

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, September 9, 2018

Welcome! If you are a guest today, we invite you to fill out one of the blue cards found in the pews or sign the guest register in the entryway. We would also love to have you join us for coffee & cookies in the fellowship hall following morning worship.

SUNDAY SCHOOL/CATECHISM TIME CHANGE: We are excited to begin a new year of Sunday School/Catechism **TODAY**. Please note the time change this year: Sunday School will begin at 9:30AM, with the Worship Service to follow at 10:30AM.

EDUCATION NEWSLETTER: Be sure to grab a copy of the *Cloverdale Courier* as you leave church today! This is our Education Edition and has information about all the educational programs Cloverdale offers, what each group will be studying this year, and who to contact if you would like to get involved. It also includes some schedules and all the Sunday School class lists. These newsletters will be available on the back table.

GEMS POOL PARTY: All girls entering grades 2-6 are welcome to join us for our very first GEMS meeting on Wednesday, September 12 at 6:45PM at the home of Dave & Nicole Howerzyl (16800 Rose Briar Ln. Nampa 83687). We will be having a pool party to kick off the new year of GEMS, so wear your swimsuit and bring a towel! You can pick up the girls at 8:30PM. If you have any questions, talk to Renee McNicol or Aimee Russell.

CADET CORNER: This week Wednesday, September 12 from 6:45-8:30PM at church, will be our kickoff meeting, which will include a “make your own pizza” activity led by Elder Mike Orr. Please come hungry. Our biblical study for the year will be lessons out of Bunyan’s *Pilgrim’s Progress*. Our new Cadet Counselor J. Kuiper will be leading us in some “ice breaker” games.

WEDNESDAY ADULT STUDY & PRAYER TIME: Pastor Russ will be leading a brief study that will highlight several prayers from the Bible and then leading us in a time of prayer specifically for the needs of our congregation.

REFORMATION BOISE CONFERENCE is a yearly conference celebrating the Reformation. The conference will be held at Valley Shepherd Church of the Nazarene (150 W Maestra St Meridian, Idaho 83642) on the following dates and times:
November 9, 2018: 5:00pm – 9:15pm
November 10, 2018: 8:00am – 4:00pm
The theme for the conference is *Living In Between: The Christian Life in the Here and Now*. The speakers will be Dr. David Murray and Pastor Anthony Selvaggio, and the different sessions are listed below:
Session 1: Our Call To Living In Between
Session 2: Our Challenge Of Living in Between
Session 3: Our Contemplation While Living In Between
Session 4: Our Comfort In Living In Between
For more information and to register, visit their website at www.reformationboise.com

NEW MEMBERS/INTRO TO REFORMED THEOLOGY: Pastor Russ will begin a new class for any who are interested in becoming members or even those who would like a refresher course on what it means to be Reformed. The class will begin TODAY at 9:30AM and meet each week during the Sunday School hour. See Pastor Russ if you have any questions.

MERIDIAN BIBLE STUDY KICK-OFF DINNER: Attention anyone interested in an Adult Bible Study! We welcome you to come to the Meridian Bible Study Kick-off Dinner on Thursday, Sept. 13, at 6:30PM, at the home of John and Judy Vander Woude. We will be continuing our study in Genesis. We plan to meet on Thursday, Sept. 20, at 7:15PM for our first lesson in Genesis 22-23: "The Sacrifice of Isaac: Ultimate Faith & Obedience." Please see Janine Ropp (208-250-1370) or Judy Vander Woude (208-577-7112) for more information. We look forward to a new year of study and fellowship. Please RSVP to Judy for the kick-off dinner.

WOMEN’S FALL TUES MORNING BIBLE STUDY: Our welcome brunch will be on Tuesday, Sept. 11, at 9:15AM. If you have any questions, please talk to Bernice, Tracy, Laura, or Julie R.

JR HIGH YOUTH GROUP: The Jr. High Youth Group will meet today at 4:30PM. We will discuss chapter 1 of *Crazy Love* and then play 9 in the Sky. The Groens will provide snacks.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP: The High School Youth Group will meet today at 4:30PM. We will discuss chapter 2 of *When Trouble Comes* and then play American Futbol. The deJongs will provide snacks.

COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES: Every year the High School Youth Group puts together care packages to send to our college students. We will assemble these packages on Sunday, September 23. We’d love to start collecting items to include (gum, candy, homemade treats, pens, pencils, gloves, scarves, lip balm, hot chocolate, gift cards to Walmart, Culver’s, Subway, or Amazon—or anything else you think a college student might enjoy). If you have a student in Youth Group, you may send in items at any time and Rhea will keep them in her office. If you are the parent of a college student, please give their address to Rhea so we can send them a package.

NEW ADDRESS: Collin DeVries is currently doing his basic training with the Army in Georgia. If anyone would like to send him a note of encouragement, his address is listed below:
#204, PVT De Vries, Collin
Delta Company, 2/19th, 2nd PLT
5375 Hanson Dr. Bldg 3245
Fort Benning, GA 31905

NEW ADDRESS: Brent & Rachelle Stewart
21965 Chicago Street #70
Caldwell, ID 83607
Brent cell (208) 996-4371
Rachelle cell (208) 996-4394

THIS WEEK

SUN: 9:30AM Sunday School/Catechism
10:30AM Morning Worship Service
1:30PM KBXL 94.1 FM, Philippians
4:30PM Jr High/HS Youth Group
6:00PM Evening Worship Service
Mon-Fri:12:15PM KBXL 94.1, Pastors Q&A
4:00PM KBXL 94.1, Mark Sermons
TUES: 9:15AM Tuesday Morning Women's
Bible Study Brunch
WED: 6:45PM GEMS Pool Party
6:45PM Cadets
7:00PM Adult Study & Prayer Time
THUR: 6:30PM Meridian Bible Study Kickoff
FRI: 6:00AM Men's Book Study

PRAYER CORNER

*Pray for Vern Bolt as he recovers from knee surgery.

*Pray for Janine Ropp's father as he heals from a broken hip.

*Pray for all our educational programs & Bible studies beginning this week.

*Pray for Landon Cooper as he anticipates heart surgery at the end of October.

*Continue to pray for Collin DeVries as he does his basic training with the Army in Georgia.

United in Prayer: Up-to-date Requests from our URC Missionaries.

Rev. Steve Arrick is a church planter in Cambridge, MD.

1. Pray that God would bless the plans for outreach and evangelism.
2. Pray the God would bring more young families to be a part of the church body.
3. Pray that God would equip the church in Cambridge as they learn together how to disciple the nations.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Please put these important dates of upcoming events at Cloverdale on your calendars, and watch the bulletin for more details.

- Sept 9 Sunday School/Catechism Begin**
Sept 9 New Members/Intro to Reformed Theology Class Begins
Sept 11 Women's Tuesday Morning Bible Study Welcome Brunch, 9:15AM
Sept 12 GEMS/Cadets 1st Meeting
Sept 13 Meridian Bible Study Kick-Off
Nov 9-10 Reformation Boise Conference

IN GOD'S SERVICE

GREETERS

Today Dave & Nicole Howerzyl
Sept 16 Tom & Cindy Ferch
Sept 23 Ron & Pam Stout

KITCHEN/COFFEE

Today John & Judy Vander Woude
Sept 16 Josh & Rachel Folk
Sept 23 Laura Herman, Andrea Orr

COOKIES FOR TODAY

Cindy Ferch, Joanie Arendse, Erin Koetsier, Tracy Vander Stelt, Laura Herman, Andrea Orr

ACCOMPANISTS

Today AM: O: S. Cooke
P: Kim VG
PM: Kim VG
Sept 16 AM: O: S. Wigboldy
P: K. Kuiper
PM: S. Cooke
Sept 23 AM: O: S. Cooke
P: D. deJong
PM: K. Kuiper

USHERS

Today Judd McNicol, Ryan Kroes
Sept 16 Sean Cooper, Russell VW
Sept 23 Doug Gates, Matt Cooper

NURSERY

September Contact: Brandie Cooper
Today AM: Rose VS, Katie Kroes, Jessica Griswold
PM: Rachel, Elise, Mercedes Folk
Sept 16 AM: Erin, MaKayla, Madison, Allison K.
PM: Renae & Avery Bieri
Sept 23 AM: Brooke VS, Carrie VS, Grace Orr
PM: Ella & Johanna deJong

SOUND

Sept: Matt Cooper
Oct: Glenn Vander Woude

PM SONG SERVICE

Today Kim Van Grouw
Sept 16 Paul Miedema
Sept 23 Jesse Groen

PRAYER & SHARE

Today Pastor Herman
Sept 16 Scott Den Hartog
Sept 23 Jesse Groen

Deacon's Report for Sunday, Sept. 2, 2018

General Fund: \$5,607.45

Church Assistance Fund: \$1,096.00

Today's Offering

Christian Education Assistance Fund: Money collected is placed in a fund to be used by members of our church for Christian education.

Reformation Boise Conference: Money collected goes to support Reformation Boise, a yearly conference celebrating the biblical truths rediscovered during the Reformation with the hope that these truths will be embraced within the Treasure Valley. For more information, visit www.reformationboise.com.

Next Week's Offering: General Fund & Missions

Fund Balances

General Fund: \$13,725

Benevolence: \$2,350

Building Fund: \$43,375

Christian Ed Fund: \$20,415 (*Our obligation to the schools has increased by \$10,000 this year due to an increase in the number of students.*)

O Breath of God (The Risen Christ)

Verse 1

O Breath of God come fill this place
Revive our hearts to know Your grace
And from our slumber make us rise
That we may know the risen Christ

Verse 2

O Word of God so clear and true
Renew our minds to trust in You
And give to us the Bread of Life
That we may know the risen Christ

Verse 3

O love of God so unrestrained
Refresh our souls in Jesus' name
Let us reflect Your sacrifice
That we may know the risen Christ

Verse 4

May God the Father God the Son
And God the Spirit make us one
In holiness let us unite
That we may know the risen Christ

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My Heart Is Filled

Verse 1

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who bore my pain
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace
And gave me life again
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness
And clothed me with His light
And wrote His law of righteousness
With pow'r upon my heart

Verse 2

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who walks beside
Who floods my weaknesses with strength
And causes fears to fly
Whose every promise is enough
For every step I take
Sustaining me with arms of love
And crowning me with grace

Verse 3

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who reigns above
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace
Whose every thought is love
For every day I have on earth
Is given by the King
So I will give my life my all
To love and follow Him

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