

NEW LIFE NEWS



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MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

Psalm 100:4



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We welcome you to join us as we make our way through the bible this year. You will need to read through 2 Corinthians 13 by November 30



Sun 11/7~ through John 21 Sun 11/14 ~ through Acts 21 Sun 11/21~ through Romans 16 Sun 11/28 ~ through 2 Corinthians 6

Intentionally Developing Relationships With Others

I was going through my emails the other day as I get quite a few. As I write this article, I already have received 27 emails before noon. As I went through them, I came across this article. It was written for men in ministry. I sent it out to the men that I know so they could be challenged the same way I was. As I thought about the article, I realized this is NOT just an article for men, but an article for ANY believer. It reminds us that it is good to have relationships with nonbelievers, so we can share God's Good News with them. But it ALSO reminds us that we NEED to have other more mature believers in our life that encourage us and help build us up, so we don't walk down a road that may lead us astray. Instead, we need to seek relationships with healthy mature believers that encourage us, AND perhaps even be the healthy mature believer who encourages others. I hope you enjoy the article. And just so you know, this article came from the website www.pastors.com, no author was given.

"Do not be misled: 'Bad company corrupts good character.'" 1 Corinthians 15:33 (NIV)

God wants you to have non-believers as friends. He wants you to love everyone, show kindness to everyone, and help everyone you can. If you don't have any non-Christian friends, you won't be around anyone you can share the Good News with. And if you want your church to have a passion for evangelism, you need to model that in your own life. But don't miss this—your best friends should be Christians. They should be strong believers. It's always easier to pull people down than to pull them up. That's why you must make sure the people you hang out with the most are

moving you in the right direction. They should be building you up rather than tearing you down.

Where do you want to be in 10 years? What kind of person do you want to be?

The truth is, the people you spend your time with and the books you're reading reveal where you'll likely end up in the future. As the Bible warns us, "bad company corrupts good character" (1 Corinthians 15:33 NIV).

Your friends are too important to pick by chance. You must be intentional. That's why everyone, even pastors, should be in a small group with fellow believers. Do whatever it takes to build and nurture those relationships.

While this article is specifically pointing toward being in a small group, and I agree with that, you do not need to be in a small group to develop a trusting and accountable relationship with another mature believer. Just go out to coffee with them. Go to breakfast or lunch together. Play golf together - I do that. Have a BBQ at your house and invite them over. Do whatever you can to develop that relationship, and be sure to tell them right away why you want to get to know them better. It should really encourage us when someone asks us to encourage them and even disciple them. Ask God to show you who you should approach to do that with, and create an opportunity for that to happen.

 $\sim Pastor\ Jesse$



What's Happening



November 3rd @ 7:15PM











December 5, 2022

2-4pm

Women's afternoon with tea, snacks, games, fun & fellowship

Call Sabre Dessauer at 231-499-9979 or email her at sabradess@gmail.com to reserve your spot!

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Jamie Crouse
- 2 Jennifer Wade
- 3 Brian Johnson
- 3 Heidi Cusick
- 4 Maggie Laraia
- 5 Patricia Sardeson
- 9 Don Cone
- 10 Eileen Martz
- 15 Richard Bryan
- 17 Kayla Thompson
- 17 Serenity Westendorf
- 19 Dave Shaw
- 19 Megan Hussmann
- 20 Arykah S
- 20 Patience Starks
- 21 Melissa Blue
- 22 Charlotte Taylor
- 25 Kody Mielde
- 26 Carolyn Koberstien
- 27 Brett Klawitter
- 29 Janet Karpinski

Central Advent Christian Mission Society Annual Meeting in 2022.

The Central Region will host it's annal meeting in OUR area in 2022. The meeting will take place at "The Lodge" in Mauston, WI on Friday June 24, 2022 and Saturday June 25th, 2022. Write down the dates on your calendars now. The theme is "Beyond the Four Walls: Rethinking the Mission".

Join us as we think about how we can as a church go beyond our walls to help and share the Good News with those who do not know Jesus yet.



Wednesday night

November 3 — Meal November 10

November 17

November 24 No Huddle

Starts at 6PM

Wednesday night will be for ALL AGES! Come Join Us!!



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On Saturday, November 20th, we will host our annual rummage and bake sale for Penny Crusade. Please look around your homes, attics, basements, closets, sheds and garages for any unused, under-used, or no longer wanted items that you would be willing to donate. We are interested in kitchen items, home decor, kitchen or bathroom linens, tools, sporting goods, holiday decor, toys, baby gear, furniture, appliances, books, electronics (not TVs) or antiques. We are not able to be accept shoes or children's car seats.

Items can be brought in starting Monday November 15th. Baked good should be brought in no earlier than Friday June 4. Please place all donated items on the <u>EAST</u> end of the gym along the wall.



The title is "Showers of Blessing" by Daniel Whitter There shall be showers of blessing, this is the promise

There shall be seasons refreshing sent from the Savior above

There shall be showers of blessing, precious reviving ,again, over the hills and the valleys sound of abundance of rain

There shall be showers of blessing, send them upon us

Grant to us now a refreshing, come and now honor your WORD.

Jerry Kinnamon



Come For: a weekend retreat/lock-in for teens 6th grade and up, college students, youth workers, and sponsors.

WE WILL spend time with God, see old friends, make new friends and participate in worship, Bible study classes, games, "Concert of Prayer," and more.

AT THE Aurora Advent Christian Church

FOR THE WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 5-7-2021

The retreat begins Friday evening at 7 pm and ends Sunday at noon following the morning worship service.

STILL AT A COST OF JUST \$35 for those in 6th-12th grades. (registration deadline is October 29th)

STAY CONNECTED

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Financial Report

Month of September

Actual Income \$14,833 Actual Expense \$16,014 Difference - \$1.181

Budgeted Giving \$12,693 Budgeted Expense \$16,403 Difference -\$3,710

Year to Date

Actual Income	\$124,068
Actual Expenses	\$143,421
Difference	-\$19,353

Budgeted Giving \$123,755 Budgeted Expense \$155,886 Difference -\$32,131