

# CHURCH NEWS

for everyone

## ADULT CONNECTION

### JOINT HEIRS

This class meets in the chapel Sundays at 9 a.m. The class features contemporary, biblical, and ethical studies for adults of all ages, married or single, who appreciate fellowship.

### CHALLENGERS CLASS

Check out this class with Charles Harris every Sunday at 9 a.m. in Room 125. All ages are welcome. The Bible is the textbook, with Q & A sessions, discussion, worship, and fellowship.

## KIDS ARE CENTRAL

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Check out the volunteer opportunities to work with children on today's flap. Our many ministries are not possible without the help of many faithful volunteers. If you have questions or need more information, e-mail [kidsarecentral@centralassembly.org](mailto:kidsarecentral@centralassembly.org).

## FUSION STUDENTS

### SMALL GROUP CHRISTMAS PARTIES

Contact your small group leader for your group's date and time.

### FUSION CHRISTMAS PARTY

Wednesday, December 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fusion Center!

### FUSION ON THE WEB

Surf on over to [www.studentsfusion.org](http://www.studentsfusion.org). You'll find info for parents, students, and leaders.

## YOUNG LIFE/FAMILY

### THIS WEEK IN NEW COMMUNITY

Come celebrate the Christmas season at our "New Community Late Show" on Wednesday, December 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Multipurpose Hall. Wear your favorite Christmas outfit and come hungry. Teen Bible Quiz will raise funds for their national competition by selling chili for \$5 a person.

### KOINONIA CLASS

Join us every Sunday at 9 a.m. in Room 204. Our class includes singles, married couples, and singles again of various ages. We place special emphasis on relational growth.

## SENIORS AND CARE

### SAM'S CHRISTMAS RECEPTION

Today at 4 p.m. in the Multipurpose Hall. Join us for some snacks and fellowship.

### DID YOU KNOW?

The Assemblies of God Senior Adults Ministries Department offers an online publication for seniors. You can access the latest edition of PrimeLine at <http://sam.ag.org/primeline>. Get plugged into Prime-On-Line!

## COLLEGE STUDENTS

### COLLEGE CONNECT GROUP

College students are invited to meet Sunday mornings at 9:30 in the Fusion Student Lounge. Today is our last meeting for 2011. We will resume on Sunday morning, January 22 at 9:30 in a new location—the Fusion Auditorium. Join us for food, fellowship, and discussion on First Corinthians.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT NEW COMMUNITY

Join us Wednesday nights at 6:30 in the Multipurpose Hall for fellowship, worship, prayer, and teaching. Come early for great coffee.

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT opportunities

### FOOD PANTRY

Our Food Pantry will be open to our community on Thursday, December 15 from 5 to 7 p.m. Especially during this time of year, the Food Pantry needs our help. Disposable diapers in various sizes and wipes are always in high demand. Non-perishable food items are also needed. Financial donations allow us to purchase in bulk and are greatly appreciated. Thank you for your faithful support of this ministry!

### CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-centered 12-step program that will help you recover from any hurt, habit, or hang-up. Meetings are Tuesdays at 6 p.m. in the Multipurpose Hall. For more information about this program, visit [www.celebraterecovery.com](http://www.celebraterecovery.com).

### COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

The Council of Churches of the Ozarks serves our community by carrying out the biblical mandate of Matthew 25:35, 36. The organization is always in need of volunteers to be their hands extended. For information about volunteer opportunities, please call 862-3586.

## INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES

### INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

Please join us at 10:30 in the Fusion Center. Pastor Yoriko will speak about "Giving to God." Come early for coffee and fellowship before the service. After the service we will celebrate with students who will graduate this semester.

### INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS BANQUET

Our 5th Annual International Ministries Christmas Banquet will be Friday, December 16 from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Multipurpose Hall. This event is potluck. Please return your RSVP card to International Ministries by tomorrow, December 12.

## SIGN-UP

It's never been easier to get involved at Central. Sign-up and we will contact you with more information.

### DECEMBER 11, 2011

#### GIFTS FOR KIDS VOLUNTEER

If you are interested in helping with one of our Gifts for Kids delivery days, please sign up below for your preferred time.

#### HIGHPOINT VOLUNTEERS

Helpers are needed for HighPoint on Wednesday nights from 6:30 to 8:00. In HighPoint boys and girls from grades K-5 discover Bible-based character traits through having fun, Bible stories, and small group relationships.

#### ELEMENTARY TEACHER

We currently need a teacher for a 2nd grade class on Sunday mornings. You can make a difference in the lives of children! Please e-mail [kidsarecentral@centralassembly.org](mailto:kidsarecentral@centralassembly.org) if you need more information.

Check the appropriate box below if you would like to receive more information.

- Gift Delivery Volunteer
  - Weaver: December 20, 11:00-2:30 p.m.
  - Reed: December 20, 1:00-3:00 p.m.
  - Pipkin: December 21, 12:00-3:00 p.m.
  - Boyd: December 22, 12:00-3:30 p.m.
- HighPoint Helper
- 2nd Grade Teacher

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