August 2013

KARL ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

fellowship news

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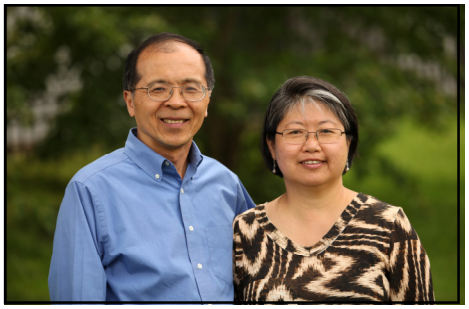
Commissioning Service for Emerson & Ivy Wu

by Pastor Rick Breusch



Many of you know, Emerson and Ivy Wu, members of our church, have been working very hard to raise support for their call to the mission field in Macau, China. They have traveled over 150,000 miles in the United States in the last year and a half to build a prayer and financial team.

The Mission Partnership Team (MPT), which is comprised of KRBC members, was formed to help the Wus get started and will continue to support the Wus as they work in Macau. The MPT is please to announce that Emerson and Ivy reached their 100% funding goal as of July 14. They have 77 churches or groups of churches called associations as well as 218 individuals supporting them financially on a monthly basis. As a result, Emerson and Ivy could possibly leave for Macau as early as August 25 if all logistics are in order.

In addition to the fact of just wanting to inform you of this wonderful news, we also wanted to let you know about two upcoming opportunities for you to participate in Sunday morning services involving the Wus. The first will be august 4 when the Wus will give to you a presentation of their future ministry in Macau. The second will be August 18 when we have an official Commissioning Service for them. We expect to have several representatives from our American Baptist family present and participating in that service.

During the August 18 service, we plan to collect a special love offering for the Wus. This love offering will be used for special mission projects the Wus will conduct while in Macau. An example will be scholarships for students to attend Macau Bible Institute. We ask that you prayerfully consider supporting the Wus in this endeavor. We request that you give your offering at the service on Sunday, August 18 or mail it to the church so that it is received no later than Sunday, August 25.

Finally, we encourage you, your friends and your family to be at these two services. This is a unique . Two of our own members are going to the mission field! God has called Emerson and Ivy to leave their home here in Ohio the same way He called the original disciples to leave their homes 2,000 years ago to fulfill the Great Commission to make disciples of all nations.

Connection

by Vicky Witherspoon

Coming soon to Karl Road Baptist Church. There will be a bulletin board located in the hallway by the church offices. (Between the kitchen and men's restroom). You will be able to pass on information pertaining to products you sell, services you provide, individual items you may want to sell, or items or services you have been looking for.

If you are interested in displaying information on this board, please contact the church office at (614) 885-3929 or info@karlroadbaptist.org or place the information in the office mailbox marked *Bulletin Board.* Make sure your contact information is included in case there is a question.

Fall Start-ups

Monday Night **September 9**
Bowling 6:30 p.m.
at the
Columbus Square
Bowling Palace

Wednesday Night **September 11**
Dinners 6:00 p.m.
Clubs 6:30 p.m.
Sewing 6:30 p.m.

Layettes for
Pregnancy
Decision Center

Choir 7:00 p.m.

Friday **September 20**
Mother's Day Out 9:30 a.m.

Contact Kari Lashley for more information on bowling or sewing 885-3929.

2013 Day Camp Back to School Party
August 17 5:30-7:00

by Beth Ash

Our fourth annual Food Service Program endeavor has been another successful summer. Over 80 children have participated in the program, and we are still counting! Each day has included a morning snack, Bible lesson, lots of singing, work on reading, math, art and Bible story review, followed by lunch and games. We have come to know the children well, and look forward to having them become involved in various other ministries for our children. Please pray for these children and their families.

A highlight of this summer's program has been the special Friday events, which included Miss Amy Lukens who taught mid high students to make balloon sculptures for all of the children attending. Sean Worley shared about being a fireman and fire safety. Barb Baroni taught some fun games and talked to the group about being physically fit, and Dr. San San Cooley gave a very interesting presentation about caring for our eyes. There are more special Fridays to come before the program ends on August 16.

August 17 will be our annual Back to School Party. It will be held in the courtyard surrounded by our overgrown vegetable garden. Children from preschoolers through high school students will enjoy games and prizes, hot dogs, popcorn, sno-cones, and a drawing for as many backpacks filled with school supplies as we are able to gather. Church family, you can be part of this important way that we end the summer. Helpers are needed to manage the games, serve food, greet families and children and help with set up and tearing down the tables, chairs, games and food. If you are able to give your time from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 17, please call the church to let us know or contact Beth Ash.

Donated school supplies needed for party: backpacks, loose 3-hole notebook paper, composition books, 1" 3-ring binders, #2 pencils, erasers, large glue bottles and large glue sticks, 24 count crayons, fine line and regular markers, water color paints, hand sanitizer and calculators.

Youth & Family Camp-Out
Alum Creek State Park August, 23-25

by Aimee Worley

A couple of nights out under the stars, boat rides, tubing, and campfire meals are just a few of the great things we will experience at the annual camp-out. On the weekend of August 23rd, we will have a group of campsites at the Alum Creek State Park campground. All are welcome to join in on the camping fun, youth (grades 6th and older can attend without an adult) and families too. The camp-out is a great way to get to know a few more youth and families from the church. Come join us. Here is a breakdown of costs for the weekend:

Campsite to yourself $60
Campsite shared with another family $30
Campsite for an individual—shared with other individuals $15
Meals for people 12 years and older are $ 5/meal (we'll serve a total of 4 meals over the weekend)
Meals for people under 12 years $ 2/meal
Meal cost for a family (adults and children) is capped at $75 for the whole weekend

So, for around $40 you can enjoy a great weekend out in nature, boating, and hanging out with friends! Here are some things you might be thinking…

"*I don't have a tent or a sleeping bag"* – no worries, we have a few extras and can lend you one

"I can't stay the whole weekend" - that is okay too, Alum Creek is close to Columbus and you could come late or leave early or come and go as needed

"I don't like swimming" – again, no worries you don't have to swim you can ride on the boat, hang out at camp, play volleyball; there are lots of options

"I don't have friends who are going" – great, we've got some new friends for you to meet

"I have a special diet" – we understand, feel free to bring the food you need and we can help store it for you and you don't have to pay the meal fee

"I can't possibly go a night without washing my hair" – you are in luck, there are nice showers and bathrooms right near our campsites

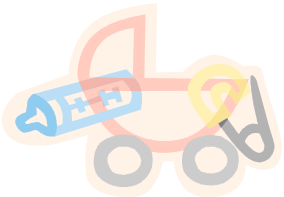
"I don't do tents" – hmm, well you can bring your pop-up, travel trailer or motor-home and camp near our tents

Ready to go? Great! Just email Aimee (aworley@karlroadbaptist.org) to register or register in the church lobby on August 4 or 11. A $25 deposit is required at the time of registration.

Thank you for the lovely planter that was sent at the passing of my father, William Anthony. Your cards of sympathy, comfort and encouragement meant so much to me. "The Lord is my strength and shield." Sandy Baldridge

Friends in Christ, Glen and I thank you for your good wishes for our 68th wedding anniversary. God has been very good to us. We will be in church as soon as we are able. May God continue to bless each of you and Karl Road Baptist Church.
Glen and Betty Burnam

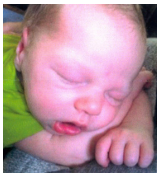
I would like to thank my church family for all of the prayers, cards, flowers and concern during the illness and passing of my mother, Jonnie Johnson. The prayers and thoughts were certainly felt. I am thankful to be a part of this loving church family. Charlotte West



Congratulations to:

Mark and Charlotte West on the birth of their granddaughter, **Rebekah Lynn Hardin**, June 19, 2013.

Brian and Jenny Metzer on the birth of their son, **Joseph Hugh**, May 13, 2013.



Tom and Carole Reynolds on the birth of their granddaughter, **Brianna Lilli Hurst**, April 28, 2013.

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Weekly Events

Sunday—
9:00a Sunday School
10:15a Praise Prelude
10:30a Worship
6:00p Zomi Church/210

Monday—
5:00p Golf (ends 8-19)
5:00p Football Practice
7:00p Westerville Group

Tuesday—
8:00a Work Team
5:00p Football Practice
7:00p Rope Holders
7:30p Worthington Group

Wednesday—
12:00p Columbus Group/Chapel
6-8p Engage (Grades 6-12) (ends 8-14)
6:30p Praise Team

Thursday—
5:00p Football Practice
6:00p Outnumbered Group (1st , 3rd & 5th)
6:30p Touch Point & Soccer

Friday—
6:00a High School Prayer/Chapel

Saturday—
8:30a—5:00 p.m. Football Games

Karl Road Baptist Church

August 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 11a Mary Sweet Memorial Service & Luncheon
4 Communion 12p IFI Training/FH 12:30p Greeter/ Usher Trng/Lby	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 7p Long Range Planning	14 6-8p Last Engage	15	16	17 5:30p Day Camp Back-to-School Party
Summer Food Program Ends August 16						
18 Comissioning of the Wus	19	20	21	22	23 Youth & Family Campout at Alum Creek through Sunday	24
25 Promotion Sunday 6p Prayer Gathering Chapel	26 5p Golf Playoff	27 7p Ministry Council	28	29	30	31