

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Smell the Streusel! We promised you another book discussion by our beloved author Sara Brunsvold. Please sign up in the Welcome Center by Sept. 15th for a copy of the 'Divine Proverb of Streusel.' Cost is \$17.



We plan to hold the book discussion the morning of October 19th. Sign up for more information & a book at the Welcome Center. ♥ Sheryl Hall and Trish Sargent



Showers of Blessings! We would like to welcome to our congregation: Wesley James son of Kevin & Amanda Roark, and brother of Luke & Faith. Please help us welcome him by placing any cards/gifts on the umbrella shower table.



Heidi Becker and Cassandra Ryckman will be starting a middle school and high school girls Bible study every Monday at 7:30pm, beginning Monday, September 16th. We will walk through a book of the Bible, TBD. We meet at Heidi's house at 421 S Filmore Ave. Contact Heidi Becker (605.280.7803).

Operation Christmas Child



Sept 22

**Potluck, Presentation,
and Workshop**

We Hope You Will Join Us!

More information on the CBC App under events!!

THIS WEEK AT CBC

Sunday – 15th

- 8:30 AM Worship service
- 10:00 AM Bible Hour: 3 yrs. – 5th grade meet in classrooms
 - Middle School (6th, 7th, 8th grades) – Room 300 (upstairs in gym)
 - Senior High (9th – 12th grades) – Youth Room (NW upstairs corner of gym)
 - Adults – Room 200 (Next to Gym Kitchen) – Ray Vander Laan's Discipleship Study
 - Adults – Room 201 (Next to Gym doors) – Ephesians
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
- 2:00 PM GriefShare support group – Room 200
- 4:00 PM CBC Institute of Theology - Room 400
- 5:30 PM Christmas Choir Practice
- 6:00 PM One2One Youth (6th-12th grades)
- 6:00 PM Women's Prayer Meeting Sanctuary Prayer Room

Monday – 16th

- 6:00 PM Men's Bible study – Room 200 – Contact Mark Anderson (605.281.1263)
- 7:30 PM Girl's 6th thru 12th grade Bible Study – begins Sept. 16th – see announcement

Tuesday – 17th

- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study- Room 200 – Contact Rick Vallery (605.222.8045)
- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study in person @ 318 N Jefferson or via Zoom
 - Contact Brent Dowling (605.280.6564) or John Strohmman (605.280.2780)
- 6:30 PM BSF (Women's Bible Study Fellowship)
- 6:30 PM Elder meeting in room 202 – Contact an Elder to be added to the agenda
- 7:00 PM Deacon meeting in room 201 – Contact a Deacon to be added to the agenda

Wednesday – 18th

- 6:20 PM Awana Pre-K through High School Kids Ministry (cbcpierre.org/awana)

Thursday – 19th

- 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study – Room 400 – Contact Pastor Chance Sumner
- 6:30 PM Worship Team rehearsal in sanctuary – Contact Pastor Phil Newby
- 7:00 PM Community Inc. 12:5 for college and career young adults – 811 N Madison Ave.
 - Contact Gaye Granville with questions. (402.319.3171)

Friday – 20th

- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Room 200 – Contact Scott Granville (605.280.3330)

Looking Ahead

- Sept. 22 Operation Christmas Child potluck and speaker – see announcement
- Oct. 19 Book Discussion – "The Divine Proverb of Streusel" - sign up for more information & a book at the Welcome Center!

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 ask for help with 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	8:20 – 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.

 **2 AEDs available** 1) West of Welcome Center 2) In the gym kitchen on west wall

NEXT SUNDAY'S VOLUNTEERS

Scripture	John Zimmerman		
1st Ushers	Milt Burgeson Shane Bland	2nd Ushers	David Smith Randy Sarvis
1st Welcome Center		2nd Welcome Center	
1st Greeters	Jim & Gayle Van Camp	2nd Greeters	Gilkerson Family
1st Nursery (Walker)	Brittanie Rezac Eliza Mayer	2nd Nursery (Walker)	
SS Nursery (Walker)	Trish Sargent Brianna Sargent	2nd Nursery (Toddler)	Dawn Nordquist Janae Burkhead
1st Sound	Kevin Espeland	2nd Sound	Josh Gilkerson
1st Graphics	Roxanne Rice	2nd Graphics	Boyd Wallace
1st Livestream & Lights	Kody Kyriss	2nd Livestream & Lights	Fabricio Rodrigues
We thank you for your service to Community Bible Church!			

September 15, 2024
Worship Times
8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Gather in Fellowship
 Welcome & Announcements

Pastor Phil Newby

Call to Worship
 Scripture
 Pastoral Prayer

Worship Team
 Rom 8:28-30 (p.944)
 Pastor Chance Sumner

Titus – Zealous for Good Works
 Titus 2:11-12 (p.998)

"Grace Trains"
 Pastor Chance Sumner

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.

“MEMBER SPOTLIGHT”

“Zoom Out”

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