

St. Paul's Tidings

THE PASTOR'S PAGE

As Christians, accepting the death of Jesus Christ as our freedom from the bondage of sin and death is essential to our faith.

Accepting Jesus as our personal Lord and Savior moves us to freedom to serve as Jesus served. We not only receive the grace that freedom offers but also the responsibilities that freedom requires.

This month we celebrate our American Independence and with it, we who believe in Jesus, our independence in Christ as well. The death of Jesus was a turning point in the history of the world. It is also a turning point in our lives as well.

Let us live our lives in reflection of the freedom

Jesus provides. As we celebrate the 4th and our American Independence let us also celebrate the day we received our true independence and freedom because of Jesus Christ.



Pastor Kim



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July Red Hat Event

Colorado Model Railroad Museum in Greeley

This one-of-a-kind facility features over 600 railroad-related artifacts ranging from a Virginia and Truckee Railroad switch key to a full-sized Colorado and Southern wooden Caboose available for examining both inside and out.

Designed to appeal to visitors of all ages and nationalities, the CMRM has set record attendance marks in its first four years of operation and has become the leading year-round tourist attraction in Weld County, Colorado. The highlight of the museum is its huge, 5,500 sq. ft. operating model railroad dubbed "the finest model railroad I've ever seen", by the 30-year senior editor of Model Railroader magazine.

Date: Saturday, July 15 @ 10am

Cost: \$7

Lunch afterwards!

Carpool from the church at 8:15am

Please RSVP to Katie or Sharon by Sunday, July 8



Women's Fellowship (Helen)

July 13 at 11:30 brown bag lunch. Project is school supplies for the Action Center. Sharon will provide dessert.

Christian Women of Faith (Helen)

July 17 at 6:30pm. Pie at Dino's. Meet at the church at 6:15pm or at the restaurant at 6:30pm.

Get Ready for Summer Fun!



When: July 30th, 2017 starting at 5:00pm

Where: Simons' Back Yard

We will serve hamburgers and hot dogs along with many side dishes.

Plan on a lot of fun - games and other exciting events will top off this evening of festivities.

Donations for the building fund are appreciated.

Marlys



Addition Update

Lots of things have been accomplished and the end is in sight. We still need your financial support to see this project come to an end. There have been a couple of setbacks - the hail storm, an unrepairable A/C at the parsonage, and the water meter pit change. These and a few other minor problems have slowed us down a little but we are hoping now to be completed before August. We need to continue collecting money to raise the "thermometer" as high as possible before that date. Please continue to make this a matter of prayer and support.

A Heartfelt Thank You

The Gideons are very grateful for your prayers and financial support. The Lord continues to bless the ministry as we see Him drawing men, women and children into His kingdom as we place His Word in hands of students, in the hotels/motels, in hospitals, prisons etc.

May God richly bless your ministry as you reach out in the community.

Menno Gaeddert



DONATE SCHOOL SUPPLIES!

Help students in Jefferson County Public Schools be equipped with the school supplies they need to succeed

School Supplies in Need:

- Backpacks
- Markers (thin & wide)
- Colored Pencils
- Scissors (sharp & blunt)
- Crayons
- Glue (bottles & sticks)
- Pens
- Pencils
- Folders with Brads
- Pocket Folders
- Loose Leaf Paper (college & wide ruled)
- Spiral Notebooks (college & wide ruled)



SERMONS AND SCRIPTURE



July 16

"Planting Seeds"

Psalm 65:9-14

Romans 8:1-11

*Matthew 13:1-9

July 2

"Freedom in Christ"

Psalm 89:1-4

Romans 6:12-23

*Galatians 5:1, 13-15

July 9

"What to Do?"

Psalm 145:8-15

Matthew 11:16-19

*Romans 7:15-25

July 23

"Planting Weeds?"

Psalm 86:11-17

Romans 8:12-25

*Matthew 13:24-30

July 30

"The Kingdom of Heaven"

Psalm 128

Romans 8:26-30

*Matthew 13:31-33

*Pastor Kim will read

BIRTHDAYS

ANNIVERSARIES

3 Florence M

5 Anita S

11 Nate S

13 Terry T

19 Sherri R

24 Sheila B

24 Tina B

25 Susan M

25 Lynn V

26 Lorraine P

28 Dick V

29 Debbie H

31 Rex J

8 Dave and Judi K

24 Larry and Debbie H



Did we miss your birthday or anniversary? Please let Sharon know!



St. Paul's WiFi Password: community

July 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 Reader: Dorothy S 8:45am Sunday School 10am Worship Service (Team 1)	3	4 10am-3pm Quilting Ladies 6:30pm Evening Bible Study Grilling Again! 	5 7:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast (Denny's)	6 10am Morning Bible Study	7	8
9 Reader: Peggy T 8:45am Sunday School 10am Worship Service (Team 2)	10 6:30pm Choir and Praise Practice	11 10am-3pm Quilting Ladies 6:30pm Evening Bible Study	12 6:00pm Church & Ministry 7:00pm Church Council	13 10am Morning Bible Study 11:30am Women's Fellowship (Brown Bag)	14	15 10am Red Hats to Model Railroad Museum in Greeley Carpool from Church 8:15am
16 Reader: Bette S 8:45am Sunday School 10am Worship Service (Team 3)	17 6:30pm Christian Women of Faith to Dino's for pie!	18 10am-3pm Quilting Ladies 6:30pm Evening Bible Study	19 7:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast (Peter)	20 10am Morning Bible Study	21	22
23 Reader: Terry T 8:45am Sunday School 10am Worship Service (Team 4)	24 6:30pm Choir and Praise Practice	25 10am-3pm Quilting Ladies 6:30pm Evening Bible Study	26	27 10am Morning Bible Study	28	29
Newsletter Items Due						
30 Reader: Rowena W 8:45am Sunday School 10am Worship Service (Team 1)	31					
5pm Summer Fun Fundraiser! 	Lakewood Fellowship Seventh Day Adventist Church		Wed 6:30pm Bible Study		Fri 6:30pm Discipleship Class	Sat 2:30pm Worship Service

June Attendance

Sunday School		Worship Service		Tuesday Bible Study		Thursday Bible Study	
June 4:	5	June 4:	62	June 6:	7	June 8:	17
June 11:	12	June 11:	72	June 13:	10	June 15:	16
June 18:	11	June 18:	58	June 20:	13	June 22:	16
June 25:	11	June 25:	75	June 27:	8	June 29:	18
"Wing and a Prayer" Concert May 7:		68					
Men's Prayer Breakfast June 7:		6					
Women's Fellowship June 8:		7					
Men's Prayer Breakfast June 21:		6					

Cans for Christ (Shauna)

Starting Balance 6/1/2017	\$ 0.00
Incoming	\$ 23.47
Outgoing	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
Ending Balance 6/30/2017	\$ 23.47



MISSION MOMENT (PASTOR KIM)



It's that time of year again: **this is our month to support the Action Center with school supplies.**

Their distribution is scheduled for the first of August so this month we will collect supplies and money to help provide the school needs of our children in the Lakewood area. See the list on page 4 for ideas of the need.



Change of Address



Church Council (Dorothy)

The council met on June 14th with 6 members and 2 guests present. Much of the discussion was on the repairs to the church and the parsonage following the hail storm last month. We are still waiting on the insurance company to finalize our claim to complete the needed repairs.

Terry got the swamp coolers working. We all appreciate that as the heat of summer sets in. Thanks Terry!

Bill and Peggy with input from Kim and others are putting together a list of all the services and contractors we have used in the past that we have been pleased with for a reference when something needs attention. A good example was the immediate need to replace the air conditioning system for the parsonage when it blew earlier this month. We were very lucky that the contractor working on the new addition was able to replace the unit quickly. In the future we will have that list available.

The safety plan was approved by the committee and now Bette will send it to the Safety Officer for Lakewood to get his input. Hopefully it will be ready for review by the congregation after the new addition has been completed.

The addition is coming along nicely with plans for completion still to be in July. The original time capsule will be opened on June 25 and additional items will be placed in the capsule and then replaced into the foundation of the church for the next generation to discover.

Our next meeting will be July 12, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome.

Dorothy



One of our church family who's name was pulled
"Out of the Hat" By Ginger



If you would like to read this article, please come by the church.

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Jesus on the 4th of July



*We gather 'round to celebrate
On Independence Day
Pay homage to our country
As the children run and play.*



*With barbecues and picnics
And fireworks in the air
The flag we own is proudly flown
To show how much we care.*



*The stars and stripes spell freedom
She waves upon the breeze
While bursts of colors can be seen
Above the towering trees.*



*This is all quite wonderful
We revel in delight
But God above in divine love
Has brought this day to light.*



*With just a stroke of liberty
A touch of His great hand
He gave democracy to us
And helped this country stand.*



*The stripes upon our stately flag
Were touched by His sweet grace
Each star of white that shines so bright
Reflects His loving face.*



*So as you turn to face the flag
For battles that were fought
Be filled with pride for those who died
And freedoms that were bought.*



*But don't forget to thank the One
That gives the bright display
The reason why we paint the sky
On Independence Day*



Marilyn Ferguson



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ALL AMERICAN TRIFLE

3 lbs strawberries, hulled and sliced
1/4 cup white sugar
1 quart heavy cream
1 (3.3 oz) pk instant white chocolate
pudding mix

1 (6 oz) container lemon yogurt
2 T coconut-flavored rum, divided (opt)
2 (16 oz) prepared pound cakes, cubed
2 pints blueberries, or as needed

In a bowl, sprinkle the strawberries with sugar; stir to distribute the sugar, and set aside. Chill a large metal mixing bowl and beaters from an electric mixer.

Pour the cream into the chilled mixing bowl, and add white chocolate pudding mix, lemon yogurt, and about 1 tablespoon of coconut rum, if desired; beat until fluffy with an electric mixer set on Medium speed.

Spread a layer of pound cake cubes into the bottom of a glass 10x15-inch baking dish, and sprinkle the cubes with another tablespoon of coconut rum. Cover the pound cake with a layer of strawberries; sprinkle blueberries over the strawberries. Spread a thick layer of whipped cream over the berries. Repeat the layers several times, ending with a layer of strawberries sprinkled with blueberries and reserving about 1 cup of whipped cream; top the trifle with dollops of whipped cream to serve.

Refrigerate leftovers.