



VBS Is Coming June 15-19

G'Day Mate!

Take a thrilling ride across the land down under with Boomerang Express! As kids wind their way across Australia, they'll discover the vastness of God's love, and they'll learn that no matter where they go or what they do in life-it all comes back to Jesus.

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
for ages Preschool through 6th Grade

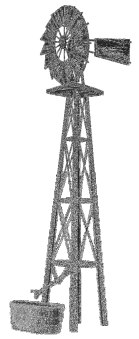
Family Night: Thursday Night, June 18th
at 6:30 p.m.

Call Jen Bennett (797-4647) to help or for questions.

Sunday, June 14 VBS Picnic

5:00 p.m.
at Mike Sedar Park
Hamburgers & Hot Dogs Provided - Bring Sides

Service there at 6:00 p.m.



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for Seniors Adults

June 23rd • 10:30 a.m.
tour of the new
**Fort Casper
Museum**



Bring your own picnic lunch

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Events of the Month

Regular Schedule

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- 4 - WOMEN ON MISSION CARE NET SHOWER..... 7:00 p.m.
- 7 - NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER
- 14 - VBS PICNIC & SERVICE..... 5:00 p.m.
- 15-19 - VBS..... 9:00 a.m. to Noon
- 21 - FATHER'S DAY
- 21 - DEACON'S MEETING..... 5:30 p.m.
- 22 - 26 - WORLD CHANGERS
- 23 - XYZ..... 10:30 a.m.
- June 27 - July 4 - CANADA MISSION TRIP
- CARE Ministry Activities each Mon. or Tues. (6:30 p.m.)

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

- Early Morning Worship..... 8:00 a.m.
- KUYO Radio Program, 830 AM..... 9:00 a.m.
- Bible Study for all ages..... 9:15 a.m.
- Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
- Midwest Worship Service 3:00 p.m.
- Youth Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
- Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

MONDAYS

- Men's Morning Prayer..... 6:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAYS

- Preschool (3-K)/Children/Youth Activities..... 6:30 p.m.
- Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
- Choir Rehearsal 7:45 p.m.

THURSDAYS

- Men's Discipleship Brkfst at the Platte River..... 6:30 a.m.
- Midwest Activities - Adults, Youth & Children..... 6:30 p.m.

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FROM PASTOR QUIN

WOW!! It's hard to believe that we are already moving into the sixth month of 2009. As I get older one of the observations that I am appreciating more and more is the turning of the seasons. I know that you are saying that it is easy to enjoy the turning of winter to spring, then to summer, but the turning to fall then winter are not so welcomed. Well, each of us will have our own opinion of that, but after a few days of 95+ or 100+ temperatures, we will all be looking for a good cold snap.

I also find it interesting as to how we identify seasons. As I have already mentioned, we refer to the seasons in the traditional winter, spring, summer, and fall. But, some folks view other seasons that turn. For instance, sports fans view a year as turning from baseball, to football, to basketball, and so on. Outdoorsmen view seasons according to available species, antelope, deer, elk seasons are always on our minds. For fishermen it is ice fishing season or open water fishing season. For travelers it is icy road season or construction. While I am no expert in the matter, shoppers go by seasons as well. Winter and summer fashions are different, and forbid the scandal if the two overlap!

In the third chapter of the Book of Ecclesiastes, Solomon says that in life, everything has its season. What a great truth that is! All of us are in a particular season of our lives. Everyday is a new opportunity to take advantage of that season. There are things that we can do when we are young that we cannot do when we are old. Likewise, there are things that we can do when we are old that were not available to us when we are young. Every season of life has that characteristic.

The turning of the seasons of life is different from the turning of the seasons that I mentioned earlier. If I miss an opportunity to do something this summer, it is very likely that I will get a chance to do it next year. If my favorite baseball team does not win the World Series (Cubs fans this for you) we can always say, "Wait 'till next year!" If I do not get a big elk this year, I will try again next year. Hope springs eternal!

The seasons of life generally do not repeat themselves. If you do not do something when you are young, you will not become young again, so that opportunity is missed forever. (I know that some of us go through a second childhood, but that is usually a problem, not an opportunity.) Each of us is in a particular season of our life. That season offers opportunities that are unique to that season. So, Solomon is trying to tell us to take advantage of each of our seasons of life, so that nothing is missed. How do we determine the value of a seasonal opportunity? Solomon tells us that too. "Fear God and keep His commandments, for this is man's all." Ecclesiastes 12:13

In Christ,
Pastor Quin

SHARE & CARE FOR CARE NET.

Ladies, come to a shower for Care Net on Thursday evening June 4, at 7:00 p.m., at Michaele Hudson's home, 1033 W. 23rd.

Terry Winship will be there along with one of the ladies Care Net has impacted.

Needed items:

- ◇ **Baby lotion, baby wash, baby powder**—they put these items in the layettes we give to our patients. They have plenty of blankets, clothing, etc to put in the layettes.
- ◇ **Post-it notes**—the small and the regular sizes
- ◇ **8 ½ by 11 copy paper**
- ◇ **Ball point pens**
- ◇ **Black Sharpie markers**
- ◇ **Scotch tape**
- ◇ **Staples**

**OFFICE SUPPLIES
ARE NEEDED.
GIFT CARDS FOR
OFFICE MAX OR STAPLES
WOULD BE GREAT!**

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CARE

- "C" Team - Monday, June 1st - 6:30 p.m.
- "A" Team - Tuesday, June 9th - 6:30 p.m.
- "R" Team - Monday, June 15th - 6:30 p.m.
- "E" Team - Tuesday, June 23rd - 6:30 p.m.

There is **always** room in our CARE ministry for additional faithful team members! Contact Heather Valdez at the church office, 261-9896, or at home, 472-0734.

You will be richly blessed as you richly bless others!

Titus 2 Women

Titus 2 Women is a ministry for women at Boyd Avenue that was set up to give women an opportunity to be a part of Bible studies, fellowship with other women, and mission work. The name comes from the book of Titus 2:3-5, where we believe we can use this ministry to disciple other women and also open up opportunities for women outside our church to join us and be a part of what we are doing.

Our ministry has been busy with many different things. There have been Bible studies offered for both mornings and evenings. We have had cake decorating classes, scrapbooking and pottery classes. Most recently we went to Billings, MT to be a part of the Women of Faith conference. Coming up, we will be planning weekend shopping trips, nursing home visits and an 80's karaoke night.



Reserve Your Spot at Summer Camp!

CHILDREN'S CAMP July 13 - 17
for 3rd - 6th Grade
Cost: \$70
Sign up by **immediately!**



CENTRIFUGE July 27 - August 1
for 6th - 12th grade
Cost: \$175 (\$50 deposit)
Final sign-up July 6th

BOYD AVENUE BAPTIST IS WALKING FOR LIFE!

Saturday, June 6, at Crossroads and Adventure Parks from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

Support Care Net Pregnancy and Resource Clinic of Casper by registering to become a sponsored walker. The two mile walk is a non-athletic event for folks of all ages. Registration forms are available in the foyer or at www.carenetpartner.com. Care Net will collect your pledges. If you are not available June 6, you may walk at your convenience.

WELCOME
TO OUR
NEW
MEMBER!

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STUDENT Ministry Reflections

IT'S TIME FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!!

I hope you react with excitement and anticipation when you read these words. VBS is a great ministry that our church has the privilege of participating in each year. This is a great way to teach children the truths of Scripture in a fun, creative environment. They will be challenged with God's word and learn how it can impact their lives. Children will learn fun songs, hear about and participate in missions, do wonderful crafts, play goofy games, and eat interesting snacks.

The best part is that the whole church needs to be involved. If you are a child, come and participate. If you are a teenager, come and help. Adults, we need you, too. If you are available, come and help teach and lead these children in a variety of activities. If you can't come during the VBS times, pray for the teachers and children. I promise, prayer is essential to this ministry. On Thursday night, we will have a family night. Everyone should come and encourage the children as they share the things they have learned. This is also a great opportunity to meet parents of these children. Many of them don't come to church. This is a great time to share the love of God by supporting these parents and children.

I am thankful for the workers who put lots of time and energy into making VBS a success. It takes everyone. I look forward to your involvement the week of June 15-19. Hope to see you here. I know you'll be praying.

SEE YOU AT VBS!!

Ed