

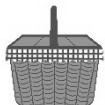
ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 1 will be CBC's annual baptism by the river after the all-church picnic in Griffin Park. . **Everyone, please bring a main dish; A-M, please bring a salad; N-Z, please bring a dessert.** If you are interested or even considering getting baptized, please contact Pastor Chance at pastor@cbcpcierre.org or Pastor Jesse at apastor@cbcpcierre.org.



Please have all announcements in to the office by noon on Wednesday, July 28th.

For all the ladies who came and gave of their time to deep clean the kitchen last month, please know how much it is appreciated! We thank you greatly!



Community outreach is very important at CBC, and we are happy to announce that we will be having a **"Neighborhood Picnic" September 8th at 5 PM, here in our parking lot.** We will serve hot dogs, chips, lemonade and ice cream bars, and have some fun kids activities. Please pray for a good turnout, some relationships built, and good weather. We hope you will help make this successful by volunteering for gathering supplies, cooking, set-up, kids activities, serving, clean up, etc. Please contact Trish Sargent or Roxanne Rice.

For decades, patients at St. Mary's have benefited from the presence of community members who volunteer as on-call chaplains. The presence of someone to pray with the patient and family, make phone calls to their own pastor and generally offer support has proven invaluable. If you have an interest in this type of service, please contact Karen Gallagher, VP Mission @ 224-3303 or Scott Granville @ 280-3330 for further information.

14th Annual Huntsafe Course is to be held at the Korkow Ranch July 30, 31, & Aug. 1, 2021, for Fathers and/or Mothers and Sons/Daughters ages 11 and up. **Space is limited to 25 students and preregistration is required for this FREE event.** **Registration is required at <https://gfp.sd.gov/hunter-education/> through SD GF&P HuntSAFE Course listing online.** Parents and students are encouraged to stay overnight at the ranch. Adult help will be needed for shooting stations and meal planning. Please contact Steve Valland (280-2416) or Bryan Gortmaker (280-9905) with questions or if interested in helping.

THIS WEEK AT CBC

Sunday – 25th

8:30 AM Worship service
10:00 AM Bible Hour: 3 yrs. – 5th grade meet in classrooms (Welcome Center has a map)
Middle School (6th, 7th, 8th grades) – Room 300 (upstairs in gym)
Senior High (9th – 12th grades) – Youth Room (upstairs NW corner in gym)
Adults – Room 201 (downstairs in gym) – Membership Matters
Adults – Room 202 (downstairs in gym) – Equip
Adults – Room 400 (across from coffee area) – Faith
Adults – Sanctuary – Dust to Glory
11:00 AM Worship Service
6:00 PM Women's Time of Prayer
6:00 PM No CBC Unashamed Youth (6th - 12th grades) – *Resumes Fall 2021*

Monday – 26th

5:30 PM High School Girls Worldview study in room 202
6:00 PM Conquer Series Men's Bible study in room 300
7:00 PM No High School Study Group – *Resumes September 2021*

Tuesday – 27th

6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Room 200
6:00 AM Men's Bible study in person @ 308 N Jefferson or via Zoom
– Contact Brent Dowling or John Strohmman
6:30 PM No BSF (Women's Bible Study Fellowship) – *Resumes September 2021*

Wednesday – 28th

6:30 PM No Awana – *Resumes September 2021*

Thursday – 29th

7:15 AM No Youth Prayer Breakfast – *Resumes September 2021*
9:00 AM Women's Bible Study – Room 400
7:00 PM Community Inc. 12:5 for college and career young adults
Contact Gaye Granville with questions. 402.319.3171

Friday – 30th

6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Room 200
5:30 PM Worship Team rehearsal in sanctuary

LOOKING AHEAD

Aug. 1 Baptism & Picnic at Griffin Park after 2nd service – contact Pastors about baptism
Aug. 15 Survey Summary and Information meeting – watch for information
Aug. 15 Potluck Send Off for the Sternke Family after 2nd service
Aug. 15 Church Prayer Meeting in sanctuary at 5:30 pm
Aug. 22 Promotion Sunday during part of Sunday School hour
Aug. 29 Congregational meeting & Potluck after 2nd service
Sept. 8 Neighborhood Picnic – see announcement
Sept. 10-12 Mission Conference – watch for more information
Oct. 1-2 Women's Retreat – watch for more information

WELCOME

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE and we want to help you get connected and grow in your Christian walk. Please visit our Welcome Center to pick up a gift bag and ask for a brochure detailing various CBC ministries for all ages. A complete listing of our staff, ministries, and Sunday messages can be found at www.cbcpierre.org.

Nursery is provided during both services and Sunday School:

1st service	8:25 – end of service	infant – 3 years
During Sunday School	9:50 – end of class	infant – 3 years
2nd service	10:50 – end of service	infant – 3 years

NURSING MOTHERS are invited to use the Cry Room behind the kitchen in the coffee area.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

~ That Jesus is the Son of God who became a man to die for the sins of the whole world; He was raised from the dead and ascended back to heaven; He is coming again. (1 Cor 15: 1-8)
 ~ That the Bible is the inspired word of God and is the only authority for our faith (what we believe) and practice (how we are to live). (2 Tim 3:16) ~ That every person has worth as a creation of God, but that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. (Rom 3:23) ~ That forgiveness of sins, the promise of eternal life and an abundant life are available to those who believe that Jesus Christ is Savior and Lord. (Jn 3:16) ~ That those accepting Christ shall repent of sin, confess faith, and be baptized into Him. (Rom 10:9; Acts 2:38) ~ That the Church exists to provide for the spiritual growth of the people and to see that the Gospel is preached to everyone. (Eph 4:1-16) ~ That Jesus Christ will one day return to earth and reign forever as King of kings and Lord of lords. (1 Thess. 4:13-18)



CBC has Wi-Fi Internet. The Welcome Center can provide connection information.



CBC provides Assistive Listening Devices. Check out a receiver at the Welcome Center.



AED available in the old kitchen by the offices

AUGUST 1ST VOLUNTEERS

Scripture			
1st Ushers	Bob Jeffries	2nd Ushers	Kevin Hofer
1st Welcome Center	Ann Propst	2nd Welcome Center	
1st Greeters		2nd Greeters	
1st Nursery (Walker)	N Redden, R Hettinger	2nd Nursery (Walker)	Bob & Abby Jeffries
SS Nursery (Walker)	Sara & Kyra Wallace	2nd Nursery (Toddler)	Emily Rice
1st Sound	Chuck Hanson	2nd Sound	Cody Lorenz
1st Video	Roxanne Rice	2nd Video	Boyd Wallace
1st Camera & Lights		2nd Camera & Lights	
We thank you for your service to Community Bible Church!			

July 25, 2021
Worship Times
8:30 AM & 11:00 AM**

Worship Today*

Gather in Fellowship
 Welcome
 Call to Worship
 Scripture
 Pastoral Prayer

Bryan Gortmaker

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 (p. 554)
 Bryan Gortmaker

Worship through the Word

"A New Season"
 Pastor Jesse Sternke

Response in Worship

Depart in Fellowship

An Elder is available in the Prayer Room at the end of the service to pray & serve.

**Please remain quiet prior to the worship service to allow others to pray & meditate.*
**Please remain in the sanctuary for the duration of the service to minimize distraction.*

“FROM PULPIT & PAPER”

On Pastor Jesse

Pastor Jesse has been a tremendous blessing to me. I could not have asked for a better friend and co-laborer. His temperament and gifting have balanced out my own. God has taught me a lot through him. Let me share a couple of those lessons.

I think it's impossible to offend Jesse. You can smack him around, call him a baldy, and he'll just give you a smile in return. He always in a good mood, regardless of how others treat him. He's unoffendable. This is Jesse's superpower. We all need more of that, me included.

One of my sins is that I speak first, listen second. Jesse doesn't do that. Jesse's approach is to be quick to listen, slow to speak (Jas 1:19). Jesse doesn't rush in to give you his opinion. He's very willing to allow others to speak first. Sometimes, he doesn't even speak at all, which is wise (Prov 10:19). God has shaped me by watching how Jesse talks.

Jesse is patient. He takes things in stride and considers the long-term impact of his decisions. I have not always approached life this way. Rather, I have been given to impulse, which doesn't work. Jesse is calm, cool, collected, and patient.

Assuming the best is a Christian virtue (1 Cor 13:7). That's hard to do, but Jesse does it well. He always gives the benefit of the doubt. My critical spirit sometimes leads me in the opposite direction. God has used Jesse to show me the importance of believing the best about others.

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