



# Middleton Community UCC

## The Communicator

### September 2010

Of all the things we do together, worship is the most important thing. It is hard to believe that that statement is controversial to some (even inside the church), but it is true. But as people who are called to “love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength” (Mark 12:30) all our efforts begin with the worship of God. Worship feeds our souls, renews our spirits, cleanses us of sin, leads to transformed lives, and empowers us to new acts of love and mercy. For, after all, we are also called to make a difference in the world, to “love our neighbors as ourselves” (Mark 12:31). Worship motivates acts of mercy and justice that help build a kinder, gentler, more loving world. The compassion we show to others grows out of God’s compassion that we have experienced for ourselves—in worship.

This fall, we have made a few changes to worship that I hope will make it more meaningful and understandable. None of the changes are very big, but taken together we think they will be significant. The first change is maybe the most subtle. You will notice in the worship bulletin, starting immediately, that there are new headings within the order of worship. Each heading helps group together various individual elements and make more obvious the different elements that make up a worship service:

**We Gather to Worship God**—this includes our welcome, our beginning songs of praise, and the gathering prayer, during which we invite God to be with us and our hearts to be open.

**We Listen for God’s Word**—in scripture, song, and sermon, we listen for the word God has for each one of us.

**We Respond to God’s Call**—we are meant to respond to the Word we have heard. What is God calling us to do? What old habit must we lay aside? What new habit must we begin to build? How are each of us called to make our faith a reality in our lives. In this part of worship, we pray, make our offerings, and consider ways to live out our faith (more on this later).

**We Carry God’s Love into the World**—through our closing song and the blessing from God we ask for, we are preparing to move out from the sanctuary and into the world, where we are called make the love of God real.

In order to be consistent to the above framework, we are making two additional changes: first, we are moving the announcements to offering time. While the plates are being passed, you will be hearing about opportunities to learn, connect, serve, and grow. Second, you can complete “the Pink Sheet,” an insert that will be in your bulletin each week, containing a list of ministry events, learning opportunities, and growth groups. Both of these are meant to assist you in making your response to God’s Word.

While the changes may seem strange at first, we hope that they will help worship make more sense and grow in meaning and purpose for you. May you grow in your love of God and love of neighbor as we gather and worship together.

**See you in church!**



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## Worship in September

### Sunday Worship

9:30 am

Nursery care available

Refreshments  
and fellowship  
after worship

### Very HOT Sunday School

(ages 3–9 years)  
9:45 am

### September 5

#### 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Deuteronomy 5:12-15; Mark 2:23-28

#### "At Work"

On this Labor Day Sunday, Pastor Jim will reflect on the meaning of work and vocation. How is what we do (and how we do it) a reflection of both our Christian faith and the call to make a difference in the world?



Worship

### September 12

#### 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Hebrews 12:1-2; Mark 13:1-13

#### "Nevertheless"

The world can be a scary place, as events in recent years have shown. Whether it's terrorist attacks or the near-collapse of our financial system, we are only too vulnerable to bad things that can happen. Where do we find hope? Where is there solid ground when everything seems to be crumbling?

### Office Hours

Office hours are 8:00 am to noon, Monday through Thursday. The church office is closed on Friday.

### September 19

#### 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

On this Sunday, members of our Jamaica mission team will lead worship, share their experiences, and celebrate the ministries to which God calls us.

### September 26

#### 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

James 3:1-12; Matthew 5:33-37

#### "Choice Words"

The ninth commandment say "you shall not bear false witness," but it can only be too easy to fudge the truth a little bit, to spin the facts in our favor, to leave out crucial information, to make ourselves look better by failing to be completely honest. What is at stake when we fail to tell the whole truth? What does Jesus teach us regarding telling the truth?

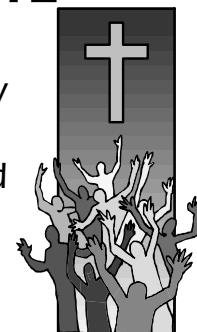
### Visit our new & improved website:

[www.middletonucc.org](http://www.middletonucc.org)

We welcome  
your comments,  
thoughts, and  
suggestions!

## Celebration Sunday, September 12

- Worship at 9:30 am
- Register your children for Very Cool Sunday School
- Potluck lunch after worship (cooked ham and hot dogs provided)
- Pie Auction to support our Jamaica missions



## Inquirers' Class Begins in October

Interested in joining Middleton Community Church? Do you want to know more about MCC? Then come to the inquirer's classes that begin on Sunday, October 10. The schedule is as follows:

**Oct. 10, 6 pm**

### "Getting to Know You"

*We introduce ourselves to one another and get introduced to Middleton Community Church.*

**Oct. 17, 6pm**

### "Sharing the Faith"

*We get to know one another better by telling stories about ourselves. We also will talk about the basics of the Christian faith and the heritage and identity of the United Church of Christ and Middleton Community Church.*

**Oct. 24, 6pm**

### "Life and Ministry at MCC"

*Learn more about the ministries and programs that MCC has to offer and ways in which you can participate in them!*

New members will be received into the church in October or November. Light refreshments will be served during each session. Childcare will be provided if requested.

Everyone is welcome to attend. If you would like to participate, or if you have any questions, contact Pastor Jim (831-4694 or [jiliff@tds.net](mailto:jiliff@tds.net)).



## Informational Meetings for Capital Campaign

MCC will be holding informational congregational meetings in September about our proposed capital campaign in 2011. These meetings will be held following worship on September 19 and September 26. Information about the capital campaign and reasons why we are proposing it will be given. There will be plenty of

opportunity for questions and conversation. The congregational meeting, at which we will be voting on the proposal to have a capital campaign, will be held on Sunday, October 3. Please plan on attending one of these informational meetings to have your questions answered and to share your thoughts.

## Daily Bible Reading Guide for September

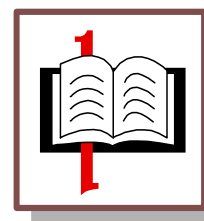
1 .....	Genesis 40:1-23
2 .....	Genesis 41:1-16
3 .....	Genesis 41:17-36
4 .....	Genesis 41:37-57
5 .....	Job 32:1-22
6 .....	Job 33:1-33
7 .....	Job 34:1-37
8 .....	Job 35:1-36:4
9 .....	Job 36:5-33
10 .....	Job 37:1-24
11 .....	Psalms 1
12 .....	Psalms 19
13 .....	1 Corinthians 1:1-17
14 .....	1 Corinthians 1:18-31
15 .....	1 Corinthians 2:1-16
16 .....	1 Corinthians 3:1-23
17 .....	Luke 12:1-12
18 .....	Luke 12:13-31
19 .....	Luke 12:32-48
20 .....	Luke 16:1-13
21 .....	Luke 16:14-31
22 .....	Proverbs 1:1-33
23 .....	Proverbs 2:1-22
24 .....	Proverbs 3:1-35
25 .....	Ecclesiastes 3:1-15
26 .....	James 1:1-27
27 .....	James 2:1-26
28 .....	James 3:1-18
29 .....	James 4:1-17
30 .....	James 5:1-20
31 .....	James 5:1-20

Middleton  
Outreach  
Ministry

Don't forget...the first Sunday of the month is  
**FOOD PANTRY SUNDAY!**

MOM asks you to contribute  
canned peaches, pears and mixed fruit

For more information, visit [www.mompop.org](http://www.mompop.org) or  
contact the church office (831-4694).



## Next IHN Hosting Week:

**Oct. 31– Nov. 7**

Our next hosting week for Interfaith Hospitality is here!. There are lot of ways to get involved—preparing and serving meals, playing games or reading books with the children, helping with set-up, tear-down, and laundry. Please check the sign-up board and join us in this important and fulfilling ministry!

Remember that homelessness never takes a vacation. Please help Middleton Community Church extend its concern and compassion to families in need.

## Women's Study Group

The Tuesday Women's Study Group will resume on September 21 at 9:30am at the church. We'll gather and share our summer activities, travels, etc. Bring your book selection ideas.

Beginning September 28, Pastor Jim will be leading the group in a study of the Paul's Letter to the Galatians. An introduction to



the letter will be available at the Women's Group, September 21 gathering. Come and get acquainted with this group. Everyone is welcome.

Join us for quality conversation, friendships & coffee. If you have any questions, contact Rose Ann Sprang (831-6486) or Carrie Doersch (238-2386).

## Tuesday Night Fellowship Returns!

Tuesday Night Fellowship (TNF) resumes on Tuesday, September 28, with a study of Paul's Letter to the Galatians. In this letter, Paul lays out in clear and powerful fashion the meaning of Christ's death and resurrection and the implications it has for our own lives. He seeks to provide guidance for the people of the Galatian church as they try to navigate the controversies of their own time and live faithfully every day.

TNF begins at 6 pm each Tuesday with a soup supper (freewill offering appreciated), discussion will begin around 6:30. Childcare will be provided if requested.

A sign-up sheet will be available near the coffee hour table in Fellowship Hall. Study materials will be available as well.

Take advantage of this great study and fellowship opportunity!

## Confirmation Begins September 12

Confirmation for the 2010-2011 program year is about to begin! Confirmation at MCC is a two-year faith formation process, open to high students, grade nine and older. It is a process that focuses on each student's faith journey and practice of the Christian faith. Together, students and adults discover ways to integrate their faith into their daily lives.

The focus of this year's class will be understanding the biblical story and how it relates to our lives today. We will also participate in several service projects and ministry activities.

Our 2010-11 Confirmation year begins on Sunday, September 12. We will meet at 8:30 am in the Heritage Room for an informational session. We ask that all confirmands and at least one parent/guardian attend. Please bring along your questions and your calendar!

If you have a high school son or daughter, or if you have any questions regarding participation in Confirmation, please contact Pastor Jim by phone at the church office (831-4694) or by email (jiliff@tds.net).

## For Where Your Treasure Is, There Your Heart Will Be Also

The theme of our stewardship drive this year is taken from Matthew 6:21. In October and November you will see articles and receive a packet of materials reflecting on the theme "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." You will also hear speakers talk from the heart about stewardship as part of their faith as part of the lead up to a celebratory Stewardship Sunday November 7. The following words are adapted from a bulletin insert from last year.

"Faith is personal but not simply individual – just as being a parent or partner is "personal" but always involves more than 'me.' Those who first followed Jesus were not isolated individuals but members of a group of disciples. The Church is called 'the body of Christ' with different parts that alone would not exist at all."

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individuals but members of a group of disciples. The Church is called 'the body of Christ' with different parts that alone would not exist at all."

"So it is with giving. This is a personal decision that is more than an individual matter. It shows and confirms our connection with others. And like any relationship that amounts to anything it requires our own emotional investment: the less we give the more we stand to lose. . . . The only way to avoid getting hurt is not to love – or give – much of anything."

"If the popular 'prosperity gospel' is wrong in promising that greater giving leads to wealth and good fortune, our problem may be more a 'scarcity gospel' that ignores what we do get when we give: a better experience of God and one another, a chance to connect with something larger and more important than ourselves, and the discovery that Jesus is right. In giving, even when it's hard, we receive – more than we thought possible."

## Coffee & Conversation

Coffee and Conversation returns September 15. We will meet the 1st and 3rd Wednesday mornings of each month from 8:00-9:00am at Barriques, 8410 Old Sauk Rd, Madison.

We begin this year with a sampling of short readings from some contemporary inspirational writers.

Copies of the writings are available on the Faith Formation Table in Fel-

lowship Hall or by contacting the office.

- **September 15—Wayne Dyer**
- **October 6—Walter Wangerin**
- **October 20—Rabbi Irwin Kula**

**All are welcome!** Join us for coffee and lively discussion. For more information, contact Laura Crow at [crows@chorus.net](mailto:crows@chorus.net) or 831-4694.

### Stay Connected With MOM

Join the e-mail list for MOM's monthly eConnections newsletter! Find out about their monthly needs as well as other fun ways to get involved in serving the community. Go to [www.mompop.org](http://www.mompop.org) and look for the "Join MOM's eConnections!" box. You can also send MOM an email at [econnections@mompop.org](mailto:econnections@mompop.org). Join now!

M i d d l e t o n  
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M i n i s t r y

## Happy Anniversary!

Chris & Ellen Acker

Greg Barrett &  
Jessica Pellegrino-  
Barrett

Mike & Missy Bernauer

Nick & Barb Breitbach

Keith Johnston &  
Cheri Farha

John & Michelle  
Hamilton

Ralph & Marie Jackson

Chad & Beth Moritz

Tom & Christine Odell

Christer & Katie Watson

Did we miss yours?  
Call the church office  
and let us know.

## Potluck/Cookout and Pie Auction

Mark your calendars for Sunday, September 12—it's our Celebration Sunday Potluck/Cookout and Pie Auction. Members of our Fellowship Committee will provide barbequed meat, beverages, and utensils. You bring a dish to pass.

The pie auction will commence as soon as everyone is seated for lunch in Fellowship Hall.

A sign-up sheet will be posted in



Fellowship Hall for your pie donations. We'll take all the pies we can get. Please complete a 3x5 card with the type of pie and the name of the pie maker.

All proceeds from the pie auction will benefit MCC Jamaica missions. Be generous in your donations—and your bids!

Any questions, call the church office (831-4694).

## Undie Sunday—September 19

On "Undie Sunday", September 19th, please bring donations of underwear, socks and pajamas for men, women and children, to be donated to Middleton Outreach Ministry. Lar-

ger sizes are especially appreciated. Look for the Undie Sunday display and collection basket in Fellowship Hall.

## Neighbors in Need Offering—October 3

The Neighbors in Need offering will be on Sunday, October 3. The UCC expresses a common commitment to justice and compassion throughout the United States and Puerto Rico. One-third of the offering undergirds the work of the Council for American Indian Ministry (CAIM),

including much needed financial support for 20 American Indian congregations in the UCC. Two-thirds of the offering supports justice advocacy and direct service projects such as just-peace programs and community grants. See the NIN bulletin insert for more information.

## Choir Begins Fall Season!

The adult choir will be starting up again after its summer break. The choir will sing for the first time on Homecoming Sunday, September 12. There will be two rehearsals prior to that Sunday: Wednesday, September 1, and Wednesday, September 8, both at 6:30 pm. Please mark your



calendar so you can warm up your vocal cords and prepare to sing!

New singers are always welcome. If you know anyone who might be interested, please contact Bob Mirshak at (831-5354).

## Fellowship Hour

Your help is needed to provide an important part of our church's ministry of fellowship: coffee hour! Light snacks and refreshments create a welcoming environment for members and guests. Thanks to all who

have already volunteered for this ministry. Won't you consider taking part as well? Check the sign-up sheet on the coffee hour table for available dates.

## The Road Home

Did you know that the wealthiest 20% of the population receives over 60% of federal housing subsidies? Although we are often encouraged to think that the government spends too much of our tax dollars on providing benefits for poor people, those in higher income brackets receive much more of the total housing pie in the form of credits and deductions.

Most of the federal government's support for housing is provided for home-ownership. In 2009, the federal government devoted almost four times the amount of budgetary re-

sources to supporting home-ownership (about \$230 billion) as it devoted to improving rental affordability (\$60 billion).

It's interesting to consider this distribution of housing subsidies in light of the severe shortages of affordable housing and rental assistance which are the tools we need to end homelessness. It's also interesting to compare the attitudes and language we associate with different federal programs, so that section 8 vouchers are viewed as "welfare" while tax credits are not.

## MCC 75th Anniversary

January 5, 2011, will mark the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Middleton Community Church! From its beginnings as a non-denominational church, its affiliation with the United Church of Christ in 1969, its three different facilities, and the many involved and faithful people over the years, MCC has sought to "connect faith and life" in a variety of ways and through a variety of ministries. It is a legacy to honor and a future to celebrate!

Our anniversary observance will begin in January and continue through the winter and early spring. The steering committee (listed below)

has come up with a few ideas for our celebration but is interested in hearing from you! What sort of events should we be planning? What are the key events in our church's past? What stories should be told? Who should we be talking to? Please contact the committee through the church office (mccucc@chorus.net or 831-4694).

Sue Hunt Christenson  
Mike Falk  
Jeanne Fredrickson  
Esther & Jahn Tinglum  
Pastor Jim Iliff

## Happy Birthday!

Mike Bernauer  
Missy Bernauer  
Patti Buelo  
Tate Classen  
John Comerford  
Will Comerford  
Janet Coughlin  
Ron Doersch  
Charlie Crow  
Pam Dye  
Edith First  
Dale Gillings  
Gary Howard  
Sue Hunt-Christensen  
Sarah Iliff  
Steven Iliff  
Carole Klopp  
Nancy Kottraba  
Delores Landgraf  
Coralie Lemcke  
Gayle Love  
Cayley Metzloff  
Elizabeth Metzloff  
Tricia Reed  
Carol Roach  
Fred Robertson  
Hannah Schwenn  
Mindy Schwenn  
Jacci See  
Laurie Stolen  
Isaac Sund  
Michele Statz  
Steve Weber

Did we miss yours?  
Call the church office  
and let us know.

## Very Cool Sunday School—Register NOW!

**Registration for 2010-2011 Very Cool Sunday School** continues through September 12. ALL students ages 3 years-8th grade are asked to register to ensure that we have the most current information on students and families. Our first day of Very Cool Sunday School will be September 26.

**Recruitment for teachers and shepherds** is also in full swing. This year we will explore the stories in Genesis, Psalms, Jesus' "I am" teachings, and the historical and contem-

porary church.

Fall is a great time to invite neighbors and friends to try our program. If you know of anyone who might like an invitation for the fall or if you would like to volunteer for our program, please contact Laura Crow at 831-4694 or [crows@chorus.net](mailto:crows@chorus.net).

There will be NO Sunday School from September 5, 12, or 19. Children are encouraged to worship with their families. Nursery care for infants through preschoolers is available each Sunday.

### *Dates to Remember:*

- **September 12**—Confirmation Begins
- **September 12**—Celebration Sunday Potluck & Pie Auction
- **September 19**—Jamaica Sunday
- **September 19**—VCSS Teacher & Parent Orientation
- **September 26**—First day of Very Cool Sunday School
- **October 23**—Fall Harvest Festival

## Faith Five for September

"Faith Five" is a program for personal or family devotions that focuses on relationship—nurturing our relationships with one another and with God. It is a great tool for growing together in faith and exploring the connections between Faith and Life!

Gather everyone together at bedtime (or any time that works for you!) and simply follow these five steps:

1. **SHARE** the highs & lows of your day or week.
2. **READ** together the appointed bible passage.
3. **TALK** about how the verse relates to your own experience

4. **PRAY** for one another and the highs and lows that were shared.
5. **BLESS** one another by reminding ourselves that we are all beloved children of God.

Start today by using these passages for personal or family reflection...

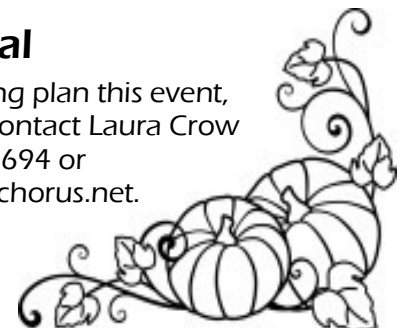
- August 29-Sept. 4: Colossians 3:12
- Sept 5-11: Ecclesiastes 5:19
- Sept 12-18: 2 Corinthians 4:8
- Sept 19-25: Ezekial 34:27
- Sept 26-Oct 2: John 8:12

Learn more about "Faith Five" @ [www.faithink.com](http://www.faithink.com).

## Harvest Festival

**SAVE THE DATE!** On Saturday, October 23, we are planning a Fall Harvest Festival from 2:00pm-4:00pm. This will be a community-wide event perfect for inviting friends and neighbors! If you are interested

in helping plan this event, please contact Laura Crow at 831-4694 or [crows@chorus.net](mailto:crows@chorus.net).



## Men's Group

MCC Men's Group resumes its monthly meeting after a summer break with a gathering on Saturday, September 11, at 8 am.

For our first gathering of the fall, we will look at an online article at [www.christandpopculture.com](http://www.christandpopculture.com), in which author Alan Noble seeks to get behind the rhetoric to the real message that's being communicated. How do we think about and talk about the important issues of our day? How do the ways we talk about them shape the way we see them? The current controversy about the proposed Islamic Center in lower Manhattan (two blocks from Ground Zero) is a case in point. Who

are planning to build the building and what are their motives? What is their relationship with terrorists who have attacked the US? What emotions is our rhetoric generating? Fear? Anger? Hatred? What is actually being said? Can we look at this issue in a more faithful way? See the whole article at <http://www.christandpopculture.com/featured/mosquerading-as-the-truth-the-near-ground-zero-mosque-and-political-rhetoric/>.

This group is open to all MCC men and their friends for fellowship, conversation, and prayer. All are welcome!

## Get the Scoop!

Don't miss these two "Back to School" orientation sessions to provide parents and teachers with important schedule and event information about MCC's Sunday School & Faith Formation programs.

**Sunday, August 29 @ 6:00pm**—All middle and high school students and their parents are invited for a cook out at the church. We'll share calendar information and discuss

changes to our confirmation program, youth groups, and communication strategies.

**Sunday, September 19 @ 10:45am**—All parents, teachers, and shepherds of preschool through 5th grade students will meet to share calendar & curriculum information, as well as discuss improvements to our "shepherd" initiative and family communication strategies.

## Youth Group Expanding to TWO!

Coming this fall, MCC's Youth Group is undergoing a little cellular division to better serve all our students! Beginning in September our HS youth group will consist of grades 9-12. And, by popular request, we will also start a NEW middle school youth group for grades 6-8.

We are looking for adults interested in helping plan 1-2 events per

years with either of these groups. Parents are welcome, but we are especially hoping to recruit other adults to help strengthen the relationships students have in our church community.

Please contact Laura Crow if you have questions or ideas about this exciting growth opportunity.

## Team COMMA Rides Again!

If you are interested in joining the Middleton Community Church's Bicycle Riding Group, please let Randall Crow know. We go on rides of various lengths and for many different riding skills. Rides are planned at different times, but Randall will send out e-mails to all those who are interested. Contact Randall at [crows@chorus.net](mailto:crows@chorus.net), or at 831-1993 if you want to be added to the list or have questions about the rides. Let's Go!

## Introducing “Daily Bread”

Discipleship isn't meant to be a “Sunday-only” sort of activity. It's meant to be part of every day and ever activity. One way we can express our discipleship is through daily prayer and reflection that provides insights, focus, and a Christian influence over every day.

Here are several resources that you can use:

1. “Our Daily Bread” – Copies of this daily devotional are available on the welcome table, just outside the sanctuary, and in the church office. It is published quarterly and are available to you without cost. Each day's entry includes a suggested Bible reading, a short story or reflection, and thoughts and prayers for the day. Take copies for neighbors, friends, and family members if they would benefit from receiving

this. We will order more, as necessary.

2. “Stillspeaking Daily Devotional” – the United Church of Christ will email you a short devotional each day, which includes a Bible passage to read, a short reflection, and a prayer. Go to [www.ucc.org](http://www.ucc.org), click on the “Daily Devotional” tab, and follow the instructions.

3. The American Bible Society will also email you a daily Bible reading with questions for reflection. Go to [www.americanbible.org](http://www.americanbible.org), click on “Bible Resources,” then click on “Daily Bible Reading” and follow the instructions.

Do you know of other resources we could make available at MCC? Your comments and suggestions are welcome! Contact us at [mccucc@chorus.net](mailto:mccucc@chorus.net) or 831-4694.

## Stillspeaking Magazine Now Available

A copy of “Stillspeaking,” the newest publication from the United Church of Christ, is available in the Heritage Room. In this attractive, full-color publication, you'll read about missionary Anil Henry and his understanding of mission as “Christ standing with arms open wide, inviting, open and ready to receive.” You'll read about Rev. Karen Georgia Thompson, minister for racial justice in the UCC, and her response to the

Sacred Conversation on Race she participated in. You'll read about one of the UCC's most recent initiatives, “Faith Practices,” which seek to provide resources for worship, learning, service, and many more faith practices. These and more articles are available to you in the Heritage Room. After viewing it, you may subscribe to this twice-yearly magazine for yourself at [www.ucc.org/news/voices.html](http://www.ucc.org/news/voices.html).

## Celebration Gifts

If you have a special day or a special person you would like to honor, why not make a "Celebration Gift" to MCC in their name? All gifts will be listed in the Communicator. Simply complete the form below, attach your donation, and either send it to the church office or place it in the offering plate.



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## Celebration Gift

Name(s)

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Amount. of Gift \_\_\_\_\_

In honor of/in memory of *(please circle one)*:

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## Middleton Community Church Vision Statement

*As a faithful church, we will provide opportunities for  
 growth in our witness to the grace and love of God  
 through worship, fellowship, education, and outreach.*

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