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Fellowship Announcements

MERRY CHRISTMAS *From our General Overseer, Paul C. Paino, and the Council of Pastoral Overseers and the Staff of the National Office we wish for everyone a most pleasant and memorable Christmas Season and may 2010 be filled with wonderful opportunities to serve the Lord!*

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SHORT TERM MISSIONS 2010 PAUL WHITELY Spring: Peru - May 6-15 (Building Trip and Ministry Trip). We are in need of carpenters, children's workers, evangelists, women's teachers, speakers for leader's seminars and intercessors. We will be building Sunday School Rooms, conducting evangelism and conferences. *Cost for this trip is also \$1200 + airfare

Summer: Peru - July 8-17 (Building Trip and Ministry Trip). We will be working with Cono Norte Callao churches evangelizing a specific community with the goal of planting a new home church. We will do this through street evangelism utilizing drama, mime, children's ministry and nightly meetings. We will also be hosting a leader's conference and ministering in churches. *Cost: \$1200 + airfare

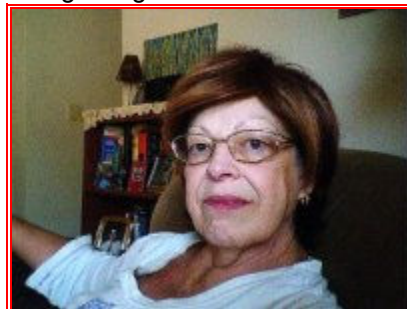
Fall: Peru - October 6-16 (Ministry Trip) This team will be used for ministry. Details are not available at this time but continue to check future newsletters for more information. (*NOTE: Previous team members receive 10% discount and there are special rates for groups of five or more).

INFORMATION: Interested persons should contact Maria at 770-497-1425, or Paul at 678-371-1452. You may also inquire at itd7773@aol.com You will need a valid passport and shots up to date for travel to Peru. A personal application, pastoral recommendation and \$50 non-refundable deposit is required. Go to our website at www.invadingdarkness.org/missions.html to download our manual for forms.

SOLOMON'S SEED THOUGHTS AVAILABLE ON WEBSITE You may access Jim Solomon's monthly seed thoughts at the CMI website: http://cmifellowship.com/new/seed_thoughts.htm

DEBBIE SIMS ENTERS ETERNAL REST The following is from the Defiance, Ohio, Crescent-News. REDDING, California -- Deborah A. Sims, 63, Redding, California, died Saturday Nov. 14, 2009. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rev. Robert D. Sims, in 2005 and her parents, Mirl M. Rosendale and Patricia A. Rosendale Brown. She is survived by her children, Julie A. (Jeff) Asher of Avilla, Ind., Jill R. (Doug) Blankenship of Hudson, Ind., Jeffery P. Sims, Redding, Calif.; grandson, Pvt. Austin K. Keck, Schweinfurt, Germany; and brother, Tom M. Rosendale, Defiance, Ohio. A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, November 22, at Imago Dei, 347 Berry St., Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Bob attended CTC and Paul and Timothy and pastored the church in Defiance, Ohio, that became Calvary Worship Center. Bob and Debbie also pastored the CMI church in Angola, Indiana before leaving for the state of Washington where they planted a church. Upon returning to Indiana, they attempted to plant a church in Kendallville, Indiana, when Bob passed away. They were part of CMI almost from the beginning.



Debbie Sims always had a smile and a word of encouragement. She thoroughly enjoyed life and let you know it. Even when she was serious she had you smiling. They leave a legacy of caring for and loving people.

LONNIE AND DIANE SHIELDS GRANDPARENTS AGAIN October 18 – Laine Reese McKay made her debut. Laine was 7 lbs. 15 oz. and 19 inches long. Congratulations.

CMI OF RWANDA CONFERENCE SET FOR 2010 Steve Mills, Pastoral Overseer of World Missions is announcing the CMI of Rwanda Conference, June 16 – 18, 2010. Any member of CMI is invited to attend. If you are interested in going make contact with Steve for details at millssm@cox.net or calling him at 225-505-6316.

REPORT FROM PASTORAL OVERSEER OF FELLOWSHIP DEVELOPMENT Johnny Wade Sloan, from Hamilton, Ohio, sent the following report to CONNECT. Dr. Paul C. Paino spoke November 1st at Hamilton Christian Center and the message from Isaiah 58 was riveting. So much so that I announced we would do an Isaiah fast to kick off the new year rather than the planned Daniel fast. The following Sunday an in depth teaching of Isaiah 58 was started. I shared, "The message God gave our church through our General Overseer of CMI was one of those Kairos moments when time is measured vertically. We were all affected and will never forget the impact of his message."

In October, I was part of a Pastor's Conference in Egypt sponsored by Operation Serve International. OSI is directed by Dr. Sameh and Connie Sadik. There were 250 pastors in attendance from 19 different denominations, including 3 catholic priests. I spoke 9 times. The material I taught concerning the church was printed in Arabic and well received. The priest over all education in Southern Egypt stated he was deeply moved and was introducing the teaching material into their Catholic studies. Among the evangelicals present was the head minister over all evangelicals of Egypt. It was a conference that is expected to have long term results in the Kingdom of God. PLEASE NOTE: Johnny had eye surgery in early November. Remember him when you pray. PastorJWS@aol.com

FROM THE DEROUCHIES IN WEST VIRGINIA While the team from Harbor Light Christian School (CMI) was here working on several construction projects, we combined some of our youth with some of the Michigan Students, and rehearsed an evangelistic skit. That evening at the Barbour County Fair, a large crowd gathered on the midway as the combined team shared the message of the cross. Several on-lookers asked questions and the youth were so blessed with being used, they forgot about the ride3s and decided to repeat their skit at the other end of the midway, where there were several opportunities for prayer and sharing. New friendships forged that week are continuing on Face Book and text messages. dhdero@juno.com

FREWSBURG, NEW YORK CHURCH USING CAFÉ FOR BIBLE STUDY Ron Lemon, pastor of Koinonia Christian Fellowship in Frewsburg, New York, meets for midweek Bible Study at the Anthony's Café, which closes at 7 p.m. when the study begins. Contact Ron for details rlemon1@stny.rr.com

RECALL OF INFANT CRIBS DUE TO ENTRAPMENT AND SUFFOCATION The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), in cooperation with Stork Craft Manufacturing Inc., of British Columbia, Canada, has announced the voluntary recall of more than 2.1 million Stork Craft drop-side cribs, including about 147,000 Stork Craft drop-side cribs with the Fisher-Price logo. The recall involves approximately 1,213,000 units distributed in the United States and 968,000 units distributed in Canada. <http://www.cpsc.gov/cpsc/pub/prere/phtml10/10046.html>

UPCOMING CMI EVENTS

February 16, 2010 – Missional Mobilization: *Impacting your Community & Nations for Christ*, to be held at Carroll Road Christian Church, Fort Wayne, Indiana, sponsored by the Pastoral Overseers of Missional Ministries, Larry Goodwin and Steve Ardhuerumly. Special Speaker: Pastor Jeff Arnett of Thornapple Valley Church, Hastings, Michigan. Time: 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. with a lunch. Cost: \$35 per single, \$50 per married couple, with churches with 5 - \$150, and over 5 - \$25 for each over five.

February 19, 20, 2010 – Winter Youth Conference is open to all churches and will be held at New Hope Worship Center, Albion, Michigan.

March 5-7, 2010 – Children's Retreat is open to all churches and will be held at New Hope Worship Center, Albion, Michigan.

September 20-22, 2010 – CMI's 39th Annual Convention with Tuesday's speaker, **Dennis Slavens** of Kansas City and Wednesday evening's speaker, **Tony Campolo**.

MEN'S PRAYER SUMMIT



Dennis Kutzner

Jesus said that, "**Men ought always to pray.**" Why is it then that many men find it difficult to pray? Though praying engages battle, praying does not have to be a battle. Invite **Dennis Kutzner** to conduct a **MEN'S PRAYER SUMMIT** with the **men** and **young men** of your church and, together, explore the **Action, Benefit and Camaraderie** of prayer.

Dennis will share the six battles all men must face and how, together, we can be victorious with our battle for **identity, personal holiness, family, hardship or pain, friends, and faith**. Consider a Friday evening and Saturday morning meeting.

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MISSIONAL MOBILIZATION

Impacting Your Community & Nations for Christ

February 16, 2010

Hosted by the Pastoral Overseers of Missional Ministries
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Carroll Road Christian Church
4704 W Carroll Road
Fort Wayne, Indiana, 46818
260-667-7770

10 a.m. – 3 p.m. with lunch served



Jeff Arnett

Special Speaker is Pastor **Jeff Arnett** of Thornapple Valley Church in Hastings, Michigan. Jeff has built the church to over 1500 weekly in a small rural community. TVC has done much in reaching out to the community and Jeff will share valuable insights on how they have accomplished the Great Commission in their backyard and around the world!

Cost: \$35 per person – \$50 per married couple
Churches with five attending \$150
Churches with 6 or more add \$25 for each additional attendee

Stephanie Wolfe Ministries
Mentoring Women One-Year Resource
ON SALE NOW FOR \$75 (Retail Price \$170)



SAVE THE DATE

March 5-6, 2010

Making Waves

Leading Ladies Annual Conference is set to begin with a monolog on Friday night, March 5th at 7pm and ends with a dialog on Saturday afternoon with final words at 4pm. We have so much packed into Friday night that you will wish you'd brought your sleeping bag! Hey, bring your sleeping bag! Just kidding, but this year's topic is MAKING WAVES, so anything is possible! Saturday morning Stephanie will teach a session followed by Q&A so we can learn from each other. The afternoon will be filled with great workshop choices: including one with Stephanie, if you are a Pastor's Wife, a Mentor using Stephanie's 1-year resource "Mentoring Women" or want to be! Stephanie@innerbeauties.com or 770.846.3515 to talk to Stephanie directly. To register, go to www.innerbeauties.com or send your check to 5510 Brighton Rose Lane Sugar Hill, GA 30518

Register early for best rates:

Registration is **\$69.00** if purchased online prior to February 1, **\$79.00** prior to March 1st, and **\$89.00** thereafter and at the door. This price includes the **Afterwords** food and entertainment on Friday night and the lunch on Saturday, as well as all conference materials, and all the trimmings that go with all SWM conferences! I hope that you and your ladies will plan to attend.