

Shout The News

Cedar Valley-Nauvoo Mission Center



“Again you are reminded that this community was divinely called into being. The spirit of the Restoration is not locked in one moment of time, but is instead the call to every generation to witness to essential truths in its own language and form. Let the Spirit breathe.”

Doctrine and Covenants 162:2e.

[2 Timothy 3:16](#), Paul states, “All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness.” This is the only use in the Bible of the Greek word *theopneustos*, which means “God-breathed, inspired by God, due to the inspiration of God,” but other scriptural passages support the basic premise of Scripture being inspired by God.

The power of the breath of God in divine inspiration pervades Scripture. God breathed “the breath of life” into Adam ([Genesis 2:7](#)), and Jesus “breathed on them and said, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit’” ([John 20:22](#)). In [2 Peter 1:21](#) we are told that “prophecy never had its origin in the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.” Here we see the truths of Scripture described as coming directly from God, not from the will of the writers He used to record them.

Peter notes that Paul writes “with the wisdom that God gave him” and that failure to take heed to these messages is done at the peril of the readers ([2 Peter 3:15–16](#)). Scripture comes from the Holy Spirit, who gives it to us “in words taught by the Spirit, expressing spiritual truths in spiritual words” ([1 Corinthians 2:13](#)). In fact, the Berean believers faithfully used the inspired Word of God to check Paul’s adherence to the Word as they “examined the Scriptures every day to see if what Paul said was true” ([Acts 17:11](#)).

Faith is central to how anyone receives the validity or value of God’s inspired Word because “the man without the Spirit does not accept the things that come from the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him, and he cannot understand them, because they are spiritually discerned” ([1 Corinthians 2:14](#)). The “spiritual man” is the one who has been given the gift of faith ([Ephesians 2:8–9](#)) for the salvation of his soul. [Hebrews 11:1](#) tells us, “Faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.” There is a righteousness in the gospel revealed by God in the Scriptures, but our righteousness comes and is maintained by and through faith alone. “The righteous will live by faith” ([Romans 1:17](#)). (Internet)

AN INVITATION FROM QC CONNECTION

Finding your Passion and Living on Purpose

REVIVAL



You are invited to hear
Reverend Robert Kyser
and Dr Vince Lewis
explore what it means to:

TO:

Live on Purpose.

Friday October 10 - 7:00 pm
Saturday October 11 - 7:00 pm
Sunday October 12 -11:00 am
refreshments 30 min earlier
potluck following Sunday Service

Community of Christ
Quad City Connection

"What if your passion isn't lost-
it's just buried?"

4221 Brady St. Davenport, Iowa
for info text @ 563-505-7740

Let us introduce our guest ministers



Dr. Vince Lewis has been an educator for 39 years in the Des Moines area. He recently retired as the principal of North High school in Des Moines. He has served on many community improvement boards as a member and president, including Child Abuse Prevention Council, Iowa Juvenile Justice Board, Urban Scouting, Neighborhood Priority Board and the Iowa Board of Parole. Vince brings his life experiences in dealing with parenting, classroom discipline, diversity and human relations.



Reverend Robert Kyser has served in the Community of Christ for 63 years. For 34 years he served as a missionary in the United States and Latin America. In retirement, Bob has volunteered in support of the mission in the countries of New Zealand, Germany, and the British Isles. Bob brings a wealth of information and experience that will bless our experience together.

Mission Center ~ Galesburg Congregation
Wiener Roast!

Saturday, October 11th, 2025 *5:00pm*

At the home of ~ Rodney & Angela King

Hot dogs, Buns, Drinks & S'mores are provided!

Please bring a dish to pass.

Please RSVP (309) 335-0343



Directions:

2154 Knox Hwy 15
Victoria, IL. 61485

GPS is weird & usually
takes people a different
way.

Coming from the West ~ Galesburg~Hwy 34...Heading towards Wataga, about 7mi., take the Hwy 34 - IL Rt 167 junction. Under viaduct, turn left. Take that all the way into Victoria. When you come to the middle of town, going past a log cabin on your right...you'll see a church. Turn right, off of 167. At the 4-way stop, keep going straight & I'm another 1/4 mile from city limits. Grey house, west side of the road.

Coming from the East ~ Interstate 74 ~ past Brimfield about 3 miles, take Canton/Kewanee exit. That will be Rt 78. Stay on that through Laura, until you come to the West Jersey Rd, about 14 miles. (bypassing construction on Rt 180 & quicker).

When you get to the stop sign, that will be Rt 180. Take that a couple of miles to Junction 167, straight into Victoria. You'll see a post office & a bar/grille on your right...turn left. As soon as you turn, you'll see a church. At the 4-way stop, keep going straight & I'm another 1/4 mile from city limits. Grey house, west side of the road.



Any questions...my number is (309) 335-0343
~Call or Text~



**MISSION CENTER CONFERENCE
“THE POWER OF HOPE”**

**October 18, 2025 at
Cedar Valley Grove Campgrounds**

**If you need sleeping
accommodations, contact**

Gaelane Rosinski

Phone: (847) 525-3073 or (309) 524-3648

Email: cedarvalleygrove@gmail.com

Additional information to come

THE POWER OF HOPE
SATURDAY, October 18 - 19

All are Welcome!

10:00 AM Set-up Staff and helpers (bring your own sack-lunch)

1:00 PM Check-In

2:00 PM Session One: Apostle Matt Frizzell

New USA Model – details and update

Conditions of Membership

Priesthood and Cohabitation

Open Topic Q&A (with available time)

3:30 PM BREAK

4:00 PM Session Two: Apostle Matt Frizzell

Healthy Congregations in Mission: Revitalization, tips, role of small groups, anything new, stories from the field.

Open Topic Q&A (with available time)

5:30 PM BREAK

6:00 PM SUPPER—Cedars

Youth Supper Chats with the Apostle—Cedars private dining

7:00 PM Campfire Style Closing—Lodge “Hope is a Light”

8:00 PM Fellowship

10:00 PM LIGHTS OUT

SUNDAY, October 19

All are Welcome!

8:00 AM COFFEE CHATS—Cedars (informal coffee time)

“Sin Water and the Word of Wisdom” led by Robert Cook

9:00 AM CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST—Cedars

10:30 AM WORSHIP—Lodge “The Power of Hope” Apostle Matt Frizzell speaking

NOON LUNCH—Cedars

1:30 PM LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE—Lodge

2:30 PM BREAK—Legislative Recess

2:45 PM Pre-legislative Session

3:15 PM Call to Order—Resume Legislative Conference

5:00 PM ADJOURNMENT *earlier if business completed*

6:00 PM Clean-up Complete and Farewell

AROUND THE MISSION CENTER—IOWA CITY

Iowa City is a busy place! There are tumbling classes in the gym on Tuesdays and Thursday evenings, The University Club bridge ladies meet one Wednesday afternoon each month and busy with all of the details for the annual interfaith project. That happens from October 12 to October 18.

They share good news for Jennifer Otis who has received special awards and accolades for the book she created and printed for her MFA in the Center of the Book. Congratulations Jennifer!! And there is a concern for her health as she has endured surgery for a malignant tumor in her abdomen. Please join everyone in pray that she will have a complete recovery.

God did not create us to be alone but to be interdependent with one another. We need other people, and other people need us. One way we can serve others is by praying for them. We should pray for friends and loved ones, but we should also pray for people we might not know or like, and we should pray for leaders. So on Sunday, we did the 5 finger prayer before we all went to the lower level of the church to work together in our service project. Prayer can be very powerful.



The Temple School class, The Elder, is being held at the **Burlington Church** on Sundays in preparation for Kristy Ourth to be ordained to the office of Elder. Dale Warner is leading the class

PRAYER REQUEST

IOWA CITY

Please continue to keep Jennifer Otis Miller in your prayers as she recovers from Cancer Surgery, and Beverly Tyree as she works at gaining strength.

Heavenly Father, in your loving embrace, we seek healing and strength. As we navigate through our physical and emotional pains,

we ask for Your divine touch to restore our bodies and soothe our souls. Lord, infuse us with Your powerful grace, making us whole and stronger again. Let your healing hand guide every aspect of our recovery, and in our weakness, may we find your strength, for in You, all things are possible.

In Jesus holy name, we pray. Amen



Happy
Halloween



Halloween Party



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

5:30 PM TO 7 PM

MOLINE CHURCH

1525 48th St. Place



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AROUND THE MISSION CENTER— A SPRINGFIELD, IL TRIP



A Day Trip to Springfield was Friday, Sept. 19, to see the Lincoln Museum and Library. We had a picnic lunch, then we drove to Lincoln New Salem to see the Lincoln New Salem State Historic Site about 30 minutes away.

AROUND THE MISSION CENTER—WATERLOO/CEDAR FALLS

On Thursday, September 11, members of the Waterloo/Cedar Falls congregation completed and installed the "free pantry" (held in place by the peace poles that were created and painted by congregational members). This free pantry is for anyone and can be stocked by anyone. It is located in the front yard at 2412 Olive Street, Cedar Falls, just a block away from the University of Northern Iowa's campus.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE



Larry D. Turley, 88, of Burlington, died Saturday, September 20, 2025, at the Southeast Iowa Regional Hospice House in West Burlington.

Born June 19, 1937, in Burlington, Iowa, he was the son of Donald and Elsie Turley.

He married Bonnie Fisher, they later divorced. He then married Linda Kemp on October 28, 1977.

Larry owned and operated Turley's Menswear in Westland Mall for several years. Before that he worked at Sears Roebuck downtown. After retirement, he began assisting at Lunning Chapel where he helped countless families. His lifelong career in customer service was apparent in everything he did, and he had a knack for making people laugh and smile. He truly, honestly, did not know a stranger.

He was a member of Community of Christ where he served as an Elder and previously as a Pastor for many years.

Larry was no stranger to volunteering, he donated his time and talents by serving on many area boards including the Chamber of Commerce, Civic Music, United Way, West Burlington Bank, Aspen Grove Cemetery, and served as past president for Burlington Golf Club, Blackhawk Booster Club, Burlington Kiwanis and Burlington Steamboat Days.

Larry LOVED golf, playing golf, watching golf, participating in golf tournaments, did we mention he loved golf? Second to golfing, and only slightly, would be his love for SCC Blackhawk Basketball, where he was a fixture at all the home games, and even traveling to away games. In Larry's words, "If you can't find me at Lunning's, playing golf, at the Burlington Golf Club or at an SCC Basketball game, I left town."

He is survived by his wife and constant companion, Linda Turley of Burlington; four children, Don (Anne) Turley of Birmingham, Alabama, Brad (Pam) Turley of Nashville, Tennessee, Diane (Robert) Bolen of Quincy, Illinois and Teresa Stutsman of Long Beach, California; 11 grandchildren, Toby, Travis, Nick, Nathan, Lee, Amanda, Laura, Tara, Cassie, Joey and Matt; several great grandchildren; two sisters, Becky (Ken) Witte of Fayetteville, Arkansas and Donna (Bob) Dahl of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma; special nephew Zachery Walker; nieces and nephews and brother-in-law Dean (Maurene) Kemp.

He was preceded in death by his parents, niece Debbie Prox and brothers-in-law Butch Prox and Alan Kemp.

In lieu of flowers, memorials have been established for Community of Christ, Burlington Kiwanis or the Southeast Iowa Regional Hospice House.

AROUND THE MISSION CENTER—CEDAR RAPIDS HOSTS A CRAFT AND VENDOR SHOW



CEDAR RAPIDS hosted a Craft and Vendor show on September 27. There were 17 crafters and vendors, including 2 food trucks: Dave's Mini Donuts and Lemonade and Natta's Thai Food.

MISSION CENTER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

IOWA CITY

16 Beverly Tyree
26 Ivan Albright
27 Bruce Pfohl
31 Kelsey Paul Shantz



CEDAR RAPIDS BIRTHDAYS

1 Owen Williams
1 Brenda Webber
4 Danielle Patterson
10 Carson Taylor
11 Hadyn Shoots
12 Mikah Nguyen
12 Cole Treveno
14 Urfyah Bell
16 Mike MacCormick
21 Cathy Loy
21 Nick Nguyen
21 Justin Rapier
24 Kim Longsdorf
29 Cathy Nguyen
29 Melissa Williams

MUSCATINE BIRTHDAYS

1 Nicole Weikert
2 Dave Kemp
10 Chris Albright
14 Shawn Blanchard

MUSCATINE ANNIVERSARIES

6 Deb & Mel Wykert
13 Kayla & Logan Ralston
13 Nathan & Jennifer Simmering

MOLINE BIRTHDAYS

2 Gavin Goff
6 Deb Luce
6 Leslie Mondragon
23 Heather Beck
23 Dale Allensworth
24 Bill McQuitty
25 Pat Reaves
27 Samantha Edwards
28 Madoxx Deitz

MOLINE ANNIVERSARIES

23 Dave & Shirley Gerstel

CARTHAGE BIRTHDAYS

25 Randallynn Smith

BURLINGTON BIRTHDAYS

6 Tom Terrell
7 Cathy Sabins
8 Josh Sabins
13 Aidan Sage
19 Jerry Wiemann

The logo for "Stay Connected" features the words in a white, 3D-style font. The letters are set against a background of overlapping, semi-transparent colored squares in shades of blue, green, yellow, and red. The entire logo is centered within a white rectangular area.

Stay Connected

STAYING CONNECTED TO STAY INSPIRED

In a world that races on, taking a moment to stay connected is very powerful. We are challenged to be kind, loving, invitational and sharing our lives. We show who we are and inspire others to share in God's world. With Hope we stay faithful and share our love of God.

We start our lives at different places.

By sharing our experiences, we enrich others.

Thank you for your input to Shout the News!

Please feel free to share the Monthly News Letter with your friends, family, neighbors and guests.