

Sunday Communicator

March 23rd, 2008



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THIS MORNING - "He Is Risen!"

9am - Breakfast Together

9:30am - Pre-Prayer - In the Classroom Building. Led by Cheryl Landis.

10:00am - Coffee & Visiting



10:15am - Resurrection Celebration

The Good News of the Resurrection

1 Corinthians 15:12-20

1. We can have relationship with Jesus.
2. Its the ultimate sign of that the rule of God has broken into history.
3. God values physical life in a physical world.
4. The Bible is true.
5. Our sins can be forgiven. God has accepted. Jesus sacrificial death for our sins.
6. Resurrection is possible. We will be resurrected physically in the same way.

If Jesus did not rise from the dead, then...

- Christianity collapses.
- Jesus was not the Son of God, but just another "golden rule" religious leader.
- His apostles are liars.
- You are still lost and living in yours sins.
- And so are all dead Christians.
- Its pathetic, because we are not saved, nor do we have a heavenly future, and we put up with unnecessary sacrifice now.

BUT CHRIST IS RAISED FROM THE DEAD!

THREE ANNOUNCEMENTS ABOUT NEXT SUNDAY

1. MEN'S RETREAT. Friday through Sunday. See Brochures or contact Clinton Miller (541) 451-4698.

• **REGISTRATION DUE TODAY.** Make checks (\$72.50) out to "Providence Vineyard" -tagged for Retreat & give them to Clinton or Paul.

• Scholarship money is available - see Clinton
• WE ENCOURAGE all men from High School age on up to come.

2. NO POTLUCK THIS MONTH due to the Men's retreat. You may want to take the occasion to have company over.

3. HERE AT PROVIDENCE. Cheryl Landis, Jonathan Woods, & Karen Brookins will be speaking on "Loving God" the greatest Commandment. Matthew 22:34-40

Ask yourself...

- What experiences have you had that caused you to love God more?
- Of God's many characteristics, which 2 or 3 do you especially admire?
- What methods in prayer or worship have you found helpful?

UPCOMING EVENTS

SMALL GROUPS & CLASSES

We have a variety of small groups Tuesday through Friday. See Brochures for Info.

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April 5th - 6:30pm-8:30pm -Child Evangelism Fellowship of Linn County Spring Banquet @ Fairview Mennonite Church, 35100 Goltra Road, outside Albany. Keynote speaker State Director Rod Franz. For tickets call 258-7150.

April 7th - Monday, 7pm - "Leaders of Teams" meeting in Church Annex. Looking at the Church Calendar for April - August.

April 13th - Jim Gill preaching

April 18th - 7pm - Wedding Show for Danielle Evans

April 20th - Taras Basalyko from Izchevsk, Russia preaching.

April 25th - Appreciation Dinner for the Volunteers, Helpers, & Ministers at Providence.

April 26th - 3pm - Wedding of Michael Ballinger & Danielle Evans

April 27th - Baptisms. If you want to be baptized contact Les Yoder (541) 258-8635.

May 4th - 6pm - Team Tanzania Meeting

May 10th - 9am - Pregnancy Alternatives Center Walk-a-thon

May 16-18 - Scio's Lamb & Wool Fair

May 18th - Our Annual Business Meeting

June 6-8 - Lebanon's Strawberry Fair

June 18-21 - Northwest Regional Vineyard Pastors & Leaders Conference @ Vancouver

Birthdays/Anniversaries

Mar 23rd - Sun - Earl & Mimi Shook's Anniv

Mar 26th - Wed - Jan Townsend, Paul Carter

Mar 27th - Thurs - Eric Bowser

Apr 1st - Tues - Kimo & Theda Knighten's Anniv

Apr 3rd - Thurs - Russ Brookins

Apr 4th - Fri - Madel Jorgensen

Apr 4th - Fri - Dan & Karen Brookins' Anniv

Apr 6th - Sun - Celeste Yoder

Apr 10th - Thurs - Diana Hubbard

Apr 10th - Thurs - Russ & Kathy Brookins' Anniv'

Apr 12th - Sat - Josh Reed

Apr 14th - Mon - Matt Woods

Apr 18th - Fri - Theda Knighten

Apr 23rd - Wed - Maria Weaver

Apr 25th - Fri - Ashley Jackson

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

After our singing, we offer the following classes:

- 1. Preschool/Kindergarten** (Age 3 years through Kindergarten. In the Church Annex. Pat Hulburt & Celeste Yoder)
- 2. 1st - 5th Grade** - Downstairs - Lois Gill & Madel Jorgensen
- 3. 6th-8th Grade** -In the Church Annex. Charolette Reed & Stephanie Fender