HEADWATERS Church

Headwaters Newsletter

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

May 16, 2021

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"Every interaction we've had as deacons with Inasmuch Ministries has left us impressed with this ministry. We love the idea of a Headwaters' partnership with Inasmuch!"

Dana Plattner
Deacon Chair

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

Inasmuch Ministries

For decades Inasmuch Ministries (a ministry of **Broadway Christian Church**) has been working with low-income families in urban parts of the city.

They understand the complexities of helping people in need. Their **food, clothing and financial assistance** programs are carefully designed to distinguish between genuine need and those looking to take advantage of generous people.

When they meet with individuals, Inasmuch **always starts with prayer** and spends time getting to know each person. Their assistance programs are far more than a handout.

EACH PART OF THE MINISTRY IS FOCUSED ON BRINGING PEOPLE TO CHRIST.

Over the last several months Headwaters Deacons have met with Inasmuch and have begun to build a relationship with their organization.

We're excited to announce a formal partnership through their Family of Churches program. Since they are only 1.5 miles from the Headwaters Campus, we are working to provide volunteer staffing and donation opportunities in coming months.

Get involved:

Step 1: Learn about Inasmuch broadwaychristian.org/outreach/inasmuch-ministry

Step 2: Pray for Inasmuch

Step 3: Get ready to take action. In coming months we'll share volunteer opportunities and ways for you to give. Get ready! ■

Building Update / Future Campus Plans

SUN, MAY 16 | during services

Town Hall Meeting

WED, MAY 19 | 6:30-8pm | Worship Center

childcare provided

Pickleball

Monday Nights
5:30-8pm

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

Cheer on our Team

Kreager Park

MONDAY NIGHT

8:15

v Holy Cross

High School & College GRADUATES

We want to celebrate with you MAY 23!

Send: photo · name · school · major/degree · future plans

To: JPotter@headwaterschurch.org

We feel the LOVE

"Bloomingdale Elementary staff members truly appreciate the treats you have been providing for our Friday Teacher Meetings! We aren't hard to please and enjoy what you have shared. As we gather together, we feel your care and support which means so very much as we near the end of one incredibly unusual year. Your generosity in these times helps us fuel our bodies but also our hearts so we can teach and nurture our students! Thank you for all you do for Bloomingdale!"

- Karin Klinedinst, Case Manager, Bloomingdale Elementary

Karin Klinedinst, Bloomingdale case manager, shows some of the treats you've provided for teachers & staff!

The Teacher Appreciation bags Headwaters assembled for the entire Bloomingdale staff all ready to go.

SNACKS for VBS Kids

Drop off needed items at the **Kids Check-in Desk, Welcome Center**, or **Church Office** by

Friday, JUNE 4

*List of needed items available in **Newsletter**, website & App.*

Sign up on website or app

Super Snack Pudding Packs - Chocolate
6-pack
50 pkgs needed

Regular Oreos
Party size
12 pkgs needed

Great Value Gummy Worms
(Walmart) 48 oz
10 bags needed

Veggie Straws
14 oz bag
8 bags needed

Utz Cheddar Cheese Balls
27.4 oz
5 barrels needed

Original Flavor Bugles
14.5 oz bag
8 bags needed

Great Value Vanilla Ice Cream Cups
(Walmart)
3 oz 12 pack
30 pkgs needed

Hershey's Chocolate Syrup
24 oz bottle
6 bottles needed

Sprinkles (all colors)
small containers
10 containers needed

Chocolate Rice Krispy Treats
(Gordon Food Supply)
20 count
8 boxes needed

Original Rice Krispy Treats
40 count
6 boxes needed

Nilla Wafers
(Regular size, not mini)
16 oz box
12 boxes needed

Rold Gold Pretzel Sticks
8.9 oz bag
7 bags needed

Clear Punch Cups
200 count
5 pkgs needed

Snack Baggies
100 count
3 pkgs needed

We need your help to make VBS a Success!

There are many ways to get involved:

1) Volunteer HERE
   - Grade Level Helper
   - Craft Room Helper
   - Game Time Helper
   - Snack Room Helper
   - And more!
2) Mingle with Moms in the Morning HERE
3) Donate Snacks for the Kids HERE
4) Bring Snacks for the Volunteers HERE

SNACKS for VBS Volunteers

Drop off non-perishable items to Welcome Center, Kid's Check-in Desk or Church Office.

Day-of drop offs can be brought directly to Youth Room.

List of needed items available in ***Newsletter****, website & App.*

It takes over 70 volunteers to make VBS happen!

Volunteers enjoy getting snacks too!

Some ideas for donations:

- 2 liters of pop
- chips and dip
- meat and cheese trays
- fruit trays
- cookies
- cupcakes
- muffins
- cheese sticks
- jerky sticks
- crackers and dip
- Small sandwiches
- chips, guac, and salsa
- Popsicles for game people... they get hot!
- Ice cream sandwiches
- brownies
- leftover grad party cake!
- veggie trays (but they go slow)
- pasta salad
- granola bars or prepackaged snacks for grab and go
- Watermelon is a favorite

These are just ideas of what people have brought in the past and it has gone over well. Help us let our volunteers know they are appreciated!

Sign up to help HERE
or website or App

VBS 2021

June 7-11

9 am - noon

Registration NOW OPEN

Go to our website or use the ChurchCenter App

Volunteer for VBS

June 7-11

9 am - Noon

Go to our website or use the ChurchCenter App

JUNE 6 | KINDERGARTEN THRU 12TH GRADE

MOVE UP SUNDAY

We're Looking for More Hands to Hold Babies!

SUNDAYS

9 or 10:45am

Contact Erin Wood

ewood@headwaterschurch.org

Jr. High Campout

RUFFIN' IT

HW 2021

June 17-20

Sleeping Bear Dunes

Go to our website or use the Church Center App

Students entering 6th-8th Grade (and current 8th graders) are invited to join us on our Summer Campout!

Thursday - Sunday, June 17-20
Sleeping Bear Dunes, Michigan

Cost is $50 (scholarships are available)

Our theme is "Ruffin' It—It's not always easy living for Christ."

We will be sleeping in tents under the stars (there is a bathroom and water source), enjoying the great outdoors, jumping off and climbing giant sand dunes, campfires, smore's, Lake Michigan, and SO MUCH MORE!!!

Register **HERE** or on website or with App.

Sr. High Girls Summer Bible Study

Girls entering 9th-12th grades are invited to join us for a wonderful 7 week study on Romans chapter 8 (written by Danielle Dammeyer)!

We'll meet Sunday nights from 5:30-7, beginning June 13.

Don't miss this great opportunity to grow in your faith and build lasting relationships with other girls in the Youth Group.

Register **HERE** or on website or with App.

LADIES! PICK UP YOUR BOOKMARK ON SUNDAY!

As an encouragement and reminder, all women (high school and older) will be given a PERSEVERE bookmark this Sunday, at the Welcome Center. On the back are some prompts to engage study of the Scriptures in an effort to assist in unpacking what persevere means in the life of a Christian. I am looking forward to the conversations and connections that may transpire just because we have a common focus! ■

Saturday Morning Basketball

HEADWATERS MEN 1 Cor 16:13-14

Every Saturday
6:00-8:00am

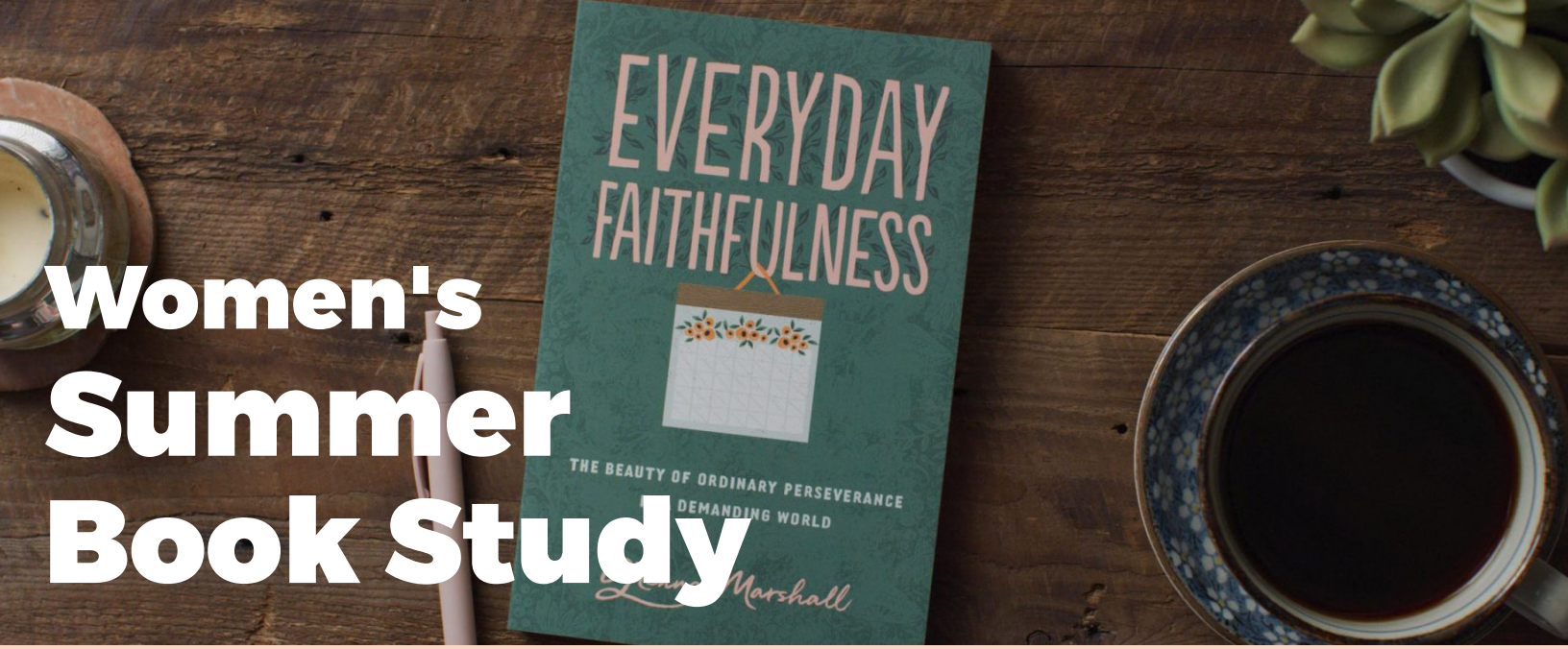
Bring a Friend.
Questions? contact Bryan Fowler
bfowler@headwaterschurch.org

MEN'S RETREAT

SAVE THE DATE

JUNE 25-26

HEADWATERS MEN 1 Cor 16:13-14



Women's Summer Book Study

THE BOOK:

This summer we will be reading, **"Everyday Faithfulness: The Beauty of Ordinary Perseverance in a Demanding World"** by Glenna Marshall.

SUGGESTED COST is $10.

We will put in a group order after the enrollment deadline.

COMMITMENT:

Groups will meet 3-4 times, June through August. Each group will set dates that work for them.

STUDY OPTIONS:

There are several ways to participate. The goal is to get this resource in to the hands of as many Headwaters women as possible. We have found it is very unifying when we all study the same topic together!

1. **Join an in-person group.** Several small group options are available with a variety of days and times. Some meet in **homes** and some meet at **church**. If you can't make all the meetings, no worries! Come when you can.
2. **Join an online group.** If you can't meet in person virtual meetings are an option.
3. **Purchase the book and read on your own.** Group meetings may not work for everyone. There is still benefit to reading what other Headwaters women are reading.

GROUPS:

Leader	Time	Day	Start	Size	Location
Christine Overholt	9:30-11am	M	June 14	15	Church
Kristy Wolfe	9:30-11am	Tu	June 8	15	Churubusco
Cassie Dunn	6-7:30pm	Tu	June 8	15	Auburn
Kim Plattner	9:30-11am	W	June 16	9	Northeast
Jillian Christensen	6:30-8pm	W	June 16	12	Church
Adelphia Hawk*	9:30-11am	Th	June 17	10	Churubusco
Tonia Fleming	7-8:30pm	Th	June 3	5	Northwest
Janelle Meinema	9:30-11am	Fri	June 18	7	Northwest
Cathie Markstahler	6:30-8pm	Sun	June 13	12	ZOOM
Jen Potter *	7-8:30pm	Sun	June 6	15	Leo

** indicates childcare may be available*

REGISTRATION:

Register **HERE** or on our website or with the Church Center App.

Deadline to sign up is Wednesday, May 26.

Morning Kick-Starts for Moms

June 7-11

8:30-9:30am

Join us in welcoming and encouraging VBS moms as they drop off kids each day!

Sign up on website or app

Each morning of VBS we will provide coffee, quick breakfast, and take home ways to build into busy lives! We also offer the opportunity to share prayer requests that will be prayed for by the time mom returns to pick up the kids. If you would like to help in greeting and serving the moms (parents), **sign-up HERE by June 2nd.**

WANTED:

The Church is looking to purchase a **USED PICKUP TRUCK.**

Do you know of anyone selling a used full size, 4-wheel drive, flatbed pickup truck?

If so, please contact Tim Williams at twilliams@headwaterschurch.org, or call the Church Office 260-489-4942

Headwaters Church · Matt 25:35 · "I was hungry and you gave me something to eat" · Food Pantry · est. 2008

Open Sundays: noon-12:30pm

We are looking for an ASL Interpreter

Contact the Church Office

260.489.4942 or

info@headwaterschurch.org

Missions Minute

Kham Mung | Myanmar

Mung has started CrossLife Mission Church, is a college professor at Koinonia Baptist Seminary & Faith Baptist Theological Seminary, and conducts seminars in several parts of Myanmar on expository Bible teaching. His wife's name is Khawl and they have 4 children, Sian Kop, Zun Cing, Deih San, & Suan Mang. They live in Pazundoung Township, Yangon, Myanmar.

They are living in the midst of a military coup and Covid. The following is from his latest newsletter:

God is really good to us each day. It is God's grace, your prayers, and generous support that keeps us alive in the midst of a chaotic time in Myanmar. Almost everything was/is cut off or not functioning normally in the society. We, as a family, are doing well by the grace of God. A lipoma surgery that I had on my left shoulder is healing now. Please continue pray for the salvation and education of my children. It is expected that there may not be school opening this year except some private schools in the country.

There were/are booms blasted here and there in Yangon. Arbitrary arrests are still going on by the military in the cities. Protesting is still everywhere in the country. Due to these conditions, we did not go out much except for doctor's appointments and buying groceries. However, as much as I could or dare to, I went to CrossLife Mission Church and conducted Sunday worship services in April. I could not go there for two Sundays due to the lipoma surgery that I had. However, I called them and encouraged them by the word of God. Actually, churches are not allowed to gather for worship due to the covid-19 but we know our need to have fellowship in God and in His word in the midst of uncertain future. We plan to do the Lord's Supper on the first Sunday of every month. Please continue pray for us so that God would give us wisdom and use us more effectively in our church planting mission works.

Prayer Requests

- God's direction for our family and ministry
- Our church planting missions in the Buddhist villages
- God's grace for the salvation and education of my children
- God's intervention upon the crisis of our country

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

Safe Families

Items Needed:

- **Wipes**
- **Girls Socks 2T/3T**
- **Frozen Meals or Meal Ingredients**

You can drop off donations at the Welcome Center or at the Church Office labeled "FOR SAFE FAMILIES."

Reserved for:

THOSE WITH YOUNG CHILDREN & LEGACY ABF

Our Wells Street Parking Lot has been filling up on Sundays. Please consider parking in the gravel lot behind the Gym / Worship Center or in the Jacobs Street Parking. Jacobs Street Parking is a great place to park if you attend an ABF in Building 2!

Thanks for your help!

Birth Announcement

Congratulations to Matt & Abby Fawcett on the birth of their daughter, Hazel Rose, born Wednesday, May 12, at 5:55pm. She weighed 9lbs 3oz and measured 21.5 inches long. Hazel joins siblings, Ivy (5), Corin (3), and Opal (21 mo).

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

General Giving Totals

Last Week	**$34,143**
Weekly Budget	$36,875
YTD Giving	$698,655
YTD Budget	$700,625

Attendance **893**

Amplify Giving

Last Week	**$617**
Weekly Budget	$4,327
YTD Giving	$62,904
YTD Budget	$82,213
Total Amplify Giving	$1,034,505

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

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