

† • LORD HEAR OUR PRAYERS • †

- The Senior Pastor Search Team as they begin the process of finding a pastor.
 - Ministry Teams needing more members to run the many area/events of WCB.
 - Teachers, helpers and subs needed for the Fall Children's ministry.
 - The 125th Anniversary Celebration to remember the past and look to the future.
 - Safe travels for those attending.
- Let us know you have a prayer request by filling out the green Welcome/Prayer Request card.

WORSHIP MINISTRY Team

Members: Neil Vonkeman (Leadership Rep.), Roger Reed, Jill Vonkeman & Amy Brown

It is the mission of the Worship Team to develop meaningful and creative experiences of worship for all ages in which God is lifted up. Anyone interested in helping to arrange special music or join worship team contact any member.

**Contact Neil Vonkeman
to learn more or join this team.
Ministry Teams meet monthly.**

READ THROUGH THE BIBLE THIS YEAR

Whole Bible Plan

- Aug 1: Is 18-22
- Aug 2: Is 23-27
- Aug 3: Is 28-30
- Aug 4: Is 31-35
- Aug 5: Is 36-41
- Aug 6: Is 42-44
- Aug 7: Is 45-48

New Testament Plan

- Aug. 2: 2 Cor. 3
- Aug. 3: 2 Cor. 4
- Aug. 4: 2 Cor. 5
- Aug. 5: 2 Cor. 6
- Aug. 6: 2 Cor. 7

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CHILDRENS CHURCH

August 1, 2010:
God Chooses David to
Replace Saul
1 Samuel 16:1-13

July 25, 2010:

Attendance: 204
General Fund: \$ 3,355.37
Building Fund: \$ 200
Special Project: \$ 100

WEST CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH

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SERVICES AVAILABLE ON TELEVISION
7:00pm Thursday on Knology (Ch. 11)
10:00am Sunday on Midcontinent (Ch. 20)
10:00am Sunday on Knology (Ch. 11)

AND AUDIO SERMONS ONLINE
OFFICE HOURS M - F: 8:00AM - 12:00PM
STAFF MEETINGS: TUESDAYS 9 - 10:30AM

THE LORD'S SUPPER



A Look Back, A Look Within, & A Look Ahead

August 1, 2010

THE WCB MISSION: *We, the people of West Center Baptist Church, seek to honor God by assisting in Building Healthy Disciples both locally and abroad. We seek a love relationship with God (salvation), love for the Word (knowledge and obedience), love for prayer, love for caring and sharing with others, and love for sharing Christ (evangelism).*

WEST CENTER EVENTS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

8:30am Worship ServiceWCB Sanctuary
 9:45am Sunday School
 11:00am Worship ServiceWCB Sanctuary
 5:00pm Minor Prophet Study WCB Chat Café

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

12:00pm Jesus Changes Things (Women)Library Park
 12:00pm Come Thirsty (Men)..... DQ Basement

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5

6:30pm 125th Choir Practice
 7:00pm Worship Practice

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7

7:00am Men's Prayer Breakfast

MS & HS THUNDER ROAD TRIP

~~CANCELLED Wednesday, August 4, 2010~~

THE BANQUET RECAP: We had a good turn out to work at the banquet, Thursday, July 22. There were 25 of us from WCB. It was a good evening. It is such a good ministry and is well organized. We are on the calendar for the fourth Thursday in 2011. Many many thanks to each one that came. We served over 400 people.

Ministry Team

Q.) Who said ... "I am innocent of this man's blood"



NAB MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Jacob and Amy Peterson

Worship Pastor

River City Church - Fargo, ND

River City Church is a church plant in Fargo, North Dakota (Sept 2009) partnering with Metropolitan Baptist Church (Fargo) and the North Central Association (Northern Plains Region) of NAB. Jacob Peterson is the co-planter with Brett Moser (lead planter) of the River City Church who gives leadership to the corporate worship of River City, as well as working to develop the structural components to help River City accomplish its mission of making disciples through the Gospel.

Pray for our young church as we transition here over the summer into a more formal leadership structure. Pray for our Missional Communities (Small Groups) as they continue to meet and consider multiplying in the fall. Please pray for strategic thinking for all involved so that we wouldn't just drift to what is "comfortable" for us. Pray for us as a family as we just moved into a new house at the end of May. We're still unpacking boxes. Pray for our adjustment (mostly the kids) but also for us that we would be faithful "missionaries" to the neighbors around us.

MINISTRY TEAM MEETING • August 22 at 12:15pm

All teams will receive budget request forms for 2011. Also teams are asked to discuss material such as events, classes, or any additional information to be added to the Fall Kick-Off brochure to be turned in by August 30th to the office.

FALL SUNDAY SCHOOL: Children's Ministry is in need of people with a heart for God's Word and a love for children to teach, co-teach, help or substitute for Sunday School this fall. Please pray for this need and contact Jeremy Peters (270-7983) or Brandize Nelson (256-3027) if you are interested in helping out.

FALL KICK-OFF
 SEPTEMBER 12TH

PEOPLE WEREN'T GIVEN
 PERMISSION TO EAT MEAT
 UNTIL AFTER THE FLOOD.
 GENESIS 9:3

A.) Pontious Pilate in Matthew 27:24

125TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

RSVPs: Please turn in your RSVPs to the office by AUGUST 1st.

125th Choir Practice: Director Ted Faszer. Sign up in the back.
Thurs, August 5 at 6:30pm, Thurs, August 12 at 6:30pm
Sat., August 14 approx. 3:30pm (after speaker) Sun., August 15 at 9:15am
Singing Sunday, August 15 at 10:00am

Friday, August 13: Come and share your memories, enjoy some early history of West Center Baptist along with a time of prayer for the future and singing. Come early at 5:30pm and check out the history displays. Pastor Oliver Bender will have a time of sharing with us. Program will start at 6:30pm in the church basement. Coffee and refreshments will be served. Bars are needed if you would like to help.

Saturday, August 14: Golf Tourney: meet at Madison Country Club at 7:30am for juice coffee and donuts (open to non golfers too). Golfing starts at 8:00am. Must RSVP.

Women's Tea: "Adding to Your Faith Through the Years" at 10:00am in the WCB basement.

Children's Activities for kids going into 1st-5th grade, 10:00am - 12:00pm at the Armory. Parents drop off and pick up your children. Bounce house, fish pond and many other fun things for kids. Bring your friends!

MS Youth Activities at 10:00am at Heaven's Castle.

Dinner: at the Playhouse 1:00pm. RSVP Adults \$10 and Children \$7 (3-12)
Speaker, Ron Mayforth, former WCB Pastor at 2:15pm.

Sunday, August 15: Worship with us at 10:00am, one service only. No Sunday School held. Pork Loin dinner after service, bring salads to share.

125th Souvenirs: Available in the Chat Cafe

The Lord's Supper: A Look Back, A Look Within, & A Look Ahead *1 Corinthians 11:23-34* Doug Sell August 1, 2010

I. Communion is a time to look _____.

Looking back at...

- (1) Why Jesus _____ to earth.
- (2) The meaning of the _____.
- (3) The time that ____ entered into a _____ with Jesus.

II. Communion is a time to look _____.

"But a man must examine himself..."

God calls us to ...

- (1) A _____ life.
- (2) A _____ life.
- (3) A _____ life.
- (4) A _____ life.

III. Communion is a time to look _____.

"... until He comes."

Hope comes from knowing the _____ is still to _____.

A **SPECIAL OFFERING** is being taken for replacing the sidewalk in the front of the church. Please memo your checks special projects/sidewalks.

SPECIAL BUSINESS MEETING

August 1, 2010

The Covenant and Constitution of

THE WEST CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH

ARTICLE IX: ORDAINED STAFF SEARCH COMMITTEE

When ordained staff is needed, a Staff Search Committee will be recommended to the congregation by the Leadership Council. The Staff Search Committee shall consist of seven members: The three executive members of the Leadership Council and four other members. The other members shall be recommended by the Leadership Council and voted on for approval by the church members. The Vice Chair of the Leadership Council will serve as the chair of this committee.

The Leadership Council are excited to nominate the following people to serve on the Senior Pastor Search Team:

Steve Hofman, Marli Wiese, Billie Jo Hoekman,
Steve Sims, Brian Young, Josh Boldt,
and Terry Logan (Chair).

We will be having a congregational vote on August 1st in both services to approve this team.

Please be in prayer for the team as they seek God in calling our next Pastor.

There will also be a vote to elect Gordy Salmen to the Leadership Council.