

# Church Events



- ◇ March 1--Gordie & Sandy Bauslaugh's Retirement Party, 6:30pm
- ◇ March 5--MOPS Steering Team Meeting, 9:30am
- ◇ March 6--Homeschool Orchestra Rehearsal, 12:30pm  
Elder's Meeting, 5:30pm  
AWANA-Missions Night, 6:30pm
- ◇ March 7--Common Thread Sewing Group, 10:00am
- ◇ March 8--Pacesetters, 6:30pm
- ◇ March 10--India Team Training, 12:30pm
- ◇ March 11--MOPS Set-Up, 4:00pm
- ◇ March 12--MOPS-Mother's Of Preschoolers, 9:15am  
Children's Ministry Committee Meeting, 7:00pm
- ◇ March 13--Homeschool Orchestra Rehearsal, 12:30pm  
AWANA-Dad's Night
- ◇ March 15-17--Youth Fusion Retreat-Crista Camp
- ◇ March 16--Men's Potluck Breakfast Bible Study, 8:00am
- ◇ March 17--Great Commission Awareness Committee Meeting, 12:30pm
- ◇ March 18--Olive Crest Support Dinner, 6:00pm
- ◇ March 20--Homeschool Orchestra Rehearsal, 12:30pm  
AWANA-Can You Top That Night (Ice Cream), 6:30pm
- ◇ March 21--Women's Knitting @ Volcano Coffee, 10:00am
- ◇ March 23--Women's Tea
- ◇ March 24--India Team Training, 12:30pm
- ◇ March 25--MOPS Set-Up, 4:00pm
- ◇ March 26--MOPS-Mother's Of Preschoolers, 9:15am
- ◇ March 27--Homeschool Orchestra Rehearsal, 12:30pm  
AWANA-Egg Drop Night, 6:30pm
- ◇ March 31--Easter Choir Rehearsal, 12:15pm  
All Church Prayer, 6:00pm

**Pastor Gordie's**  
Office Library & Resource

## Book Giveaway

Available in the main lobby. Please take a look! For books in a series, please consider taking the entire set.

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## ACT LIKE MEN

**Men's Potluck Breakfast Bible Study 8:00am**

*You're Invited*

## Women's Tea & Luncheon

### March 23rd @ 11:00am

Cost is \$15.00  
Sign Up In The Lobby  
March 3, 10 & 17

Questions: Contact The Church Office @253.846.3000

## GUESS HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU

(Hop On Over To Help Us Celebrate...)

"I love you right up to the moon – and back."

**Brittany Robeson & Baby**  
Sunday April 7th 2019  
1:30pm  
Christ Community Baptist Church  
RSVP: Kristi Graham  
253-906-6192

# CHRIST COMMUNITY

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MARCH 2019

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Church Family,

Please join us in welcoming Pastor Phil Yntema and his wife Terry. Pastor Phil has agreed to serve as our Interim Lead Pastor during the next few months while our Pastoral Search Committee works hard to locate a permanent Lead Pastor.

*Elder Chairman, Steve Amberg*



**Excerpts from Phil's Bio:** (the full copy of Phil's Bio is available at the Welcome Desk)

Born in Detroit, MI

Married to Terry & has three daughters

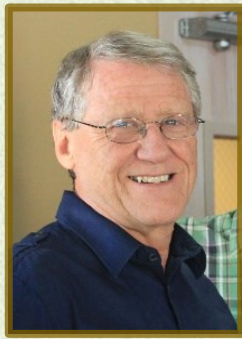
From 1972-1994 Pastored NAB churches in Vancouver, BC and Bloomingdale, IL

From 1994-2016 served the NAB in various capacities, including Executive Director, President of NAB Foundation, Interim Regional Minister NABNW

**Purpose of Interim Pastor Position:**

1. Assist the Elders in the oversight of the church
2. Work alongside current leaders in ministry
3. Be part of pastoral staff team, assist in coordinating ministries
4. Assist in finding a new pastor
5. Preach on a regular basis
6. Shepherd individuals as needed
7. Fulfill whatever duties assigned by the elders

**10 Reasons why I believe Christ Community will do well during the transition:** 1/3 fewer corny jokes—The blessing of God has always been upon this church and will continue—an excellent lay leadership—a committed staff who perform their tasks well—solid ministries producing results—a church unified and at peace—well-resourced with talented, committed people—financially solvent—CCBC has a good reputation in a growing, vibrant community— another pastor from Detroit...Go blue! ~ Phil



**Loving God &  
Loving Each Other**  
Pastor Gordie Bauslaugh



Next Week:  
**Now What?**  
Part 1

**This Sunday's Schedule**

**8:15-9:15 am**

Adult LIFE Groups

**8:30am-9:00 am**

Pre-Service Prayer (Rm 129)

**9:30-10:30 am**

Worship Service

Adult LIFE Groups

Axiom Youth (6th-8th Grade)

Elevate Youth (9th-12th Grade)

Kids' programs Preschool through 5th Grade

\*Infant & Toddler Nurseries Available

**11:00-12:00 pm**

Contemporary Worship Service

Kids' programs Preschool through 5th Grade

\*Infant & Toddler Nurseries Available

**12:30 pm India Team Training**

**12:30 pm Children's Worship  
Dance Practice**

**6:00 pm All Church Prayer**

**Happening This Week: February 25-March 3**

<b>MONDAY</b>	8:00am Classical Conversation Homeschool Group 10:00am Women's Prayer 4:00pm MOPS Set-Up 6:00pm *Marcy LIFE Group
<b>TUESDAY</b>	9:15am MOPS-Mother's of Preschoolers 4:45pm Youth Worship Team Practice 6:30pm Youth Group
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	9:30am Women's Bible Study 6:30pm AWANA--PJ & Movie Night 6:30pm Men's Bible Study
<b>THURSDAY</b>	1:00pm Set-Up For Gordie & Sandy's Party 6:30pm Adult Bible Study-Silver Creek 7:45pm Second Service Team Worship Practice
<b>FRIDAY</b>	6:30am Men's Bible Study @ Denny's On Pacific & 512 6:30pm Gordie & Sandy Retirement Party
<b>SATURDAY</b>	No Scheduled Events
<b>SUNDAY</b>	8:30am Pre-Service Prayer 9:30am <b>Blended Worship Service</b> 11:00am <b>Contemporary Worship Service</b> 3:00pm Sierra Davis Baby Shower

*\*Please see the information center in the lobby for a LIFE Group brochure to get meeting location and contact information.*

**FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

CY 2018 General Fund through January 31, 2019

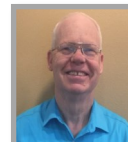
**INCOME: \$31,382.56**

**EXPENSES: \$40,888.30**

**General Fund Balance: \$13,729.76**

**Total 20/20 Vision Pledges: \$613,019.00**

**Pledge \$\$ Given: \$415,353.54**



Deacon of Finance  
John Mills



# Children's Ministry



**Helen Lucas**  
Director of  
Children's Ministry



**Save The Date  
VBS**  
July 29--August 2  
9:00am-12:00pm

**ROAR!**  
Life is wild \* God is good

**Awana Clubs**  
3 years-6th Grade 6:30pm-8:15pm  
**Wednesday Nights**

- March 6--Missions Night
- March 13--Dad's Night
- March 20--Can You Top That Night (Ice Cream)
- March 27--Egg Drop Night

**Equipping and Encouraging Pastors, Teachers, Leaders & Volunteers to extend the Kingdom in the PAC NW!**

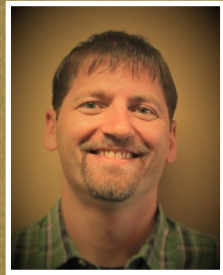
**NW MINCON 2019**  
**exponential**  
IMMEASURABLY MORE

If you would like to attend this conference please contact:  
Helen Lucas | 253.301.7265 | devinlivsgma@gmail.com

**Crossroads Bible Church**  
Bellevue, WA  
March 29-30, 2019



# CCBC YOUTH Ministry



Associate Pastor of Youth Ministry and Trustees

John Golling

**ELEVATE** HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP  
**AXIOM** CCBC MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP  
TUESDAYS FROM 6:30PM-8:30PM

Starts in the Youth Modular  
Starts in the Main Building

Stay Connected!

ccbc.axiom elevate.ccbc  
 facebook.com/groups/ccbcyouthgroup/

## Parent Resources

CCBC Youth Ministries would like to invite parents to take advantage of several resources to assist you in the spiritual mentoring of the teens in your life!

Check out the Parent Lending Library, made up of specially chosen books that you can borrow as needed. These will be available on a cart in the lobby on Tuesday nights during Youth Group.

Parenting Website: [www.PassionateLegacy.org](http://www.PassionateLegacy.org) is a collection of articles written by Sandra and John Golling, drawn from their own research, plus over 25 years of ministry with youth and families, raising their own daughters, and serving as foster parents for over 100 children.

### A Safe Place to Grow Up

Think for a minute about the process of shopping for clothes. When you go shopping for clothing, you probably look through the racks, select several outfits of varying styles that you think you might like and then take them to the dressing room. There are several questions you are asking of each set of clothes you try on. While you are looking in the mirror, you consider: Do I like it? Does it fit? Is it my style? And then, if you are shopping with another person, you will probably step out of the dressing room and ask the person you are with, "What do you think?" You want to know how they will react to seeing you in that particular outfit.

As kids and teens grow up, they work through a very similar process with their personality and identity. They will "try on" different characteristics, attitudes, opinions and ways of thinking and acting. As they do, they will consider, perhaps subconsciously, Does it fit? Is it me? Do I like how I feel when I wear it? And one of the biggest questions of all, What reaction do I get from others? Do people accept and affirm me when I "put on" that particular aspect of personality?

As parents watching teens figure out and discover their own personality, this can be a confusing and perhaps difficult time ...

Read the rest of this article at [www.PassionateLegacy.org](http://www.PassionateLegacy.org)

## Brief Beliefs

Pastor Phil Yntema

Leadership transition is nothing new in the Bible: Abraham to Isaac, Moses to Joshua, Elijah to Elisha etc. The only leadership change that did not take place is when Christ assumed His role as head of the Church, never to relinquish it (Col. 1:18). Pastor Gordie served admirably for 32 years but he was never the head of the Church, Christ was. So although Pastor has retired, the leadership remains the same. We can hang a sign out front, UNDER OLD LEADERSHIP.

A new under shepherd will bring some change to our Church. He will bring his own gift mix, experience, and a fresh pair of eyes to the ministry. He and the congregation under the Head, Christ Jesus, will reposition the strong foundation Pastor Gordie built to better meet the needs of a changing Church and neighborhood. These changes will be both exciting and frightening. As Interim Pastor I live within the parentheses of these two Pastors. My job will be to assist the Elders in maintaining momentum in all our ministries and make sure each of our needs are being met through the ministry of the Church. Most major changes, if any, will be done during the tenure of the next pastor. I would expect that we will do some tinkering during the transition and change things only in preparation for the new pastor.

I want to make myself available if you need help or need to talk. My cell number is 630-248-1516. You can email me at [pyntema1@yahoo.com](mailto:pyntema1@yahoo.com). We are in this together under the same old leadership.

# March Sermon Themes

March 3

What Holds Us Together

**"Now What?" Part 1**

**Acts 2:41**

March 10

**"Now What?" Part 2**

**Acts 2:41-47**

*Celebrating The Lord's Supper*

March 17

Making It Through Hard Times

**"Faith Will Get You Through"**

**Luke 18: 1-8**

March 24

**"Attitude Will Get You Through"**

**Ecclesiastes 9:4-10**

March 31

**"Build Margins That Will Help Get You Through"**

**Proverbs 15:17**

An update from:  
 Chad and Jamie Dimon  
 Serving in Nyankunde, Democratic Republic of Congo



Hello friends and family,  
 We rejoice because we are sending this update from HOME! After 29 days in Uganda, Nyankunde remained free and clear of Ebola and we were allowed to return home last week. Unfortunately, Ebola continues to migrate in Eastern Congo, but it appears to be steadily decreasing away from our area. Please continue to pray for all the medical staff working tirelessly to contain and stop the outbreak. Our team continues to provide support through flights transporting medical equipment, vaccines, and staff for the World Health Organization and Doctors Without Borders.

Another praise is for the election that recently happened. Although the outcome was controversial and heavily contested, the new president was sworn into office and Congo remains "operations normal." This marks the first time in Congo's history that a successful and peaceful transfer of power has occurred. Praise God!! We appreciate prayers that the peace of God would reign in this conflict saturated nation.

Now for some HAPPY news! Chad has begun his Cessna Grand Caravan check out, AND is having fun! He is enjoying the new challenge and learning the nuances of flying a turboprop aircraft. The Caravan is a beautiful plane that can carry more than twice the passengers and cargo than the smaller C206 (which is an awesome airplane). In terms of ministry impact, this airplane is a force multiplier because we can do LOTS more in a day to support other ministries in Congo with the Caravan than the 206.

Jamie is staying home and not working at the hospital until east Congo is declared Ebola free. This is a bit hard for her since she was hoping to work alongside the nurses after the Helping Babies Breathe training was completed. For now she is homeschooling Gabby (her teacher is currently out of country), getting the infant formula program reorganized, and well, you know everything else that is needed at home :-)

Each year we understand more on a personal level the gratitude and love the Apostle Paul expressed to the church. He conveyed such incredible love for individuals who supplied his needs, and we have experienced that. We need each other, we are all part of the body accomplishing the work the Lord has set before us. Thank you for praying for us, supporting us, and being a part of God's great commission here in Congo, and in the US. The time is short and the days increasingly more evil, so let us be wise. Know that we pray for you as your mission field in the U.S. has its own acute challenges. We love you guys and are so excited to be doing these more frequent updates.

**We have some significant needs of which we would like to make you aware. Please pray with us that these needs will be met.**

1. We are down to one partially working laptop. It has been declining over the years and needs to be replaced. This is a significant need for our family and one we are trusting God to provide.
2. Jamie's iPad suddenly failed (red screen) during our evac time in Uganda. Although this is just a material thing, it's



One of our favorite sights, the girls watching Daddy taking off and landing

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**MAF** (Continued update from Chad and Jamie Dimon)

what she uses predominately to keep organized with projects like the Orphan Milk program, Homeschooling, Young Living, meal planning, as well as just staying connected. It's going to be repaired by Apple, but it's a huge logistical challenge in that it will be hand carried by multiple families and change hands multiple times before we get it back. Pray that it gets repaired and returned without any problems. Also pray that Apple is willing to repair it as what's covered by Apple Care is a bit vague.

3. We are coming home for furlough in early August and staying until early January. We are in need of a "permanent" place to stay in Western Washington, which is where the majority of our furlough will happen. We also plan to spend several weeks in California as well. Please pray that God would help us find a "home away from home" that allows us to focus on reconnecting with others rather than worrying about our living situation.

4. As we have done in the past, we are putting together an Amazon wish list for items we are hoping to bring back to Congo after furlough. Here is the link: <http://a.co/5d3r0OE>  
 Thank you so much!

Blessings,  
 Chad and Jamie Dimon and girls

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 cdimon@maf.org, jdimon@maf.org

Our mailing address is: PO BOX 47 Nampa, ID 83683 OR  
 Chad and Jamie Dimon MAF EAST CONGO VIA PO BOX 1 Kampala Uganda



There is nothing new to report for this month regarding the Building Committee. We are continuing to work with Pierce County for approval. The second review on our permits is coming soon.

Please continue to pray.

# PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE



Jason Robinson,  
 Pastoral Search  
 Committee Chairman

Greetings fellow CCBC Congregants,

I'd like to take a few moments to share a snapshot of the Pastoral Search Committee (PSC). The committee members are: Steve Amberg, Ozan Ferrin, Kristi Graham, Mike Kopec, Shari Myers, Jason Robinson and Tom Thompson.

Since its formation, the PSC has met three times. During our first meeting we discussed our purpose and the characteristics of a committee member. We committed to a PSC covenant and went over Search Committee protocol. (The protocol is a set of guiding documents from the North American Baptist Conference.)

During our second and third meetings, we started working on these tasks:

- Pastoral Exit Interview – This will include input from Gordie and Sandy.

- Community Profile – Gathering demographic information from the US Census regarding our local community.
- Congregational Profile – Through leaders in our Children's department, as well as Youth programs and Life Groups, we'll gather a representation of Christ Community Baptist Church's congregational "makeup".
- Anonymous Feedback Survey – The plan is to make this survey available to all regular attendees. It may include questions like, "Describe this congregation to someone new and tell how they would be nurtured here," or "describe the leadership of this church."

If you are interested in more detail, get in touch with me. I'll be happy to unpack as much as I can.

The PSC kindly asks that you please continue to pray for us and the future leader of Christ Community Baptist Church.