

Steve & Rhonda Schwarze - Philippines

Sometimes the needs of those around us become overwhelming. In the last few years we have asked you for prayer and help for all kinds of things. The most recent one has been Angelo. As you may remember their family has become our most recent ministry project as doctors try to figure out why this little two-year-old boy continues to have low platelets and hemoglobin. Since August of last year, he has been admitted to the hospital eight times with at least one blood transfusion each time. He has had two bone marrow biopsies which have revealed nothing. The doctors thought for a time that it was ITP, the autoimmune disease that Steve has, but it has to be more than that. He continues to steal our hearts.

We have gone on a few outings with his family these past months. He



and his cousins were enthralled with the zoo. Steve often drives them to the hospital where "Kiel" (what everyone calls him) looks forward to his french fries on the way! The doctors cannot

figure out what is wrong with him. Recently he was in the hospital again and his platelets and hemoglobin were alarmingly low. He received more blood transfusions. We love this family and are once again asking for prayer. Please pray that the doctors will be able to accurately diagnose his condition.

Our house feels rather empty at the moment. Since last summer we have had a steady stream of people staying with us. We have often wondered if we would enjoy running a guest house and I think perhaps we would. This is all possible greatly due to the fact that we have wonderful, long-term helpers who keep things running.

One of my main jobs at Faith is to help keep Steve afloat! We have shared an office for over 25 years and for the most part have figured out how to work together and complement one another. As we said in our last prayer letter, Steve has put on the Deputy Head of School hat again for this second semester. Currently our Head of School is out of the country so Steve is OIC and that is always especially stressful.

We look forward to a very special summer as we return to the US for our son's wedding, Steve's mother's 90th birthday celebration, and three Faith alumni reunions. The weeks will fly by I'm sure.

Steve & Rhonda



**Congratulations to
Mr. & Mrs. Adam Brunner.
Adam Brunner and Chelsea
Nieman were married
Saturday, June 2nd at MBC.
May God richly bless you!**

Food donations are needed for the Equip Overnight Retreat for Middle Schoolers ~ There is a two-page sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center with different options. Drop off your items Today, Sunday, June 10th.

Awana Honors Camp ~ There will be a bus leaving the church 9 am Saturday, June 16th and leaving camp 8:30 am Saturday, June 23rd. There is no charge and an adult from our club will be on the bus for both trips, to and from the camp.

Men's Shooting Event ~ a shooting event for adult men only (children are not allowed to attend) will be held on Saturday, June 16th at Thoman's property at N1139 Woodman Rd., Monroe, from 9 am – Noon. We'll be shooting clay pigeons, shotgun only. Please sign up at the Welcome Center. A waiver form will need to be filled out. Contact Kyle Ohlrich with any questions at 719-439-1003.

Cutting help needed: On Saturday, June 23rd at 8:30 am, the Guatemala Team will be preparing crafts for VBS and we need your help. Join us in the Nehemiah Center.

Annual Canoe Trip - The father/child canoe trip is June 30th – July 1st. We'll be meeting at church for breakfast at 8 am on Saturday, June 30th then we'll drive to the WI River. Bring your own lunch for Saturday. The rest of the meals are provided. Your belongings for the trip will be kept in your canoe. We will be returning around 4 pm on Sunday. Extra canoes are available. A sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center. Let us know how many people are coming and whether or not you have a canoe. Contact Kyle Ohlrich if you have any questions, 719-439-1003.

All are invited to the **Brewers game on Tuesday, July 3rd**. We'll leave church at 10 am, game time is 3 pm. We will be tailgating before the game. Tickets are \$10. Drivers are needed. A sign-up is at the Welcome Center. Questions? Contact Bernie Roidt 325-2199.

18 & 8th Custodian Job Opportunity ~ if you would be interested in applying for the custodian job at 18 & 8th please pick up the Job Description and Application available at the Welcome Center. Return the application to the MBC Office by June 30th.

Church League Softball ~ * Please watch for a July 6th scheduling change.

June

Sunday, June 17

Happy Father's Day
Worship Services: 9 am & 10:30 am Café
Sunday school, Pipeline, Ignite & Fusion
on summer recess

Monday, June 18

Prayer Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

Wednesday, June 20

Men's Bible Study ~ Noon, LL #104

Thursday, June 21

Narcotics Anonymous ~ 7 pm, LL #102

Friday, June 22

Mission: Monroe ~ 5:30 pm, Concerts on
the Square, Serving pizza

Team A ~ 7:30 pm, East Field
Team A ~ Ump 8:30 pm, East Field

Team C ~ 8:30 pm, West Field

Team B ~ 9:30 pm, East Field

Saturday, June 23

Guatemala Craft Preparations ~ 8:30 am,
NC, Everyone is invited to help

Awana Honors Camp ~ Bus leaves Camp
8:30 am to return home

Tuesday, June 26

Pleasant View Service ~ 9:30 am

Board of Deacons ~ 6 pm, LL #106

Saturday, June 30 & Sunday, July 1

Men/Kids Annual Canoe Trip ~ Breakfast at
8 am - Leaving MBC at 9 am. Returning
approximately 4 pm Sunday

Upcoming July Events:

Tues. July 3 ~ Milwaukee Brewers Game &
Tailgate party, leaving MBC 10 am

Sat. July 7 ~ 8 am Men's Breakfast

Sat. July 7-Sat. July 14 ~ Guatemala
Missions Trip

Fri. July 13 ~ Mission: Monroe ~ 5:30 pm
Concerts on the Square, Serving pizza

Week of June 10 - 16

Today, Sunday, June 10

Worship Services: 9 am & 10:30 am Café
Sunday school, Pipeline, Ignite & Fusion
on summer recess
Wild Man Initial Large Tribal Mtg. ~ Noon,
Josh Hardacre home, W8163 Smock
Valley Rd. Monroe
Next Steps – “Step 5” (s 2) ~ 6:30 pm,
LL #102

Monday, June 11

Garage Sale Drop-off & Set-up ~ 9 am –
4 pm, NC – Help Needed each day!
Elder Board Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #106
Prayer Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

Tuesday, June 12

Equip Middle School Retreat ~ Meet at
MBC at 10:45 am
Garage Sale Drop-off & Set-up ~ 11 am –
7 pm, NC

Wednesday, June 13

Garage Sale Set-up ~ 9 am – 5 pm, NC
Equip Middle School Retreat ~ Lena, IL

Thursday, June 14

Garage Sale ~ 8 am – 6:30 pm, NC
Narcotics Anonymous ~ 7 pm, LL #102

Friday, June 15

Ministry Leader Annual Reports Due
Garage Sale ~ 8 am – 3:30 pm, NC
Primetimers Pizza Hut Lunch ~ 11:15 am
Garage Sale Clean Up ~ 3:30 pm
Team A ~ 7:30 pm, East field
Team C ~ Ump 7:30 pm, West field
Team C ~ 8:30 pm, West field
Team B ~ 9:30 pm, East field

Saturday, June 16

Adult Men's Shooting Event ~ 9 am –
Noon, Thoman's, N1139 Woodman Rd.
Awana Honors Camp – Bus leaves MBC
at 9 am

Prayer Focus – AV Tech
Ministry Leader – Scott Turkelson
Please Pray:

- † for the AV Ministry to be an effective tool for God to use to reach those in our church, in our community, and in our world.
- † for the AV Ministry to have adequate volunteers and technology to meet the needs of our growing church.



Calling all Empty Nesters! Please join us for lunch at Pizza Hut each month on the third Friday (11:15 am) for food and fellowship.

Playground
Benefit Sale

Playground* Benefit Garage Sale – June 14-15,'18
***Garage Sale to raise funds for a KATW (Kids Around the World) Playground in Guatemala.**

Please bring only gently used items.
Test all electrical appliances. We aren't able to take old TVs.



VOLUNTEERS welcomed and needed!
PLEASE sign up to volunteer at the Welcome Center.
This is a massive undertaking –
knowing there will be help available is crucial.
Contact Deb Hurlbert 325-3430



Praise God! Thank you, MBC!

Over 80 hands and 80 feet
contributed to beautifying 18 & 8th.
What a joy to see our body serving
together.

MONROE BIBLE CHURCH

JUNE 10, 2018



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