



Headwaters Newsletter

His Church is not a building or a physical location. It is a living, breathing, holy temple built with living stones.

"Fear Not" Christmas Eve Service

5:00 & 6:30pm
Worship Center

*...for behold,
I bring you good
news of great joy
that will be for
all the people.*



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Headwaters Family

Christmas Eve Service

Make this service part of your Christmas celebration! It will be an evening of beautiful music and a message of hope and great joy—much needed in a time when we are tempted to fear.



Let the truth of the Incarnation bring your heart back to the true reason we celebrate.

LIVESTREAM

There will be two services. 5:00 and 6:30 pm. The 5:00 service will be LIVESTREAMED on our YouTube channel.

CHILDCARE

Childcare is available for birth through age 2. ■





Marriage Retreat

Brown County  Feb 11-13, 2022

Give your marriage the gift of a weekend where you slow your pace and focus on each other! The weekend is designed to help you reconnect through focused teaching and plenty of free time.

[REGISTER](#)

Speakers: Russell Moir and John Suci

Theme: "Compete or Complete"

Location: Seasons Lodge in Brown County, Indiana (approx. 3hrs. away). There is no group transportation. Feel free to carpool if you like, but that 3 hour car ride is valuable time with your spouse!

Dates: Friday, February 11, 7p – Sunday, February 13, noon

Weekend format: Includes four teaching sessions, follow up projects to work through with your spouse, and plenty of free time. There will also be opportunity to connect with other couples through large group activities. It is Super Bowl weekend so expect football themes and competitions!

Cost: \$275 per couple. Includes: 2 nights lodging, snacks Friday evening, dinner Saturday evening, and breakfast Sunday morning. Local restaurant options will be provided for breakfast and lunch Saturday. Feel free to sleep in, hit the outlets (30 minutes away), visit the Brown County State Park or enjoy exploring downtown.

Your spot is reserved with a 50% deposit. Register via planning center or contact Christine at coverholt@headwaterschurch.org.

USED CAR NEEDED!!!



We have a single mom in our church family who is in need of a used vehicle by January 6th. If you have a used vehicle you'd like to donate or sell, please let the church office know, (or if you know of a used vehicle). If you would like to donate funds towards what the deacons are doing to help this family, please indicate it is for this specific need in the memo line. **Questions:** call Church Office at 260.489.4942

Headwaters Youth *Galentine's Day* for Jr & Sr High Girls

Dinner and Q&A with Steve & Barb Dusseau

Sat, Feb 5 | 5:30-8p

Register online by Jan 30

Headwaters Youth *Galentine's Dads*

Dads we need you!

Serve dinner to
your daughters!



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"Serving as a Respite Host Family for New Mercies means we take short term placements or offer a break for host families with a current hosting. The shorter time frames work better for our family schedule with three kids in activities and a husband who sometimes travels for work. We serve in other ministries at church but it's often the adults heading in one direction and our kids heading in another. Being involved in New Mercies provides an opportunity for our family to serve together. It has been a joy to talk as a family about how we can be generous and servant hearted and then have opportunities to put it into practice."

- Sean & Molly Miller

Childcare Volunteer

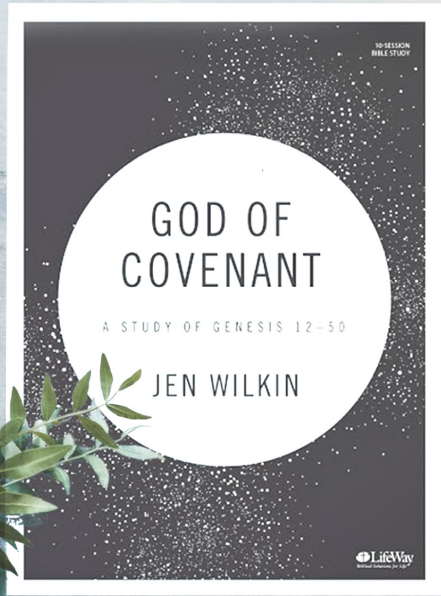
The Respite Host Family is screened, approved, and trained as a Host Family, but provides respite overnight care for a long-term hosting for a Host Family. This respite typically looks like one or two overnights per hosting.



**NEW MERCIES
MINISTRIES**

Volunteer Highlight

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women



*Tuesday
Morning
Bible Study*

God of Covenant – A Study of Genesis 12-50

by Jen Wilkin

Discover how the God of creation and covenant is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

Starting in chapter 12, Jen Wilkin walks through the stories of the fathers of our faith – Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph. We discover how God is working everything together for His glory and for the good of His people. Through these chapters in Genesis, we witness image bearers who sin and wrestle to maintain trust in the only One who will fulfill every promise, the One for whom nothing is too hard.

10 weeks, beginning, Jan 18th

9:30 – 11:00 am

Book Cost: \$12

REGISTER

CHILDCARE

Childcare is available for children preschool and younger with a suggested donation of \$10 per child/maximum of \$20 per family for the semester. (Pre-registration is required to insure we have enough volunteers to accommodate the number of children—space is limited.)





STEPS

DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

Beginning JAN 12

Wednesdays | 6:30-8:00pm

REGISTER ONLINE TODAY!

Answering Common Objections to Christianity

John Herber / Free (Book Donations Accepted)

This class will primarily utilize Michael Kruger's book, *Surviving Religion 101: Letters to a Christian College Student on Keeping the Faith in College*. The book is intended to, "adequately prepare [Christians] to think deeply about faith." Come prepared to discuss and enrich your walk with Christ.

Theology of Discipleship and Counseling

Scott Meinema / Free

This counseling and discipleship class is designed for those who desire to increase their understanding of biblical counseling and theology by reading/discussing together from selected books. Enjoy the benefit of reading assignments and companion notes for books from leading authors in the biblical counseling movement.

Overcoming Fear, Worry, and Anxiety (WOMEN ONLY)

Christine Overholt / Free
(Book Donations Accepted)

A women's book study that utilizes Elyse Fitzpatrick's book *Overcoming Fear, Worry, and Anxiety*. If you're tired of struggling with fear, worry, and anxiety you are not alone. They are surprisingly common

emotions that people, even Christians, struggle with daily. Come and consider the biblical answers to these common human problems.

Prayer Meeting

Luke Suci

Come gather with other believers to intercede on behalf of our church's ministry. A directed prayer meeting (NOT a time of requests or praying for ailments) with a topic each week to guide corporate prayer for the ministry and the glory of God.

This Old Church

Jack Kuhn

Our building has an ongoing list of needs and Headwaters' church family has shown a desire to serve in that capacity. If you're interested you can come every Wednesday night ready to help with projects around the Church building. Feel free to use this as a chance to invite neighbors and build relationships.

Community Chess Hour

An outreach class for chess players of any skill level. For the congregation this is an opportunity for community outreach. Come with a heart prepared to meet people and share the love of Christ. You can come and learn the rules for the first time or come to play competitively; either way, come with the Kingdom of God as your ultimate goal.

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JOIN US SUNDAYS:

9:00 am | birth - 2nd grade

10:45 am | birth - 5th grade



KIDS 'N PRAISE!

HEADWATERS CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Age K-5th grade

Wednesdays | 5:15-6:15pm | Chapel

STARTING JAN 12

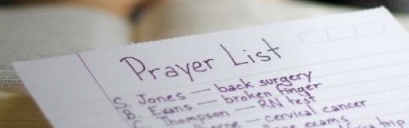


3RD-5TH GRADE Winter Palooza ON-SITE RETREAT

Sat, Feb 26 Save the Date

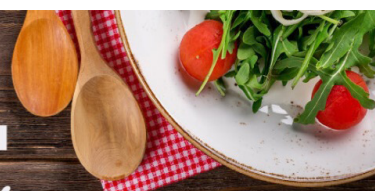
Fun Games. Good Food. Gospel-Centered Lessons.

Headwaters Weekly Prayer Email



If you would like to receive this email each Wednesday or have a prayer request to share... Please call the Church Office or email jfredrick@headwaterschurch.org

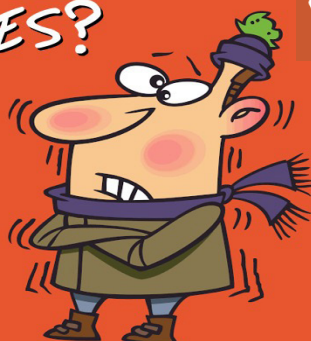
MEAL ministry



If you would like to serve Headwaters Families in difficult times by providing a meal... Please call the Church Office or email jfredrick@headwaterschurch.org

WEATHER-RELATED SERVICE CHANGES?

- Check our Website headwaterschurch.org
Check our Facebook
Check TV & Radio (WANE & WBCL)



WEATHER CANCELLATIONS?

- We will always cancel for a snow emergency
Sundays | We will make a decision by 6am
Wednesdays | We will make a decision by 4pm

As always, make the best decision for your particular situation



Missions Minute

A Hope Center | Fort Wayne & Columbia City

Our motto of “You matter. We care” is not just a phrase. We discover that when people are going through an issue in life, such as an unplanned pregnancy or post-abortion trauma, many layers of help are needed. And we know that Jesus is the answer to those needs. We ask Him to give us the wisdom to know what to say, provide us with the courage to understand what needs to be told, and provide us with the words to convey love.

Volunteer positions are as follows:

Earn While You Learn

Facilitator | EWYL Facilitators act solely as mentors/teachers to clients who have chosen to carry their pregnancy to term. They use a pre-established curriculum and other resources to help clients improve their lives and improve the lives of their families.

Advocate | Female advocates have opportunities to provide peer counseling to women seeking pregnancy and STD testing and other services. Male advocates provide peer counseling to the male partners of women seeking our services. Both have the privilege to act as a mentor and teacher to long-term clients who wish to grow in knowledge, maturity, and wisdom. Advocates receive extensive training to fulfill this role.

Nurse | A Hope Center is a limited medical facility. It is important to have nurses available on all shifts to provide nurse-administered pregnancy and STD testing. Nurses may also train as advocates to conduct all aspects of the pregnancy test visit with a client. ■



Sign up for the Headwaters **MISSIONS** e-Newsletter

- Stay up-to-date with our Missionaries' work on behalf of the gospel
- Get detailed prayer points for each Missionary and the people they serve

Email: Ros Miller:
millerdnr@gmail.com

Wednesday Nights at Headwaters

Call the Church Office TODAY
and we can get you signed up!
260-489-4942



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Resumes Jan 12

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YOUTH

No Youth group on Wednesdays

December 15th
December 22nd
December 29th
January 5th

We will meet on Sundays throughout that entire time period!



Wednesdays | 6:30-8:00pm

No STEPS Classes this week

New Semester & New Classes begin Jan 12
see page 11 for details



Wednesday Night Bible Study
For college-age young adults

Wednesdays 8:30p
Duseau's Home | 8622 Manor Dr.

Sunday Night Basketball



CANCELLED

Join us next Sunday
8:00-10:00pm

Bring a Friend.
Questions? contact **Jim Glover**
jglover@headwaterschurch.org



Pickleball

Monday Nights
5:30-8pm

- Track Open
- Bring water bottle
- Children must be supervised at all times



Membership



Candidates:
Jeff & Nikki Brewer

If you are interested in becoming a Member at Headwaters, contact the Church Office to join the next **I BELONG HERE** class.

MAY WE PRAY FOR YOU?



Communication Card Online

headwaterschurch.org
under RESOURCES

Birth Announcement

Congratulations Nathan & Jordan Dammeyer on the birth of their son **Reid Asher**. He was born Tuesday, December 21st at 10:09 pm. Reid weighs 8 lbs 6 oz and measured 21 inches long. Reid joins brothers, Aaron (4) & Micah (3).



NEW MERCIES MINISTRIES

NEEDS: 5-POINT HARNESS CAR SEATS (CAN BE USED, MUST NOT BE EXPIRED)

DROP OFF DONATIONS AT THE WELCOME CENTER OR CHURCH OFFICE, MARKED "NEW MERCIES MINISTRIES"



Open Sundays:
noon-12:30pm

Donations:
Drop off at Welcome Center or Church Office

- CANNED FRUIT
- CANNED BEEF
- BEEF STEW
- TOILET PAPER

Let us know how we can pray for you. Fill out an online Communication Card on our website.

General Giving Totals

Last Week	\$52,997
Weekly Budget	\$36,875
YTD Giving	\$1,992,441
YTD Budget	\$1,843,750

Amplify Giving

Last Week	\$26,794
Weekly Budget	\$5,370
YTD Giving	\$197,767
YTD Budget	\$238,259
Total Amplify Giving	\$1,177,857

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Office Hours:
M-F | 9am-4pm



*The Amplify Fund is a building fund for preparing our new facility for current & future ministries.