	July/ August Dates Ahead	8/25	Kay Guches
7/27	TRUTH PROJECT (Burkleo's Home)	8/27	Ed Struthers
7/30	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study 8am		<b>August Anniversaries</b>
8/7	Ice Cream Social Williams Church 7pm	8/6	Bob & Beth Piete
8/12	AWANA Supply Order Deadline	8/7	Brian & Kelly Johnson
8/16	Missions Meeting 3pm	8/8	Kelly & Cindy Quaid
	September Dates Ahead	8/9	Keith & Amy Wiginton
9/1	Women's Outreach	8/12	Dale & Cricket Rau
9/4	Communion Sunday	8/15	Ed & Joanne Struthers
9/5	Labor Day	8/13	Dan & Genie Walker
9/23	Autumn Begins	-	
3/23	Autumi begins	8/27	Paul & Judy Slater
	Luly Pirthdoys	8/31	Mark & Theresa Wolter
7/4	July Birthdays	0./0	September Birthdays
7/4 - /-	Mike Joyce	9/2	David Richardson
7/7	Brooke Belanger	9/3 9/7	Emma Johnson Mary Zimmerman
7/10	Mindy Lacroix	9/8	Naomi Wilantt
7/12	Shirley Belanger	9/11	Paul Slater
7/15	Louise Isbell	9/16	Doloris Dowell
7/19	JoAnn Miller	9/18	Lance Brush
7/20	Dorothy McMahon	9/19	Gwen Bernard
7/23	Charlotte Butcher	9/19	Marilyn Marsh
7/25	Vane Jones	9/19	Amy Wiginton
		9/22	OB Beckham
7/29	Vickie Prose	9/23	Cameron Leet
	July Anniversaries	9/24	Norm Behm
7/8	Kendon & Jessie Leet	9/27	Juanita Conner
7/8	Joe & Leta Neiderheiser	9/29	Terrie Brush
7/13	Dale & Paula Fisher	9/30	Susan Beckham Sontombor Appiversaries
7/14	OB & Susan Beckham	9/3	September Anniversaries Ron & Jody Hill
7/27	Vane & Bonnie Jones	9/8	Bob & Wendy Belanger
7/30	Gary & Chris Richardson	9/10	Rich & Sandy Reeves
7/30	August Birthdays	9/20	Gene & Doloris Dowell
0.70		9/24	Joe & Eva Clement
8/8	Johnny Ciesla		October Birthdays
8/10	Velma Greer	10/2	Kaysie Leet
8/11	Dave Burkleo	10/5	Cari Dietrick
8/15	Genie Walker	-	
8/18	Sarah Armstrong	10/8	Caitlin Quaid October Anniversaries
8/24	Jody Hill	10/7	Leonard & Barbara Long
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DEAR CONGREGATION,

"Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age" (Matt 28.19).

If you are like me, you need the occasional reminder of the "big picture" kinds of things that are your responsibility as a member of Christ's church. The verse just quoted gives us one of those fundamental commands from our Lord. It is called *The Great Commission* for good reason.

None of us are exempt from this commission. Not all of us are called to take the gospel to the ends of the earth, but we are all called to participate in that endeavor in one way or another. That is why our missions committee wants to devote one Sunday in August (the 21<sup>st</sup>) to reminding all of us about this most fundamental mission of the church. On that day, the music, the message and the prayer meeting Sunday evening will be focused toward that end.

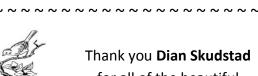
I am telling you about this in advance so that you can look forward to it and pray that the Lord will move in our midst to stir afresh in us a renewed zeal for the missionary endeavor. I am not envisioning a day in which we are "guilted" into throwing more money at our missionaries. I am praying, instead, that each of us will grow in a sincere passion to see souls added to the number of those who are worshiping God—souls from the Applegate Valley and souls from the remote villages of Papua New Guinea.

"God be gracious to us and bless us, And cause His face to shine upon us-- Selah. That Your way may be known on the earth, Your salvation among all nations. Let the peoples praise You, O God; Let all the peoples praise You. Let the nations be glad and sing for joy" (Psalm 67.1-4).

Toward that end,

PASTOR BRIAN

AWANA WORKERS: Be sure to get your supply orders in to Vickie by 8/12/11 so you will have what you need in time.



Thank you **Dian Skudstad** for all of the beautiful flowers and pots decorating our church!

"He who is generous will be blessed, For he gives some of his food to the poor."

Proverbs 22:9

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The Office will be closed <u>July 25th through</u> <u>August 5<sup>th</sup></u>, as Vickie will be helping with camp. Call Mike Joyce at 846-0548 if you need assistance.

## LAKE OF THE WOODS

## **BIBLE CAMP!**

"Victory through our Lord Jesus Christ"

JULY 26-30 Explorer Camp

JULY 31-AUG 4th Teen Camp

Volunteers are needed. Notify Brian as soon as possible so paper work can be done. (Staff application)

# AWANA STARTING SEPTEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup> Ages: 3 Years to 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Plus YAAC Youth Group for 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades

What do Rahab, Gideon, Job, The Shunammite Woman and Nehemiah all have in common? Their life of faith! They also share the privilege of being highlighted at council time this year in AWANA. Would you join us in praying for the Lord to use His Word to bring children in AWANA to saving faith in Jesus Christ?

Council time is one small slice of AWANA. The other major time periods fall to Kendon Leet in game time and book time for each of the classroom leaders. I continue to be amazed by the leaders and helpers the Lord has brought! Every Wednesday night they come to listen, to love, to serve and to teach God's Word to each of the precious children who come to AWANA. Perhaps you are interested in listening to verses on Wednesday night. If so, please talk to Kelly (846-6110) as we are still in need of helpers to make the AWANA year function smoothly.

What eternal plans and purposes will God accomplish this year at AWANA? We don't yet know, but we are sure His Word will not return without accomplishing what He has sent it to do. We are excited to be the servants who get to plant His Word! Feel free to join us if you want to help with this eternal endeavor!



# **Prayer Requests:**



- \* Continued prayer for Sarah and the Armstrong family.
- \* For the Belanger's in the loss of Wendy's father Garry on 7/13/11.
- \* The Quaid's in the loss of Cindy's dad.
- \* Lance & Terrie Brush for health/injuries.

\* Pray for our unsaved loved ones.

Williams Community Church Sing

And Ice Cream Social

Sunday

August 7, 7:00pm

Bring your best homemade ice cream to enter the contest and share with others.





"Selah" ...signifies the murmuring tone of a harp... may have been intended to indicate a pause in the vocal music while the instruments rendered an interlude."

Hove our creative Lord, He thinks of everything when giving us His Word!
Love, Cari (Your New News Break Contact)

### MISSIONS COMMITTEE UPDATE

We have been aware of urgent financial needs for several of our missionary families. Lauren and Terri Wells along with their son Joseph returned to Spain recently and are facing added expenses in reestablishing their ministry there. To make matters worse, their financial support is still below what is needed for their monthly needs while at the same time, the exchange rate for the dollar continues to deteriorate.

Bill and Vered Rogers find themselves in a similar situation since they had to relocate to a new location when their old apartment in Tiberias became unsuitable for their growing family.

We were also aware that Sandy Mikolavich recently returned home to be with her Father during his recent illness and surgery. This emergency resulted in unplanned travel expenses, which placed an additional strain on their limited budget.

In response to these needs, the Missions Committee decided to send a one-time financial gift to each of these families. At the same time, we asked the Elders to consider providing additional funds from the General Fund.

Because God has continued to bless our church with generous financial support from our church family, the Missions Committee decided to send \$500 to each family from the Missions Fund, and \$500 from the General Fund, for a total of \$1000 to each family. This is in addition to their regular monthly support of \$250.

Praise God for His many blessings!!!