

THE GOOD NEWS BULLETIN OF WELLSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

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WELLSVILLE, KANSAS
AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH



Dear Friends in Christ,

This is a busy time of year for many of us. Farmers and those who work construction jobs are busy at work. Those who love spring-time sports (as well as their parents) are becoming fully engaged in these activities. Then, there are the gardeners. From flowers to vegetables, there are always weeds to remove. There are vacations to plan, attend, and recover from, lakes to ski and fish, etc.....(kind of makes you tired just thinking about it).

As believers in Jesus, I hope that we remember not to leave Him out this season! I hope that when we are making our plans, we can remember what Paul said in 1 Corinthians, chapter six, that we have “been bought with a price and therefore we must glorify God in our bodies.” This should help to keep us from drifting and doing things that Jesus wouldn’t approve.

In short, I hope we will remember to place a priority on attending services, studying our Bibles, and praying! Have fun in the sun, but more importantly have fun in the Son!

Pastor Tom



THE WELLSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2010 And the WELLSVILLE MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

Invite you to join them for a
BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

On
**WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2010
7:00 P.M.**

At
WELLSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
3rd and Main Streets
Wellsville, Kansas

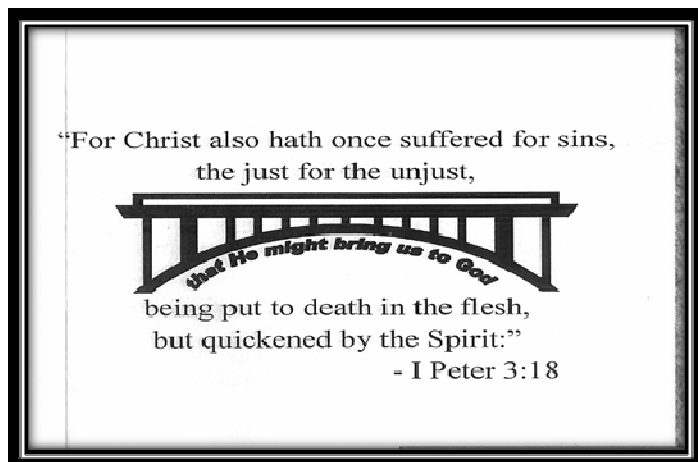
Reception to following in the Fellowship Hall



SMALL GROUP DINNER MINISTRY



This season’s Small Groups Ministry is winding down, our final meeting being Sunday, May 2nd in the Fellowship Hall at 12:10 p.m. From all reports, this has been a successful season with good attendance. WE are looking forward and planning for the coming fall season beginning in September. As in the past, unless you let us know differently, those who participated this past year will automatically be included in the fall. As always, we welcome and encourage new members—contact Janet Coffman (883-4049), Earline McGinnis (883-2806) or the church office (883-2806) for information.

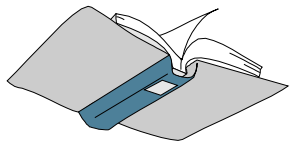


There is nothing any more exciting
than learning how to be a tool in the
Master’s hand.

Are you?

Come and join us on Sunday, May 16th, during
either of our services, to hear how you can be a
bridge builder for Christ.

LADIES' BREAKFAST AND BOOKS



This summer, the ladies of the church will have a monthly breakfast which will be on the first Tuesday of each month at 9:00 a.m.

Our first one will be on May 4th at Ann Averill's house (4892 K-33 Highway). There is no need to bring anything unless you have signed up to help host.

Our theme is Books, so bring a book you have read and really enjoyed and you can tell us a bit about it. Maybe it's Christian fiction, a special devotional book, or a book about a topic that intrigued you. Or maybe it's a book you have bought or someone gave you that you haven't had time to read, but you would like to get started on it! Or maybe you are someone who doesn't have time to read, but would still like to get together to enjoy fellowship ...

All ladies are welcome, with book in hand or not! We especially invite those of you who cannot join us during the year for Bible Study, and those who are new and would like to get to know other women in the church. If you have any questions, please call Pam Sharp at 785-594-3006.

¡AY CARAMBA! OUR TEENS ARE GOING TO CAMP!



Our teens are going to camp in August and need some help raising the money to go. So they have decided to feed us. They are having a **TACO LUNCH** on **Sunday,**

May 16th following the 10:50 a.m. worship service. Cost for the meal is a free-will offering. All are invited to attend.



SPECIAL SPEAKERS

PRAYER

YOUTH
CRUSADE

June 10, 11, 12, 2010
7:00 p.m.

Wellsville
Baptist Church

OUTREACH

DEDICATION

MUSIC

Come and be recharged or be charged for the first time!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Yes, it's true; Vacation Bible School is quickly approaching. This year's VBS is **June 21-25**. If you'd like to donate to provide yummy snacks for the kids, just mark your monetary donation "VBS Snacks" and we'll take it from there. You can put it in the officering plate, leave it in the office, or give it to one of the directors: **Ann Unruh, Donna Thomasson, Rebecca Oshel or Denise Lowe**. Thank you so much!

Nursery: Wilma Boyer, Pam Phares, Emily Taylor

4 yr olds: Christie Haigh, Christi Brewster, Jenny Klamm

5 year olds/Kindergarten: Jill Robbs, _____

1st Grade: Kari Owings, Linette Burton, _____

2nd Grade: Cambry McHugh, Nickie Birdsall, Chrissy Swafford

3rd Grade: Lynda Swafford, Sherry Clark, Rachel Swafford

4th/5th Grade: Wanda Schnoke, Leslie Rogers

Song leaders; Wanda Schnoke, Darrell Kerr, Gary Bubeck

Crafts: Denise Lowe, Tami Mosher, Kara West, Diane Wingert

Recreation: Staci Newhouse, Apryl Strawn, _____

Props/set: Jo Kramer, Francie Winslow

Registration: Diane Wingert, Ginny Honomichl, Lori Rogers

Snacks: Barb Wright, Janet Coffman, Ann Averill

Money Counters/Floaters: Kenny Coffman, Bev McAuley

Drama: Sandy Rogers, Bob Cramer, Pam Sharp

JOIN US AT
SADDLE RIDGE RANCH
FOR A FUN AND EXCITING WEEK!



We are also looking for backpacks to use during this week. They need to be **WELL-MARKED** with your name so we can return them to you. Thanks!

YOU ARE INVITED

To a
**50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION**

For
Franklin & Carolyn Turley

On
Saturday, May 22, 2010

From
1:00—5:00 p.m.

At the
Princeton Community Building

In
Princeton Kansas

See the invitation at the back of the sanctuary for more information.

NEW MINISTRY For Tiffany & Josh McIlvain

We would like to share with you about Tiffany & Josh and their new ministry. They will join the Edge Corp program with the Navigators. Navigators provides College Ministry at college campuses around the country. Tiffany & Josh will go to Ball State University in Muncie, Indiana. They have created a blog to keep everyone informed of their new journey for Christ. If anyone would like to follow their ministry, the blog is:
<http://joshandtiffanymc.blogspot.com/>

Please keep them in your prayers.

Thank you and God bless you,
Carol & Don Nitzsche

PRESCHOOL GRADUATION

Special Blessings Preschool will celebrate their graduation on Thursday, May 20th at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary of the Wellsville Baptist Church. A reception will be held in the Fellowship Hall following the program. All are invited to attend.

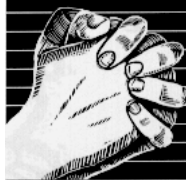
We are now enrolling for 2010-2011. If you are interested in receiving information, contact Kari Owings at 785-883-4933 or the church office at 785-883-2640.

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 31st in honor of Memorial Day. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday.



PRAYER



REQUESTS

Youth Crusade/Revival on June 10-12 at WBC

Shelly Gibson—friend of Judy Broers—undergoing chemotherapy
Lacey Martin—Cathy Briethaupt's daughter—pregnancy complications and on bed rest until July

Jordyn Young—Bev McAuley's granddaughter—following the birth of her daughter—Isabelle

Teresa Sullivan—friend of Judy Broers—recovering from surgery

Mary Jochem—friend of Barbara Ott—health concerns

Larry Lowe—Dave Lowe's brother—recovering from a heart attack

Martin Kichler—Dennis Kichler's father—health concerns

Larry Matile—friend of Janet Coffman—diagnosed with cancer

Deputy Roger Shambaugh—friend of Fred Schnoke—recovering from cancer surgery

Austin Sparks—13 yr old son of Bob Moss' co-worker—possible cancer on leg bone with the possibility of amputation

Don Foster—in the hospital recovering from a stroke

Darlene Reichart—recovering from surgery

Connie Skiles—Alva Skiles' mom—health concerns

MEN OF INTEGRITY BREAKFAST SATURDAY, MAY 15, 2010

The righteous man walks in his integrity; His children are blessed after him. Proverbs 20:7

We are having a special breakfast for the men of our church and community on Saturday, May 15th at 7:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Dave Haynes & Steve Haynes with The Navigators will come and share. If you are interested in attending, please call the church office (883-2640), Ted Buckley (883-2195) or sign up at the back of the sanctuary.

Iron sharpens iron, So one man sharpens another. Proverbs 27:17

YOU ARE INVITED

To a
Graduation Reception
For
Rev. Dr. Thomas W. Swafford
On
Saturday, May 22, 2010

From
1:00—3:00 p.m.
Wellsville Baptist Church
Family Center
3rd & Main Streets
Wellsville Kansas

MAY, 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
*Sunday—Regular Weekly Services — 8:30 a.m. Worship Service, 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Bible Study, 10:50 a.m. Morning Worship Service, 5:30 p.m. Youth Group for ages 7th—12th grades; 6:00 P.M. Choir; 7:00 P.M. Worship Team Practice. **Wednesday—Regular Weekly Services—6:30 p.m. AWANA Youth Groups, 6:45 p.m. Adult Coffee & Dessert Time, 7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study						1 <u>7:00 a</u> Men's Prayer Breakfast
2* <u>8:30 & 10:50 a</u> Graduate Recognition service, <u>9:30 a</u> Music team meeting, <u>12:10 p</u> Final Small Group meeting,	3 <u>7:00 p</u> Stephen Ministry Supervision	4 <u>8:45 a</u> Staff meeting, <u>9:00 a</u> Ladies' Bible Study breakfast, <u>6:00 p</u> Stephen Ministry training	5** <u>6:00 p</u> T&T Girls Leaders' meeting	6 <u>7:00 p</u> Deacon's meeting	7	8 <u>7:00 a</u> Men's Prayer Breakfast
9**	10 <u>7:00 p</u> Search Committee	11 <u>8:45 a</u> Staff meeting, <u>6:00 p</u> SM Training, <u>7:00 p</u> Board of Trustees	12** <u>7:00 p</u> WHS Baccalaureate	13 <u>10:00 a</u> Bingo at Wellsville Retirement Center, <u>6:30 p</u> Board of Christian Ed	14	15 <u>7:00 a</u> Men's Prayer Breakfast
16* <u>8:30 & 10:50 a</u> Bridge Builders, <u>12:10 p</u> Taco Fundraiser lunch	17 <u>7:00 p</u> Stephen Ministry Supervision	18 <u>8:45 a</u> Staff Meeting, <u>6:00 p</u> Stephen Ministry training	19**	20 <u>6:30 p</u> Preschool Graduation, <u>7:00 p</u> Rodeo Bible Camp meeting	21	22 <u>7:00 a</u> Men's Prayer Breakfast, <u>12:00 p</u> Fellowship Hall reserved, <u>1:00 - 3:00 p</u> Pastor Tom's graduation reception
23* <u>9:30 a</u> Council meeting	24 <u>7:00 p</u> Search Committee	25 <u>8:45 a</u> Staff meeting, <u>6:00 p</u> SM Training	26**	27	28	29 <u>7:00 a</u> Men's Prayer Breakfast
30*	31 Memorial Day Church office closed today					

If your birthday or anniversary is not listed below, please call the church office and let us know.

Anniversaries

- 4-M/M Pat McAuley, M/M Kendall Anderson
- 7-M/M Ted Buckley
- 19-M/M Don Nitzsche
- 23-M/M Frank Robbs
- 25-M/M Tim Thomasson
- 26-M/M Glen Sharp, Sr.
- 29-M/M Darrell Kerr

Birthdays

- 1-Joshua Winslow, Jason Inglehart
- 2-Jo Kramer, Donna Hickman
- 4-Derek Moore, Randy Massengale

Birthdays (cont.)

- 6-Ted Buckley, Fred Buckley
- 7-Carol Cramer, Annabelle Haigh
- 11-Stephen Ishmael
- 15-Bobbie Johnson
- 17-Shannon Young, Nancy Lytle, Brad Oshel
- 21-Jesse Smith, Ila Rushing
- 22-Gary Bubeck
- 25-Mike Moss
- 27-Kyle Taylor, Aliah Haigh
- 30-Luke Thomasson

The Good News Bulletin is a monthly newsletter of Wellsville Baptist Church, 217 Main Street, Wellsville, Kansas, 66092. All visitors are welcome to worship with us each Sunday at 8:30 a.m. and 10:50 a.m., Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. Mid-Week Service is Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Rev. Thomas W. Swafford is the Senior Pastor and Fred R. Buckley is the Youth Pastor. The Good News Bulletin coordinator is Jan Beuthien. The church office phone number is 785-883-2640. The Pastor's phone number is 785-883-4201 and the Youth Pastor's phone number is 785-304-1408.

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