



e're excited to announce our new, part-time Youth Pastor Brandon Fields! Brandon is from New Palestine, Indiana. He's a

recent graduate of Moody Bible Institute, where he majored in youth ministry. He's been

involved with Quest since January 2014, but has worked with youth for over four years. He has experience working with ages ranging from grade school through college. Brandon married Katie, his friend of over ten years, in August 2013, and recently moved to Palatine to be closer to Quest.



**BRANDON FIELDS** 

Because it became clear that the Metropolis Performing Arts Centre was no longer the

best fit for Quest, on May 1, we stepped out on faith and gave our 30-day notice. When the first venue we were investigating fell through, God opened another door. Ed and Brandon had been volunteering during Friday afternoon drop-in time at the local teen center. When the first venue fell through, they thought, "Why not the teen center?" So, we started to get that ball rolling. Now, we are moving to the Campus Life Teen Center (CLTC) as soon as our 30 days are up.

## **COMMUNITY IMPACT**

In honor of Mother's Day, we had two outreach projects. First, we purchased items to make little gift bags for moms. Ed and Brandon enlisted youth at CLTC to put the bags together and we attached a card wishing a "Happy Mother's Day" from Quest Church. The youth at CLTC took one home for their mother, and then 30 were given to a local day care for the mothers of the children who attend there.

Also, we purchased 75 carnations and designed a special Mother's Day card from Quest Church, which we attached to each carnation. After the Sunday gathering, we divvied up the carnations among the Questers, who handed them out at local restaurants and stores until every flower was in the hands of a mom.





Ten core Questers marched in the local Memorial Day parade. We passed out 1,000 invitations to a cookout at our new location to the adults on the parade route, and we passed out 5,000 little bags of Jelly Belly's to the kids. We had a brand new banner, and everyone wore Quest t-shirts. It was a great chance to get our name out there and a great chance to serve with fellow Questers.

We will be meeting in our new venue starting June 1. We're planning a big community cookout for June 8. We're also trying to find a good baptism solution, as we have two Questers who've shown an interest in taking that step. Our June newsletter should be jam-packed with amazing things that God is doing through Quest in Arlington Heights.



And we're always thankful to those who support us financially and spiritually. We couldn't do this without your prayer and financial support! If you would like to be part of our prayer team, please contact Ed or Kim, and we'll add you. Those on the prayer team receive specific prayer requests and regular updates. The more prayer warriors, the better!

## **CONTACT US!**

If you know of someone in the area who may be looking for a church, please refer them to our website www.quest-church.com. There's tons of great content and accurate info on location and service times. You can also refer them directly to Ed by email, ed@quest-church.com, phone, 309-712-6495. And finally, some of you may not have Ed & Kim's new personal address, 2764 N. Buffalo Grove Rd, Apt 103, Arlington Heights, IL 60004. But for church-related stuff, you can always use the church's address, P.O. Box 1642, Arlington Heights, IL 60005.

Blessings! Ed & Kim