

- A disabled single man from Iraq, and
- An Iraqi couple with no children.

Individuals, families and small groups are urged to step up and engage with these strangers whom God has brought to us! Almaz can connect you with a person/family of your choice and facilitate conversations as well as provide any other help that you might be needing. Please contact Almaz Gemechu (291-5282 or almaz@cspc.net) or Alison Fleetwood (291-6261 or alisonfleetwood@cspc.net).

Session 3 of the “Rescuing Charity” series will be Tuesday, June 3 from noon to 2:00 p.m. at Cokesbury United Methodist (north campus). This session is “The Price of ‘Bad Charity’ (and the Benefit of a Holistic Approach).” What’s the harm in charity if the intent is good? Haitians Guyto Desrosiers, Alina Cajust, Manasse Rosemond and Roberts LeBlanc will share their experiences on the receiving end of “bad charity.” Join them and their Beyond Borders colleagues Meagan Silencieux and Coleen Hedglin for a powerful and interactive discussion. Registration is needed at rescuingcharity.com

Monthly Financial Report - APRIL 2014

	Year to Date Comparison thru April			Year to Date		
	Actual 2014	Actual 2013	Difference	Actual	Budget	Difference
Donations:						
General Tithes (includes Home Missions)	\$2,046,528	\$2,066,741	-\$20,213	\$2,046,528	\$2,380,810	-\$334,282
World Missions	\$500,205	\$479,442	\$20,763	\$500,205	\$564,000	-\$63,795
<i>Subtotal</i>	<i>\$2,546,733</i>	<i>\$2,546,183</i>	<i>\$550</i>			
Designated (excludes Capital Campaign)	\$125,668	\$228,491	-\$102,823	\$125,668	0	\$125,668
Total Donations	\$2,672,401	\$2,774,674	-\$102,273	\$2,672,401	\$2,944,810	-\$272,409
OTHER INCOME: Fees & other income	\$781,647	\$747,980	\$33,667	\$781,647	\$840,709	-\$59,062
TOTAL INCOME	\$3,454,048	\$3,522,654	-\$68,606	\$3,454,048	\$3,785,519	-\$331,471
SPENDING:						
General & Home Missions (excludes debt service payments)	\$3,118,937	\$3,111,957	\$6,980	\$3,118,937	\$3,606,631	-\$487,694
World Missions (excludes short-term trips)	\$701,455	\$751,727	-\$50,272	\$701,455	\$621,061	\$80,394
<i>Subtotal</i>	<i>\$3,820,392</i>	<i>\$3,863,684</i>	<i>-\$43,292</i>			
Designated Gifts (excludes Capital Campaign)	\$118,040	\$327,445	-\$209,405	\$118,040	0	\$118,040
Spending from Donations & Fees	\$3,938,432	\$4,191,129	-\$252,697	\$3,938,432	\$4,227,692	-\$289,260
OTHER SPENDING:	\$10,406	\$17,208	-\$6,802	\$10,406	0	\$10,406
Total Spending	\$3,948,838	\$4,208,337	-\$259,499	\$3,948,838	\$4,227,692	-\$278,854
Net Cash Flow	-\$494,790	-\$685,683	\$190,893	-\$494,790	-\$442,173	-\$52,617
<i>Income exceeds (falls short of) expenses by:</i>	-\$301,168 General & Home Missions / -\$201,250 World Missions / -\$7,628 Other Changes					
	Current	Beginning of Yr	Difference			
Cash Balances	\$1,200,915	\$1,626,220	-\$425,305			
Loan Balances (line of credit)	0	0	0			
Net Cash Balances*	\$1,200,915	\$1,626,220	-\$425,305			
*Includes Reserves set aside	\$1,262,000	\$1,262,000	0			
Working Capital	-\$61,085	\$364,220	-\$425,305			
				Capital Campaign from beginning:		
				Donations (Note 1)	\$4,299,204	
				Spending (Note 3)	\$6,267,167	
				Amount Needed	-\$1,967,963	
				Construction Loan	\$2,156,183	
				1. Includes Non-Pledged Donations	\$889,193	
				3. Includes Interest & Other Non-Construction	\$336,315	
				Total Pledges	\$4,555,647	
				Unpaid Pledges	\$1,070,400	

Submit announcements to beckybrinkman@cspc.net or to 257-9549 by noon on **June 24**.
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CEDAR SPRINGS NEWS & EVENTS

WORSHIP & MUSIC

Sunday Morning Worship: 9 & 10:45, Sanctuary.

The Summer Choir will be singing on June 1, 15, 22 and 29 (not on June 8). Anyone high school age or older is welcome to sing on each of these Sundays. All that is required is that you come to the Rehearsal Hall at 8:00 a.m. on Sundays.

The Cedar Springs Music Academy is enrolling new students for the fall. Please visit www.cedarspringsmusicacademy.com for more information.

The CSPC Worship Orchestra is looking for instrumentalists. If you play an instrument, contact us today at 309-5286 or email bradmclwain@cspc.net.

Rejoice! Choir will return from their mission tour to Boston on June 8 and will present their Homecoming Concert at 4:00 that afternoon in Watershed.

Prayer Walk for EPC General Assembly - One way you can support the upcoming General Assembly is by praying. A Prayer Walk Guide has been created to help us pray effectively for our church and all of the General Assembly activities. The guide will lead you around the Cedar Springs campus and provide you with specific prayer topics at various locations. You can conduct the Prayer Walk according to your own schedule or meet with others at the Chapel entrance at 8 a.m. on Saturday mornings. This can be great activity to do with your family, Bible study or Sunday School class. You can get copies of the Guide at the Information Centers in the lobbies and at www.cspc.net/prayer.

Want to try something new this summer? The Sunday morning tech crew is looking for people to fill a number of open positions on our team. From running a camera to mixing audio to controlling the graphics in our video we need people who can serve one Sunday a month to help us out this summer. Contact Stephen Ballast at stephenballast@cspc.net for more information.

Kindermusik @ CSPC - CSPC's Music Academy is now offering Kindermusik classes for babies and children birth through age seven! Music Academy instructor Kaitlyn Ferry will be leading *Cuddle and Bounce* (birth through walkers) and *Wiggle and Grow Family Style* (families with toddlers and kids up to 7 years) on Wednesday and Thursday mornings in June and July. To find out more, go to cspc.net/ministries/worship/academy/kindermusik or contact Kaitlyn (kaitlynferry@cspc.net) or the Music Academy office (291-5222).

Prayer Ministry - If you are wanting to get involved in one of the different groups praying for Cedar Springs, go to www.cspc.net/prayer to learn more.

COMMUNITY NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

We express our Christian love and sympathy to:

Nancy and Wilson Ritchie, Fran Wood, and Teresa and Andy Shafer in the death of Nancy and Fran's sister and Teresa's aunt, Theresa Patrick, on May 18.

Loretta Birdwell, Eddie and Carol Bales along with their daughter Sarah, and Kristen and Nick Kakanis in the death of Loretta's husband, Carol's father and Sarah and Kristin's grandfather, Frank Birdwell, on May 13.

Gerilyn and Chris Landry, along with their children Johnny, Kate, and Caroline, in the death of Gerilyn's father and Johnny, Kate, and Caroline's grandfather, Jerry Armagost, on May 7.

Mary Sue and John Temple, Sr. in the death of their brother-in-law, Donald Reid Creasman, on May 3. Don was a loving uncle to John Temple Jr. as well as Susan Forsberg and husband, David.

Sarah Patrick in the death of her husband, George R. Patrick, on May 1.

We rejoice with:

Jake and Angela Felde in the birth of their son, Samuel Jacob Felde, on May 26.

Dan and Darcie Cotten in the birth of their son, Daniel Banks Cotten, on April 22.

Congratulations to:

Andrew & Agnes (Deneuveille) Chironna who were married on May 16.

Wednesday Fellowship Dinners will return in the Fall.

EPC General Assembly, June 17-21 - We need you! See volunteer information at cspc.net/resources/ga/volunteers or sign up in the Reception Hall on Sunday mornings.

One way you can help with the General Assembly in June is by baking cookies! We need folks to drop off 2 dozen homemade cookies on Wed.-Fri. mornings (June 18, 19 & 20) by 9:00 a.m. to D203-204. Just contact Dani Moses (693-9331) and tell her which day you can bring them. If you would still like to find a volunteer position for the GA please check online to see how you can help or stop by the Reception Hall on Sunday mornings.

Calling all Young Adults (20 and 30-somethings)! Join us for PubTalks – a three-part summer series slated monthly on relaxing Friday nights this June, July and August. The events will cover aspects where faith and culture intersect in the public square. Part 1, led by John Wood, is Friday, June 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the Watershed! Visit cspc.net/youngadults for more information.

We welcome these new members: Steve & Meg Buckner, Pat & Teresa Burns, Patton Burns, Robert Burns, Pat & Polly Foster, Enrique & Elsa Gonzalez, Ron & Brenda Hopper, Bob & Ellie Kassem, Jan Kraslawsky, Collin Lewis, Tania Matthews, Gary Pease, Cain & Jenny Reed, Nate & Becca Reid, David & Laura Rudder, John & Ashly Sims, Jason & Kelly Smith, Havilah Smith, Phin Smith and Mary Trivett.

Job Club will meet June 11 and 25 at 6:30 p.m. in B203.

Knoxworx “Set for Success” training is scheduled for June 4 and 5 from 10:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Location TBA. Call Betsy Palk (291-5268) for information. Workbook cost: \$58.

The Hospitality Team needs lots of new volunteers to help in the parking lots for the second service. Contact Dani (693-9331).

Attention farmers, gardeners, and veggie-lovers: When you have enough produce to share, please bring it to the “Farmer’s Market” table outdoors near the Fellowship Hall on Sundays, beginning June 1. The whole congregation is invited to pick up fresh veggies and produce from the table all summer long. Contact: Grant and Suzanne Stelling (257-1094).

A men’s weekly Bible study meets in the Parlor on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. Contacts: Tom Reesor (679-6367) and Dennis Overton (692-9209)

CHILDREN’S MINISTRIES 692-5501

T.E.A.M. Kids! will not meet on June 22. Children (K - 5th) meet in the Gym at 9:00 & 10:45 and worship in prayers, songs, skits, talks, object lessons, scripture memory, audiovisual presentations and games. Children have breakout sessions with leaders for a time of discipleship.

VBS 2014 - “GO BIG” - June 2-6. Pray during this week for all the sites hosting groups for Outreach VBS and for the volunteers and children that will attend.

Weekday School Registration Going on Now! We have classes for children ranging from infants to 7th Grade. We offer part time and full time options, afterschool and summer camp, a wonderful co-op program as well as certified K-1st grade and a developmental classroom for mild autism and Down Syndrome. We would love to have you come by for a tour anytime. We are located in the Education Building and are open from 7:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday-Friday. Call 291-5252 for current openings and more info or visit us at www.cspc.net/weekdayschool.

SPORTS & FAMILY OUTREACH 291-5265

Registration for sports’ summer camps is available at: www.cspc.net/ministries/sports

Charlotte Eagles Soccer Camp, 4.5-14 yrs old, June 9-13; advanced camp for 15-17 yrs old, June 12-14.

Basketball Camp, rising 7th-9th grade boys, June 2-6; rising 3rd-6th grade, June 23-27.

Cheer & Dance Camp, rising K-5th grade, July 14-18; 4-yr-olds, July 15 & 17.

THE WATERSHED (Student Ministries) 291-5270

Medical Release Form - In order for your student to participate in activities off of our church campus, you will need to fill out a Medical Release form online OR download a paper form and submit to the Student Ministry office. For any questions, contact Lynn (lynnbuchanan@cspc.net or 291-5270).

BarreBalance, an exercise class combining yoga, Pilates, and ballet technique to strengthen the core, is offered for FREE, ages 16 and older, Thursday evenings, 6:00-7:00 in the Watershed. Wear comfortable, yoga-type clothing and bring a mat, 2-3 lb. weights, water, and a friend! Questions? Call or email Lori Lesslie: (lorilesslie@cspc.net or 309.5715)

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sunday School for Middle School is from 9 - 10:15 a.m.

Summer Quake Outs - Small group leaders will be planning a Quake Out about once a month for their students. The dates of these outings will be decided by each individual small group.

Pancake Palooza, June 25 - Come over to the Watershed from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. to eat some yummy pancakes and play some games!

Kickball Game up on the ball field on June 11, 6:30-8 p.m., with all middle school students to kick off the summer season. Parents are also welcome to play! Students will get a waiver for one snack at the concession stand. Card and board games will be in the Watershed, too!

In-Between Meet & Greet for rising 6th graders and their parents, June 1, 10:20 a.m. in the office area of the Watershed.

Basic Blowout registration has begun! This service project week is July 19-24. Cost is \$220. Go to our website for more information and to register.

Summer Camp registration has begun! Camp is August 3-6 at Windy Gap Young Life. Cost is \$225. Please go to our website for more information and to register.

Mark your calendars: Fall Camp: October 3-5.

HIGH SCHOOL

The Gathering for High School meets on Sunday mornings from 9 - 10:30 a.m.

1st Wednesday Prayer time. Everyone is welcome to join us in a time of prayer for our students. We will meet in the Watershed from 6 – 6:45 p.m. every 1st Wednesday of the month.

TNT is every Wednesday except the last Wednesday of the month from 6:30 – 8 p.m.

Volunteer Ministry, June 10. Meet in the Watershed at 4.

Cookie Thursday will return in the Fall!

Operation Backyard registration has begun! This service project week is June 22-27. Cost is \$215. Go to our website for more information and to register.

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COLLEGE AGE MINISTRIES 291-5270

Our college ministry consists of small groups and we are connected with several campus ministries for larger gatherings. Contact stevemoldrup@cspc.net or susangoddard@cspc.net. A lot of us sit on the left hand side of the sanctuary together at the 10:45 service and there are lots of lunch options afterwards. Come join us!

Backroom - College Ministry (along with other campus ministries and churches) will begin “Backroom,” our summer time gathering for worship and fellowship every Wednesday night through July 30 at the Young Life House on UT campus (911 Mountcastle) at 8:00.

Work Crew - College students are invited to participate in work crew for our middle/high school summer camp. We are going to YL’s Windy Gap. The dates are August 3-6. The cost for work crew is free! You may sign up online now at www.cspc.net/college

The Conversation - Join us for a College Age Sunday Morning Gathering! We meet on Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m. in the Conversation Room in the Watershed. Contact Steve Moldrup (309-5738) or Susan Goddard (291-5273).

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES 309-5358

The last Wednesday of each month we will go downtown from 5:00 until around 8:00 and feed great Black-eyed Joe’s (aka Joe Bryant) BBQ to the homeless with Lost Sheep Ministries. For info please call Steve Moldrup (309-5358).

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“Pursuit” is a Sunday morning 20’s class for singles and couples who want to share life together and have a place to learn - from God’s word and from each other. We meet at 9:00 in B237-239.

WOMEN’S MINISTRIES 291-5214

Check the website and rest rooms for more details. To register for Women’s Ministries classes, go to: www.cspc.net/ministries/womens. Look in left-hand column for both weekly and monthly meetings.

7M - Are you a working woman? Check <http://7-min.tumblr.com> for a 7-minute word of encouragement relevant to women in the workplace.

Church-Wide Women’s Summer Study - Women’s Ministries is offering a group-oriented Bible study on the life of Solomon (Suzanne Stelling is writing the study now). Mark your calendars for June 25, July 2, 9, 16, 23! NOTE: the dates changed slightly - now beginning the Wednesday after General Assembly. We will have a morning and evening class. Register online (www.cspc.net/ministries/womens/summer).

Encouragement - For some uplifting encouragement, check out Suzanne’s photography blog at visualprayer.tumblr.com.

Facebook – For daily encouragement, scripture, church news, and updates, please check our Facebook page (search for CSPC Women’s Ministries and “Like” us)!

Homeschool Support Group meets monthly during the school year. For information, check the website (www.cspc.net/ministries/womens/monthly/homeschool).

Just Moved is a Christ-centered study offered to those new to Knoxville. The class meets Mondays in the Parlor at 9:30 a.m. for study, fellowship, encouragement and friendship. Next class will begin September 22. For information, contact Bev Faught (671-2056). Limited nursery by reservation with Wendy (291-5237).

PEP Moms - This ministry was established to give mothers of young children (expectant mothers through early elementary) an opportunity to experience Christian support, fellowship and spiritual growth as it relates to the parenting of young children. Registration will be online for the 2014-2015 year soon. For the summer, PEP Moms study will be “The Emotionally Healthy Woman” beginning June 9. Register online for this study. Any questions, contact Lindsey Houbre (901-606-1954) or Robin Lefler (384-7398).

Precept classes, facilitated by Karen Kenamer, meet on Wednesday mornings at 10 a.m. in B203 and will be studying John Part 2 this fall. Watch this space as well as the website for more details as they are confirmed.

Thursday Fellowship meets at 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel during the school year. Our 2014-2015 year will begin on September 11. We will be studying the book of Job and also a study from the Psalms. The morning begins with praise and worship; then a lesson is taught by Penny Cole, former BSF lead teacher; after the lecture, women go to a small group discussion. Once a month there is an extended time for lunch with your small group. Our children’s leaders will be teaching a Bible story each week. You may register online or contact Karen Day (jerrykaren@bellsouth.net) or Lynn Lambert (lynn@lynnlambertconsulting.com).

Wednesday Night Women’s Bible Study meets Wednesdays in B224, 6-7:30 p.m. during the school year. Next Fall we will study both the major and minor prophets as it relates to their message, place in history, audience, and who they were as individuals.

Women on Mission’s purpose is that every woman would know Christ personally and be committed to extending His Kingdom in her life, home, church, community, and throughout the world. The goal is that this purpose will become a reality as women are

given opportunities to respond to the gospel, pray, study the Bible, fellowship, and serve the Lord together in a spirit of unity. The membership consists of any woman who desires to participate. WOM’s 2014-2015 year begins September 9. If you are interested in becoming part of this group, please contact Betsy Kite at bbkite1@gmail.com or 865-414-1363.

Women’s Sunday Study - We meet at 9:00 a.m. in B209. Welcome ladies! We are joyful women from all walks and states of life. Our class is small enough to become acquainted and grow in Christ’s love through friendship, scriptures, prayer, and partnership missions. We are examining “The Power of Kingdom Authority through Surrender.” In a world obsessed with power, the Bible reveals the awesome power of God that raised Jesus from the grave. Only as we understand and submit to kingdom authority will we be able to establish God’s rightful position and victory in our lives. For questions, contact Anita Yates (680-2531) or Dianne Webster (573-1098).

GLOBAL MISSION

Missions Prayer Meeting - Fridays, 9 a.m., Fireside Room. NAME and Refugee Ministry Teams joint prayer meeting is on the first Wednesday of the month

Refugee Ministry Summer ESL Camp, July 1-31 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 1-4 p.m. at Cansler YMCA. We are hoping to serve around 30 new middle and high school age students from various ethnic and religious backgrounds by engaging them in: English as a Second Language/ESL/, peer mentoring, and recreational activities. We’re currently in need of volunteer teachers, tutors, peer mentors, recreation leaders, and bus drivers. This is a wonderful mission opportunity for individuals and families to reach the nations without leaving Knoxville by meeting and prayerfully building life-giving relationships with these children and their families as the Lord continues to bring the nations to our doorstep! We’ll be providing orientation and answer any questions that you might have in order for you to become willing to step out of your comfort zone to serve cross-culturally right here in our city! To learn more or to sign up please contact Almaz Gemechu at 291-5282 (almaz@cspc.net) or Alison Fleetwood at 291-6261 (alisonfleetwood@cspc.net).

Habitat Build - Because the EPC General Assembly is being hosted by CSPC this year and because of heavy volunteer recruiting for this event, the annual Habitat Build dates will be different. Instead of building a house in a week as in the past, we are building a house in the Fall and the build will be stretched out over several Saturdays. Sign ups will start in July. Blitz Day will be August 16. Look for more information soon.

Global Mission Devotional & Prayer Guide - The June issue of this mission prayer resource is now available at cspc.net/devotional for download/viewing or to subscribe to receive by email daily. Hundreds of you have subscribed to have the devotionals delivered to your email Inbox every morning. What a great way to be reminded to pray and spend some time in God’s word. NEW** We now have a listing online of all the books referenced in the daily devotionals if you would like to read them on your own.

New refugee families have arrived in Knoxville and need your help! Here are some of the new refugee families that are in desperate needs for connections, friendship and help:

- An Iraqi single mom with 3 young children (elementary and preschoolers)
- An elderly couple from Cuba;
- A Burmese single man,