

# NEWS AROUND THE STATE

## Sympathy

*We extend our sympathies to ...*

**Rev. Sandy Poe**, assoc. & youth pastor in Inwood, on the home going of her husband, **Rev. Terry Poe**, on March 4, 2011. He pastored the Inwood AG church from 1982-1985.



*Terry Poe*

**Rev. Richard Schlotter**, pastor, First Pentecostal in Ottumwa, on the passing of his mother, Kathy Veatch, Ottumwa. She passed away on March 5, 2011.

## New Arrival

*Congratulations to ...*



**Rev. Dani and Jay Kallsen**, pastors of Macedonia, on the birth of their baby boy. Peter James was born on March 1, 2011, weighing 7 pounds 5 oz, and measuring 20 inches.

## Church Groundbreaking

**New Hope Assembly of God, Des Moines** (Urbandale), had a groundbreaking ceremony on Sunday, April 17, 2011. New Hope Assembly of God was pioneered by Pastor **James L. Weaver** along with a core group of 18 parishioners. The first service was held October 7, 1990. Today, New Hope has grown to about 2,000 members and adherents.



## Pastoral Changes

Larry Mumma  
to Burlington  
Darren Larkin  
to Davenport, Freedom

## Transferred Out

John M. Palmer  
to Ohio

## Transferred In

Todd L. & Donna L. Toomer  
1045 W 8th Ave  
Marion, IA 52302-3008  
John Heth, pastor  
601 N 17th St  
Clarinda, IA 51632-1517

## Reinstated Minister

Andrew T. Peterson (L)

## Wedding Bells

*Congratulations to ..*

Kasie Lynn Ver Schuur of Oskaloosa and Rev. Adam Kolosik, staff pastor at North Liberty. They were united in marriage on March 12, 2011, at North Liberty.



*Adam & Kasie Kolosik*

## Installation



*Larry & Patty Wallingford*

**Rev. Larry and Patty Wallingford** were officially installed as the pastors of Living Waters AG in Keokuk, on February 27, 2011. Superintendent Tom Jacobs ministered and led the installation ceremony.

## Senior Adult Trip

September 7-11, 2011  
Cost: \$500 per person  
(Single Room - \$650)



Michigan: Gerald Ford Presidential Museum; Mackinac Bridge; carriage tour of Mackinac Island, Sault Ste Marie Canal and Locks; Great Lakes Shipwreck Museum, Frankenmuth (Christmas City, USA); the Henry Ford Museum; Greenfield Village; and the Indiana Sand Dunes National Monument. Registration and information at: [www.imnag.org](http://www.imnag.org) or call: 515.276.5493

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# NETWORK NEWS

MAY / JUNE 2011

**MAKE YOUR MARK ON OUR MOVEMENT**

Phoenix, Arizona | August 1-5, 2011

Come to General Council 2011 and make your mark on our movement.

Register today at [GeneralCouncil.org](http://GeneralCouncil.org).

PHX 2011 GENERAL COUNCIL

What will God do through you to shape our next 100 years?

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## CALENDAR

### MAY

- 1 Light for the Lost Day
- 1 National Prison Day
- 2-3 District Council
- 5 National Day of Prayer
- 6-7 Regional JBQ/TBQ: CR First
- 8 Mother's Day
- 21 Armed Forces Day
- 27-30 RV Camping Experience
- 29 Aged Ministers Assistance Day
- 30 Office Closed/Memorial Day

### JUNE

- 9-11 PowWow/Powette
- 12 Pentecost Sunday / World AG Fellowship day of Prayer
- 13-17 Junior High Camp
- 19 Father's Day
- 20-24 Junior/Senior High Camp #1
- 24-25 ISOM
- 26 AGUSM Maps Day
- 27-1 Junior/Senior High Camp #2

### JULY

- 3 Military Personnel Day
- 3-8 National Bible Quiz Finals
- 4 Independence Day/Office Closed
- 6-7 PK Retreat
- 11-15 Kids Camp #1
- 11-12 Presbyter Meeting
- 18-22 Kids Camp #2



**Tom Jacobs**  
Superintendent

I hope you enjoyed the 97th Iowa District Council! It is always good to be together with the Iowa AG ministers. If you missed the giveaways during Council, don't despair. We have one copy left of each of the following books: Road Trip, Life in the Spirit (both by Dr George Wood) and Soul Print, by Mark Batterson. The first three people who text me at 515-537-4086 will each receive one of these books!



**Guy Fisher**  
Network Secretary

**DON'T FORGET TO REMEMBER THIS!**

The Iowa Ministry Network processes credential applications on a continuous basis instead of just one time per year!

**CONTINUOUS CREDENTIALING!**



**Gary Pilcher**  
ISOM President

**JUNE 24-25**  
Prison Epistles, Old Testament Survey, Poetic Books

**AUGUST 26-27**  
Synoptic Gospels, Leadership Skills, Preaching in Cultural Context



What a great women's conference on March 25 and 26! The anointed worship time with Dianne Singleton was a wonderful preparation for Candy Tolbert's teaching on the Wonder of Worship. Carol Johnson and Rachel Chandler also provided encouraging and inspirational workshops to complete the conference. One of the highlights was the generous offering by women's groups and individuals of over \$8,000 for Convoy of Hope. Thanks to all who attended and made it a weekend to remember!



**Carol Pilcher**  
Girls Ministries Director

**IOWA GIRLS MINISTRIES CELEBRATION JUNE 2011**

Honor Daisies, Prims and Stars, Friends Graduates and Girls Only Graduates will all be recognized

Saturday, June 11, 2011, at the Sunstream Retreat Center at Ogden.



**George Edgerly**  
Network Treasurer

Church bookkeepers rejoice! On April 14 President Obama signed legislation repealing the expanded 1099 reporting requirements that were enacted as part of the Health Care Reform Act. Basically, from a 1099 standpoint, we're back to where we were.

Attention credential holders! Remember that the Iowa Ministry Network contributes 5% of your quarterly tithe to your retirement account with Minister's Benefit Association (MBA). If you haven't taken the time to open an account with MBA, please consider doing so. Don't miss out on this free benefit to you. Sign up at [www.agfinancial.org](http://www.agfinancial.org).



**Don McGarvey**  
World Missions Director

Two new resources for you:  
Prayer Task Force for the Assemblies of God World Missions now has their own web site [www.prayerTaskForce.org](http://www.prayerTaskForce.org). You can sign up to join the Prayer Task Force for AGWM by going to the "Join Now" option at the top of the page. You can sign up for two countries and for a specific prayer time by providing them with your e-mail address. This would be a great resource for your church, Missions Team and/or Youth and Children's Ministry.

Coming soon to the Iowa Ministry Network web site ([www.imnag.org](http://www.imnag.org)) will be three resources that you can download: Short-term Missions Trips; Communicating with Missionaries; and Ideas that you can use to help build the ministry of Missions in your church. Check it out!

Welcome home to Rich & Sandee Farthing, Missionaries to Bolivia. You can contact the Farthings at: 830 S Barnes Ave, Springfield, MO 65802-2812, or by calling: 417-300-5103. Open your churches to them! They will be a great blessing to you and to your congregation, young and old!



**Heath Adamson**  
Student Ministries Director

**RUSSIA AIM TRIP**  
July 15-26



**Tom Jacobs**  
Home Missions Director

Mark your calendar now for this the 2011 e2 Conference, September 26-27. Christian Life Assembly will host the event. Bring your leadership team!

**SUMMER CAMPS**

- Junior High**  
June 13-17
- Junior/Senior High 1**  
June 20-24
- Junior/Senior High 2**  
June 27 - July 1
- Kids 1**  
July 11-15
- Kids 2**  
July 18-22



**Wayne Farrand**  
Royal Ranger Commander

**SUMMER POW WOW** is June 9-11, 2011. Boys look forward to this big campout at Sunstream. If your church DOES NOT HAVE a Royal Rangers ministry, your men and boys are especially invited to the 2011 Pow Wow - (no fee!). Contact us and we will pair your men and boys with a host Ranger outpost so your boys can enjoy the outdoors. Watch for the mailer for details.

**LEADERS TRAINING** - If men in your church need "Ranger Basics" or "Ranger Essentials" training to build their confidence to minister to boys, watch for the schedule and emails. We have a number of churches ready.



**Warren Hunsberger**  
Men's Ministries Director

Our strategy for ministering to men in your local church is 3-fold: REACH, TEACH, & RELEASE. For more information & tons of quality resources, check out <http://men.ag.org/ministries/>  
Father's Day is fast approaching. "Men's Ministries: The Mag" (formally entitled 'All About Dad') is produced by A/G Men's Ministries and contains insightful articles, practical tips and unique cultural updates geared toward men of all ages. This year's larger, redesigned format focuses on: Life as a man; Life as a husband; Life as a father. This valuable resource is being made available for as little as \$1.00 per magazine to make it affordable for every church to provide a copy for every man in the pew on Father's Day or for use at any men's event.

Please feel free to contact me at [pastorwarren@lifenow.org](mailto:pastorwarren@lifenow.org) or 515-953-0322, x205.



**Bill Davis**  
Music Director

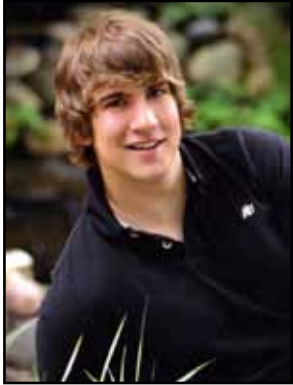
**Exciting News...**

The CCLI Church Streaming & Podcast License is now available! This license allows your church to stream or podcast your live-recorded worship music on your church's website or other streaming service. For more information

or to order, just go to [www.ccli.com/streaming](http://www.ccli.com/streaming) or call us at 1-800-234-2446 and press 4 for sales.

# *Congratulations*

PK Seniors 2011



Ben Ady  
*Hampton-Dumont*



Liz Collier  
*Faith Academy*



Shalene Else  
*Indianola*



Corrie Oberg  
*Central High  
Council Bluffs, IA*



Jennifer Pena  
*Bettendorf High*



Ian Richardson  
*East Union  
Afton*



Hannah Rouser  
*Knoxville High*

## 97th Iowa District Council Review

### Voting Results

Superintendent: Tom Jacobs

Executive Presbyters: Dave Beroth, Guy Fisher, George Edgerly

General Council Non-Resident Executive Presbyter Nominees:

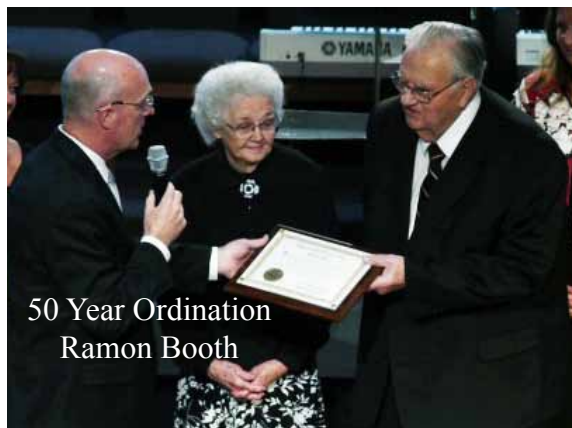
At Large: Gary Pilcher

Pastor under 40 yrs: Todd Jones

Ordained Female: Ruthie Oberg

All Resolutions were adopted:

1. Resolution to form a Sabbatical Study Group
2. Expression of Appreciation



50 Year Ordination  
Ramon Booth

**CERTIFIED MINISTERS:**

Rebecca A. Allen, Jacob K. Barnes, Joseph Chancellor Cory Danley, Erik S. Dees, Jamie A. Duerre, Regina Duerre, Cynthia J. Else, Carol J. Fox, Jason D. Gibson, Darrell J. Hanan, Shaunette Hanan, Adam G. Kolosik, Jennifer R. Kost, Layne P. McGinnis, Michelle Miller, M. Nathaniel Schaad, Bradley C. Thomas, Nathan P. Thomas, Sharolyn S. Wenig



**LICENSED:**

Matt C. Andersen, Edgar M. Ashby, Donald L. Beal, Sandra K. Drown, Barry Hill, Jonathan Ikoba, Bradley W. Jackson, Adam G. Kolosik, Joshua S. Kyande, Juanita E. Mahieu, Alissa Moe, Jacob A. Raymond, Bradley D. Schroeder, Thomas L. Steen, Larry Wallingford



**ORDAINED:**



Timothy & Doris Eckert



Janet & Ed Harp



Anthony & Danita Hemenway



Kenneth & Sharon Mervin

**Our Thread ...  
His Tapestry**



Steven & Faye Neumeyer



Sandy Poe



Frederick & Theresa Redhead



Julie & David Schaal