Series: Thriving in a Post-Christian Culture #7
"The Church's Greatest Need"
Habakkuk 3:1-2 / Psalm 85:4-7
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Oakwood
BIBLE CHURCH

A PLACE TO BELONG and *Grow*

October 6, 2013

"Will You not Yourself revive us again,
That Your people may rejoice in You?"
Psalm 85:6 (NASB)

To Preach Christ, Teach the Bible, Disciple Believers

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Today **Our 98th Year**

9:30 AM Nursery & Toddler's Church
Sunday School (ages 4 - High School)
College/Career
Adult Bible Fellowship

10:30 AM Join us for coffee fellowship in the Family Life Center

11:00 AM Worship Service - Pastor Steve Johnson
Nursery & Toddler's Church
Children's Church (ages 4 - 6th grade)

4:00 - 5:30 PM Teen Band Practice
4:45 - 5:30 PM Ladies Praise Practice
5:30 - 7:00 PM Teen Embers (grades 7 - 12) ***Note Ending Time Change**

5:30 - 6:30 PM Puggles, Cubbies & Sparks
5:30 - 7:00 PM Truth & Training

This Week's Activities (October 7 - 12)

Monday - 8:00 PM Basketball

Wednesday - 10:00 AM Adult Prayer Meeting - Room 108 (Lower Level)
5:30 PM Zumba Gold
6:00 PM Praise Team Practice
7:00 - 9:00 PM Ladies Bible Study - Room 105 (Lower Level)

Thursday - 6:30 AM Men's Fellowship at John Ruzza's Office (2632 S. 11th St.)
9:00 - 11:00 AM Ladies Bible Study - Room 105 (Lower Level)

Saturday- 9:00 - 4:00 PM Eager Hands

Upcoming Events

Church Wide
Oct. 15 6:30 PM Board Meeting
Oct. 19 Dinner at Miller's Kitchen

Teen Ministries
Oct. 13 Community Youth Worship
Oct. 16 7:00 PM Teen Bible Study

Women's Ministries
Oct. 12 9:00 AM Eager Hands
Oct. 17 7:00 PM Sisters Coffee Fellowship

College & Career
Oct. 20 12:30 PM Lunch

Ruth's Cupboard: Cereals, Canned Meats, Soups w/ meat.
His Hands: Canned meats with pull-top lid, individually packaged snacks (applesauce, granola bars, fruit snacks, etc.)

Stewardship Study, Who's in Charge Here? Sunday evenings, 5:30 - 7:00 PM in Pastor Bill's office. This six-week, study presented by John Ruzza will consist of defining what a steward is. For more details contact John Ruzza at (269)290-5121 or jruzza@ctsmail.net.

Child Evangelism Fellowship is pleased to invite Sunday school teachers, children's workers, and others to our annual Fall Super Seminar on Saturday, October 26, from 9:00 - 3:00 PM at Northeastern Baptist Church. This seminar provides excellent training materials for those interested in being more effective in working with children. For more information contact Scott Gilbertson at 344-5549 or cefofkal@gmail.com

Do you need help raking your leaves this fall? On Saturday, November 2nd the youth group will be raking leaves for those in our church family who need assistance. If you'd like them to come to your house, please sign up at the Information center or contact Pastor Surine.

Women's Ministry Opportunities

Ladies Praise will be starting Sunday practices tonight from 4:45 - 5:30 PM. If interested in singing please contact Barb Armitage at 342-9458.

Eager Hands - Saturday, October 12th, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Come for a little while or spend the whole day. This is a great time to work on all those projects you've wanted to start or haven't had time to finish.

Sisters' Coffee Fellowship - Thursday, October 17th, 7:00 - 8:30 PM at Biggby Coffee (6800 S. Westnedge, Portage). Ladies of all ages are invited. We hope to see you there!

September General Fund Offerings Month-to-Date: $ 39,904.57

	September Actual	Year-to-Date Actual Through September
General Fund Offerings	$39,904.57	$147,032.27
General Fund Expenses	$30,026.03	$144,826.96
Offerings Less Expenses	$ 9,878.54	$ 2,205.31

(Fiscal Year June 1 - May 31)

Elders
David Dykstra (Chairman)
Gary Kortman (Vice Chairman)
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