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1. **Tired of Trying All the Tricks?**

Find the answers at this seminar. Go to: <http://www.cciwdisciples.org/dana/Grace2.pdf>

2. **Summit 2007 is Coming!**

You can find the flyer at: <http://www.cciwdisciples.org/dana/youth/S07flyer.pdf>

You can find the Registration form at: <http://www.cciwdisciples.org/dana/youth/youth.htm>

3. **General Assembly 2007**

"General Assembly was AWESOME!!" "Everything was great - worship, workshops, fellowship, speakers - superb!" "Boy...you sure missed a great Assembly!" "This has to be the best assembly ever!"

This is just a smattering of the comments the Regional Office has been getting about General Assembly. For those who did not attend or were unable to attend, cassette tapes (\$5 each), CDs (\$10 each), VHS tapes (\$15 each) and DVDs (\$20 each) are available for purchase. There are 57 presentations offered; 37 for General Assembly and 20 for NEW (evangelism workshop).

There are 3 ways to order: Phone: 502-477-5008; Email at: orders@greenhill-productions.com; Write: GreenHill Productions, 8070 Mount Washington Road, Taylorsville, KY 40071

4. **Clergy Ethics Seminar - 3rd Tier**

The 3rd tier of the Healthy Boundaries-Clergy Ethics seminars is coming soon. The first tier - Healthy Boundaries was offered in 2004 & 2005. The second tier - Legal Issues was offered in 2006. This third tier - "Clergy Wellness and Self-Care" will be held September 25, September 26, October 18, October 20.

If you **did not** attend a Healthy Boundaries seminar in 2004, you will need to attend this seminar to be in compliance with the CCIW Clergy Ethics Regional Policy which is: *If a minister has not participated in a CCIW Clergy Ethics seminar within the last three year period, the Regional Policy does not permit Regional staff to write a reference on behalf of the minister.*

For information and registration form, go to: <http://www.cciwdisciples.org/dana/07HealthyBoundaries.pdf>

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5. Mission Trip News

In a recent letter from Tod Iseminger, Minister for Leader Development with Disciples Home Missions, special recognition and thanks was given to congregations who took part in the Disciples Home Missions and Disciples Hurricane Recovery Initiative.

Prairie Avenue Christian Church, Decatur, and First Christian Church, Mt Carmel were erroneously omitted from the list. Prairie Avenue sent 2 people with Central Decatur's group, and First Christian sent 12 people to Hattiesburg, MI.

6. Invitation to a Wedding

Pastor Greg Summers (Youth Minister at First Christian Church, 401 W Jefferson, Bloomington, IL 61701) and Ms. Christi Phillips will be united in marriage on Sunday, September 2nd at 5 pm at First Christian Church. The CCIW Region is invited and we send Greg and Christi our best wishes.

7. Ministry Committee Materials Due Soon

If you are a clergy who needs to meet with the Ministry Committee October 24th or 25th, your materials are due by September 1. Please call Fay Bailiff at 309-828- 6293 to schedule an appointment.

8. Logos Training Coming Our Way

The Logos Experience has been a positive influence in the lives of many of our youth. If your church is interested in the program, or would like to register for the 2 1/2 day training, go to this link for information: <http://www.thelogosministry.org>

9. Regional Prayer Concerns

Kurtis Sanders, who will be ordained August 26th in a 3 pm service at Marshall Avenue Christian Church, Mattoon.

Burt Hankins, pastor at Chapin Christian Church, is having a skin cancer removed August 2nd.

Dr Ed and Bernadine Morris arrived home today from General Assembly, where Bernadine suffered a stroke. She is presently at Advocate Christ Rehabilitation Hospital, Oak Lawn, where she will undergo therapy. The Morris' are very glad to be home and very grateful for the many prayers and expressions of concern on their behalf. Cards can be sent to them at: 1074 Amherst Lane, University Park, IL 60466.