

COMMUNITY CALL

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HAUNTED FOREST

All brave and daring souls are welcome to join the Soul Train at the Haunted Forest in Glyndon, MN. We will meet at the church on Sunday, October 21st, at 6:30 p.m. All who return will be taken home sometime around 10:00 p.m. Friends are welcome. Please sign up by Sunday, Oct. 14th, in the narthex so we can plan for drivers. It is strongly advised that you wear tennis shoes and not flip flops or sandals, so that you don't lose your shoes while running for your life - hahahahaha (scary laugh). You may want to bring extra money for a snack.

Admission cost: \$10.00 if we have over 20 fresh souls. (The more the better - but that also means we need more drivers.)

Happy Haunting,

Becky

(281-8122)

Lisa

(282-5308)

Curt

(388-3251)



PASTOR'S PEN

News flash! It's no fun to be sick!

I know, that's not really news. Everybody knows what it's like when our bodies just aren't healthy, just aren't working the way they're supposed to. I write this column in the grips of some mutant crossbreed of allergies, head cold, and persistent cough, after a couple of days of low energy levels, aches and chills, occasional fever, and way, way too much time spent semi-conscious either in bed



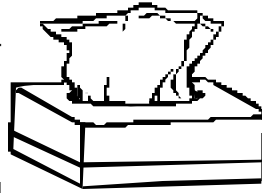
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or on the couch. See, this was supposed to be a big, productive weekend for me. I have some big Kenya-related events in the next couple of weeks, a Cub Scout den to get organized, my class to teach and, of course, my regular responsibilities at church and at home. But, instead of getting these things taken care of, here I sit, wrapped in a blanket, in the recliner (thank heavens for laptops!). I don't feel good; I'm not getting anything done, and I'm far, far too busy to be falling behind like this. What a lousy time to feel lousy.



Now I know, perfectly well, that I am not, in fact, seriously ill. I recognize that I will almost certainly be feeling better and back to my usual self in just a few days, probably even by the time you read this. And I certainly understand that there are millions of people in the world, and even some reading this column, that live every day with discomfort and pain that would make me weep, and that make my current "affliction" look like child's play. But, oddly enough, this knowledge doesn't make me feel any better.

Perhaps it's not even the actual physical discomfort of the illness that is the big problem. The fact is that every illness, every injury, from the trivial to the terminal, screams to us that there is something wrong, that the world, or life, or something like that, is somehow broken. Surely, this isn't how things are supposed to be, is it?

Well, I believe not. But it is unquestionably the way things are. Sickness and pain abound in the world, and no one is safe from them. And this is not how the world was meant to be. Sadly, it is what we have caused the world to become. Every illness, every cough,

every tear of pain and grief, is a result of the accumulated damage that millennia of human sin have done to the world. It is, not to put too fine a point on it, all our fault.

Sounds pretty gloomy, I suppose. Yet, I can't help, even now, but to think that all is not, after all, lost. You see, given what we know about sin, how it is persistent and pervasive, radical and universal, we should expect, if anything, that every moment of life would be consumed by nothing but grief and pain. That would be just, and we would have no grounds for complaint. But that isn't how it is.

For most of us, health is more typical than illness, over the course of life. And even when we aren't in perfect form, we still find moments of happiness, peace, and even joy breaking through. These moments are nothing less than the free, gracious gifts of our loving God! If we were left on our own, alone in the universe, there would be no healing, no happiness, no rest. That there are such things reminds us that God has not abandoned us, that he is still faithful and still generous. And they remind us of something even better.

Because Jesus conquered sin and death on the cross, there is for us the promise of a day beyond this sin-sickened life, a day when every tear shall be wiped away, every pain and illness healed, and every grief relieved. We will all stand, with bodies and hearts perfected and renewed by the Holy Spirit, before the heavenly throne, beyond the reach of virus or bacterium, or even of death itself. And with that to look forward to, I cannot find it in myself to despair.

Even if I would rather never see another box of Kleenex.



BLAIR'S AFRICAN NEWS

23 September 2007
Jambo kwa Kenya!

One month ago I left Fargo for Young Adult Volunteer orientation in Chicago. For one week 60 volunteers in their 20s from the PC(USA), the ELCA, and the Reformed Church in America met to prepare for a year of Christian service all around the world. Just to give you an idea, destinations include Argentina, India, Ghana, Slovakia, and the Philippines. Orientation was a very meaningful time of learning what to expect as mission workers, gathering for worship together, and hearing about past volunteers' experiences. We had a particularly remarkable presentation on international politics from former PC(USA) moderator, Rick Ufford-Chase. Out of the 60 volunteers from across the country, 5 of us are from Fargo-Moorhead, so you can get a sense of how well our area is represented in the missions field!

The 5 volunteers heading to Kenya arrived in Nairobi on August 29, ready for a few weeks of orientation before beginning our actual internships. We stayed with host families our first days here to begin the process of getting accustomed to Kenyan culture. (This definitely takes longer than a few days, but being a part of a family in Nairobi has really helped the transition.) We then moved to a Benedictine monastery just outside town for the rest of our orientation time. During the next two weeks, we learned about Kenyan politics, African religious expressions, had a few Swahili lessons, and even practiced getting around on Nairobi's mini-buses (called matatus).

One week ago, I officially entered the Kenyan workforce. I am interning with an organization called the All-African

Conference of Churches (<http://www.aacc-ceta.org>). This ecumenical group is in the midst of planning its 9th General Assembly, and I am primarily helping the GA office put together a history of the past 8 Assemblies. It was a little intimidating to walk into work and see the face of past AACC president Desmond Tutu smiling down on me, but the community here has been incredibly welcoming, and it is exciting to see the work they are doing to really live the Christian faith by addressing human rights issues across the African continent.

As I continue to get settled in here, it is so comforting to think of the support that Community Presbyterian Church is providing. Your thoughts and prayers mean so much, and I thank you all for your support.

Kwaheri,
 Blair

EDITOR'S NOTE: For more news about her work in Africa, Go to Blair Moorhead's blog at :

<http://blairinkenya.blogspot.com/>



SPRUCE UP THE SANCTUARY UPDATE

At the September 19 Session meeting, approval was given to go ahead with the Spruce Up the Sanctuary committee recommendations. Work will begin soon, and we anticipate two Sunday worship services may be relocated.

The SUS project will cost approximately \$6,000 (some of which has already been pledged). Anyone who wishes to participate financially, please use the envelopes found in your pew and mark them *SUS*. This giving should be in addition to your general fund commitment.



SEPTEMBER CLERK'S CORNER

The Session met on September 19th.

It was reported that \$500 needed to be added to the bank note to pay monthly bills. A \$1.00 an hour raise was granted to our bookkeeper as was agreed would occur 6 months since her hiring pending satisfactory work. This brings her hourly rate to \$11.00.

The confirmation class members were introduced, and Pastor Stith recommended that Session approve accepting them into full membership of the church. Session concurred. The members of the class are: Samantha Pyle, Melissa Van Cleve, Ross Montgomery, Cody Smith, Pat Richards and Justin Videen. Confirmation Sunday will be October 7th, this is also a Communion Sunday.

The Spruce up the Sanctuary plan was approved as presented by the SUS Committee. The timeline for doing the work is as follows: Sept. 20-order carpet for chancel area, choir loft area, and where the front of the pews are being removed; Sept. 23-announce to the congregation that the plan was approved; Sept. 24-begin demolition of the area, with construction to be completed in time for the carpet to arrive; Oct. 14-Trustees will remove pews after worship; Oct. 15th-cleaning of the ceilings and painting of the sanctuary walls; Oct. 22-strip and wax floors, week of October 29th-shampoo carpet in sanctuary, and Oct. 29-reinstall pews. The bids received are: \$2,000 for the carpet and \$2,600 for cleaning the ceilings and painting the walls. It is estimated that the carpentry work needed will be about \$500.

Session approved having the Committee take a special offering for members to donate money to the project. Donors are to use the envelopes in the pews and mark them for SUS. The remodeling will make it necessary to relocate worship service for two Sundays.

Elders reported on their attempts to clear some names from the Inactive List for people they know are no longer living, have joined another church, or simply are not able to be contacted. They also contacted people on the Active Rolls who have not been attending church, have not been taking part in any of the activities of the church, have not paid their Per Capita Assessment, or who have not been contributing to the General Fund. No action was taken at this time. If anyone would like to look at the list of Inactive Members to indicate persons who should be removed, they should contact the Clerk.

Session approved a request from Toni Stith to sponsor Girl Troop #194 for the coming year. This is the fifth year for the troop and the request was approved. Also approved was the request to use a meeting space, approximately two Tuesday evenings a month, use supplies, make copies, and have support from church members. They will request permission later to plant a tree on church grounds. They were given permission to host the residents of the High Rise for Bingo in the narthex on December 11.

Christian Education Committee is looking for people to be Sunday School Coordinators and for someone to staff the nursery during Sunday School. Please talk to any member of the CE Committee if you are interested; the Committee

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Chair is Boots Misheski. The Senior High Youth Group received permission to paint the couch room pending approval of their color and design submissions prior to the beginning of the work. The Middle School Soul Train was given permission to sell cards and calendars before Christmas.

The Nominating Committee should have the revisions to the By-Laws completed in time to submit them to the Session at the October meeting.

The Congregation Care Committee reported that Dorothy Pfingston is gravely ill. Pastor Stith commended the Committee members for their diligent visiting of shuts-ins and those in the hospital. He has heard nothing but good reports when he visits these people.

The Mission Committee has reported that they will sponsor a table for the Annual Youth for Christ Report to the People Banquet at a cost of \$275. The banquet will be held later this fall.

Service & Fellowship Committee reported that they have members signed up for the balance of this year and into next year to serve on the Welcome Team to greet visitors to our church. Session requested that the SAF Committee ask the Ushers to not begin tidying up the pews until most of the people have left the sanctuary. It gets very congested in the aisles with the people leaving through the front door.

The Trustees reported that all the sod has been laid and that sidewalks will be installed in front of the church and in the rear by early October. They are getting input on storage cabinets which are needed in the secretary's office.

The Personnel Committee is trying to

get a committee together to work on the evaluation forms for the church employees. Anyone interested is asked to call or talk to Vicki Riedinger.

Pastor Stith reminded the Session members that he will be in Devils Lake on the 20th on Presbytery issues. He stated that a representative of the Kenya Presbytery will be in the area from Sept. 26 to Oct. 3. Pastor Stith will be meeting with the representative on Sept. 29.

Communion was served to 88 persons on September 2.

Delores Horn, Clerk of Session

WEST FEST THANK YOU

On Saturday, September 15, during West Fargo's West Fest, Community Presbyterian Church barbecued and sold bars, beverages, and other snacks in hopes of building a music education fund. About \$700 was raised!

Thanks to all who cooked, sold, and helped in any way. Thanks also to those who made purchases to help this project.

COME RING WITH US!

Handbell practice has begun, but it's not too late to join the fun. If you are musically talented, we want you! If you are *not* musically talented, we want you anyway! Reading music is NOT required; however, counting up to 4 is.



All Handbell practice is now on Sunday. Jr. Handbell Choir includes kindergarten through third graders and meets from 3:30 to 4:00 p.m. Chime choir includes fourth through seventh graders and meets from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. Sr. Handbell Choir includes eighth graders to 100 year olds (If you're older, and want to join, see Carrie soon.) and meet from 5:00 to 6:15 p.m. Come join us!

OCTOBER DATES TO REMEMBER

BIRTHDAYS

- 10-2 Delores Horn
Peggy Rosenkranz
10-4 Stephanie Comeliussen
10-5 Chuck Richard
10-6 Sue Hanna
10-6 Sonda Pederson
Matt Stith
10-7 Jon Carlson
10-8 Denny Braaten
10-9 David Stedman
Brenda Witt
10-11 Rick Chase
10-12 Roger Barenthsen
10-13 Carol Braaten
Curt Brophy
Thomas Pederson
10-14 Melissa Kellerman
10-15 Esther Nitschke
Virginia Ruff
10-16 Rae Irene Kercher
Tom Pederson
10-17 Jenni Hummel
Brad Sterup
10-18 Michael Richard
10-23 Jason Swart
10-26 Ron LaCoe
10-28 Melissa Kassman
10-29 Cody LaCoe
Larry Peihl



ANNIVERSARIES

- 10-4-86 – Lee and Stephanie
Comeliussen
10-5-96 – Jeff and Jennifer Jaszkwiaik
10-7-89 - Chuck and Kristen Richard
10-9-47 – Tom and Joy Taffe
10-13-73 – Lynn and Yvonne Hummel
10-14-95 – Ryan and Melissa Kellerman
10-23-04 - Wil and Jackie Petik

OCTOBER MISSION: BANQUET TABLE



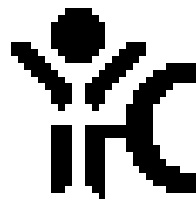
Do you remember the Sunday School song about God's banquet table? The chorus goes something like this:

I cannot come to the banquet.
Don't trouble me now.
I have taken a wife;
I have bought me a cow.
I have fields and commitments
That cost a pretty sum.
Pray hold me excused:
I cannot come.

So what does this have to do with our October mission? Well, on Tuesday, October 30, there will be a banquet put on by Red River Youth for Christ. It will be held at the Ramada Inn at 6:30 p.m. They serve a wonderful meal along with dessert and great entertainment. The youth put on skits and sing songs. There's a humorous speaker, and they talk about those crates of wonderful peaches that they sell in the summer (Would you believe they tripled the number of pre-ordered crates this year!) It is an evening of fun and enjoyment.

The Mission Committee has purchased a table this year so that ten people from Community Presbyterian Church can attend this wonderful banquet. Can you come? Let Vicki Peihl (356-0458) or Dave Ruhnke (282-2636) know by October 15, so they can get your tickets. You won't regret attending this banquet.

For those of you who miss the ten ticket cut-off, you can always give money to Red River Youth for Christ to keep their dedicated projects going.



Thanks!

MS SOUL TRAIN SCHEDULE



Sept. 30 - 5:30 - Hay-ride and dinner at Matzke's. This event is for both MS and HS Soul Train.

Oct. 7- 5:15 - Leopold Benefit - The benefit is from 6:00-8:00 at Olivet Lutheran Church. We will meet at our church at 5:15, go to the church and help wherever we are needed. Dinner is not included tonight.

Oct. 14- 6:30 - dinner and Basketball Challenge - I believe the MS won this challenge last year, and we expect a repeat domination!

Oct. 21(NDEA - 18-19)- 6:30 - Haunted Forest - see article on page 1.

Oct. 28- 6:30 - dinner and get acquainted games

Nov. 4- 6:30 - dinner and newspaper night.

Nov. 11- no school on Monday - no meeting

Nov. 18- 6:30 - ???

Nov. 25- Thanksgiving - no meeting

Dec. 2- 6:30 - dinner and presents for shut-ins/giving tree

Dec. 9- no school Monday - no meeting

Dec. 16-Progressive Dinner - details TBA

MS Soul Train is a hungry crew!!! We are looking for people that are interested in soothing our appetites. We need dinners on Oct. 28, Nov. 4, Nov. 18 and Dec. 2. We are also having our Progressive dinner on Dec. 16th and we would like to have drinks, appetizers, salad, and the main course served. Dessert is already spoken for. Please let Becky (281-8122) or Lisa (282-5308) know if you can help. Thank you very much.

THE LEOPOLD FAMILY BENEFIT

Community Presbyterian Church and Olivet Lutheran Church have joined together to host a benefit for the Carrie and Derek Leopold family. A silent auction and baked goods sale will be held Sunday, October 7th, at Olivet Lutheran Church (1330 South University Drive in Fargo) from 6 to 8 p.m.



We will be have a PIE MAKING PARTY at Community Presbyterian Church on Saturday, October 6th, at 2 pm. The PW will supply the ingredients for the pie crusts. Bring your apples, rhubarb, cherry pie filling, etc., and we'll make the pies at church and take them home to bake them.

We are also asking for cases of pop and bottled water to be sold at the Benefit. They can be dropped off at the church starting Sept. 23rd. Does anyone have an empty fridge we could use to chill the beverages ahead of time?

We are calling on all crafters to start working on projects for the silent auction. We are also asking local business for donations, so if you know someone we should be contacting, let us know. Volunteers are meeting Tues. evenings at 6:30 in the narthex. ALL ARE WELCOME! Please contact Carol Sterup (293-6603) with suggestions or questions and to volunteer. Thank you ALL in advance for your help.

I WILL SHOW YOU MY FAITH
BY WHAT I DO.

James 2:18c



**IS GOD
CALLING.....
YOU?**

Our church is in need for (a) new Sunday School Coordinator(s). We are looking for someone who finds working with children exciting and exhilarating, someone who has a desire to further our children's relationship with God, someone who is interested in the two-year position of Sunday School Coordinator or Co-coordinator.

The Coordinator's(s') responsibilities include:

- *recruiting classroom and music teachers for the school year
- *finding directors for the Christmas program and VBS
- *ordering teaching materials
- *keeping the congregation informed of educational events through church announcements, the bulletin, and the newsletter
- *stocking the supply room with construction paper, markers, birthday surprises, etc.
- *handing out attendance sheets and collecting Sunday School money on Sunday mornings
- *awarding attendance certificates twice a year
- *attending monthly meetings of the Christian Education Committee

As the Coordinator(s), you would have input on all decisions regarding education, work closely with the Christian Education Committee and receive active support from the committee in carrying out your responsibilities.

Ask yourself and ask God if He is calling you for this rewarding challenge.

Please call any committee member if you are interested or have questions.

They are:

- Chair Boots Misheski 282-5429
- Curtis Brophy 219-9586
- Becky DeJong 281-8122
- Debbie Matzke 282-9463
- Lisa Steffen 282-5308
- Toni Stith 282-2715
- Gayle Thostenson 492-0630

**YEAR-TO-DATE
FINANCIAL REPORT**



Budgeted 2007 giving:
\$157,328.49. Or 52 weeks
@ \$3,025.55/week

<u>WEEK</u>	<u>BUDGETED GIVING TO DATE</u>	<u>ACTUAL GIVING TO DATE</u>
9/19/07	\$115,147.33	\$93,713.66

As of September 19, the year to date actual giving to CPC's general fund is at \$93,714 compared to the \$115,147 budgeted for the same time period.

These figures do not include the \$20,000 mortgage payment budget which is being funded from the building fund money market.

The note is now at \$19,000 and is higher than we usually see it this time of year. We've addressed the fact that summer's smaller giving increases our borrowing. This summer hit us harder because of the expense from the back parking lot project that has been paid for by our general giving. In the past we have run separate campaigns to generate funds for special projects that are needed. These projects are now in our general expense budget, which is a reason our individual general giving needs to increase.

Our budgeted giving includes an increase from last year, but in all actuality, our giving is the same as last year. Now is the time to take a look at your pledge and bring it up to date.

TRUSTEE TALK

The Trustees met on September 12th at 7:00 p.m. Ray Christopherson, Bob Galt, Scott Meyer, Bob Olson, and Andrew Thostenson were in attendance. Larry Peihl, Session liaison, was also present. Derek Leopold was absent.



Ray Christopherson has been meeting with the Spruce up the Sanctuary Committee, and he reported on their activities (More on this can be found elsewhere in this newsletter.). Ray will continue to represent the Trustees on this committee and will pull members in to lend a hand in the work as required.

The Trustees reviewed the sprinkling schedule for the new sod and also expressed thanks for all the members who came out to lay the sod on September 7th. (At the time of this writing, the grass looks great, especially due to God's generous watering!)

The Trustees are planning to build forms and lay concrete for sidewalks on the east and west sides of the church during the middle of October. More planning on this will occur at the October Trustee meeting.

Bob Galt reported on his work replacing electrical outlet plugs in the sanctuary and old narthex. He is done with these areas and will slowly begin to work through other rooms in the older portion of the church building. He also reported that he was able to get a better wholesale price (than what we have already) on bulbs for the new narthex.

Andrew Thostenson reported that a ballast in one of the conference room fluorescent lights failed, that Prosper Electric had replaced it, and that everything was working fine. Scott remarked that the lights were also not working quite

right in the sanctuary with the new switch and Scott promised to have Prosper Electric look into the matter as well.

The Trustees discussed a request to install additional cupboards in the secretary's office. Both Scott and Bob G. committed to meet with Cheryl Montgomery and Delores Horn regarding this before the October meeting.

The next meeting of the Trustees will be October 10th at 7:00 p.m.

URGENT!!! HELP!!! TEACHERS NEEDED!!!



We need everyone's help. Helping to educate our children is not an option but an obligation. God is calling you, NOW!

The Sunday School is set up on a rotation system. There will be 5 sessions that last for 6 weeks each. There are 30 spots to fill, and we are only asking that you sign up for one of the spots. If you act quickly you will get your choice of grade and time of year.

Grab a friend and sign-up in the narthex for one or more sessions.

Teaching Slots still available:

Session #2 - Oct. 21 to Dec. 2 -
Nursery, 3-5, MS, HS

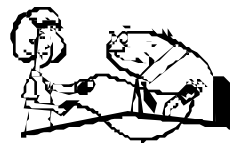
Session #3 - Jan. 6 to Feb. 10 -
Nursery, Preschool, 3-5, MS

Session #4 - Feb. 17 to March 30 -
Nursery, Preschool, K-2, 3-5, MS

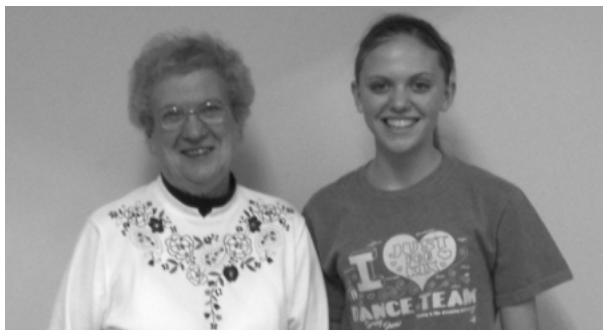
Session #5 - April 6 to May 11 -
Nursery, K-2, 3-5, HS

Teaching Slots filled: 13/30

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK



Have you heard that church is good for your health? On the last Sunday of every month, you can have your blood pressure checked in the narthex following the worship service.



INTERVIEWS BY MS SOUL TRAIN:

DELORES HORN

Personal Information

Birth date - October 2, 1933
 Birth place - a farm in Minnesota
 High school - graduated from
 Verndale, MN
 Children and Grandchildren -
 Vickie (Casselton)
 Kristi (Weatherbee Lake,
 MO) - Grant and Evan
 Joined Community Presbyterian
 Church - 1970

Favorites

Movies - The Sound of Music
 Restaurant -sit down and be
 served
 What do you order? - Chef salad
 Color - Lilac
 TV shows - Design to Sell, Antique
 Road Show

Would You Rather

How well do you know Delores? Try to guess which answer she chose for each of the following questions. Her answers will be at the end of the interview.

...find true love or \$1 million?
 ...live without music or live without T.V.?
 ...not be able to talk or hear for one day?
 ...always have to sneeze or hit your funny bone every 15 minutes?

...have a pie-eating contest or a wheelbarrow race?

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Delores Horn is an amazing contribution to our church. I, Amy Matzke, was very excited to interview her for Youth Group.

Delores Horn grew up on a farm. She told me that she was afraid of a farm rooster. It would chase her and bite her ankles. During her school days, she loved English class, but her least favorite class was Algebra. She didn't have a car until she met her husband.

Right out of high school, Delores worked at a bank. She then worked at an Insurance Adjustment Office where she typed up forms. After that, she worked at NDSU where she verified the requirements of students and assigned classrooms.

Delores' pet peeves are when people are late and when people don't do what they say they are going to do. She has never played a musical instrument, but she would have liked to learn how to play the piano. One place she would like to visit would be Israel. She would like to go there to see where Jesus lived and visit other places from the Bible.

Her most embarrassing moment was when she lost her half slip in a parking lot. She quickly picked it up and stuck it in her purse!! Delores likes to tease people but in a nice way! The best gift she ever received was a rhinestone necklace and earring set. She received it from her husband-to-be. Delores loves to cook and is very good at it. She really likes to try new recipes. One time when she was young she had a cooking disaster!! She used soda instead of shortening!!

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Delores Horn was a great person to interview. I am glad to have such a hard-working person at the church.

Interviewed By:

Amy Matzke

8th grade

April 22, 2007

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"Would You Rather" answers:

(Would You Rather answers: true love, without TV, not talk, sneeze, wheelbarrow race)



**WEDNESDAY
MORNING
BIBLE STUDIES**

Join us on Wednesdays at 10 a.m. in the conference room as we study Old Testament mysteries. We will be viewing a series of DVD's featuring new discoveries in archeology and studying our Bibles to shed new light on stories of old. We will be finishing October with the secrets of Jerusalem's holiest sites.

Everyone is welcome. For more information call Bonnie Thompson at 282-0469.

**ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE
CHANGES**

Please let the church office or Delores Horn know if you have recently changed your address or telephone number. Service and Fellowship leaders are reporting that they are having trouble reaching people since so many have discontinued their regular phone and are only using their cell phones. There is no way that we can find your cell phone number, so it would be greatly appreciated if you would report all changes.



**FALL BAZAAR &
POTATO LUNCHEON**

The Annual PW Fall Bazaar and Potato Luncheon will be held on October 27, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the church. Now is a good time to get started on your craft items (if you haven't all ready done so) if you plan to bring them to the Bazaar. We also would like baked goods, canned vegetables, fruits, pickles, jams and jellies, and anything canned. We plan to have the Jewelry Sale again, so bring any costume jewelry that you don't wear anymore. Youngsters love the jewelry. We do not plan to have the White Elephant sale this year.

The profits from the bazaar are used for mission projects such as scholarships to youth attending summer Bible camp. This year we helped Emma DeJong and Stefani Steffen attend the Youth Triennium at Purdue University and helped fund other worthy mission projects.

We will serve coffee and bars, muffins and rolls. Donations of these items will be gladly accepted. We will be setting up for the sale on Friday night, Oct. 26, at 6:30 p.m.. when you can bring your items for the sale. If you wish to price your items please do so. We will have a sign-up sheet in the narthex for ladies (young ladies, also) who would like to help either Friday night or Saturday (or both).

If you have any questions, please call Marlys Martin at 282-3740, Ardis Sherwood at 356-7994, or Delores Horn at 282-4501.

JOIN THE CHOIR!

It only takes one hour per week. We practice on Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00. Come sing with us!

