

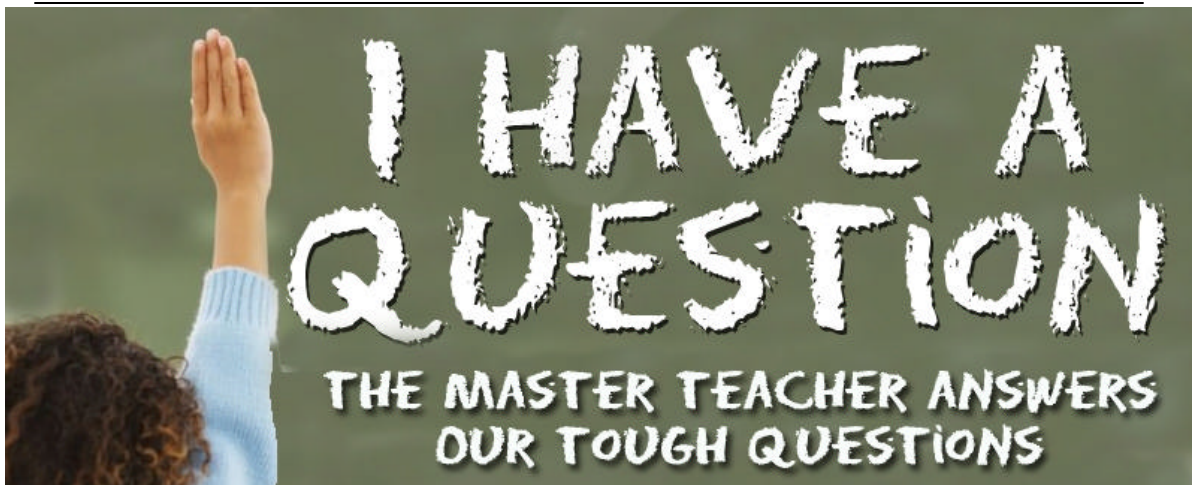
*The Weekly Newsletter of Broadway Christian Church*

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WEEK OF  
FEBRUARY 28, 2010

## Current Sermon Series



For the next several weeks, we'll be continuing our sermon series we're calling "I Have A Question." We're looking at several of the questions found in Luke's Gospel that people asked Jesus, our Master Teacher.

This week's question - **"Why Don't You Wipe Out Evil?"** is found in Luke 9:51-56. The question we'll be addressing is a question that people have been asking God for centuries. I'm guessing that you've asked this question from time to time in your life - I know I have. "God, why don't you just get rid of all evil and suffering and pain in this world?"

I don't know about you, but I'd really prefer for God to give me an easy, stress-free life - as opposed to one with lots of struggles and pain and suffering. Join us this Sunday as we seek some answers to this question.

## The Gathering

Final week of The Gathering:  
Wednesday, March 3 at 6:15pm.  
Supper at 5:15pm

*A new 6-week series of The Gathering  
will begin on Wed., March 30*



## Announcements

**DR Mission Trip:** Sunday, March 7, is the deadline to let Greg know that you want to go to the Dominican Republic from Nov. 11-20.

**Chile earthquake update:** Jack Swanson has sent an email updating us about the damage in Chile. Go to the homepage of the BCC website to read it. [www.broadwaycc.org](http://www.broadwaycc.org)

## Heartland Christian Village Fundraiser

Volunteers will be in both foyers the next two Sundays to accept your donations which are used in Neoga to directly benefit the residents of Heartland Christian Village. Thank you for your help.



## Prayer Concern Updates

Larry Shadow, treatments @ Indy

\*Please remember Dave Carso and family upon his father's passing. Also please remember Harold Burwell and family at the passing of his mother.

## Happy Timers

### Senior Adult Ministry

March 4 - 8:30am. Breakfast in Rm #12.  
Bible Study from Acts. Hosts: #2.

March 11 - 10:30am. Room #12. *Camp New Hope*: Gene Creek. Hosts: #3.

## Thank You

Thank you so much for the care package. You sure know how to make a college athlete happy with food! The baked goods are amazing and plentiful, the school supplies are good too. However, the most influential was the knitted cross: my roommates saw it and began questioning it. I could proudly tell them that I belong to a good church and that God was influential in my life. The cross now hangs on our bulletin board.

Jeremy Shores, Aurora Univ.

Thank you for the care package. As a single mother of four children, trying to go to work and school, every little bit helps! I also want to say thank you to all who have helped my dad have a closer walk with God. Because of this, we now have a closer relationship! For this, I am grateful, though I must admit, the cookies were the next best thing! (Just a chip off the old block) ☺

Lanie (Eveland) Vondohlen

Thank you for the Care Package. It was much appreciated and is truly a blessing to a poor college kid.

Robert Koch @ LCU

Thank you to our BCC family for all the cards and prayers at the time of our loss of my father, Robert Carso.

Dave Carso and family

## Student News

### Junior High/High School Ministry

#### Youth Meetings:

High School: Sunday, Mar. 7 @ 6pm.

Jr. Hi: each Wed. at 6:15pm at the church.

# Broadway SPOTLIGHT

This week, we wanted to give you the opportunity to learn a little bit about our worship minister, Todd Zastrow.

**Background:** Todd was born in Lincoln, Illinois, but for most of his childhood, he grew up in Saybrook. His dad was (and still is) a preacher, and his mom taught piano and worked at



Country Companies Insurance. Todd has one brother, Winston. At age 9, Todd accepted Jesus, and his dad baptized him at Michiana Christian Service Camp in Niles, Michigan. As early as age 5, Todd was plunking out melodies on his piano. He would hear a song or a

musical score, and he would find the notes and play it by ear. He tried piano lessons, but really had no interest - he just wanted to do his own thing. At age 14, he did take some lessons for about a month which taught him theory and how to read chord charts. Starting at age 15, he began performing in a worship band on a regular basis. He began singing in his early teens and had the lead in many musicals in high school. Todd also played the trombone in the marching band.

**Education:** Todd attended Lincoln Christian College as a Music Composition major. He performed in several musicals/dramas at Lincoln, including *Christmas in the Chapel*, *Pirates of Penzance*, *Fiddler on the Roof* and *Children of Eden*.

**Work History:** Todd's first job in ministry began during college where he served as the first worship minister at Highview Christian Church in Washington, Illinois. He met his wife, Kyla,

while working in Washington (some mutual friends set them up). At the time, Kyla lived in Canada, and she was in the ministry, as well. Todd and Kyla married in 2000, and Todd moved to Edmonton where he eventually took over as worship minister at Christ's Church of the Meadows.

**Hobbies/Interests:** As many have found out, Todd is a huge movie buff. He also enjoys video games, 80's pop culture and is a Peanuts collector. Todd also finds pleasure simply in making people laugh - he has a very comical side! A big passion of his is to compose / write music - especially worship music.

**Family:** Todd is married to Kyla. This coming August, they will be married 10 years. They have two sons: Colin, 5 years old and Jaxon, 3 years old.

**Favorites:** Movie - *Jaws*; T.V. show - *The Office*; Food - Tropical Chicken Pizza at Boston Pizza in Canada; Candy - orange slices; Musical Artist - Michael W. Smith (Todd admires him as an excellent songwriter and pianist); Band - Queen; Pro Sports Teams - St. Louis Cardinals, Chicago Bears and Indianapolis Colts; and Scripture - Phil. 4:13.

**Goals:** Todd's goal as worship minister at BCC is to get us to a place where we lose ourselves in worship...leaving our opinions and differences behind and experiencing true worship.

We hope this "Spotlight" sheds some light on Todd, and that you have learned something new about him. If you have any questions, or if you feel you have been blessed with gifts that could contribute to this ministry, please feel free to contact Todd (235-4009).



### Sunday Services:

**Worship** 7:45, 9:00, & 10:30 am  
**Adult Classes** 8:00, 9:00 & 10:30am  
**The Connection** for teens 10:30am  
**Xtreme Kidz Zone** (grade school)  
 9:00 & 10:30am  
**Early Childhood Activities**  
 9:00 & 10:30am  
**Nursery** 9:00 & 10:30 am

### Bcc Staff

Greg Sexton Senior Minister	Casey Scott Outreach
Kevin Wolfe Pastoral Care	Todd Zastrow Worship
Adam Johnson Media & Technology	Sonny Clark Student
Marla Chrisagis Children's Director	Donna Flight Early Child. Director
Dawn Sexton Counselor	Mark Trueblood Facilities Manager

### **February 28, 2010 Stats**

	<u>Our Offering</u>	<u>Our Attendance</u>
General	\$15,657.50	7:45am: 95
Faith Promise	\$1853.00	9:00am: 339
Building Fund	\$619.00	10:30am: 340
Other	\$2760.00	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$20,889.50</b>	<b>Total : 774</b>

Year-to-date Offerings: \$162,382  
 Year-to-date Budget Need: \$161,118  
 Weekly Need: \$17,845



### **Missions of the Month**

Please keep the following missions in your prayers this month:

**Heartland Christian Village**  
 Neoga, IL

**Ozark Christian College**  
 Joplin, MO



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