

# august highlights

## Sunday, Aug. 15

Join us for a *Pancake Breakfast* beginning at 8 am followed by

**9:30 am Service at Veteran's Park in the shade by the amphitheater.**

(Please bring chairs or blankets to sit on.)

The Mary Martha Leadership team would like to welcome **Nikki Cook** to our team. Nikki brings many gifts and talents to the team, and we are blessed to have her!

## MMF Women's Fall Bible Study

Registration Aug. 22 and 29

### Restore My Heart

by Denise Glenn

A study about Christ's love for you and His invitation to become His bride. Classes begin Sept. 12 and 14. Cost \$15

## MMF Book Club

Tuesday, Aug. 31

7 pm at Jim & Letty Barnes' 2228 E. Lattice Dr., Meridian

discussing *Sense & Sensibility* by Jane Austin

Please bring a snack to share and a lawn chair if you can.

All women are welcome, whether you've read the book or not.

## Relationship Art Show

Submissions are due to the church office August 22-29 for the September 12-December 4 show. How does relationship inspire you?

Art submission forms are found in the foyer or on our website at [www.bvcc.net/arts\\_ministry.htm](http://www.bvcc.net/arts_ministry.htm). Contact Jenn Shelby 703-2575 or [i.heart.art@hotmail.com](mailto:i.heart.art@hotmail.com) with questions regarding Envision Arts.



## Men's Muster

Sept 24-26

Trinity Pines, Cascade, ID

Speaker: Doug Hezeltine

Lead Pastor at Christian Life Fellowship in Ontario

Registration begins the end of August.

Wednesday PRAYER Gatherings

7 - 8:30 pm

Come Holy Spirit!

## excerpt from the ticket

A book chronicling the life-changing journeys of BVCC members.

**dan**

I had never been inside a church before. We went as a family to church that Easter. I figured I was probably the last person church people would expect to come through the doors, but I went. Despite being strung out on pain meds, the pastor's words from the Bible got through to me. When he offered people a chance to come forward and accept Christ as their Savior, I found myself walking down the aisle. I prayed with the pastor, "Jesus, I know I've messed everything up. I'm a sinner. Forgive me. I need you to save me." No angels sang that I could hear, and no light came down from heaven. But when I walked back up that aisle to my seat, I knew something had happened. God had laid his hand on my life and honored my prayer.

Copies of The Ticket are available at the church.

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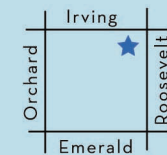
### Engaging Our Neighbors –Rock Ruddy

One of my favorite things about summer is seeing my neighbors more than any other time of the year. I find myself engaging my neighbors in a less stressful, more natural way. Summertime also gives our congregation great opportunities to engage our neighbors in natural ways. This August we have two great platforms to **reach our church neighborhood** with the friendship and love of Christ.

The first is coming up quickly. **Tuesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>** is National Night Out. The Central Rim Neighborhood Association will be putting on a BBQ for our neighborhood, and we have the honor of hosting it right in our parking lot. There will be burgers and hot dogs, a jump house, a K-9 police unit, an ambulance, and a fire engine. We get to provide music, and Forward Motion Youth will be presenting their drama. What a great opportunity to present Jesus in a fun, natural way! Our attendance will be a blessing to the Association, so come on out Tuesday night! The fun starts at 6:30.

### visit us...

**sunday service**  
**10:30 am**



1177 N. Roosevelt St.

**check us out...**  
**bvcc.net**

**call us...**  
**208-345-6776**

The second event extends further into our community. Forward Motion Youth is doing Matthew 5:14: "going public with the good news" with outreach beginning Thursday, August 12 and culminating at Sunday Service in the park on August 15. Our youth will stay on the church campus and receive training in worship, prayer, hearing and obeying the direction of Holy Spirit and using the arts, music, and drama in outreach. They'll put their training into practice through prayer walking and ministry in the parks and other locations in the city. They'll invite those they meet to our Sunday service in the park, and help cook breakfast for the congregation that morning. So be ready to receive all the guests we'll have at our service August 15<sup>th</sup>!

# bvcc in action

BVCC partnered with Deer Flat Church in Wilder to bring God's Word through a VBS for the Chula Vista children June 28-July 2.

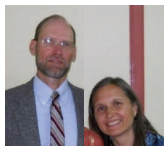


During August the **Love INC** Gap Ministry will be **gas vouchers**.

**FRONTLINE MINISTRY CHANGES** We are announcing a change in leadership of our Frontline Outreach Ministry. Since its inception, Frontline Ministry has been led by **Rhonda Willoughby**. Rhonda is now taking a sabbatical, after several years of ministry leadership at Christian Communion. **Jessica Wingett** has been named as the new Frontline Team Leader. She has led several outreach activities, including our Christmas gift wrapping ministry, the Table Rock clean up, a bar outreach, a yard clean up and planting sage and bitter brush with the Forest Service. Jessica has been a part of Christian Communion since her teen years in our youth group. She teaches speech at Caldwell High School and coaches their debate team.

We want to thank Rhonda for building the Frontline Team and we pray for rest and refreshment during her sabbatical. We look forward to seeing what God has planned for her when she returns to ministry!

**Frontline Foodbox Ministry** It's time to restock our foodboxes and there are many ways you can help! Give: You can help by designating your check or giving envelope for "foodboxes". Each foodbox costs approx. \$50. Collect: You can help by collecting empty paper boxes that we can fill with food. Volunteer: Sign-up in the foyer to either shop for the food, or pack the food into the boxes.



## Mongolia Missionaries, Bill and Donna Mills

and Justin, Wesley, Evan and Derek will be in Boise this August. **They will share on Sunday the 22nd.** One way they share the love of Christ is through their work to help make clean water available through well-drilling projects. This can open people's hearts to receive help with other things such as marriage, family issues and alcoholism. Also, when they can, they encourage other believers who work in very remote and sometimes lonely corners of Mongolia.

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Envision Arts - 'Relationship' Art Show Submissions Due						
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## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

2 - Tom Eldridge	13 - Landon Cain	24 - Dan Darrow
- Fred Heidt	- Kaleb Pipal	- Janet Wilton
- Rachel Pon	- Montie Ralstin	25 - Mike Norell
3 - John Siebold	- Bev Wibbels	26 - Roald Doskeland
4 - Mel Wibbels	14 - Jeff Barker	- Braxton Grimes
6 - Vern Cleveland	- Barb Hemmer	28 - Dana Dumond
8 - Scott Christie	- Michael Tessier	29 - Scott Nelson
- James Wilson	18 - Jack Cook	30 - Riley Anderson
10 - Donita Anderson	- Kim Ross	
12 - Larry Soderlind	21 - Ann Gossi	

## September 2010

- 5 - Community Service Sunday
- 6 - Labor Day (office closed)
- 9 - Divorce Care group begins
- 12 - MMF Fall Bible Study begins
- Relationship Art Show Opens
- 14 - MMF Fall Bible Study begins
- 19 - Service at Veteran's Park
- 22 - See You at the Pole
- 24-26 - Men's Muster

## October 2010

- 22 - MMF Girl's Night Out
- 31 - Hymn Sing