

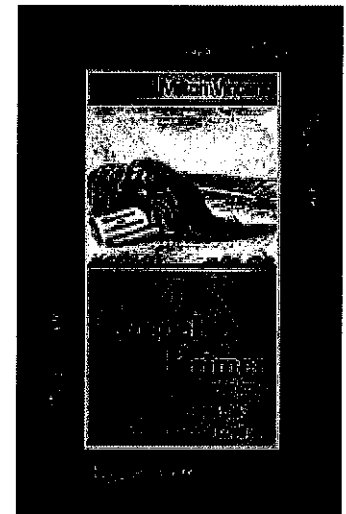
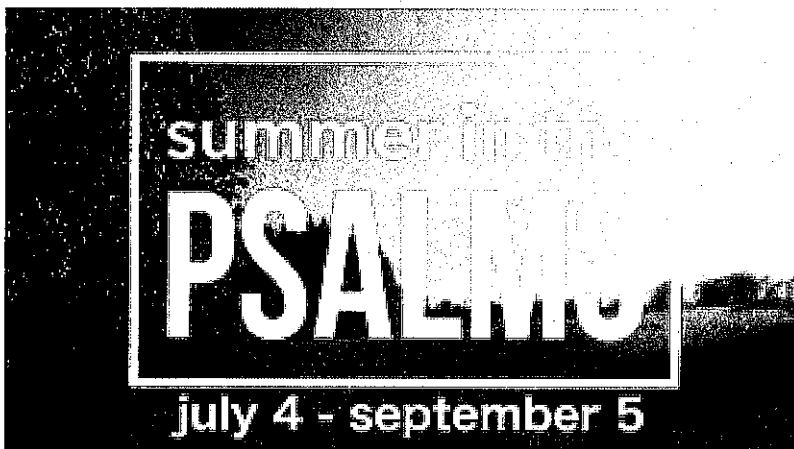
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Book suggestion for August



As Summer rolls on into the month of August, we can hopefully continue to enjoy the wonderful weather and the beautiful surprises that have come our way through the spectacular thunderstorms. God's incredible creation has been evident all around us and, once again, we can't help but acknowledge the Creator of it all. He has made Himself known to us not only through what we see around us but also through His Word!

Because of this, we also continue rolling through our series "Summer in the Psalms." I hope that you have enjoyed the overview of some of these fabulous poems/songs. We have been reminded of the fact that *"this book was given to us by God as a reminder that worship is at the center of everything."* Now, more than ever, we need the sure reminders of truth that are found in the Scriptures. We have no other hope than hop in our God We come to His Word expecting to hear, to learn, and to grow. We cannot and must not stay the same. May these "songs" that were written so long ago continue to ring in our ears, heart and minds in the days ahead as reminders of truth that God has for us.

Pastor Scott

WAYS TO GIVE YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS:

In person—drop your check, cash or pew envelope in one of the boxes located in the Fellowship Hall or front of the church.

Online—www.ambccandor.com/give

Text—text your amount to 607-333-7858

www.AMBCCANDOR.com



COME JOIN US!

Each Sunday we have an opportunity to stay connected in worship by attending our Sunday service to enjoy to a shared message and study through scripture.

Join us as we continue to enjoy our worship and messages with Pastor Scott Burtis.

I encourage you, if you do not already, to join us in our sanctuary on Sunday mornings at 9:45 am and also join us at 11:15 am for our in-person Sunday School. We are also live streaming on YouTube. Check our website at www.ambccandor.com for more details.

Please be sure to contact us if you need anything!



Missions Highlight for the Month of August:

Samaritan's Purse

Operation Christmas Child

We will be collecting items for our Operation Christmas Child boxes through the month of November. Our goal for this year is to pack 300 shoeboxes to bless small children all over the world. Here is a list of what will be needed each month:

August: 100 pocket calculators, 100 packages of ballpoint pens, 200 packages of pencils

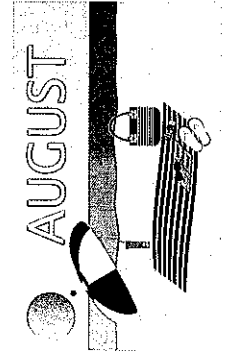
September: 80 girls' hair brushes, 300 small toys, 50 boys' combs

October: 100 notebooks

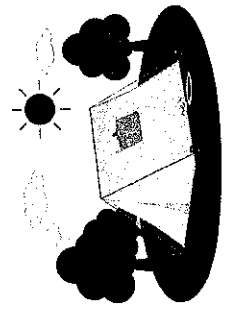
November: \$2,000 for shipping

You are more than welcome to prepare your own box for Operation Christmas Child, please bring it to the church by November 14. If you have questions or need information on how to pack a box, please see Dave Nichols.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Communion 6:30 pm Summer Sunday Nights campfire	2 B-Carol VanEpps	3	4 B-Dixie White	5	6	7 A-Jim & Dixie White 8:00am-12:00noon Church Work Day
8	9	10 6:00pm Deaconesses' Meeting 6:30pm Trustees' Meeting	11 B-Bill English	12 6:00pm Deacons' Meeting	13 B-Anita Westgate	14
15	16	17	18 6:30pm Quarterly Ministry Celebration	19	20	21
22 6:30pm Summer Sunday Nights campfire	23 B-Angie Figgs	24	25	26	27 6:00pm Family Movie Night	28
29 All-Hymn Sunday	30 B-Arlene Gillette	31 B-Dick Halstead B-Josh Soper				
Regular Sunday Services:	9:45am Worship Service 9:45am Journey Kids 11:15am Sunday School					

Announcements for this newsletter should be received by Tammy Podufalski by the 23rd of the month prior to publication. You can send your announcement to Tammy by email at ambcsecretary@hotmail.com, phone at 607-280-4039 or by placing your announcement in the Secretary box in the hallway near the offices.

FYI

Mark your Calendar

August 1	Communion Summer Sundays Nights (campfire) at 6:30 pm
August 7	Church Work Day (8:00 am- 12:00 noon)
August 18	6:30 pm Quarterly Business Meeting
August 20	Family Movie Night
August 22	Summer Sunday Nights (campfire) at 6:30 pm
August 27	6:00 pm Family Movie Night
August 29	All-Hymn Sunday



Join us in the gym on Friday, August 27, at 6:00 pm for our free Family Movie Night. The featured movie will be "Toy Story." Come and enjoy an evening watching the adventures of Woody, Buzz and the gang!

Light refreshments and, of course, popcorn will be served. Bring a blanket to spread out in the gym or a comfortable chair and enjoy!

Daily Bible Reading Plans:

For online reading and videos:

www.branchtogether.org
www.backtothebible.org
www.blueletterbible.org
www.biblegateway.com



Through these past months we have seen an increased opportunity to serve one another in our church family. One demanding our attention is the need for rides — whether it is to church, a doctor appointment, a medical procedure, to pick up a prescription, and even to shop for groceries. In the early church, as recorded in the Book of Acts, there were those who met the needs of others. Stephen was one of the seven chosen to serve. We would like to build a list of those who would be available to provide a ride for someone in need — to minister to people as Stephen did. Would you be willing to add your name to this list, this Stephen Ministry? Simply contact the Church Office and let us know your availability. We would love to connect you with someone looking for this assistance, so together we can love each other as the Body of Christ ought to.

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Bill Lunn—asthma symptoms
Sue English—healing of broken ribs
Mark Hollenbeck—recovering from COVID
Trish Ragsdale—continued cancer treatments
Joyce Page—recovering from surgery
Joan Meddaugh—recovering from surgery
Don Yeier—comfort
Corey Spires—recovering from kidney stones
Florence Hollenbeck—continued recovery
Jim White—Parkinsons

Can we pray for you? Go to our website and click on I NEED PRAYER.

If you are interested in joining a group of us who will be praying for online prayer requests that come in through our website, please contact Tammy Podufalski and she can add you to the email list.