

## Shaking Things Up With Prayer

*Epaphras, who is one of you and a servant of Christ Jesus, sends greetings. He is always wrestling in prayer for you, that you may stand firm in all the will of God, mature and fully assured. (Colossians 4:12)*

During the month of March we will participate in a month of prayer. Not that we don't pray but that we focus our prayers for every member of the congregation. By the end of the month every name will have been brought to the throne of God and every name mentioned to our God. Oftentimes we say, "I have been thinking about you!" wouldn't it be awesome to know that not only are you thinking about your brothers and sisters in Christ but that you are praying specific prayers for them! A calendar will be handed out today with the names of our spiritual family. Certainly on the heels of the women reading "Too Busy Not To Pray" last month. This is a great opportunity to be "devoted in prayer". The adage, "Out of sight, out of mind" should be changed to "Out of sight, not out of mind and covered in prayer".

This congregation has seen too many answered prayers to not be a congregation of prayer warriors. As a group and as individuals prayer is a powerful weapon. We can change human history if we will but only spend time on our knees asking God to move and bless.

*For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer, but the face of the Lord is against those who do evil. (1 Peter 3:12)*

*For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you and asking God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding. (Colossians 1:9)*

**Great News!** Due to increased support of the Disciples Today web site is now free! You can read all the articles available without a subscription. Check it out [www.disciplestoday.com](http://www.disciplestoday.com).

**The Teen Lock In** at Walnut Street Baptist Church Activity Center is this Friday, March 5<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm where teens from our regional churches will meet for great fun fellowship!

**The Kingdom Kids Teacher's Workshop** for the next rotation of volunteers will be next Sunday, March 7<sup>th</sup> in the Fellowship Hall 12:30 pm – 4:00 pm.

**Our church is hosting a Teen Prom** on May 15th for all the regional churches.

**Calling all disciples...** there will be a short meeting regarding the LCC Sponsored HS Prom on **Sunday, March 7th** directly after service (and before the KK Workshop). This is a great opportunity to use YOUR talents to build up the kingdom & its teens -- so even if you are not a parent, WE WANT YOU! Peden Chapel, Room # 103.

**Register today for Ohio Valley Women's Retreat** in Columbus, Ohio March 20-21, 2010 in our bookstore!

**Fireproof Marriage Class** is meeting Saturday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, last session for the older couples.

**Parenting Middle School Age Classes** begin Wednesdays, March 3<sup>rd</sup> & March 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Bible Talk Leaders Meeting is cancelled for today.**

**Summer church camp fundraiser lunch** is scheduled for Sunday, April 18th, so plan to bring your family and friends!

### CONTRIBUTION 2/14/10

<b>Budget</b>	<b>\$7150.00</b>
Contribution	\$6749.82
Dr. in Bogotá	\$425.25
Special Missions	\$110.00
Music/Media	\$0.00
Local Benevolence	\$0.00
Haiti	\$10.00

Along with our regular contribution we will be taking up a contribution on the first Sunday of each month for our Music/Media Ministry. On the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays we will collect money to support the Dr. that serves the poor at the Hope Clinic in Bogotá. The month that we have a fifth Sunday we will take a collection that goes towards local benevolence.  
**Sean Finch**

**Louisville Church of Christ Purpose Statement**  
The purpose of the Louisville Church of Christ is to bring people to Jesus and membership in his family—by connecting them with a vibrant, spirit-led church family that reflects the diversity of our metro Louisville community—to help them grow in Christ-like maturity and to become equipped for their personal ministries in the church and their life's missions in the world—in order to glorify God and advance the cause of Christ.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Midweek Service**  
**Wednesday, 3/3/10**  
**7:00 pm**

**Worship**  
**Sunday, 3/7/10**  
**10:00 am**

**Special Contribution**  
**Sunday, 4/25/10**

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