

My decision today

- I prayed to receive Jesus Christ as my Savior
- I want to be baptized
- I want to grow as Christ's disciple
- Other

I'm interested in

- Knowing how to receive Christ as Savior
- Knowing how to grow as Christ's disciple
- Joining a small group
- Helping with the Music Ministry
- Helping with the Children & Youth Ministries
- Other

LIGHT IN A DARK PLACE

1 John 2:3-11 (*Real Community* #3)

- ◆ Knowing God → keeping His commands. (vss. 3-5a)

They claim to know God, but by their actions they deny him. Titus 1:16

This is his command: to believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another as he commanded us. 1 John 3:23 (cf. 4:12, 17-18)

Which is easier for me, to claim I know Him . . . or to keep His command?

- ◆ Abiding in God → walking as Jesus walked. (vss. 5b-8)

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another." John 13:34-34

What would others learn about how to abide with God from my walk with Him?

- ◆ Living in the light → loving our brothers (and sisters). (vss. 9-11)

Whoever loves his brother lives (abides) in the light, and there is nothing in him to make him stumble. But whoever hates his brother is in darkness and walks around in the darkness; he does not know where he is going, because the darkness has blinded his eyes. 1 John 2:10-11 (cf. John 12:40; Isaiah 6:10)

Do I have an unresolved relationship, which is hindering the light of Jesus? How will I show love to that person? Where do I find that love?

NEXT STEPS: Review the scripture passages and outline. Respond to the questions. Read 1 John 2:3-11 each day this week. Visit with another about what you are learning and where you are struggling. Pray for each other, thanking God for His forgiveness and cleansing (1 John 1:8-2:2).



Lighting the Way Together

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LIGHT IN A DARK PLACE



Dr. Randall Jaspers, Sr. Pastor

Rev. Randy Brown, Associate Pastor of Students and Families

To **worship** God, help people **know** Jesus Christ personally, **grow** to be like Him, **show** His love and **go** where He leads... **together**.

today at *tbc*

Worship

- Worship through Singing
- Worship through Prayer
- Interview with Tracy Ortman, CRU intern at the University of Jamestown
- Message: **LIGHT IN A DARK PLACE**
- Worship through Giving
- Music Ministry: *This is My Father's World* - String Quartet
- Closing Prayer

Please fill out the Response Form and place it in the offering plate.
Supervised nursery (Ages 0-2) provided during Worship.

Nursery Workers

TODAY: Mel H., Ali H.
June 28: Kendra R., Amber V.

this week

- Monday **Registrations due** for Sr. High Camp
 - Mon.-Sat. Jr. High Camp, CSBC
 - Next Sun. 9:20 am Combined S.S. - *Ten Commandments #2*
 - 10:30 am Worship
 - 12:00 pm FCA Fundraiser - Baked Potato Bar/Dessert
- Nolan Love and Ben Smith (advisor) will be traveling to the Dominican Republic in July as part of a mission trip, where they will minister to local school children through sports camps, VBS, crusades and serving meals.
- 2:30 pm Chapel - *Rock of Ages*

coming events

- June 28-July 1 Jr. Camp, CSBC
- June 29 **Registrations due** for Intermediate Camp
- July 1-5 NAB Triennial - Sacramento, CA

CSB Camp Registrations: Scholarships are provided for students who regularly attend *TBC* (at least twice/month). To receive these scholarship funds, **you MUST complete an application form and return it to the office BEFORE the first day of camp.** Please complete the camp registration process via mail or online at www.csbcamp.org.

praise & prayer

Around TBC

- ◆ Health concerns: Vanessa Boan, Candace Brown, Randy Brown, Teurina DiLallo, Diana Gray, Harold Johnson, John Richardson, Paul Tahrán
- ◆ God's direction - 4th Ave. facility
- ◆ Jr. High campers: Annamarie Faszholz, Abby Grounds, Kaycee Johnson, David Schmidt, Pastor R2 (speaker), Karen Jaspers (counselor)
- ◆ Megan Aldinger and family. Megan's father, Brian Clemens, passed away June 13.

Around the NAB Conference

George Kirov - Chicago



George is the pastor of the *Bulgarian Christian Church of Chicago* that reaches those within the Bulgarian community in the Chicago area. The largest Bulgarian immigrant population in the world calls Chicago home (close to 100,000 Bulgarian immigrants in this urban area). **Pray** for the outreach and ministries of this church. **Pray** that many will find Jesus through their ministry.

NCA Executive Committee: Merle Hoots, Moderator; James Schnabel, Vice Moderator; Brandon Jones, Treasurer; David Gallagher, Secretary; Anthony Neu, Statistical Secretary; Chris Hoke, Mission NCA; Dwight Enockson, Scholarship Fund

Around the World

***TURKEY**– Muslim 96.6%; Christian 0.2%

Despite government claims and a constitutional guarantee of religious freedom, the Turkish government denies full legal recognition to religious minorities, including Christians. Non-Muslims are denied the right to train clergy, offer religious education and own and maintain places of worship. Christians frequently experience discrimination, slander, personal attacks as well as attacks against churches.

***Conflicts and Needs: Central African Republic, Egypt, Iraq, Nigeria, South Sudan, Syria, Ukraine, Yemen**

88-KEY PIANO FUNDRAISER:

Please pray about "purchasing" a key for \$250 to help us reach the **\$44,000 goal by August 15.** (Consider purchasing a key/keys in memory or in honor of loved ones.) Please make checks payable to TBC; indicate "88-Key Fundraiser" and any specific key requested.

THIS IS A SPECIAL PROJECT ABOVE REGULAR GIVING.

GIVING REPORT

YTD Piano Fund	\$27,164.00
YTD Budget	\$206,488.56
Building	\$2,175.00
YTD General Fund	\$168,557.81
General Fund Total	\$170,732.81

response form

Date _____ Your age group 18-23 24-29 30s 40s 50s 60s 70s 80+ _____

PLEASE PRINT (If A Student) Your Current School Grade _____

Name _____ Are You: Single Married _____

Address _____ Names of children living at home & birth dates: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Home Phone (____) _____

Cell Phone (____) _____

Is this your... 1st time? 2nd time? 3rd time? _____

New Address New Email Address Mr. | Mrs. | Miss. | Ms

I am: Attendee Member Visitor

I came as a guest of: _____