
RECEIVE. GIVE.
BE TRANSFORMED!

We Need You!

by Pastor Glenn



Hey folks, are you tired of sitting home bored? We're looking for a few people to make a difference in our senior adult ministry. Our monthly luncheons can be an exciting time to meet new people, receive great information about life and church, have fellowship, and of course eat! We need everything including cooks, table setters, greeters and planners. Call Pastor Glenn to get involved. Stop feeling sorry for yourself and pick up the phone!

I Stand Amazed

by Krista Wood

Two years ago, I felt God calling me to begin serving in the youth ministry. I started assisting Chyloe Trumbo with "Wings", the high school girls' group. As the school year was ending last spring, I again felt God calling me...this time to really try to get to know the girls more deeply and begin to pray for them individually. At the start of last summer, I announced that I wanted to get together with any interested girls to get to know them better. *Every single girl in the group raised her hand to indicate her interest.*

As I met with them, I was surprised at how eagerly they shared their lives and problems. I was pleased, but concerned, because I began to feel overwhelmed in my attempts to uphold each one in prayer and keep up with their daily lives.

Once again God spoke to me and His plan was revealed. He'd never intended for me to support all of these girls in such an intentional way all by myself. He wanted to offer ALL the women in our church the opportunity to make a difference, to have an impact, to be a positive role model. I felt strongly that I should start a mentoring ministry!

The idea was barely in my head before I began to move forward, I started meeting with the leader of a mentoring ministry at a local church to get ideas where to begin. I mentioned my idea to Pastor Rick and Jared. I presented the idea to the high school girls, and again had an overwhelming positive response. I wrote out ministry mission statements and descriptions and sent out an interest letter to every woman in the church.

Within six months, I had interviewed nine potential mentors, prayerfully matched them with protégés, and officially started the ministry. I was, and still am, in awe of God's direction and leadership. I have NO experience in this type of endeavor. NONE. The only explanation I have for what has been accomplished so far is His divine guidance.

The ministry is now almost a year old, and it's having ups and downs. God recently provided professional training from a national Christian mentoring ministry, and I am again in awe of His leadership and guidance as I lead and learn at the same time.

I'm making some exciting changes to the program and planning more training in the future. I am now offering mentors to girls from ages 10-17 and I'm continually recruiting new mentors. I want to reach beyond our church doors to offer mentors to girls in the community. I'm also recruiting volunteer staff to help me coordinate the ministry to better ensure the program's success. I've even talked with some men in the church about beginning a similar ministry for boys. Most excit-

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Outflow

"The Church has Left the Building"

Sunday, October 12

by Pastor Rick Breusch

As far as I know, an absolutely unique, "never done before" event will occur at our church Sunday, October 12. We're calling it "The Church has Left the Building" event. It's the finale of our Outflow effort which is our all-church emphasis on learning how to become more outwardly focused as individuals and as a congregation. After a combined, brief and very celebrative worship experience at 9:00 a.m., we will literally leave the building in order to do ministry throughout our community in a variety of ways. You will be hearing more about this event on Sundays, September 28 and October 5. On Sunday, October 5, you will be given the opportunity to sign up after both services for a specific area of ministry involvement on the next Sunday, October 12. If you're unable to sign up on October 5, you can call the church office and let us know where you would like to serve. Here's what you need to know about this very special day in the life of our church:

- 9:00 a.m. One combined worship service in the sanctuary. Several baptisms. A brief, celebrative worship experience.
- 9:30 a.m.— 12:00 p.m. Ministry projects and service in the community. Projects will be provided at the church for those not physically able to participate.
No Sunday School classes.
No 11:30 a.m. worship service.
- 12:00 p.m.— 1:00 p.m. Lunch served in Fellowship Hall. Ministry praise reports and testimonies.

Upcoming Christian Happenings Around Town

October 4—**Columbus Prayer Summit 2008**
Veterans Memorial in downtown Columbus. 9 a.m.—5 p.m. Pastors and leaders from various denominations and nations will lead the concert of prayer to claim God's promise for our city. No preaching. No promotion. Entire day devoted to worship and prayer. Admission is free. Call (614) 523-7729 for info.

October 9—Michael W. Smith and Steven Curtis Chapman present **"The United Tour"** at the Palace Theater in downtown Columbus. Call (614) 431-3600 for info.

October 17-18 **Ohio Christian Singles Conference** at Worthington Christian Church, 8145 N. High Street, Columbus. Call (614) 885-8389.

December 5-7, 12-14 and 19-21 — Grace Brethern Church presents the all new **Living Christmas Trees** pageant. Now expanded to three weekends with six matinee performances. Tickets go on sale October 1. Call (614) 431-8223 for info.

Meet the Candidates



Haimerl Center of Ascension Lutheran Church
1421 Morse Road (near Karl)
Monday, October 6

Morning Session

Reception/Refreshments 9:30 a.m.

Program begins 9:45 a.m. Including races for: US Congress 15th District, Ohio House 20th and 21st Districts Franklin County Commissioner, Prosecuting Attorney and Probate Court Judge & Columbus City Voted Bond Package

Evening Session

Reception/Refreshments 6:30 a.m. Program begins 7:00 Including races for: Ohio House 21st and 22nd Districts Ohio Attorney General

Franklin County Commissioner, and Franklin County Treasurer, Columbus City Schools Levy/Bond Issue and the City of Columbus Voted Bond Package

Senior Resources Fair

Monday, October 6
8:30—9:30 a.m. & Noon to 2:00 p.m.
Haimerl Center listed at top of page



Change of Address

Leonard & Lois Artis
 Claremont Retirement Village
 7041 Bent Tree Blvd #924A
 Columbus, OH 43235
 718-9811

Vallerie Greer
 3054 Morsetowne Court S
 Columbus, OH 43224
 478-1917

Flo Campbell
 Sunrise of Gahanna #211
 775 E. Johnstown Road
 Gahanna, OH 43230
 428-1211

Jemilla Van-wijk
 971 Atlantic Avenue #660
 Columbus, OH 43229
 987-7289

JoEllen Landman
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Clara Franklin
 Sunrise of Worthington #304
 6525 N. High Street
 Worthington, OH 43085
 785-6304

Lori Malone
 363 E. Beechwood Blvd.
 Columbus, OH 43214

KRBC Web Site

Have you checked out the church's web site lately? It's a great way to stay connected with church news and happenings. The monthly church calendar, weekly Sunday bulletins, Fellowship News newsletter, Prime Timer's newsletter, Fishy Fodder newsletter (youth Fish Bowl ministry) and women's Ministry newsletter are some of the documents you can find on-line. Profiles of our missionaries, sports schedules, special events and photos are also highlighted. Additionally, there are interesting and helpful links to other web sites offering various Christian resources. The web site is an important tool to stay in touch with church life — whether you are homebound, on the road or away at school. Log-on to www.karlroadbaptist.org and start browsing!

Thank you office staff and Stewards for being so flexible and accommodating on short notice for our Campus Crusade team. It was very gracious and tremendous service to us.
 Brian Metzger



Hannah children in Fuzhou.



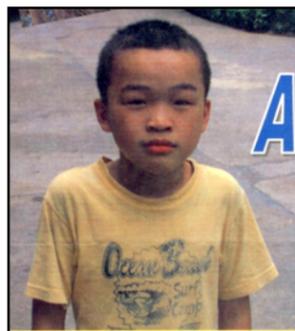
Thank you for saving all your pennies to help orphaned children in China. We were amazed when we heard that you collected over a half of a ton of pennies, and that they added up to \$1686.89! This gift will go a long way in helping the

We are sending pictures of the three children that Mr. Trumbo told you about so that you can keep them in your prayers.

We deeply appreciate your love and concern for children in China.



Amy



Adam

Samuel Fang, President
 Living Hope International

October 2008

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5 Communion - Outflow 9:00a Worship/Sanc 10:15a Sunday School 11:30a Worship/FH 5:00p CE Mtg 6:00p Fish Bowl 6:00p Women's Conn	6 Bowling 6:30p Westerville Group 7:00p Westerville Group	7 8:00a Work Team 9:00a BSF Leaders 5:00p ASC til 7p 6:00p Missions Comm 7:00p Deep End, Nside, Wood & Rope... Grps 7:30p Worthington Grp	1 6:15p Fellowship Dinner 6:45p Chancel Choir 6:45p Clubs 6:45p Life Lines	2 9:00a BSF 6:45p Bylaws/Rm 115 7:00p Women's Group	3 9:30a MDO	4 9:00a Band Practice 3:00p Organ Prac til 5p
12 Outflow 9:00a Worship/Sanc 9:30a Outflow Event 6:00p Fish Bowl	13 Bowling 6:30p Westerville Group 7:00p Westerville Group	14 8:00a Work Team 9:00a BSF Leaders 12:00p Prime Timers 5:00p ASC til 7p 7:00p Long Range Plng/115 7:00p Deep End, Nside & Ropelholder Grps 7:30p Worthington Grp	8 6:15p Fellowship Dinner 6:45p Chancel Choir 6:45p Clubs 6:45p Life Lines	9 9:00a BSF 7:00p Deacon Mtg	10 9:30a MDO 7:00p Women's Conn Bonfire @ Sue Wilson's	11 9:00a Band Practice 3:00p Organ Prac til 5p
19 World Mission Offering 9:00a Worship/Sanc 10:15a Sunday School 11:30a Worship/FH 6:00p Fish Bowl	20 Bowling 6:30p Westerville Group 7:00p Westerville Group	21 8:00a Work Team 9:00a BSF Leaders 1:00p Kim Brown 5:00p ASC til 7p 7:00p Stewards Mtg 7:00p Deep End, Nside, Wood & Rope... Grps 7:30p Worthington Grp	15 6:15p Fellowship Dinner 6:45p Chancel Choir 6:45p Clubs 6:45p Life Lines	16 9:00a BSF 12:45p BSF Seminar in Chapel til 2:45p 7:00p Lashley Group 7:00p Women's Group	17 9:30a MDO	18 8:30a Choir Retreat 1p Kit & Chapel 9:00a Band Practice 3:00p Organ Prac til 5p
26 9:00a Worship/Sanc 10:15a Sunday School 10:15a Trumbo's Farewell 11:30a Worship/FH 6:00p Fish Bowl 7:00p Prayer Gathering	27 6:30p Bowling 7:00p Westerville Group 7:00p The Main Event @ St. John's Arena	28 8:00a Work Team 9:00a BSF Leaders 5:00p ASC til 7p 7:00p Deep End, Nside & Ropelholder Grps 7:00p Church Council 7:30p Worthington Grp	22 6:15p Fellowship Dinner 6:45p Chancel Choir 6:45p Clubs 6:45p Life Lines	23 9:00a BSF 7:00p Town Hall Meeting/ FH	24 9:30a MDO	25 9:00a Band Practice 10:00a Town Hall Meeting/ FH 3:00p Organ Prac til 5p
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