

May 30, 2010

INTOUCH

Meet The Hoxworth Family

THE WEEK AHEAD

SUNDAY – MAY 30

Sanctuary Choir is in Poland on their Mission Tour through this week

12:20 PM **S.A.I.N.T.S. ALIVE! Luncheon** Fellowship Hall
with guests *Melissa Sanborn and April Hedrick*

whose ministry is to make known the continuing crisis involving human trafficking and provide an avenue of support to those who have escaped its clutches

6:00 PM SUNDAY EVENING PRAYER (not meeting tonight; will June 6)

MONDAY – MAY 31

Memorial Day

*May we remember, with gratitude and thanksgiving to God,
His protection and provision
through the sacrifice of many on our behalf.*

*May we uphold in prayer
and by our encouragement
those who currently serve our country
so faithfully and sacrificially.*

TUESDAY – JUNE 1

7:00 AM **Teleios Women's Prayer/Study** (Taking a brief Summer Break)
6:8:00 PM 9 AM Worship Team practice Sanctuary
7:00 PM **Teleios: Crown Biblical Financial Study** Library (205)

WEDNESDAY – JUNE 2

9:00 AM Women's Aerobics – "That's A Stretch" Fellowship Hall
5:30 PM Elder Prayer Sr. Pastor's Office
6:45 PM EXCEL Student Ministry (not meeting tonight – back next week)

THURSDAY – JUNE 3

9:00 AM Women's Aerobics – "Cirque Du Soleil" Fellowship Hall
6:30 PM College & 20-Somethings Dinner The Dave Delnoce's

FRIDAY – JUNE 4

6:30-8 AM **Teleios (Men): Leadership Study: Leading & Loving** Family Rm
9:00 AM Women's Aerobics – "Dance It Off" Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY – JUNE 5

10:30 AM **S.A.I.N.T.S. ALIVE! Brunch** Library (205)
with guest Jim Hawthorne, CBC Treasurer

SUNDAY – JUNE 6

9:00 and 10:40 AM **MORNING WORSHIP** Sanctuary
Dr. Tim Savage

Aging America, Ageless God: Perspectives From Minor Prophets
Amos

9:00 AM Nursery (birth – 23 months) 301-304
9:00 AM Children's Discipleship (24 mo – gr. 3) 101-104, 201, 203
9:00 AM **Teleios: Intergenerational Stewardship Class** 207
9:00 AM **Teleios: Six Steps to Talking About Jesus** Library (205)
9:00 AM **Discovery I** Family Room off the Sanctuary entrance
10:40 AM Nursery (birth – 23 months) 301-304
10:40 AM Children's Church (24 mo – grade 3) 101-104, 201, 203
10:40 AM EXCEL (Jr. High and High School) Fellowship Hall
12:15 PM EXCEL Staff Meeting Library (205)
12:15 PM VBS Final Staff Meeting Fellowship Hall
12:30 PM Osborn H. & R. Ministry meets Subway, 44th & Indian School
2:00 PM Osborn H. & R. serves at Osborn Health & Rehab
6:00 PM SUNDAY EVENING PRAYER Library (205)



Left to right: Michael, Sarah, James and Molly Grace Hoxworth

With their introduction this morning in our gathered worship, a new season begins in the life of James and Sarah Hoxworth, and their children, as James joins the CBC staff as Pastor of Small Groups/Young Adults.

It is a new page in the life of the Camelback Bible Church family as well; one that came with God's movement of Bill and Christine Pinalto to the senior pastorate of Edgewater Baptist Church in Chicago, Illinois. But as only God can and will do, He brought James into Bill's view just as Bill was sensing God's call to Edgewater. Conversations followed, God peaked James' interest, meetings with Pastors Ron and Tim followed, as well as time with all the elders and pastors, time with the College and 20-Somethings, and culminated in a process that resulted in a call to James and Sarah. And here they are!

James, aka "Hox," was born in 1981 and raised on a farm in western Nebraska. His father is still farming and his mother is a school teacher. James has one younger sister who is working in the camping ministry world. Having grown up in a Christian home, Christ was very familiar to him, but his relationship with Jesus became "real" to him his freshman year of high school at a Fellowship of Christian Athletes gathering. Sports have been a big part of James' life. He was a college athlete at Wheaton where he played football and threw the shot-put and discus in track. James majored in Christian Education and Ministry at Wheaton and is currently working towards his Master's of Divinity at Phoenix Seminary. After graduating from Wheaton in 2004, James taught and coached for two years at Scottsdale Christian Academy. James and Sarah were married in June of 2006 (having met on a blind date in April of 2005) and that same year he began to work full-time at Covenant Community Church in Scottsdale where he was the youth, missions, and evangelism coordinator. Ever since James was young, he has had a desire to preach and minister God's Word to people. He is very excited to be a part of the Camelback family and looks forward to helping the small groups and young adults "bring Christ to the city, and the city to Christ."

Sarah hails from the Bay Area of California. Her father is a mechanic and mother is a substitute teacher. Sarah also grew up in a Christian home, along with one older sister who is now a full-time mom in California, and began to follow Jesus at a very young age. God moved in Sarah's life when she went on a short-term mission trip to an orphanage in Mexico. It was then that Sarah developed a passion for orphans and this led her to take mission trips in college to work in Russian orphanages. Sarah majored in communications, and played tennis, at Grand Canyon University. Upon graduation, Sarah worked for the Arizona Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and later with AZ Crisis Pregnancy Centers. Because of Sarah's passion for orphans and God's sovereignty, James and Sarah adopted Michael (8) from Uganda in November of 2007. In October of 2008, Molly Grace became the newest addition to the Hoxworth family. Sarah is currently a full-time mom to Michael and Molly, and very excited to get to know the people of Camelback Bible and for this new season of ministry for their family.

What follows is the text of the letter from Pastor Tim that appears in the printed programs (in Polish) the choir has taken to Poland to give out at their concerts throughout this week.

To the people of the great country of Poland,

We want to express our deep gratitude for the friendship you have consistently expressed to the United States of America over the years, and to convey our heart-felt sympathy over the tragic loss of executive Polish leadership in the recent plane accident in Russia..

In this time of bereavement, please accept from us the gift of music, choral music, sung from our hearts to yours, in words conveying the greatest hope of all. We sing about Jesus Christ whose victory over evil on the cross and whose triumph over death in the resurrection opens the way for a renewed relationship with God and for a life as full as it is good.

The choir of Camelback Bible Church ministers to the church family in Phoenix, Arizona every Sunday in corporate worship. Our spirits soar as we listen to the rich and layered textures of beauty emerging from human voices and as we contemplate the grace of Christ embedded in the lyrics.

We trust your hearts will be similarly encouraged as you enjoy our choir. This is our gift to you.

We wish for you every blessing in Christ,

Pastor Tim Savage

SYMPATHY is extended to Cynthia Roh and all of the family following the death last Thursday, May 20th, of her step-father, Richard Burris, the man who raised her. He is survived by Cynthia's mother, Tona. Services were held yesterday. May God's love surround Cynthia and all of the family in this their season of mourning.

S.A.I.N.T.S. ALIVE! COFFEE will be held this coming Saturday, June 5, at 10:30 AM in Room 205. Jim Hawthorne, our very dedicated and capable CBC Treasurer, will be our special guest. Join us for this opportunity to hear Jim's personal testimony and to learn more about his role as treasurer. A light brunch will be served.

DISCOVERY I, our first Sunday of the month session that introduces you to the strategic role of the local church, will be held next Sunday, June 6th, at 9:00 AM in The Family Room off the Sanctuary narthex. Newcomers and those looking to pursue official membership in the CBC family are invited and encouraged to come.

BAPTISM is scheduled for Sunday, June 13th. Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ commands all who have received Him by faith to follow Him into the waters of baptism; there giving witness to the reality of their salvation and new life in Him. If His, but not yet baptized, call the office this week. A pastoral appointment is needed by the 10th.

A FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON is also planned for Sunday, June 13th. The food theme is Mexican and you are invited to bring your favorite Mexican dish/contribution to the feast. Plan now to come and enjoy the fellowship of God's people over Sunday lunch.

OUR TAPE/CD WINDOW – The team that serves us so faithfully in the window on Sunday mornings is in need of one, or several more, to serve one Sunday morning each month or, perhaps, less often (the number of times to serve depends on the number of people on the team). Please, if this way of serving speaks to your heart and God would lead you to take part, call the office and speak with Mary Gayle. The time commitment is not large, but the service provided is huge.

VBS DONATIONS NEEDED: 1) Fruit loops (6 colors, if possible, one big box/bag), 2) Cotton Balls (about 1200 of them), 3) Sponges (any kind, about 20), 4) Toothpicks (about 500), 5) Baby Gates, 6) Bottled Water (gallon size), 7) 6 oz. Styrofoam Cups, and 8) Shade Tents or Patio Umbrellas (to borrow, will be returned). Please label all items for "VBS" and bring to the church office during the week or drop off on Sunday mornings. Please write your name on the shade tents so we can return them to you.

INTERGENERATIONAL STEWARDSHIP CLASS, Sundays through August 8th, meeting at 9:00 AM in Room 207, led by Pastor Jason Doughty, is for families, couples, singles, ages four to 104! If you missed last week, come this week. It's not too late to join and we'd love to have you.

PRAYER

Please be in prayer for: **Pastor Tom Bookhout, Guy Whatley, and the members of the Sanctuary Choir** who are ministering the Good News of Jesus Christ in Poland; through their music and their presence – may God prepare ears to hear and hearts to receive the message conveyed; for our pending **Vacation Bible School** – for the staff's completed preparations, deep-seated, over-flowing joy and the peace of Christ as they go forward; for young **Cameron (11) and Davis (9) Whyte** who were hospitalized last Monday with severe symptoms and diagnosed with Type 1, Juvenile Diabetes – now home recovering with the whole family adjusting to the demands of this unexpected condition; for **Alice Savale** who fell and broke her hip on Tuesday – for God's leading in the decisions to be made.

A BLOG HAS BEEN CREATED which allows the choir to communicate with us through text and photos their experiences/adventures in Poland. To keep up with them and what God is doing, go to <http://cbcpolandtrip.blogspot.com>.

VBS PRAYER PARTNERS – We welcome prayer support for this year's VBS outreach. If you haven't already, please sign up for the CBC Prayer Chain (prayerchain3900@gmail.com), through which we will keep you updated on specific prayer requests.

DESERT BELLS HAS JOINED WITH CAMELBACK BIBLE CHURCH to present Music Jamboree 2010. This music camp, showcasing handbells, steel drums, South American and African drums, rhythm classes, and more, will be held June 14-18, 2010 here at CBC. Church members/attendees receive a discount from the community rate. Call Desert Bells at 602-494-7464 or pick up a pamphlet at church or in the church office.

COLLEGE AND 20'S: June 1st is your last chance to sign up to attend the Resolved Conference in Palm Springs, California, June 25-28, 2010. We will travel by vans and stay downtown at the Wyndham Resort. Be prepared for a great time of worship and teaching from C.J. Mahaney, Steve Lawson, Al Mohler, John MacArthur and Rick Holland. The cost of \$190 includes the conference fee, hotel room, transportation and breakfast! Contact Mischael Liggett to sign up: 602-695-1845 or mrlafl@cox.net.

LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD COOKS! The College and 20's Ministry needs help this summer with Thursday night dinners. We serve a home-cooked meal to 40 collegians and our biggest need is for side dishes (salads, fruits, veggies, desserts). We communicate weekly by e-mail and you can contribute on a weekly, monthly or whatever basis is convenient for you. Drop food off at the church by 6:30 PM on Thursdays; and know that you are welcome to stay for dinner and experience how much our students LOVE this time together! Call Mischael Liggett at 602-695-1845.

JUNE 19TH IS THE DAY – A RUMMAGE SALE to benefit the Rwanda Missions Trip. Please be setting things aside to donate to this rummage sale. The Team is working hard to raise the money needed for their mission trip to Rwanda and this sale will be a significant contributor. It's a great time of year to clean out closets and storerooms! **AND IS THERE ANYONE** who would be willing to store some things in their home or garage until the week before the sale? Contact Kelly Stewart at k.stewart@yahoo.com. As of the 13th, items can be brought to the church.

THE THRIFT STORE DRIVE FOR NEIGHBORHOOD MINISTRIES IS ON! Larger items such as appliances, mattresses, bed frames, bunk beds and furniture are the focus of this drive. They can be scheduled for pick-up by calling Mike Pippenger at 602-909-4355 or emailing him at mikepippenger@gmail.com. You are also invited to participate in a Swimsuit Drive through June 13 by placing new and gently worn children's bathing suits in bins located on our church campus. They will be greatly appreciated by kids served through Neighborhood Ministries during Kids Club, an all day VBS for urban families. If you are looking for hands on involvement in Kids Club, there are many flexible opportunities for people of all ages to participate from June 27 through July 9. Get details in a green flyer at the Welcome Center.

CBC GIVING UPDATE

Budgeted Need for 2 nd Quarter	\$401,884
Actual 2 nd Quarter Giving To Date	\$224,995
Remaining Need for 2 nd Quarter	\$176,889
Last Week's Giving	\$ 20,819