

## Act now for Presbyterian pastors imprisoned in Sudan

Action Alert from the Presbyterian Office of Public Witness (PCUSA).

Reverend Yat Michael and Reverend Peter Yen of the South Sudan Presbyterian Evangelical Church were arrested by the Sudanese National Intelligence Service (NISS) in Khartoum, Sudan on 21 December 2014 and 11 January 2015 respectively. They were charged on 1 March in Khartoum with eight offences under the 1991 Penal Code. They are charged with committing joint acts in execution of criminal conspiracy; undermining the constitutional system; waging war against the state; espionage against the country; disclosure and obtaining information and official documents; promoting hatred amongst or against sects; disturbance of the public peace; and insulting religious creeds. The offences of waging war against the state and of undermining the constitutional system carry the death penalty, while the other six offences carry flogging sentences. It is believed that the two pastors were arrested and charged due to their religious convictions. The two pastors were held incommunicado by the NISS until 2 March, when they were transferred to Kober prison and permitted their first family visits.



Reverend Yat Michael and Reverend Peter Yen went on a hunger strike for two days on 28 and 29 March objecting to their continued detention without trial and to their lack of access to lawyers. They are both now being represented pro-bono by a team of lawyers. They have been to court twice, on 19 May and 31 May. Their last court appearance was on 15 June.

Amnesty International considers Reverend Yat Michael and Reverend Peter Yen as prisoners of conscience, arrested, detained and charged solely because of their peaceful expression of their religious convictions.

- Please write the President, the Secretary of State, and your members of Congress and urge them to:
- Call on the authorities to immediately and unconditionally release Reverend Yat Michael and Reverend Peter Yen and drop all charges against them;

Ensure that pending their unconditional release, Reverend Yat Michael and Reverend Peter Yen are not subjected to torture or other ill-treatment.

You can also write to the following Sudanese officials and ask them for the release and proper treatment of Reverend Michael and Reverend Yen. The letters need to be received before July 21.

The President  
Omar Hassan Ahmad al-Bashir  
Office of the President  
People's Palace  
PO Box 282  
Khartoum, Sudan  
Salutation: Your Excellency

Minister of Justice  
Awad Al Hassan Alnour  
Ministry of Justice  
PO Box 302  
Al Nil Avenue  
Khartoum, Sudan  
Email: [moj@moj.gov.sd](mailto:moj@moj.gov.sd)  
Salutation: Your Excellency

And copies to:  
Minister of Interior  
Ismat Abdul-Rahman Zain Al-Abdin  
Ministry of Interior  
PO Box 873  
Khartoum, Sudan

\*\*Alert courtesy of Amnesty International

Hot Off the Press online: [www.chpc.org](http://www.chpc.org)

## It's Not Too Late

If you would like to see what it is like to serve in Children and Family Ministry, here's your chance, with no strings attached. Fill out the form below and drop it in the offering or give it to a deacon after the service. Mark the days you'd like to "Try It Out" to see if you'd like to be a regular ministry partner in that area. You never know, God may be leading you in that direction. But if you don't think it is a good fit, then no harm, no foul. That's why we call it, "Try It Out" Month.



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I'd like to try out:

- CRASH**  
7-9pm at the Johnson's house
- Wednesday, July 15
  - Wednesday, July 22
  - Wednesday, July 29

- MEGABLAST**  
6:30-8pm at Helen Aichholz's house
- Tuesday, July 14
  - Tuesday, July 28

- FX Night**  
6-7:30pm in the Fellowship Hall
- Wednesday, July 1

- Sunday Morning Foundation Hour**  
10-11:15am on Sunday, July 19
- Nursery
  - 3-4 Year Olds
  - Kindergarten-3rd grade
  - 4th-6th grade
  - 7th-8th grade
  - 9th-12th grade

## 28. sunday

8:00am	Morning Prayer	Prayer Room
9:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:10am	Foundation Hour	
	• Children's Classes	Barnabas Ctr
	• Jr. High	BC 204
	• High School	BC 205-206
	• Adult Spirit Foundation	Various
11:15am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
1:30pm	Adult Children of Alcoholics	Fireside Room

## 29. monday

6:00pm	Community Prayer Walk	House of Joy
7:00pm	College/Young Adult Gathering	Off Campus

## 30. tuesday

6:30pm	Super Choir	Fellowship Hall
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## 1. wednesday

9:30am	Library Work Day	BC 103
6:00pm	FX Night	Fellowship Hall
6:30pm	ACA Meeting	BC 203
7:00pm	Summer CRASH	
	Bi-Polar Support Group	Great Hall
	Kindling Prayer Group	White House
	Worship Team Rehearsal	Sanctuary

## 2. thursday

6:10am	Band of Brothers	Fireside Room
8:30am	Prayer	Prayer Room
10:00am	Knitting Group	Atrium
3:00pm	Farm Market	Parking Lot
6:30pm	Karate	Fellowship Hall
7:00pm	ACA Meeting	Clubroom
7:30pm	Alanon	BC 201 & 202

## 3. friday

Campus Closed for Independence Day

## 4. saturday

Campus Closed for Independence Day

**"LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION" POLICY**  
When parking, remember to keep your valuables and all parcels out of sight safely locked in your trunk. Thieves can even see through dark tinted glass. Don't tempt!

## Children & Youth Helpers in Worship

Children ages Kindergarten through third grade are invited to a Children's Worship service each week. Start off with your families in both the 9am and 11:15am service, then listen for the announcement dismissing the kids to their special service. Just before the sermon, children will be dismissed to their special study and worship time.

This week's helpers are:  
9:00am Jason McSwain / Andrew Duke  
11:15am Aidan Moncelle/Nathan Lowe

Next week's helpers are:  
9:00am Michael & Lucas Fox  
11:15am Toby Knueven / Jonny Wiers

June 28 - July 4 calendar

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**You are invited to join the Mission Team for lunch** today at 12:30pm in the Great Room at Belwood, 1776 Larch Ave [corner of Larch and Belmont] in College Hill. Those serving will speak about their ministry and next steps, and Bethany Custer will explain her new mission to Montenegro. Come for food, fellowship and blessings. Bring a salad or dessert. The main dish will be provided. If possible let us know if you are coming. For more information call Mary Sue [541-7829] or Chappie [542-4968].

**Kindling Prayer Group** meets Wednesday, July 1 at 7pm in the white house. Join us for a time of prayer as we seek God for the needs of CHPC and the community.

**Join us for Africa Night at CHPC!** On Sunday, July 12, from 6-8 p.m. in Fellowship Hall, we will enjoy African culture while we hear from Rudy and Laurie Klaas (25 years in West Africa), Katy Verhagen (just returned from 8 months also in West Africa), and Cindy Brown and the team headed for Hope Community Center Kenya in August.

**Child Care is open every Thursday** in the summer from 9:30am-12:00pm. A reservation is needed and you will have to stay on campus. The charges are \$8.00 per child and \$12.00 per family. Contact Michelle Hemsath for reservations mhemsath@chpc.org or 746-8400.

**Young Adult Leadership Team** We are looking for ministry partners to build relationships with Young Adults, for more information contact Chris Knueven: 513-207-2603; chris@accessaudio.com

**The College Hill Early Literacy Team** has some exciting opportunities over the summer. Please be praying about how God might be calling you to be involved and contact Janet Dumford (541-8281 or janet3747@gmail.com)

- Story Time for kids at the College Hill Farmer's Market. CHPC's parking lot, this summer, Thursday afternoons.
- Contact Early Literacy families to remind/ invite to FX Nights. Meet and greet at FX Nights, Wednesday, July 1, 6 - 7:30pm.
- Staff a table at the annual CommUnity Block Party, Tuesday, August 4, 6-9

**Email Prayer List** If you would like to receive the Prayer Requests and Updates via email, please go to chpc.org. In the main section you will see a small box that says, "Subscribe to our email prayer list:" Enter your email address in the box. Be sure to click on the link in your confirmation email to verify your subscription.

## CHILDREN AND YOUTH

**FX Night is this Wednesday from 6-7:30pm** Come to Fellowship Hall to have some crazy fun with your whole family and connect with families from our community!

**Summer CRASH** meets this week at the Clippard's pool. We will meet from 7-9pm for swimming, games, pizza and Bible Study. If you need a ride, meet at church at 6:30pm, and if you need directions, email Andrew awells@chpc.org.

**3C's will be hosting a Summer Day Camp** There will be great ocean-themed crafts, games, snacks, and so much more! Ages: 3-8 Dates July 20 - 24th Time 9:30am-12:00pm Cost \$60 a child (ask about sibling discount)

## SPECIAL SESSION MEETING

The Session will have a special meeting on July 1, 2015, to vote on calling Rev. Dennis Hall as the Assistant Pastor at CHPC. Please be in prayer for the Hall family, the Session and CHPC during this discernment time. Any active participant at CHPC is welcomed to share feedback and comments with a current elder or attend the Session meeting at 7pm on July 1, in the Barnabas Center Room 201 & 202. Also, members of the Staff Support Team and the Session will be available in the Fireside room between services and after second service today.

## FLOWERS GIVEN THIS MORNING

To the glory of God and in loving memory of Bill Stothfang by Elena and family.

## Register today in the Atrium! Friday, July 17th At North Hills Swim Club



**Our Annual Church Picnic By The Pool & Ministry Partner Appreciation Party**  
5:30pm to 8pm

**North Hills Swim Club**  
6346 Daly Road  
Cincinnati, OH 45224

**Dinner will be served - no need to bring anything except you, your family, your swim suit if you want to swim and a towel.**

## Prayer Page

*"... without ceasing I remember you always in my prayers,"*  
Romans 1:9

## CHPC Community

Tink Linder	Pamela Lippert
Peggy Bell-Lohr	Janice Long
Edgar Loop	Jane Lott
Cathy Lowe	Cedric Lowe

## Staff

Mark Behnken - Organist

## Officers/Leadership

Eileen Boyle - Elder

## Home Bound/Health Center

Jessie Little

## Ministries

Hospital Ministry

## Global Workers

## In the Military

Adam Steveley US Army	Chris Jaeger USMC
Cary Jaeger USMC	Kirk Kalmbacher US Coast Guard
Zach Scharf Army National Guard	Nyjoel Baker Eielson AFB, AK
Danny Holian US Navy Pilot	Will Connor US Army
Joey Nieberding US Army	Peter & Amanda Leugers US Navy

## College/Career Students

Ellen Phillips      Tony Murphy

## Hamilton County JFS Featured Child for Adoption

Keira, Age 13 - Contact Sonya Lary - 513-946-1099

## Children and Youth

Respect (for self, others & authority): "Father, grant that my children may show proper respect to everyone, as your Word commands." (1 Pet. 2:17)

## Congratulations to

Susan Wallace and Mike Jorgensen who were married in our Sanctuary on June 20th.



June 28, 2015

**Brave Church - Maturing**

Preaching: John Shindeldecker

Welcome to College Hill Presbyterian Church

Thank you for worshiping with us today. Single, married, with children or not, there are many opportunities for knowing Christ, worshiping, personal growth and discipleship, service and ministry within the church and beyond the walls.

Visitors - Stop by the welcome table or the desk in the Atrium to find out more about College Hill Presbyterian. Return and become part of this dynamic Church Family.

## Upcoming Services

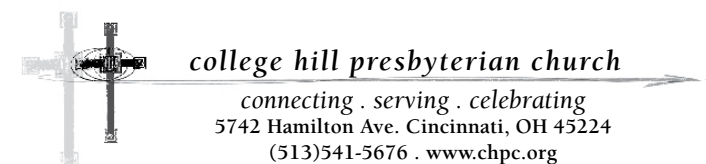
July 5	New Series Begins
	Real Life Wisdom - Honest Questions
July 12	Real Life Wisdom - Honest Answers
July 19	Real Life Wisdom - Everything Is Relative

## Today's Order of Worship

Prelude  
Call To Worship & Opening Prayer  
Songs of Praise  
Time of Confession & Forgiveness  
Song of Response  
Welcome Guests  
Passing the Peace  
Scripture & Sermon  
Pastoral Prayer  
Offering / Closing Song  
Announcements  
Charge and Blessing  
Postlude

## Available Help

Ushers have copies of the song lyrics for the 9am service. Ushers can also provide help with wheelchairs and equipment for hearing assistance. Handicapped accessible restrooms are located off the exit hallway to the right side of the main platform. This exit also leads to handicapped parking spaces.



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