Church of Christ

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Dear Stan,

The following is a brief account of the beginnings of the congregation of the Lord's church in Tecumseh, Michigan as taken from a directory published a couple of years ago:

The Tecumseh church met for the first time on December 7, 1952. Eighteen gathered in the basement of Bro. and Sis. Leonard Rucker's home. In May of 1953, the church began meeting in the former Knights of Columbus hall in the downtown area. Another move took place approximately one year later when the building at 302 E. Chicago Blvd. was purchased. In 1972, the present building was purchased and has served the needs of the congregation to this point.

Ministers who have served the congregation in the approximate order of their service include: Leonard Rucker, Paul McAllister, Red Pistole, Paul Randolph, Lewis Randolph, Harold Driscoll, Merle Mackey, Larry Reynolds, Otis Lang, Roy Story, Jim Powell and Thomas Hawkins.

Currently, we are seeing about 120-130 in attendance on Sundays. As I told you on the phone a few days ago, we recently hired a new minister, Thomas Hawkins whose wife's name is Vera. They have three children, Russell, Tommy, and Amy. Their address is:

Thomas Hawkins 6876 Plantation St. Tecumseh, MI 40286 (517)432-9641

If I can be of any further assistance to you, please don't hesitate to call or write me.

In His service,

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