

The annual congregational meeting is Wednesday, December 9, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Elections will be held. Please be aware that the number of deacon nominees does not meet constitutional requirements, so we will need to temporarily amend Article X1C in our constitution.

Nominees for Elected Offices for 2010

Deacons:	David Brauen	Chuck Niswander

Trustees:	Kurt Emans	Randy Garmatter
	Mike Hilty	Bill Spallinger
	Mark Spallinger	

Nominating Committee:	Arlene Garmatter	Lynda Rodabaugh
	Linda Sommers	Bill Steiner

Head Usher:	Randy Garmatter	Ron Steiner

Ushers:	Joe Alt	Mike Biery
	Randy Forrer	David Garmatter
	Richard Garmatter	John Good
	Alan Hefner	Bruce Moser
	Larry Moser	Mike Powell
	John Schutz	Jim Spallinger
	Robert Spallinger	Josh Steiner
	Bill Steiner	Bob Zimmerman, Jr.

Thank you for your prayers as I leave today for Illinois. God willing, I plan to return the first of February. On December 8, Beth, Gordon, and I will go to New Zealand to be with Paul & Barbara Windsor for their daughter Alyssa's wedding to Tim Hart on December 19. Beth & Gordon will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary as well and then we will all be together again for Christmas with the Windsor family. May the Lord fill you and your families with joy as we all celebrate this blessed Christmas Season, remembering the birth of our Savior, Christ the Lord! - *Pastor Warren*

A Prayer of Thanksgiving

**For beauty in nature, Your glory we see
For joy and health, friends, and family,
For daily provision, Your mercy, and care
These are the blessings You graciously share.
So today we offer this response of praise
With a promise to follow You all of our days.**

--Mary Fairchild

► UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES ◀

- Dec. 9** Annual Congregational Meeting (7:00 p.m., Sanctuary)
- Dec. 12** Berean ABF Class (10:00 a.m., Bear Creek Farms, IN)
- Dec. 13** Children's Christmas Program (7:00 p.m., CMC)
- Dec. 14** MOPS (9:00 a.m., FH)
- Dec. 20** Christmas Worship Gathering (10:15 a.m., CMC)
No ABF, Sunday School, or Evening Service
- Dec. 24** Christmas Eve Service (6:00 p.m.)
- Feb. 7-13** SIM Missions Trip (Charlotte, NC)
- Feb. 24-28** PowerTeam (CMC)



EBENEZER Emissary Weekly

November 29, 2009

Opportunities of the Day

- 9:00 a.m.** Adult Bible Fellowship
Sunday School (2-year-olds – High School)
- 10:00 a.m.** The Good News Hour (2-3-year-olds, Room B10 & 4-5-year-olds, B17)
- 10:15 a.m.** Worship Gathering – Pastor Jim (CMC)
- 5:00 p.m.** Trustee Meeting (FH)
- 6:00 p.m.** Children's Choir (Grades 1-6, CMC)
- 7:00 p.m.** Evening Fellowship Service /Silencing the Christians #8
Isabella (Sanctuary)
Cherub Choir (Age 2-Kindergarten, B10)

Congratulations to Clint & Michelle (Boehm) Garman on the birth of their daughter, Cayli Michelle, born Wednesday, November 18, weighing 8 lb.

Our Sympathy to the family of Linda Conley. Linda, the mother of Joel Conley and Naomi Smith, went home to be with the Lord Wednesday, November 25.

In the Hospital: Aaron Koogler, St. Rita's Medical Center.

Scheduled Surgery: Don Luginbuhl, tomorrow at OSU Hospitals.

Please notice Trustee Meeting has been changed from next Sunday, December 6, to this afternoon at 5:00 p.m.

Missionaries of the week - **Gary & Pearl Nussbaum** live in Dalton, OH and serve with **Transport for Christ**. Gary is Director of Church & Community Relations and also works with the Office of Chaplains. Gary spends 3-4 days a month at the Lodi Chapel. He helps to train those who have responded to God's invitation to serve at Lodi. Pray for Gary as he is being flexible in ways he can serve. Please send a note of encouragement to Gary & Pearl at gpntfc@aol.com.

