

WELCOME TO CHURCH AT THE GATE! We are delighted to have you with us! We are a church hungry for God - we love to worship, we are learning to passionately pray, and hold a very high view of Scripture. Much of the "life" of our church takes place throughout the week as we meet in small groups and grow in God together. We invite you to join our family.

VISITORS... We welcome you and have a free gift for you. Sign in on the red friendship pad when it is passed to you and complete the Connection Card in the red friendship pad. Turn it in at the Information Center and receive a free mug filled with treats.

TODAY'S MESSAGE... by Pastor Steve is titled "Long Way Around," based on *Matthew 7:13-14*.

EACH WEEKEND... free CDs of the message will be available directly after the service at the Information Center. Help us spread God's Word. Download messages from churchatthegate.com/podcast.php or subscribe to <http://churchatthegate.com/podcast/rss/CatG.xml>.

ENCOUNTER AT THE GATE SERVICE (EAGS)... will not meet tonight.

OUR SYMPATHIES... to Alfred and Shirley Old Lodge on the death of Shirley's mother, Josephine LaPointe, on Friday, January 27.

SPRING LIFE GROUPS... Rally Day to sign up for Spring Life Groups is today! Life Group menus are available in the foyer. It's not good to do life alone, so take advantage of the opportunities we are providing you to link up with others and grow in God together. Check out the displays of Life Groups being offered and sign up! If you have questions about any group, contact the person listed for that group or call the church at 357-8136.

PICTURE DIRECTORY BOARD... It's time to update our picture directory board. To be included or to update your picture, give us a printed picture 5-6 inches wide and no more than 4 inches high. List the names of everyone in the picture in the order of appearance on the picture. Or, we can take your picture February 12th, 19th or 26th before and after services. Please note that we need the actual printed picture, not an electronic version.

YOUTH SUPER BOWL PARTY... Burn Youth Group will not meet tonight at the church. Instead all youth are invited to a Super Bowl party at 5 PM at Dennis and Kristi Worden's, 1520 South Riverdale Road. Last names A-K bring an appetizer; last names L-Z bring a dessert; drinks will be provided.

HEALING PRAYER... is tomorrow, February 6, 2012 at 7 PM at CATG. Trained teams minister with love and compassion while seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Prayer is private and confidential. JESUS THE HEALER is the same yesterday, today and forever! For prayer at other times, contact Ruth Atkins, 362-8307 or the church at 357-8136.

DAYCARE WORKERS... Go Kid's! Daycare and Learning Center is now hiring. This is a positive Christian work environment, daytime hours, 15-25 hours per week, flexible scheduling, competitive pay based on experience. Childcare benefits while you work for your children ages 4 weeks – 10 years of age. Call Tana or Terri at 357-8136.

SPECIAL REFRESHMENTS... Sign up at the Information Center to bring home made bars or cookies Sunday, February 12. Bring your bars, uncut, or 2 or 3 dozen cookies that day.

DAWSON MCALLISTER HOPELINE TRAINING... February 12 from 5 PM to 8 PM at Hopeline, 3817 N. Elmwood Ave. Answer calls and talk with young people looking for hope. To register, call Jen at 605-366-5716.

ADOPTION INFORMATION MEETING... February 15 at Bethany Christian Services, 400 S. Sycamore Ave. Suite 105-2. To RSVP call 336-6999.

PURITY BALL... for fathers and daughters (12 & up) teaches daughters the importance of remaining pure until marriage and fathers how much influence they have in their daughter's decision to do so. February 25, 2012 at 7 PM, CJ Callaway's. \$20 per person. RSVP: 335-3643.

SIOUX FALLS REGIONAL OUTPOURING... meets this evening at 6:30 PM at 758 S. Phillips Avenue (just south of Lyon Park).

FINANCIALLY FAITHFUL...	(1/29/12)	Budget	Year-to-date
Local Offering/Let It Rise!	\$21,164	\$17,073	\$81,155
The Ready Fund	\$ 770		\$ 4,805
<i>Thanks to all who love and obey God through regular proportional giving! Each week, ten percent of our local offering goes into a "missions" fund that supports strategic mission work in our city, region and world.</i>			
WEEKLY EVENTS AT CHURCH AT THE GATE			
SUNDAY MORNING: Worship 8:45 & 10:45 AM. Children's Church available both services for Nursery (birth to age 2), Preschool (ages 3 to 5), and Children (grade 1-5). Classes: 9:00 AM. <i>The Life of the American Teenager</i> , high school students, Youth Room; 9 AM <i>Donuts, Discipleship and Discussion</i> , middle school students, Youth Room; 9:15 AM			
SUNDAY EVENING: Burn Youth Ministry (middle and high school youth group) meets from 5:30 PM to 7:15 PM at the church. Encounter at the Gate meets at 6 PM.			
MONDAY: Cub Scouts for boys ages 6 through 12 or 1st through 5th grade from 7 PM to 8 PM in the Gym and Room 104 across from the Gym.			
WEDNESDAY: Kids Blast—6-7:30 PM, age 4 through 5th grade. Middle and high school youth life groups at CATG and off campus from 6-7 PM. Gate House of Prayer (GHOP) worship and intercession for youth in the Burn Worship Room 7-8 PM.			
CHURCH AT THE GATE STAFF: Steve Hickey, Pastor; Dennis White, Associate Pastor; Madeline Porter, Children's Pastor; Jared Dupert, Youth/Young Adult Pastor; Kristen Hickey, Prayer Coordinator; Jeremy Iversen, Worship & Youth Leader; Tana Bieber, Financial Administrator; Sheryl Horan, Office Manager. Contact information: 357-8136 or info@churchatthegate.com .			