



September 21, 2011

Midway Messenger

Costly

One Life to Give

Somewhere Out There

Making a Difference

Is it Worth it?

This Guy

I don't know which of the above titles to use this week, maybe you'll have a better one after reading about this guy.

He is an American in his upper twenties. He went on a "mission trip" with one of the missionary families we support for a few weeks to a country where it is illegal to talk about Jesus. When he got home from the trip he decided to quit his job, sell his stuff, and move to that country to live, work, and, Lord willing, start a local church.

This guy is living in a city in that country now, praying and looking for opportunities to get to know people there and to talk to the right ones at the right time about Jesus. The right ones - so he won't be arrested. The right time - that the Lord has been preparing their hearts and minds for the Truth of the Good News.

We've been praying for these missionaries in their quest to see God raise up people who will go to that country. Now it looks like God is beginning to answer that prayer.

I think we should keep praying. Check out the missions board in the hallway if you want more details.

Your Pastor, Dean



Saturday, October 1st
9 am—1 pm
Everyone Invited!!
Indoors & Out
Rain or Shine

WHY MIDWAY COMMUNITY CHURCH EXISTS
To glorify God by helping people follow Jesus!

SEPTEMBER 25 VOLUNTEERS

| SERVERS | |
|--------------------|---|
| Bed Babies | Margie Weaver, Marty Mitchell, NEEDED |
| Toddlers | Jackie Susong, Emma & Maggie Boggs |
| 2 Year Olds | 11:00 AM PRESCHOOL WORKERS NEEDED |
| 3 Year Olds | Debby Murphree & Amy Cozad |
| 4 Year Olds | Lori Allen, NEEDED |
| Floater | Additional PRESCHOOL WORKERS NEEDED |
| Deacon/Elder | Dan Smith, Bob Alderson, Todd Jackson, John Cozad |
| Greeters & Parking | Larry Covington, Ken Hayes, Dave Scheib, Jim & Jackie Smith, Angela Watkins |
| Property: | Howard Hobby, Mark Majors |

YTD FINANCIAL REPORT

2011 Operating Budget – Giving Commitment - \$800,000

| | YTD | 9/18/2011 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| 2011 Operating Budget | \$553,848 | \$15,385 |
| Tithes Received | \$480,261 | \$13,008 |
| Shortfall: Make Up Before Year End | \$73,587 | \$2,377 |

Building Fund To Pay Off Mortgage Debt

Goal: Pay Off Mortgage of \$450,000 by August 2012

| | YTD | 9/18/2011 |
|----------------------|----------|-----------|
| Building Fund Giving | | |
| Offering Received | \$16,185 | \$1,370 |



Sunday Night Adult Study

Starts September 25

6:00 PM

Conference Room

Taught By: Dr. Richard Howe

Richard is Professor of Apologetics at Southern Evangelical Seminary

More Fun in Apologetics - answering the most common questions and objections to faith in Christ

WWW.MIDWAYCC.ORG



Thanks to ALL the Volunteers who helped represent Midway Community Church at the 2011 Forsyth Family Fest. It was a beautiful day at the fairgrounds and we enjoyed seeing you all there!

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GIVE Online

Then Click On "Ways You Can Give" For More Info

SOFTBALL SCRIMMAGE GAME

Date: Saturday, September 24th

Start Time: 5:30pm

Location: Field behind the church

For more information, contact:

Dave Pace at dtonyp@comcast.net



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LADIES OF MIDWAY HEART & HOME EVENT

Friday, November 11th

Sign Up For
Individuals (or Team)
to Decorate A Table
Have Begun
Sign Up This Sunday
At The Welcome Desk!

Info: Marty Mitchell
770-667-6525



Be Creative: Birthday Themes, Bridal Shower, Baby Shower, Valentine, Wedding, Fall, Winter, St. Patrick's, Easter, Patriotic, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Garden Party, Western, etc.
Refer to Our Website To See Samples of Past Tables

Information and Ticket Sales for This Event Are Coming In October.
Start Lining Up Your Girlfriends To Come With You!



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2nd IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SERVICE

For anyone that has recently joined Midway or anyone interested in receiving more information about Midway Community Church, you are invited to attend.

For More Information or Sign-Up

Call: 770-754-1555 Email: midway@midwaycc.org



**JOIN US FOR A FALL BBQ LUNCHEON
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SERVICE
EVERYONE INVITED!**

If you would be interested in attending a "Financial Peace University" class on Sunday evenings. Please let us know.
Sign interest sheet in Welcome Area or email us at midway@midwaycc.org
For additional information about this class, go to: www.daveramsey.com



LADIES FALL LUNCHEON

Guest Speaker: Linda Rogers

Thursday, October 6th

11:30 am—1 pm

Invite Your Friends and

Bring a Dish to Share

Sign Up In Welcome Area

Childcare Available with Reservations

Info: Jan Bauer 770-664-0031



**MISSION OPPORTUNITY
VOLUNTEER HELP NEEDED
AT CLARKSTON
INTERNATIONAL CHURCH**

Saturday, October 15

7 AM—1 PM

Sign Ups Available in Foyer

Info: marc@midwaycc.org