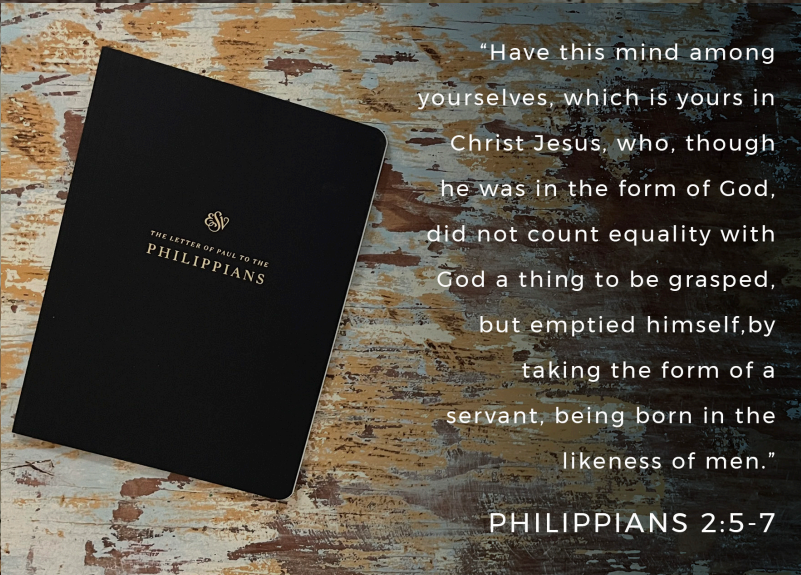


Headwaters

NEWSLETTER

February 12, 2023



“Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.”

PHILIPPIANS 2:5-7



New Sermon Series

JOIN US AS WE STUDY

THE BOOK OF PHILIPPIANS

Beginning February 12th



HEADWATERS
CHURCH

HEADWATERS Parenting Workshop

Fri-Sat,
March 24-25
Friday 6pm-9pm |
Saturday 8am -1:30pm

REGISTER

Church Family

Equipped & Encouraged

Take advantage of this two-day on-site workshop to consider the high call to raising godly kids.

The content is shaped around the advice from the Scottish minister William Still that the best thing parents can do to raise their kids in the Lord is to PRAY for them, teach them the Bible (PRECEPTS), and model faith in their home (PRACTICE).

We'll talk about intentional parenting & fulfilling God's instructed roles for

parents. Receive instruction and resources from experienced parents.

You will be encouraged in the work of parenting, instructed from God's Word, and feel better equipped for home discipleship.

Come and consider parenting—theologically and practically.

WHO: For those currently, or soon to be, actively parenting children of any age

COST: \$40 per family

WHERE: Headwaters Church

INCLUDES:

- Childcare both days
- Meal for parents Friday night
- Light Breakfast Saturday
- Lunch for kids Saturday afternoon





Ministry Spotlight:

Find Community in ABF

Every Sunday morning we have Adult Bible Fellowships (ABFs) during both worship hours. At Headwaters the ABFs serve as the primary location for relationship and person-to-person discipleship for adults.

Which ABF should I try?

The ABFs are loosely arranged by the decade in which you were born. However, the age ranges are merely suggestions; you are welcome to attend any ABF that fits you or your family. If you are not currently attending an ABF we would like to invite you to come and delight in obeying the New Testament by knowing and being known, loving and being loved, caring and being cared for. Come and build community within the body of Christ.

Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact Luke Suci, Director of Discipleship at lsuci@headwaterschurch.org.

BORN	AGE	TIME	LOCATION
'90-'00	20-30	9 am	Room 312
'85-'95	25-35	10:45 am	Room 310
'80-'90	30-40	10:45 am	Room 304
'75-'85	35-45	10:45 am	Room 306
'70-'80	40-50	10:45 am	Room 312
'65-'75	45-55	9 am	Room 304
'60-'70	50-60	9 am	Room 310
Legacy	55+	9 am	Chapel



DON'T JUST ATTEND... BELONG

Sunday mornings are just the beginning!

Discover and embrace your place on the ministry team—so that together, we can impact lives for Christ.

Our next I BELONG HERE Membership Class is Sun, Feb 19 | 9:15a-Noon.

Come to this class if you are interested in membership or just to learn more about who we are and what we believe.

We'll go over why membership in the local church is important, what we believe and what we do at Headwaters. After this class you'll have a better understanding of our mission & goals, our ministry team, elders and deacons, how our church is governed, different ministries of our church, as well as your responsibilities as a church member! There will be plenty of time for questions and answers. We're looking forward to getting to know you better.

This class lasts all morning. There is a break mid-way through. Childcare is available during services with Headwaters Kids.

Meet Jim at the Welcome Center at 9:00 am.

REGISTER

You can also register on our website or with the Church Center App.

Noah's HOPE

Ministering to families in our city grieving the loss of a baby



Headwaters Women

Reaching the Brokenhearted

Noah's Hope is a ministry offering comfort to families in our community experiencing the loss of a baby. Over 1,500 memory books and over 2000 Bears have been given since 2008. These simple gifts affirm that each life is special, no matter how small.

You don't have to be crafty. If you have received comfort from God in your troubles (2 Cor 1:3-4), then we'd love for you to join us!

We are going to try to assemble 530 bears!

Sun, Feb 19
6-8pm | Building 2

Read more at noahshopebears.blogspot.com or contact Jen Potter at jpotter@headwaterschurch.org. ■

REGISTER

KIDS 'N PRAISE!

HEADWATERS CHILDREN'S CHOIR

This Spring We're Offering 2 Choirs:

REGISTER

CHOIR #1: for Grades 3-6

5 Rehearsals: March, 8, 15, 22, 29 & April 12

| Wednesdays 5:15-6:15

1 Performance: Choir #1 will sing in Sunday morning services on April 16

CHOIR #2: for Grades K-2

2 Rehearsals: April 26 & May 3rd |

Wednesdays 5:15-6:15

1 Performance: Choir #2 will sing in Sunday morning services on May 14th (Mother's Day)

For parents grieving the death of a child at any age



Bereaved Parent Support Group

Wed, Feb 22 | 6:30-8pm
Building 2 | Meeting Room A

Jr. High All-Nighter

Fri, Feb 10 | 7p-7a



Fun • Games • Bring a Friend • **REGISTER ONLINE**

Your Jr. Higher does not want to miss this event!

We will be playing tons of games, using the entire building, and staying up all night!! This is a great event to bring a friend to as we will be sharing the gospel and making lots of memories.

There will be snacks throughout the night and donuts for breakfast so please be sure to feed your students dinner before coming.

\$5 suggested donation.

REGISTER



Sr. High Youth

Join us for...

“THE BIG GAME”

Sun, Feb 12 | 6-9:30
The Opliger's Home
12741 Schwartz Rd. | Grabill

THE PLAN:

A fun night of food, board games, basketball, dodgeball, and of course “The Big Game” (the Superbowl).

Come and enjoy time with friends as we play games win prizes and watch the game.

WHAT TO BRING:

Last Names A-M bring dessert | N-Z bring a side





Choir for Older Adults (no age limits)

This choir is for all ability levels. If you sing parts—great. If you only sing melody—great. If you can't carry a tune—great. There will be speaking parts and props to prepare. There is something for everyone. Cathie Markstahler is the Director.

The Saints Choir will meet weekly on Thursday mornings, from 9:30am-10:30am, in the Chapel, beginning February 23.

Questions? Contact Ellen eford@headwaterschurch.org or Cathie claudeandcathie@yahoo.com & 260-578-8155 for more info.

REGISTER



Headwaters Kids

3rd, 4th & 5th Grade On-Site Retreat

Who: 3rd-5th grades

What: On-site retreat; sack lunch provided (lunch meat sandwich, water, sides); afternoon snacks

Theme: The Amazing Race: We'll talk about how we get in the race (Gospel), stay in the race (struggles and perseverance), and finish the race (discipleship).

When: Feb 25, 10am-5pm

Where: Headwaters campus

Suggested donation:
\$10

REGISTER

This is a great time of learning and growing together. We hope your kids can join us!



sidebyside
encouragement & support for moms of littles

2nd & 4th Mondays | Sep-May | 9-11a

Community Egg Hunt

Sat, Apr 8 | 10-noon

Rain Date Sun, Apr 9 | 4pm

Community Outreach

Eggcellent Opportunity!

Headwaters Kids is starting to prepare for our 2nd annual community outreach Egg Hunt, and we need your help to make it a success & reach our neighbors!

WHO IT'S FOR:

This event will be geared for children 0-10 and their families.

WHAT WE'RE PLANNING:

AGE APPROPRIATE:

We will have 3 separate areas set up for different age groups to hunt 20,000 candy-filled eggs!

Age 0-3	10:00 am
Age 4-6	10:20 am
Age 7-10	10:40 am

RAFFLE PRIZES: There will be raffle prizes, including 2 bicycles, and 2 Easter baskets of goodies for a boy and girl in each age group.

GOSPEL MESSAGE: Each child will take home a gospel message and an invite to church for their family.

FAMILY FUN: Spring photo-op, bubbles, balloon artists, and music

WE'LL NEED YOU!

VOLUNTEER OPTIONS:

EVENT DAY: We'll need all hands on deck to welcome families, direct foot traffic, hand out bags, candy, & coupons, and collect eggs after the hunt. More Details coming soon!

EGG-FILLERS: Before hand, we'll need volunteers/families to take home 500 eggs and candy and bring them back filled before the event.

WATCH FOR MORE INFO COMING SOON!

ITEMS NEEDED:

CANDY & RAFFLE PRIZES: We created a [Walmart Event Registry](#) to make it easy to shop for the candy raffle prizes.

You can access it [HERE](#) or search Registries on Walmart.com for "Headwaters Egg Hunt 2023 Donations"

You may have items shipped directly to **Church**. Or you may ship to your home and drop them off at the **Welcome Center** or **Church Office** M-F 9-4.:

Headwaters Church - ATTN Erin Wood
2000 N. Wells St.
Fort Wayne, IN 46808
260-489-4942

REGISTRY

QUESTIONS:

Contact Erin Wood at ewood@headwaterschurch.org



Headwaters Kids & Missions

Awana GO | Global Outreach

Empowering disciples to live on mission

Our 2023 Project

This year we are joining Awana with the Africa School Project. The country of Africa has invited Awana in to their public schools—what an exciting opportunity! Click [HERE](#) to see a video about this project

What is Awana Go?

Awana GO (global outreach) connects kids and adults to God's heart for the world, and invites you to partner with Awana for greater Kingdom impact as you carry out your Great Commission vision.

This mission project ignites kids' passion, energy, and imaginations to what God is doing around the world.

We have an opportunity to join Him where He has opened doors in public schools in Africa.

Donation Buckets will be located in the Kids hall for the month of February!

HEADWATERS
Marriage Retreat
2024

Get Away in 2024

We will be doing an off-site Marriage Retreat every other year, alternating with an on-site Parenting Workshop.

Pickleball

Monday Nights
5:30-8pm

- Track Open
- Bring water bottle
- Children must be supervised at all times

WEATHER-RELATED SERVICE CHANGES?

- ✓ Check our **Website**
headwaterschurch.org
- ✓ Check our **Facebook**
- ✓ Check **TV & Radio**
(WANE & WBCL)

Saturday Morning Men's Basketball

Every Saturday
6-8 am

Bring a Friend.
Questions? contact Jon Dammeyer
jdammeyer@headwaterschurch.org

Headwaters

Theater Camp

AUDITIONS
Wed, May 10
5:30p | Chapel

6th-9th Grade
June 19-23 | 9a-2p
Performance: June 23 | 6:30p

SAVE THE DATE

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TWISTS & TURNS

FOLLOWING JESUS CHANGES THE GAME PSALM 25:4

VBS 2023 **JULY 17-21** | 9 am - Noon

HEADWATERS

SPORTS CAMP 2022

June 12-16 | 9 am - noon

Upcoming 4th-6th Graders

Basketball or Volleyball

SAVE THE DATE

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4th & 5th Grade RETREAT

Fri-Sun, Aug 4-6



WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENSE CLASS

Sat, Mar 11

9am-4pm | Krav maga Room

Cost: \$10 / person

Lunch provided

REGISTER ONLINE

Headwaters Women

One-Day Self-Defense Class

We are holding another session of self-defense training on Saturday, March 11 from 9am-4pm. Please arrive between 8:30 & 9am to check in.

Self-Defense starts with self-awareness and an awareness of your environment. Learn simple, effective self-defense taught by trained & certified professional instructors.

Registration is limited to 30 participants.

This training is for women of Headwaters Church (minors 14+ must be accompanied by parent/legal guardian)

Topics covered include:

- Avoiding presenting the appearance of a victim
- Managing verbal encounters
- Understanding and managing "personal space"
- Learn to trust your instincts
- When is violence "the answer"?
- Weapons in a weapons-free zone
- Identifying soft targets
- Intro to use of physical tactics (practical application)
- How to safely exit an encounter

Cost: \$10.00 per person

Lunch provided

Casual Clothes preferred

REGISTER



Jubilee Ladies Luncheon



Thur, Feb 16 | noon

Building 2 | Meeting Room A

We will be serving **breakfast food for lunch.**

One of our ladies will be sharing her **testimony.**

After the testimony, we will be cutting and tying fleece blankets for New Mercies Ministries.

If you have good material scissors, please bring them. **Please RSVP!**

Save the date for March 16!



RSVP Online

Headwaters Merch



Order your custom Headwaters Gear in our online shop.

headwaters-merch.myspreadshop.com

MEAL ministry



If you would like to serve Headwaters Families in difficult times by providing a meal... Please call the Church Office or email jfredrick@headwaterschurch.org

Headwaters Weekly Prayer Email



If you would like to receive this email each Wednesday or have a prayer request to share... Please call the Church Office or email jfredrick@headwaterschurch.org

FIND US IN THE CHURCH CENTER APP!



GET IT ON Google Play

Download on the App Store

DOWNLOAD TODAY FOR INFO, GIVING, AND EVENT REGISTRATION!

headwaters kids



Would you like to...
 • Assist a Teacher
 • Cuddle a Baby
 • Read to a Toddler

WE NEED YOU!

Contact Erin Wood | ewood@headwaterschurch.org

A Place to Hang your Coat!



Take advantage of our NEW COAT RACKS located near the Welcome Center!

Get our weekly Newsletter in your *inbox!*



We just surpassed **500** subscribers!!!

Subscribe Today!



Go to: headwaterschurch.org

Because of what we SHARE we SHARE



- We have a shared view of **GOD'S GREATNESS**—Amplify Him!
- We have a shared view of the **CHURCH'S MISSION**—Proclaim Him!
- We have a shared love of our **NEIGHBORS**—Love Them!

Because of what we share...

We share the **GOSPEL**, our **LIVES**, and our **WEALTH**

Ways to Give:

- Church Center App
- headwaterschurch.org
- QR Code
- Check (in memo: Share²)
- Cash (offering boxes)



please check **Lost & Found**




Items will only be kept for **6 weeks** before they are donated.

Located on Main Level near Kids Check-in

Join us mid-week for our Wednesday Night Ministries

Call the Church Office
TODAY and we can
get you plugged in!

260-489-4942



Age 2 - 6th grade
Wednesdays | 6:30-8:00pm



Wednesdays • 6:30-8pm
Jr High • grades 6-8 • Room 110
Sr High • grades 9-12 • Room 106



ADULT DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES
Wednesdays | 6:30-8:00pm

- Creative Teaching Strategies
- Evangelism: Biblical Principles; Faithful Application
- Habakkuk: Learning to Live by Faith (WOMENS STUDY)
- Christianity's Starting 5 (+1)
- Prayer Meeting

Join a Class

REGISTER ONLINE



Wednesday Night Bible Study
For college-age young adults

Wednesdays 8:30p
Dusseau's Home | 8622 Manor Dr.



If you are new or have questions, please visit our **Welcome Center** where our staff is waiting to assist.

Sunday Morning Ministries

9:00 am

Service | Gym/Worship Center

Kids | birth - 3rd grade

Adult Bible Fellowships

10:45 am

Service | Gym/Worship Center

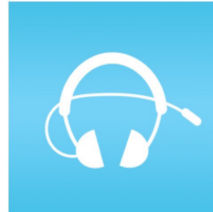
Kids | birth - 5th grade

Youth | 6th-12th grade

Adult Bible Fellowships



Join us in Prayer
Sundays
8:30-8:40am
Room 106



If you need **HEARING ASSISTANCE** today, we can help.

We also offer **LIVE SPANISH TRANSLATION** of our services.

Inquire at the Sound Booth in the back of the Worship Center.



MAY WE PRAY FOR YOU?
Communication Card Online
headwaterschurch.org
under **RESOURCES**



Get a free cup of coffee
Just up the ramp!



ABF ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS
find Community

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20-SOMETHINGS
Sundays @ 7pm
Chapel





Open Sundays
noon-12:30pm
 Lower Level
 near Restrooms

How to ask for Assistance:
 Inquire at the Welcome Center or Church Office, 260-489-4942.
 Our only requirement for receiving help from the Food Pantry is that you attend a Sunday morning service.

FOOD PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED:

- Boxes of Rice
- Boxes of Hamburger Meals
- Boxes of Crackers
- Bottles of Hair Conditioner
- Hearty Soups
- Jelly



Drop off at **Welcome Center** or Church Office



NEW
MERCIES
 MINISTRIES

NEEDS: BOYS SOCKS SIZES 0-12MO & 2T-3T

Drop off donations at the Welcome Center or Church Office, marked "New Mercies Ministries"



Membership



If you are interested in becoming a Member at Headwaters, contact the Church Office to join the next "I BELONG HERE" Class.

Candidate:
 Bruce Balasa

New Sermon Series

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THE BOOK OF PHILIPPIANS

Beginning February 12th



Wells Street Parking Lot

Reserved for:
 Families with young children & Legacy ABF

Let us know how we can pray for you. Fill out an online Communication Card on our website.

General Giving Totals

Share² Capital Fund* Giving

Last Week **\$45,381**
 Weekly Budget \$42,187
 YTD Giving \$212,068
 YTD Budget \$253,122

Last Week **\$1,877**
 YTD Giving \$118,676
 Total Share² Giving \$584,259

Attendance 981

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Office Hours:
 M-F | 9am-4pm



*The Share² Capital Fund is a building fund for construction of a sanctuary, lobby, & kitchen. You can watch a flyover of an early version of the proposed spaces [HERE](#).