

# WELCOME!

Whether you are  
a first time guest  
or you come  
every

Sunday, we're  
glad you're here!

Together, we  
desire to  
"Love God,  
Grow Together  
in Christ and  
Serve the  
World".

Our guests today  
are encouraged  
to stop by the  
coffee house for  
a free beverage  
and roll and also  
by the Welcome  
Center for more  
information on  
our church and  
to pick up a  
welcome gift!

We ask that **all  
who attend** ⇨  
please sign the  
register,  
Tear it off and  
place it in the  
offering basket.  
Thank you!

## Name:

(Please list each person attending)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Please check one:

1<sup>st</sup> time visitor     2<sup>nd</sup> time visitor

3<sup>rd</sup> time or more

Regular Attender or Member

Visiting family/friends

Please check the service you attended:

8:30     11:00

If you are a 1st, 2nd, or 3rd time visitor;  
or if your information has changed,  
please complete the following also:

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## I'd like more information on...

How to begin a relationship with Christ

How to become a member

Youth Ministries     Children's Ministries

Senior's Ministries     Small Groups

Women's Ministries     Men's Ministries

Music Opportunities

Baptism     Speak with a pastor

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**May 20, 2012**

## Sermon Notes

**Q.** Have you ever asked a question only to get an answer to a different question?

The question the Pharisees ask: Is it \_\_\_\_\_ for a man to divorce his wife?

The question Jesus answers: What is God's \_\_\_\_\_ in marriage?

Gen 2.24 describes marriage as a man and a woman becoming \_\_\_\_\_.

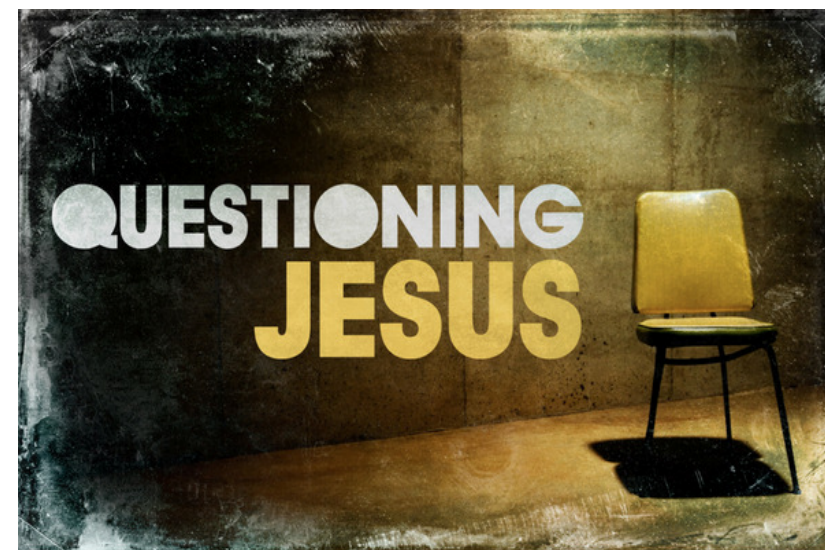
In Eph 5:22-33 Paul describes the husband/wife relationship in three couplets:

- \_\_\_\_\_ – Body
- Sacrifice – \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ – Respect

The root of divorce is found when one or both spouses operate primarily out of a \_\_\_\_\_ perspective.

Reflection Questions:

- In what ways do I demonstrate (or see someone model) a healthy picture of "oneness" in marriage?
- Are there any danger areas where self-centeredness has taken root in my life?
- How can I cultivate "oneness" in my marriage?



**SUNDAYS**

Worship Services 8:30 (Blended) & 11 am (Contemporary)
(After each service, there are people available up front to pray for you.)
Children's Church ages 3-6 dismissed during 2nd service
Sunday School for all ages-9:45 am
Traditional Evening Service 6 pm
Saturday Night Alive Service for Young Adults-First Saturday of every month, 7 pm in the Gathering Place.

**MONDAYS**

GriefShare 6:30 pm

**TUESDAYS**

Card Ministry 1 pm
(2nd & 4th Tuesday and Wednesday only, May1-Sept. 1)

**WED.**

Quilting 1 pm

**WEDNESDAYS**

Prayer-6 am, Noon, 6:45 pm
Youth Group (7th-12th) Farewell Pizza Party for Pastor Jarrod and family on Wed. May 23rd, 6:30-7:30 pm.
(Awana, DivorceCare, Single Moms, and Spanish/English will resume in the fall.)

**SMALL GROUP MINISTRY-** Chuck/Vickie Jackson 840-0414
Small groups are vital to our identity as a church, a place where people gather in groups of 4-12 to grow in their relationship with God & one another. If interested in joining, contact Chuck or Vickie.

**ALLIANCE WOMEN-**District "Ladies Connection Day/Workshop", will be held Saturday, June 2nd @ Cedar Rapids C & MA Church. We will leave the church at 7 am and return between 5 & 5:30 pm. Cost is \$10 and includes lunch. All women are invited to attend. Bev Wright will be guest speaker. Please sign up at the Welcome Center.

**QUESTIONS FOR JESUS-**If you have a "Question for Jesus", fill out one of the cards at the Welcome Center or on the Communion Table and place it in the box on the table, or go to communityheights.org and click under "Sermon Series Questions" on the right bottom of the home page.

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL-"Called and Accountable"** – Bob Braafhart – Room 101/102 "Prayers of the Apostle Paul" – Mark Porter – Room 105/106 "Biblical vs. Secular World Views" Bob Colby–Gathering Place
SUMMER CLASS-starting June 10th- "Genesis" –Jon Dunwell will be taking us on a journey through the book of Genesis. Please join us in the Gathering Place. June 10th-July 29th.

**PRIMETIME POTLUCK/FELLOWSHIP-**Monday, May 21st @ 6 pm in the Gathering Place. Program by Koni Bunse.

**CELEBRATION SUNDAY-One service only at 9:30 am on June 3rd to commemorate the end of our 3 year pledge drive and to look ahead as to what God has in store for the future.**

**FAREWELL-**On Sunday, May 27th, we will be taking up a love offering for Pastor Jarrod and his family. It will be presented to him at our Celebration Service on June 3rd.

**PRIMETIME LUNCH-**Thursday, May 31st. Leave church @ 10:30 am to go to Machine Shed and Living History Farms. Cost is \$10.25.

**GRADUATION OPEN HOUSES:** These students would like to invite their church family to help them celebrate this milestone.
**David Patterson-**Saturday, May 26th; 2-4 pm @ the Community Heights Coffee Place
**Lauren Griggs-**Saturday, May 26th; 2-6 pm @ 1107 S 14th Ave W

**Serve the World Question!** In the Coffee Place you will find a question about what God is doing through our Alliance Church family around the world. Record your answer and check back the following week—winners will receive a donut and cup of coffee! Questions and answers can be found in our denominational website—cmalliance.org.

**MEN'S BREAKFAST-**All men are invited to join us Monday, May 21st, @ 6 am for breakfast, devotion & fellowship in the Gathering Place.

**ONLINE GIVING-**Did you know that you can give online? It's easy, just click online giving on the Adults page of our website and follow the instructions.

Attendance 5/13 668
OFFERINGS 5/13 WEEKLY YEAR TO DATE
Budget \$ 15,949 \$ 318,979
Offerings \$ 14,956 \$ 331,497
Actual Expenses \$ 265,515
Great Commission Fund \$ 2,832 \$ 38,406
Building Fund \$ 3,725 \$ 127,011



**Prayer Requests:**

\_\_\_ Confidential \_\_\_ For Wednesday prayer

Series of horizontal lines for entering prayer requests.

**Sign-Ups:**

Event: \_\_\_\_\_
Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_
Email: \_\_\_\_\_
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pastoral Staff**

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