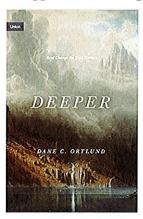
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## AMBC NEWSLETTER

# August 2022



#### **Book suggestion for August**



**Deeper** by Dane C. Ortlund
Real Change for Real Sinners

### Summer is here in all its splendor!

As our schedule is maybe a little more relaxed and we spend some of our vacation time, let's not forget to spend some of that time in reading God's Word. As we go through this series in Proverbs, remember to read one chapter a day—the chapter number that corresponds with the day of the month. Join us in reading through the book of Proverbs in August and gaining wisdom!

In this series we are learning to "develop skills for living well in God's world." Wisdom is taking what we know and putting it into practice. We know that we are to love one another, so let's continue to faithfully meet with Him each day and then meet together with our church family each Sunday. We know that we are to share the Good News with those around us, so let's pray for opportunities to speak and serve—like helping out in VBS!

May we be praying for God to do His good work among our church and community in the days ahead.

**Pastor Scott** 



## **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. We are currently studying the book of Proverbs.

Join us as we continue to enjoy our worship and messages with Pastor Scott Burtis. I encourage you, if you are able, 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!





#### Philip and Martha Matthews-Missionaries to Ireland

Phil and Marth Matthews are serving in Ireland through Communitas International. Back in Dublin, Phil is serving as a chaplain to a hospice. Please pray for him in this challenging role. Phil says it is a true privilege to be able to come alongside people at such a vulnerable time in their lives. Please pray for much wisdom and grace, and for openings to pray with and share the love of God with precious individuals. Pray for the Holy Spirit to guide the many conversations that happen each day with residents, their families and staff.

Martha continues her work with inner city schools, helping to encourage family literacy. Martha reports that the last few years have brought many extra challenges with COVID. Summer months provide a welcome chance to catch our breath and prepare and plan for September. Please pray that the work done through the school term will "stick" and for each of the children who have now completed the program.

The Matthews want to thank us for being partners with them and for standing with them in prayer. "We truly cannot do anything for God on our own, we need each other, and we need each other's prayers. Thank you so much for yours."

Sue English

**Missions Secretary** 

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

#### 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



#### Mark your Calendar

August 6 7:30am Men's Breakfast at Bostwicks

August 7 Communion

August 14 Guest speakers: Missionary to

Hungary—Keith Sellers

August 17 Quarterly Business Meeting

August 22-25 VBS

August 26 Family Movie Night in Gym

#### **Looking Ahead**

October 14-15 Beth Moore Simulcast



VBS is coming up from August 22—25!
Please see Becky Aman or Pastor Scott to volunteer.

#### **Daily Bible Reading Plans:**

For online reading and videos:

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



Join us on Sunday, August 14, as we honor Keith and Beverly Sellers who will retire from the missionary field at the end of October.

We have been honored to have been able to support them since 1998.

#### Note from the Clarks:

We want to thank you again for the kind reception and hospitality you gave us on the weekend of June 26. It was our pleasure to share God's stories from PNG and to open the Word to you. It was also a joy to hear your stories, to see your continued faithfulness in Gospel ministry, and to witness a congregation and leadership tea that is loving one another. We look forward to hearing how the joint VBS in the Candor community turns out. As always, I, Darlene, find time in Candor to be refreshing-a taste of home. Thank you for continuing to partner with us faithfully. We pray for your joy, your fruitfulness, creativity and open ears as you seek God's heart on growing both numerically and spiritually, and for your love to abound with both knowledge and depth of insight.

Gratefully in Christ

The Clark Family

Our August request for Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child is shipping costs for 300 boxes. We will need a total of \$3,000 to ship the 300 boxes we are hoping to fill. Please note on the pew envelope or on your check (in the notation section) that your donation is going to Operation Christmas Child.

# 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.