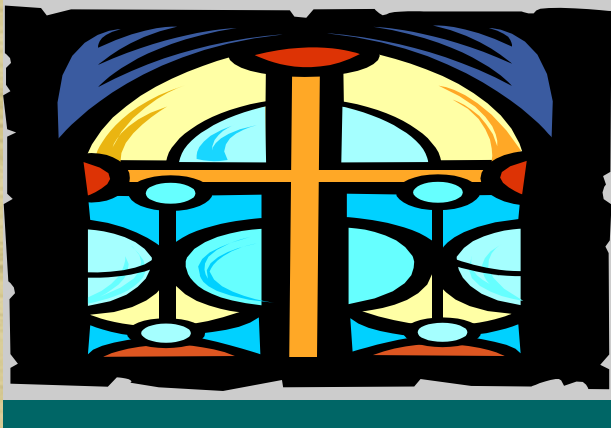


# The Christian Community At Solomon's Porch

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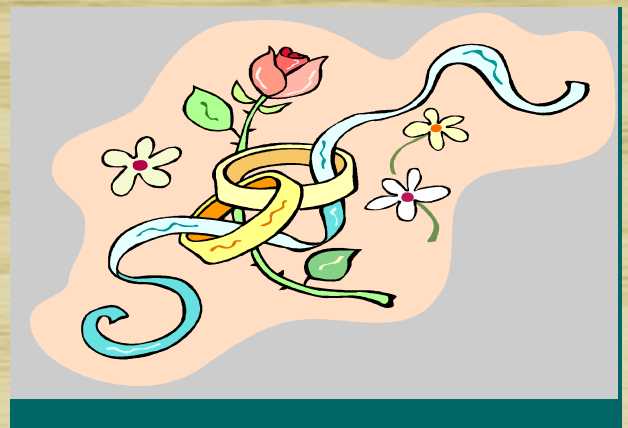
## Words To Build A Life On...

“These words I speak to you are not incidental additions to your life, homeowner improvements to your standard of living. They are foundational words, words to build a life on. If you work these words into your life, you are like a smart carpenter who built his house on solid rock. Rain poured down, the river flooded, a tornado hit— but nothing moved that house. It was fixed to the rock. But if you just use my words in Bible studies and don't work them into your life. You are a stupid carpenter who built his house on the sandy beach. When a storm rolled in and the waves came up, it collapsed like a house of cards.”

Matthew 7:24-27 the Message

## Wedding Blessings!

We are so happy to have shared in the wedding ceremony that united Ralph and Rimma Wasson in a spiritual ceremony of marriage here at Solomon's Porch on June 6, 2010. The ceremony was followed by a beautiful reception honoring the couple. Thank you to the youth that assisted in set up and clean up for the reception, as well as all those that helped with the fantastic meal to celebrate their union. It was a blessed day for all those in attendance.



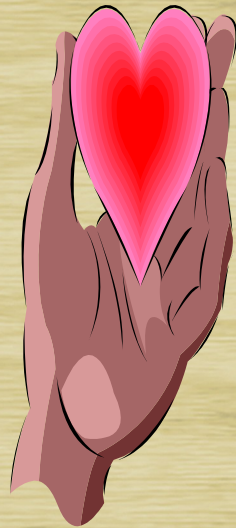
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## Treasurer's Report As Of June 2010



**Received This Month: \$ 3,868.00**

<b>Allocations:</b>		<b>Missions Total</b>	<b>\$ 1195.00</b>
Church Operations	\$ 1,267.00	Deacon's Fund	\$ 352.00
Elder's Fund	\$ 495.00	Capital Improvements	\$ 281.00
Carey's	\$ 179.00	Henry's	\$ 390.00
Little's	\$ 216.00	JC Clubs	\$ 166.00
World Vision	\$ 90.00	Capital Rescue Mission	\$ 154.00



"Bring all the tithes into the storehouse so there will be enough food in my Temple. If you do," says the LORD of Heaven's Armies, "I will open the windows of heaven for you. I will pour out a blessing so great you won't have enough room to take it in! Try it! Put me to the test! "

**Malachi 3:10 (New Living Translation)**

<http://TheFellowshipatSolomonsPorch.org>

## Building Update~

Work will be starting this month on the North and East elevations of the barn. We will be installing and painting new siding as well as replacing and adding louvers, windows, and a door, you are encouraged to be involved in whatever way the Lord might direct. Some will be able to help with carpentry, painting, providing finances, praying; all are necessary for us to complete what was started last summer.

## Upcoming Events

### ◆ June 15, 2010:

**Women's Christian Faith Fellowship Meeting located at :**

**Hudson Park Restaurant:**

**3521 Route 9**

**Hudson, NY**

**We meet every 3rd Tuesday of the month from 6:30 -7:30 p.m. All ladies are welcome to attend and bring a friend! For more information contact Maggie McDonough, (518) 537-3662.**

### ◆ June 19, 2010:

**Elijah's Fire & Friends Music Festival at:**

**Solid Rock Church**

**1 Kenwood Avenue (Route 32 and Kenwood Avenue)**

**Glenmont, NY**

**The festival kicks off with Worship at 11:15 a.m. carried on through until 7:00 p.m.. Come Early, Stay late...Music for everyone. Over 10 bands will be there to praise Jesus! There will be hotdogs, hamburgers, chips, soda, and more... Bring a blanket or chair.**

**Visit their website at [www.StillRockinForThe King.com](http://www.StillRockinForTheKing.com)**

**<http://TheFellowshipatSolomonsPorch.org>**

**We welcome submissions for the Upcoming Events page of our newsletter. If you have any events that you would like to share, please submit them to Maggie McDonough. Her contact information is as follows:**

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## Coffee House History

The barn that we meet in regularly was originally a Christian Coffeehouse that was instrumental in touching many lives over a thirty plus year period.

The original coffeehouse started during the Charismatic Renewal of the early 70's as the owners of this property Hazen and Mary Berry began ministering to young people in the community. Christian Community Church was formed in 1977 and began meeting in the barn and eventually bought the property from the Berry's in 1979 when they moved out of the area. For a time Pete and Marylyn Rogati headed up the coffeehouse out of a building on Main Street Valatie called Sarah's Place in honor of their infant daughter who died of SIDS and ministered to folks on Maine Street.



John Henry then took over the ministry at Sarah's Place until he left for YWAM in the mid 80's. Bob & Jan Wasson were living in Maine at this time and felt strongly that they were to move back to the area to be involved in the coffeehouse. They were more than involved as they were the directors for 20 + years and along with George Isley the ministry evolved into outreach to trouble kids from Berkshire Farm and St. Ann's.

Bob and Jan both came to a point where they felt the Lord saying that the coffeehouse should end for a season. Through prayer and counsel it seemed clear in 2009 that the coffeehouse should resume which brings us today as we are looking for input from the fellowship as to how we are to proceed. If you have thoughts, ideas, impressions, direction from the Lord, or a desire to be involved please let me know so that we might continue under HIS direction.