



From the New City Church website:
newcitychurchkc.org

- **Pastor Ryan Pelton** has a great video on his website that explains his hopes and ambitions for the New City Church plant in Kansas City.
- He mentions that only 50% of the people in KC's county attend church. He asks for prayers that they reach new, younger families that are moving into the area – that their hearts would be receptive to Jesus.
- They are beginning a new “Generous Campaign” drive—they are hoping that they will get 1000 people to donate \$100 each to help fund the New City mission.

Prairie Lane Church Financial Update <small>(from week 2)</small>		
General Fund	Prior Week	Year to Date
Actual Giving	\$ 4227.00	6032.00
Budgeted Giving	\$ 3968.21	7936.42
Ahead/(Behind)	\$ 258.79	(1904.42)
Expansion Pledge	Prior Collection	Pledge to Date
Actual Giving	\$ 775.00	507242.30
Budgeted Giving	\$ 3,721.02	535826.88
Ahead/(Behind)	\$ (2946.02)	(32305.60)
Goal/ % of Goal	580,478.88 / 87.38%	
2nd Offering: Van Ee's: \$415.00		
<i>Please talk to one of our deacons if you have any questions.</i>		

Welcome to **Prairie Lane Church**. As we unite in worship today, we extend a warm welcome to each one present. May we together experience the presence of God.

If you have young children, please feel free to use our nursery located upstairs. Please ask the usher for directions.

Before and after the service, we serve coffee and juice in the Fellowship Hall. *Please stay and get to know the Prairie Lane family!*

Prelude Song

“Here I am to Worship”

Welcome

*“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”
 “God of Wonders”*

Greeting

Confession

“Grace Alone”

(Children in Worship Dismissal)

Offerings

*Ministries of Prairie Lane Church
 PLC Building Expansion Fund*

Message

Sermon Series Part Two
“Prayer is a Priority”
Acts 4:23-31 (pg 996)

Special Time of Prayer

Communion

*Please remain seated.
 The elders will pass the elements to you.
 We will eat & drink together
 when the Pastor indicates.
 “All Who are Thirsty”*

Closing Song

“Spirit, Touch Your Church”

January 17, 2010



Sermon Series
PLC's Core Values
Part Two

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Together in Christ's Presence

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We joyfully welcome all who have come to celebrate God's best gift to all of humanity, Jesus the Christ, our Lord and Savior. Let every voice be lifted up in singing and praying as we focus upon the Prince of Peace, the Light of the World. And let every hand be extended in friendship and good will as we greet and share with one another. "We love because He first loved us" (1 John 4:19).

- You are invited to stay after worship so that we may meet you. Give us a chance to greet you personally, in his name during the coffee hour in the Fellowship Hall.

Nursery is available upstairs, you may ask the usher for directions.

Communication Cards: We'd love it if everyone filled out the basic information on the front side.

- If you are a regular attendee, just your name is enough. If you are a guest, please fill out the card so that we can get to know you better, and place it in the offering bag.
- If you have a prayer request or praise, please fill out the back of the card. Pastor Dan and the elders consider it a privilege to lift you up in prayer—if the prayer is of a sensitive nature, it will not be shared beyond Pastor Dan and the elders. Let us know if it is okay to share with the congregation by checking "please share with the PLC family".

Our first offering today is for **Prairie Lane Church**. Bringing a gift to God is a regular part of our worship. If you are a guest today, don't feel you have to contribute—the only gift we'd like from you is your Communication Card. Consider this service our gift to you!

Our second offering today is for the **PLC Building Fund**. We will reach the end of our 3-year pledge drive on April 25. As of last week, we are at 87.38% of our goal.

Larger print Bibles are available in the back of the worship center.

If you have a special concern on your heart, the prayer room is open after the service. One of our elders will be happy to meet with you there.

About the Christian Reformed Church (CRC): Prairie Lane Church is part of a Christian denomination which consists of about 1,000 churches across the US and Canada. Our roots can be traced back to the Protestant Reformation, and our doctrinal outlook is "Calvinist". So, we believe in God's sovereignty, in the authority of the Bible and in the transforming work of Jesus; in our worship we emphasize congregational singing and Biblical sermons. You may visit our website omahacrc.org to learn more.

Spotlight Tonight - The Sr. High Youth Group will be going to see the Lancers vs. Cedar Rapids hockey game. Please meet here at church **no later than 4PM**. The game starts at 5:05. Parents are welcome to come, but will need to purchase tickets at the gate.

IAM Jr. High Youth Group will resume on **Wed., Jan. 20th**.

Annual PLC Pheasant Feed - **Saturday, Jan. 30 at 6PM here at PLC**.

- There is no charge, but a free-will offering will be taken.
- Enjoy great food, laughter & lots of stories.
- Live music provided by Concordia Jr/Sr High Jazz Band.
- For more information or RSVP, contact Greg Kuipers at 398-1206.

PLC Congregational Meeting on March 28

- We will elect council members to replace retiring elders **Rick** and **Roger** and deacon **Brian**.
- Nomination forms are available in the church mailboxes. All professing members may make recommendations.
- Nominations for elder and deacon are due on **Feb 7**.

CRWRC Response To Haiti Earthquake - On January 12, a massive earthquake struck Haiti about 10 miles from the capital city where both CRWRC and CRWM staff are stationed. Praise God that all CRC missionaries and their families are safe. Financial donations are urgently needed to help CRWRC respond to the immediate and long-term needs of earthquake survivors. Gifts marked "Haiti Earthquake 2010" can be given online at www.crwrc.org, by calling 1-800-552-7972, or by sending a check to CRWRC, 2850 Kalamazoo Ave S.E, Grand Rapids, MI, 49560 (**PLC has a scheduled offering for CRWRC on Jan. 31st as well**).

Prayer & Praise



✠ Healing for **Jonathan**, who has recovered well from his surgery. He hopes to return to work on Monday and will soon learn more about his upcoming radiation treatments.

✠ Healing for **Kenny**.

✠ **Marla** who will be undergoing joint replacement surgery for Jan. 27.

✠ **Those who are looking for work.**

✠ Condolences to **Sarah** & family in the death of her father in MN on Jan. 2.

✠ Donna relative **Carter**, a 3-year-old diagnosed with a very dangerous cancer.

✠ Pray for the safety of Tom's brother, **Tim** as he deploys to Iraq for the second time.
