

Crescent Park Caller

New Beginnings

by Pastor Scott

The foundation of Church ministry should always begin with prayer. If prayer is negated by a church, ministry will not succeed. Prayer has a way of revealing the magnitude of our dependence on God; as we ask for divine intervention we soon realize that we have limited knowledge and control over our circumstances. Through prayer our understanding is altered to accommodate God's will and plan for our lives. Christ has wonderful plans for our lives and longs to transform us to accommodate the will of God.

Oswald Chambers states, *"Every time we pray, our horizon is altered, our attitude to things is altered, not sometimes, but every time, and the amazing thing is that we don't pray more."*

The life and opportunities that God has in store for our lives are awe-inspiring, and we are invited to be a part this majestic, divine will. Let us be ever mindful, that we are being transformed by the Spirit, so we may be prepared to embrace the opportunities set forth by God, through the body of the Church.

-Pastor Scott

New Service Time

Starting in September the Sunday morning Blended Worship Service will begin at 10am.



Is there more to life than this?

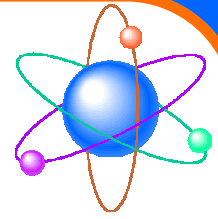
THE ALPHA COURSE explore the meaning of life

Sunday Morning Bible Study
Coming this September 9-9:45am

WHAT'S THE MEANING OF LIFE?
"DO I HAVE A PURPOSE?"
"IS THIS LIFE?"
"IS THERE MORE TO LIFE THAN THIS?"
"WHAT AM I DOING HERE?"
"IS THERE A GOD?"

Alpha FIND OUT ABOUT THE ALPHA COURSE

Super Science Spectacular Camp



August 8th

10:00-4:00pm (Lunch Provided)

Stone Park Lodge

Details & registration information-

(712) 258-1226 www.crescentparkumc.com



Science Experiments

Nature Scavenger Hunt

Everyone is Welcome! Bring your family and friends!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A

CHURCH PICNIC

SUNDAY

August 9th

Worship Service 9:30am
Potluck Picnic Lunch
Activities & Games

Held at Stone Park Lodge



Kids 4 Christ
5 week Fall Session begins
Wednesday, September 30
5:30-7:15pm

Confirmation Classes

Middle School student in 6-7 grade have a **BLAST** at Confirmation learning about their faith as well as Biblical-based skills to deal with real issues they face on a daily basis. Classes begin on Wednesday, September 30th at 5:30pm



Children's Church

Classes Resume Sunday, September 13th at 10am.

A NEW Program, **Tots 4 Christ**, is starting for children ages 1-3



Interested in helping? Contact the Pastor Scott Squires



With Heartfelt Sympathy

With great sadness Crescent Park UMC
announces the passing of

Mark Hoefling,
son of **Ron and Judy Hoefling**

Our heartfelt sympathy
and prayers are extended
to their families.



PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following people in
your daily prayers:

<i>Gerry Klas</i>	<i>Treasa Jurchen</i>
<i>Todd McNeil</i>	<i>Elois McNeil</i>
<i>Esther Johnson</i>	<i>Scott's Mother-</i>
<i>Norma Seldon</i>	<i>Bessie Squires</i>
	<i>Florence Thorpe</i>



September 13, 2015

Fun Activities for the Whole Family!

**Jumpy House *Carmel Apples*

**Face Painting*

Pony Show @ 11:30 in parking lot

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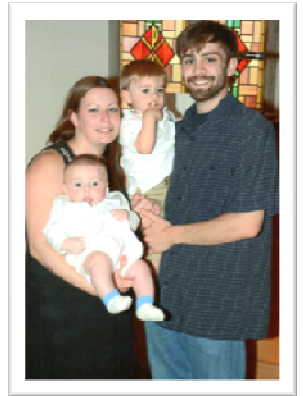
Crescent Park United Methodist Church is
happy to announce the following events:

Baptism of **Aria Marie
Roberts** on July 5, 2015.
Daughter of David and
Missy Roberts. Granddaugh-
ter of Katie Roberts.



Baptism of **Pierce
Prescott**.

Congratulations to **Jiramia
& Justina (Custer) Zeitler**
on their marriage on
July 24, 2015. (Pictured
upper right).



Baptism of **Jack Richard
Larson** on May 21, 2015.
Son of Cody and Alicia
Larson. Grandson of Jim
and Rita Sandman. (Pictured
lower right)

Please feel free to email photos of your *Simple Little Joys*
to the church office. We'd love to include them!

Church Anniversary

**POT
LUCK**

Sunday, October 4, 2015
following worship service

August 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 UM Men's Brfst Mtg-8am
2 Communion Children's Change	3 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	4 Tuesday Nights Together-6:00- 7:00pm	5 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	6 NA-7:00pm	7	8 Super Science Spectacular Camp - 10-3:30pm at Stone Park Lodge
9 Church Picnic- 9:30am at Stone Park Lodge	10 Office Closed We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	11 Office Closed Tuesday Nights Together-6:00- 7:00pm	12 Office Closed We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	13 NA-7:00pm	14	15
16	17 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	18 Tuesday Nights Together-6:00- 7:00pm	19 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	20 NA-7:00pm	21	22
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30	31 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	Please Note: August 10-12 the Church Office is closed. Our secretary is helping her daughter, Danielle Janke, move back to Indiana. Danielle's husband just completed his vicarage and the family is returning to Indiana for his final year of seminary.				

Giving Report

Amount needed each month: \$ 7,500.00

June	\$ 3,763.24	July 5	\$ 1,394.00
June	\$ 1,045.01	July 12	\$ 1,449.37
June	\$ 849.96	July 19	\$ 744.59
June	\$781.00	July 26	\$ 745.22
June Total:	-\$ 1061.00	July Total: \$	-\$ 3,166.82



You can now provide **Children's Change** at the Welcome Center. Every penny counts! Thank you!

September 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Boy Scouts-7pm	2 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	3 Parish Team-6pm Nominations-7pm Misions-7:30pm NA-7:00pm	4 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	5 UM Men's Brfst Mtg-Cancelled
6 Communion Children's Change	7 Office Closed We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am Trustee Team Mtg- 5:30pm	8 Growth Team-6pm Worship Team- 7pm Boy Scouts-7pm	9 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	10 NA-7:00pm	11 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	12
13 Fall Fest Children's Church Resumes	14 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	15 Finance Team- 6pm Lay Speaker- 6:30pm Church Council- 7pm	16 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	17 NA-7:00pm	18 We Can Fitness Club- 9-10am	19
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Care Angels

Anyone who feels called to help with care visits for individuals who are homebound, in hospitals or care facilities, please contact Pastor Scott.

Tuesday Nights Together

Come & join us for a easy meal on Tuesday evenings at 6pm during August.

**Open to EVERYONE-
bring a friend!**





Crescent Park United Methodist Church
2826 Myrtle Street
Sioux City, Iowa 51103



Crescent Park United Methodist Church

Our Mission: Adore Christ, Love Others and Change the World

Sunday Services:

Blended Service 9:30am **(Changing to 10am in September)**

Children's Worship 10:00am
(September-May)

Office Hours: Monday 9-12pm, Tuesday 9-1pm, & Wednesday 9-12pm

Pastor's Hours: The Pastor works part-time/on call. The Pastor is typically in the office on Tuesday and Saturday afternoons until early evening, along with Sunday morning until mid-afternoon. In addition, he is available during scheduled church events, programs, and meetings. If you'd like to visit with him, feel free to contact him at (712) 899-6315. Please leave a message and he will return your call. The pastor might be attending other calls, but he does check his messages several times throughout the day, and he will call you as soon as possible.