



HEADWATERS CHURCH

Newsletter

OCTOBER 9, 2026



church center

PHOTOS IN OCTOBER

Stop by the Photo Station in the church foyer on Sundays beginning THIS Sunday (Oct 11-Oct 25) to update your Church Center profile and household photos! Please make sure you have a Church Center account already set up before coming to the station.

You can also update your photos directly in the Church Center app using a photo you like. If you prefer, we're happy to take one at the Photo Station—but you can always change it yourself later (See instructions below for how to update photos yourself). No need to stop by if you've already updated your photos!

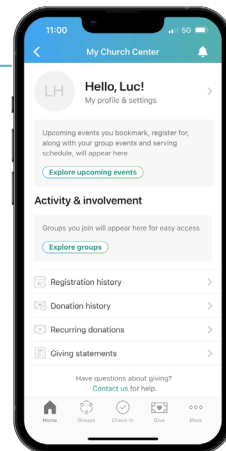
Updated photos help our staff connect names and faces and help us work toward creating a church directory that strengthens our community.

Photo Station Times: 8:30–9:00 AM 10:15–10:45 AM 12:00–12:30 PM

HOW TO

Create a Church Center Account

Church Center is an easy way to stay connected with Headwaters! Download the Church Center app from the App Store or Google Play, then search for Headwaters Church in Fort Wayne, Indiana. Select "Log in" to sign in or create an account using your phone number or email, then enter the verification code you receive. Once you're signed in, review your profile information and add a photo. You're all set! Use Church Center to register for events, join groups, manage giving, update your profile, and stay connected with Headwaters. Need help? Contact the church office—we're happy to help!



HOW TO

Update household photos in the directory:

To update your household photo, open Directory and select your household. Tap Edit, then tap the household photo to upload or take a new one and save your changes. **You must be a church member to access the directory.** If you have not received an invitation as a member, please reach out to the church office for assistance.

HOW TO

Update profile photos:

Open the Church Center app and tap your profile icon in the top-right corner. Select your name, then tap Edit Profile. Tap your current profile photo, choose or take a new photo, adjust it as needed, and save your changes.

TRUNK OR TREAT

OCT 31
2-4 PM

PRE-K & ELEMENTARY



Headwaters' biggest Children's Ministry outreach—Trunk or Treat—is happening this October! Mark your calendars and join us as we welcome our community with candy, decorated trunks, and plenty of fun.

You can get involved now by dropping off candy at the Welcome Center during service times or at the Church Office Monday–Friday, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. You can also volunteer on event day by clicking the **REGISTER** button.!

GET INVOLVED:

1. DONATE CANDY

2. VOLUNTEER

REGISTER



GENERAL EVENTS



MEN'S CHILI COOKOUT

REGISTER

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 OCT 10  4:30 PM  CHAPEL

Join us for a great night of food, fellowship, and fun at our Men's Chili Cookout! This is a chance to connect with other men at Headwaters, eat great food, worship together in song, and be encouraged by God's Word. Our desire is to see men grow in friendship, accountability, and faith—strengthening one another as we follow Christ. Whether you're new to Headwaters or have been around for years, this is a great opportunity to jump in and get connected.



TUESDAY MAHJONG

 BEGINS TUES, OCT 13  12-3 PM  BLDG 2 MEETING RM A

Looking for a fun way to connect with others? Join us for Mahjong every Tuesday from 12–3 p.m., beginning October 13, in Building 2 Meeting Room A!

Mahjong is a classic tile-based game that combines strategy, skill, and a little bit of luck. Whether you're already familiar with the game or have never played before, you're welcome to come learn, play, and enjoy some time together.

For questions or more information, contact Tina Muzzillo at 260-414-2291.



BLOOMINGDALE FALL FEST

REGISTER

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 OCT 22  5-7 PM

This is a fantastic way to show love to our community and get to know families at Bloomingdale Elementary. We will host fun carnival games, warmly welcome families, and assist in setting up and tearing down games. We can't wait to connect with our community and serve together!

GENERAL EVENTS

IMMANUEL'S CHILD

 CONTINUES THROUGH OCT. 25TH

SGA's Immanuel's Child outreach shares Christ's love with children across Russia and neighboring countries. Due to the war, the need has grown—over 60,000 children are expected this year, including refugees in Poland. Stars are due by Nov 1.

How to Participate:

- Pick up a star from the Christmas tree in the Foyer
- Fill it out & return the Russian half with \$25/each
- Each gift provides:
 - Christian children's literature
 - A special gift from local church workers
 - A "God Loves You" ornament in the child's language
 - Connection with local believers

DEACON CONFIRMATIONS

 OCT 18 & 25

Members, please review for confirmation our candidates by completing a ballot. These will be available on Sunday, October 18 and 25 in the ABF rooms, at the Welcome Desk, online, or in the 3rd Floor Resource Room.

Deacon candidates: Dane Anderson, Justin Brown, Dennis Delanoy, Nick Gilpin, Mark Filpus, Tom Martin, Nathan Miller, and James Mitchell

JUBILEE LADIES

 OCT 22  12 PM  CHAPEL

Jubilee Ladies will meet Thursday, October 22, for a pasta lunch and a surprise activity afterward! Jubilee Ladies is for widows, single, and divorced women age 55 and over. Each month, we gather for a meal, hear someone's story, and enjoy a fun activity or project together. Come join us for a fun afternoon of food, fellowship, and a little surprise!



DEACON
Confirmations



Jubilee Ladies

GENERAL EVENTS

BAPTISMS

 NOV 8

Baptism is a public testimony of personal faith in Jesus Christ.

In getting baptized, a person is declaring, "I am fully depending on Christ alone for my salvation. I am a believer! I am a Christian!"

If you have trusted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, we encourage you to be baptized in obedience to Him.

Please register if you would like to be baptized. We would love to talk to you.



REGISTER

CHILD DEDICATIONS

 NOV 22  9 AM-12 PM

At Headwaters Church, we believe children are a gift from God, and we're honored you want to dedicate your child to the Lord. Dedication is available at any age, with services held each summer and fall. We care deeply about your family's spiritual growth and are excited to support you in this important step. We require parents to attend a class before dedicating their children. **Reserve Sunday, November 8 at 10:45am to attend that class in Room 305. Application deadline is November 4 and the dedication service is Sunday, November 22.**



REGISTER

CRCS SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

Classical Roots Christian School is in need of some additional substitute teachers for the 2026/27 school year. Substitutes receive training and are paid for their service to the school. If you would like to find out more about subbing at CRCS please email Linda Pearson at lpearson@classicalrootschristianschool.org.



GENERAL EVENTS



CHRISTMAS MUSICFEST

We're inviting our community to worship with us in song at Christmas MusicFest on December 12. The choir is open to anyone age 16 and older, with only two rehearsals to attend.

Practices:

Sunday, November 8 | Music Team: 12-3pm & Choir: 3-5pm

Sunday, December 6 | Music Team: 12-3pm & Choir: 3-5pm

Performance:

Saturday, December 12 at 6:30 pm



SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

 NOV 3  6:30-8 PM

Wondering how you will survive the weeks surrounding Thanksgiving and Christmas? Are you dreading these holidays, knowing that everything has changed and that happy memories from past years can't be recreated?

Our Surviving the Holidays seminar is especially for people who are grieving a loved one's death. You'll learn how to navigate difficult emotions, traditions and changes, social events, and find hope for the future.



WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS CRAFTING

 DEC 5  1-4PM  CHAPEL

INSTRUCTORS NEEDED: Ladies, do you love crafting? Send Christine an idea of what you would like to lead and start the conversation! Projects need to take at least 45 minutes but no more than 2 1/2 hours. You will present to a group of around 7-20 women - you determine the number you are comfortable teaching.

Let Christine know by Friday, November 6th. She will need your craft name, supplies needed, and a picture of the finished craft for registration. Email coverholt@headwaterschurch.org.

ADDITIONAL INFO

MEMBERSHIP CANDIDATES



Tommy & Tricia Moore



Mike & Jamie Cashen

OCT 11

ONLY A HOLY GOD
CITYALIGHT

I AM NOT MY OWN
KEITH & KRISTYN GETTY

SOVEREIGN OVER US
THE WORSHIP INITIATIVE

GOOD & GRACIOUS KING
CITYALIGHT

SUNDAY SETLIST

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

CANNED TUNA
CANNED BEEF
RICE
CANNED PEACHES
CANNED PEARS
SHAMPOO
CONDITIONER
TOILET PAPER
LAUNDRY DETERGENT
ALL PURPOSE CLEANER

*Drop off at the Welcome
Center or Church Office.*



NEW EPISODE OUT NOW:

**EP. 137
ON IDOLS
OF THE
HEART**

GIVING

General Giving Totals

Last Week	\$97,551
Weekly Budget	\$56,500
YTD Giving	\$2,226,897
YTD Budget	\$2,260,000
Attendance	1349

Amplify Giving*

Last Week	\$6,949
Weekly Goal	\$9,615
YTD Giving	\$198,684
YTD Goal	\$384,600

* The Amplify fund is a fund for
facility improvements to fully
maximize the use of the campus
as well as debt reduction.

Playground Giving

YTD: \$144,058