

Crossing Jordan... "An overview of this week at Promised Land Church"

Week through 2/03/2013



Greetings friends and members of Promised Land Church!

Well, it has been over a year since the last "Crossing Jordan" was emailed. There have been varied reasons for lapse of newsletters. I have personally felt a needed a time to regroup my thoughts, the purpose of the newsletter, its desired impact on our readers and seeing the average newsletter takes 4-6 hours weekly to think out, type, print in different formats, email out and archive, I felt the "sabbatical" was justified. I strive to give this quest my best attention and quality and if I fall short in achieving any of these goals, then "time out" for reevaluation.

I have sought the mind of the Lord and have been waiting upon him as to what to do and when to begin writing again and I feel it is time to get back to the keyboard! So again, it is our hearts desire for you the reader to be encouraged, strengthened, educated and challenged by the topics and overview of our week here at Promised Land Church....God Bless you!...Pastor Jeffrey W. Steiner

THIS WEEK AT PLC:

Wednesday Evening Service

The Wisconsin winter has been taking its privilege this last week as we had to cancel Wednesday evening service due to freezing rain and heavy snow. We devote midweek services to the "teaching" of the Word of God whereas Sunday mornings is more "preaching" of the Word of God. Teaching explains Truth whereas preaching calls ones attention to the Truth! After a shorter Worship service than on Sunday mornings we teach the Adults in the main Sanctuary and the youth go downstairs to receive a ministered 20 minute message from one of eight different individuals that rotate on a schedule weekly. The youth then attend a hands-on project preplanned by Troy Messer and Danny Mayer. The current project is the Pinewood Derby cars! The adults have been studying Romans 6-8. These teachings are available for your listening on our church website at www.plcwi.org

Sunday Morning Service

Sunday was a wonderful morning as the Spirit of God began moving during the Worship Service. We normally devote the first Sunday of every month to receiving Holy Communion. Song leader, Vicki Psenicka led the congregation in song, praise and worship and as she was singing a song about the "blood of Jesus shed for me" the Holy Spirit began to move on hearts. As the Lord was moving in this direction, I gave an Altar call for the many needs people are facing in their personal life. We prayed for many and had several testimonials after service as to how the Lord touched them, moved on their heart and were reassured that God will come through for them in answered prayer! One individual could not stop crying as she for the first time sensed the presence of the Lord in this manner! We give God praise and glory for what he did in hearts during this service. Communion was administered by Carl Beauprey who is our Associate minister. I decided to not preach this morning as I believe the Lord ministered in the music and Communion service!

Prayer Needs

Remember Katy Jonas, Ardis Eilenfeld, Joan Schroeder, Bob White, Elizabeth Steiner for needed comfort and healing, The Children's church, Nursery, Live stream audience for help and direction, and more anointing of the Holy Spirit upon the services.