



FIT FOR LIFE

Motivation - Diet - Exercise - Lifestyle

2010 theme

New Year's Poem for Christians

Instead of making a New Year's resolution
 Consider committing to a biblical solution
 Your promises are easily broken
 Empty words, though earnestly spoken
 But God's Word transforms the soul
 By His Holy Spirit making you whole
 As you spend time alone with Him
 He will change you from within.

- Mary Fairchild

Attendance

December 6	70
December 13	100
December 20	115
December 27	85

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JANUARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Jan 2 Un-decorate
- Jan 4-8 Meals on Wheels
- Jan 5 Willing Workers
- Jan 17 Elders' Meeting
- Jan 24 Board Meeting
- Jan 31 Youth Sunday



Sermon Titles

- January 3 Fit For Life
Ephesians 4:11-13
- January 11 Ya' Gotta' Wanna'
Deuteronomy 4:29
- January 18 What Moves You?
I Chronicles 28:9-19
- January 25 Benefits to you of Spiritual Fitness
Psalm 1:1-4
- January 31 Benefits of Spiritual Fitness to those close to you
Psalm 1:1-4



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Sunday: 9 AM Bible School for all ages
 10 AM Morning Worship Service
 6 PM Youth Program (K - grade 5)
 7 PM Evening Service
 Wednesday 7 PM Youth Program (6-12 grades)
 7 PM Adult Bible Study

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From Darrel's Desk . . .

What does membership mean? That depends on that of which one is a member.

Sometimes people become members of an organization because they want to show support for a cause. I know people who have joined the National Rifle Association, Ducks Unlimited and other groups for that reason.



Sometimes people become members of a group...just in case. I'm a member of the American Automobile Association in case we have car trouble while we are on the road or in case we travel and want a hotel or restaurant recommendation.

Sometimes people are members just because they can be. I am a member of AARP because I have achieved a certain level of antiquity.

Sometimes people are members because they want to be identified with a certain group even if they are not active participants. I am a member of the Lions' Club (but I do try to be active).

Church membership contains elements of each of these but it is more than the sum of the above. When a person becomes a member of a church, the Bible says he becomes a part of a Body. Each member of my physical body belongs to the rest of the members. Each member of the physical body exists for the good of all the other members of the body. Each member draws nourishment and strength from being a part of the body. An inactive member of my physical body is a symptom of disease, injury or some other disorder.

As the church, we've done a disservice to people by allowing them to believe they can become a member of the Body of Christ and then be inactive. As you begin 2010, do you need to reevaluate your relationship with the Body?

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

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| 2 | Maytle Marie Harris | 20 | Darrell Jr. & Lynne Wilson |
| 3 | Cassie Lee | 25 | Howard Wilkins |
| 10 | Pat Conley | 26 | Sarah Schnepfer |
| 10 | Shana Puckett | 27 | Marilyn Rinnert |
| 18 | Beverly Clark | 27 | Dixie Harper |
| 19 | Courtney Cailteux | 28 | Tonya Brown |
| | | 31 | Paul & Regina Schnepfer |



To our church family,
We express our gratitude to so many of you for the cards, goodies and gifts given to us this Holiday Season. And thank you to the congregation for the Christmas bonus. Even more than that, we appreciate your allowing us to minister here at Clay City Christian Church. You have all become very dear to us. We look forward to the blessings of ministry in 2010.
Darrel and Sandy



Happy New Year and thank you all for your thoughts, prayers, gifts, everything! I appreciate it so much. I'm doing so much better and hope to see you all soon.
Marcia Emmerich

On behalf of the committee and all children receiving toys and clothing, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all of you for your generosity and caring which enables "Christmas Joy for Children to once again reach its goal for families in the Clay City School system.

We acknowledge the many hours and effort put forth to keep the program working effectively. Again, THANK YOU!
Christmas Joy for Children Committee

Thank you for helping us provide a home where the love of Christ is shown to residents every day, regardless of their circumstances.

Wabash Christian Retirement Center

\$20,049.00
received in the special
Thanksgiving offering

\$354.00
received for
Wabash Retirement
Center

\$335.00
received for Myanmar
Samaritan Mission

there were also many who
participated in "Christmas Joy
for Children"

thank you all for your generosity!



In His Service for January					
	3	10	17	24	31
Pastoral Prayer	Wayne Harris	Gary Clark	Larry Brant	Bill Staser	Darrel Brandon
Reading at the Lord's Table	Gary Clark	Dan Patridge	Wayne Harris	Darrel Brandon	Youth
Communion Preparation	Lou Anna Brant				