

RELIGION DIGEST

Peace Presbyterian Kid's Camp Starts Sunday

SonRock Kids Camp is coming to Peace Presbyterian Church! Once again, PPC is teaming up with Christ the King and Riverview Park Reformed Churches for a fun-filled VBS adventure!

As children participate in fun-filled activities, children will learn how each one of them is loved by Jesus! We will have a great time with lively songs, hilarious skits, creative crafts, exciting games, Bible stories and tasty snacks - all of the things that make VBS so much fun for children! SonRock Kids Camp can be an inspirational and educational adventure for your entire family!

Ages 3 through completion of 6th grades are welcome Sunday, August 1 through Thursday, August 5 6:30-8:30 p.m. each night. Parents are invited to come see the culminating program on Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Contact PPC or Amy Bertsch at 260-0516 for more info.

"Hero Headquarters" VBS Kicks Off At FUMC

Sunday evening, Aug. 1, is the kick-off date for Hero Headquarters at the First United Methodist Church at 207 W. 11th St. in Yankton.

Beginning at 5:30 p.m. with a light supper, parents and children are invited to come and register for five evenings of superhero excitement. Sessions following Sunday night's opening will run from 6-8:30 p.m. nightly.

Each evening there will be music, drama and fun. Superhero Maintenance Mac will challenge Water Woman, Pizza Man and the kids to join forces with God and learn about those amazing heroes in the Bible who have taught us ways to be heroes for God.

Craft projects will be featured for children to take home to help remember the Bible heroes and to continue to try and be like them. Opportunities will be opened for the children to become Heroes of the Day and provide inspiration or beauty to others in our community.

There will be large and small groups excitedly cooperating with and competing against one another and nourished by a snack which will be accompanied by a Bible story.

It's a great opportunity for real-life kid heroes to get a start. Parents are welcome to be a part of this great adventure which begins on Sunday, Aug. 1 and continues until Thursday, Aug. 5.

To register or get more information, please call the church office at 665-2991.

Tri-Valley Barbershop Chorus To Perform

VOLIN — The Tri-Valley Barbershop Chorus, under the direction of Alan Ward, will perform at Faith United Lutheran Church, 44874 303rd St., Volin at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 1.

Contact the church at 605-267-2277 or faithunited@iw.net with questions or to receive driving instructions.

Kid's Crossing Teaches About Greed

Janitor Bob talks about greed and how life is more than possessions based on Luke 12:15, during Sunday's Kid's Crossing. Part of the Main Street Living morning worship telecast may be seen at 10 a.m. on KDLT. The featured speaker is Rev. Glenn Schultz from Trinity Lutheran Church in Corona, SD and Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Wilmot, SD. The sermon theme is "Being Rich Toward God." The Main Street Living Choir will provide the hymns. The program is interpreted for the hearing impaired.

Additional information may be found on the web site, www.mainstreetliving.com. Mailing address is Main Street Living, 1400 S. Duluth Ave, Sioux Falls, SD, 57105.

Ice Cream Social Wednesday in Gayville

GAYVILLE — The Gayville women of the ELCA will be holding an ice cream social from 5-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 4 at the Gayville Community Center.

Taverns, hot dogs, Coney dogs, pie, bars, ice cream and drinks will be served. A free will offering will be taken and funds will be matched by Thrivent Financial For Lutherans.

Motorcycle Blessing Service Trinity Lutheran

HARTINGTON, Neb. — Trinity Lutheran Church and the Sioux City, Solid Rock Chapter of the Christian Motorcycle Association (CMA) are having their annual "Biker Sunday" Motorcycle and Rider Blessing and worship service led by Solid Rock Band and CMA chaplain. The community is invited to attend. It will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church, corner of Summit and Centre St., in Hartington, Neb.

God is active in all parts of our lives, even while enjoying our favorite hobbies. In this blessing, we ask God to bless our motorcycles, bikes, scooters, etc., and we set them, and ourselves, apart to be used to glorify God. We also ask God to protect us as we ride, work, and play.

Please join us Sunday, Aug. 1. Blessing will begin at 7 p.m. followed by worship at 8 p.m. Call 402.254.6606 for information.

This is our third Biker Sunday and Trinity Lutheran is excited to have the Solid Rock Chapter of the CMA back to lead the blessing and worship service. There are so many people who believe that God is part of their lives, but never make it to church on Sunday morning. This is an opportunity to reach out to the community with the message of God's love and to give thanks, asking his blessing upon our lives, motorcycles, ATVs, scooters, etc., so that we may glorify Him and be safe in all that we do.

Teaching Children To Deal With Worry

Simon learns that worry results in wasted time during Kid's Crossing at 10 a.m., Sunday, Aug. 8 on KDLT as part of the Main Street Living morning worship telecast.

The featured speaker is Vicar Thomas Brown from Zion Lutheran Church in Mitchell, SD. The sermon theme is "What's it Worth?" The Main Street Living Choir will provide the hymns. The program is interpreted for the hearing impaired.

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'Drop By' Days Stated For MVCA In August

Missouri Valley Christian Academy, a non-denominational Christian school in Yankton, will be hosting a series of "Drop By" Days starting next month. Interested families will have the chance to tour the school, view the curriculum and what MVCA has to offer.

"Drop By" Days will be 4-8 p.m. Monday, Aug. 2; 1-5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 8; and 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 10.

All will be held at the school located at 305 W. 25th St. Watch for signs. For more information, visit the school's website at www.mvca-mustangs.org.

Lakeport Church Celebration Set For Sept. 12

The 27th annual celebration of the state's oldest standing chalice church, Lakeport or St. John the Baptist Catholic, begins with a 10:30 a.m. mass there on Sunday, September 12, 2010.

The general public is invited to attend. This year the dedication will be to the little town of Janousek, S.D. A potluck meal follows at the American Legion Hall in Tabor, S.D.

The church, located 10 miles west of Yankton along Highway 50, is also the last remaining building of what was once the village of Lakeport. St. John the Baptist Catholic Church was built in 1884 — one of a number of buildings erected by Czech immigrants who settled in the Lakeport area in 1869.

Rev. Joseph Puthenkulathil, priest of St. Wenceslaus Church, Tabor, will celebrate the special mass on Sunday, Sept. 12.

Lakeport was located along the Sioux City to Ft. Randall Military Road. The famed General Custer camped there. Other military passed through there also, some as early as 1856.

As Czech immigrants settled there, they established a post office, church, school, hotel, community center and other businesses.

If you have any interesting facts about the town of Janousek, call Leona Cwach at 605-665-7956.

Grief Retreat Planned For Irene In September

IRENE — A grief retreat entitled "Loss of a Loved One" will be held at the Broomtree Retreat Center, located at 29827 446th Ave. west of Irene, Sept. 17-19.

Dr. Marcie Moran and guests will lead this non-denominational weekend retreat for adults reconciling their grief. Integrate spiritual, educational and experiential activities to help heal the loss and learn to live fully again.

Call 605-988-3775 or 1-800-700-7867 for registration forms and information, or e-mail mmoran@scatholic.org.

Mount Marty Hosts Educational European Trip

Sister Cynthia Binder and Mount Marty College History Professor Dr. Rich Lofthus will be hosting an educational trip to Paris, Normandy, Brittany and London. The trip will begin Wednesday, Dec. 29, 2010, and run through Saturday, Jan. 8, 2011.

This European trip includes visits to historic attractions like the Louvre, Notre Dame Cathedral, Rouen Cathedral, Mont St. Michel, and Chartres Cathedral. World War II history enthusiasts will enjoy standing on the beaches of Normandy and visiting the Caen Memorial.

For more information, contact Sister Cynthia Binder at 605-668-1463 or cbinder@mtmc.edu, or Dr. Rich Lofthus at 605-668-1462 or rlofthus@mtmc.edu.

Raffle To Benefit Yankton Women's Shelter

A raffle to benefit the Yankton Women's/Children's Center is being held, with the grand prize being a John Deere riding lawn mower (from Fred Haar Company).

Tickets are now available for purchase.

Other prizes include:
• Ground Hunting Blind (donated by Dakota Archery)
• 4 Vikings vs Miami Dolphins Tickets; Sept. 19; 2 rooms at Westin (Donated by Rupiper Travel)
• 3 digital cameras (Donated by Brad and Sheryl Dykes)

Contact the YWCC to purchase tickets at 605-665-4811. You need not be present to win. Tickets may also be purchased at Pizza Ranch, JoDeans, Rexall and Cortrust (Yankton, Tabor).

The drawing will be held Aug. 21 following the Riverboat Days parade. The drawing will be broadcast live on KVHT (106.3).

Children's Choir to Hold Season Auditions

On Monday, August 16 from 5:30-7p.m. the United Church of Christ in Yankton will be the location of the season auditions for the Yankton Children's Choir.

The choir features singers from grades 3 through 8, with unchanged voices, performing a wide variety of 2 and 3 part music. Rehearsals are held each Monday night and on the last Saturday morning of each month.

Performance venues are varied and will include 3 local concerts as well as appearances which have in the past included JcyForce and Mount Marty College basketball games and holiday programs at the State Capitol in Pierre as well as others.

The choir is dedicated not only to improving a child's musical ability but also to fostering personal and social skills which help set a good basis for a successful life. Past choir members readily acknowledge that their lives have been enhanced by their Children's Choir experiences.

For further information call or email Executive Director Teresa Szakats at (605) 857-0706 or tszakats@southeast.joblink.org.

Send your notices for the Religion Digest to: newsroom@yankton.net. Articles should be submitted by noon on Thursday to be considered for publication.

CHURCH SCHEDULES

Abundant Life Ministries

ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES, 517 Burleigh, Lawrence and Barbara Hladky, pastors, 665-0889. SAT 7pm Praise and worship celebration. SUN. 10am Worship. WED. 7pm Worship. Teens prayer daily 10am.

Alliance of Renewal Churches

LIVING WATER CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, Sun. 10am Yankton Middle School (2000 Mulberry) Weds. 7pm Prayer. David Olson, pastor. (605)260-2138.

Assembly of God

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, 801 W. 25th, Jeff Mantz, pastor. 665-6362 (office). SUN. 10am Worship Celebration. WED. 7pm Midweek service and Bible study for all ages.

Baptist

*CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, 2407 Broadway, Yankton. (605)665-5594. Rev. Jon Cooke, Pastor Jeremy Nelson, and Pastor Terry Port. Laura Kotalk. SUNDAY August 1 8:30 AM Intercessory Prayer Time 9:00 AM Sunday School for all Ages 10:30 AM Worship Service with communion Someone's Praying for You 6:00 PM Softball Game - Sertoma Park MONDAY August 2 7:30 PM Service broadcast on Channels 3 & 98 WEDNESDAY August 4 6:45 AM Men's Prayer Time 7:00 AM FCA Breakfast 4:00 PM Youth Lake Day (Gavins Point) 6:00 PM Intercessory Prayer Time 7:00 PM Adult Bible Study 7:00 PM Adult Leadership Team THURSDAY August 5 7:00 PM Celebrate Recovery FRIDAY August 6 5:30 PM Parents' Time Out NO Cruisin' 24/7 .

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH, 221 W. 3rd, Kevin Caskey, pastor, 665-0066. SUN. 9:30am Sunday School, 10:45pm Preaching Service, 4pm Afternoon Service. THU. 7pm Preaching & Prayer Service.

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BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH, 303 Ohio St., Wakonda. Mike Lindsay, pastor, (605)759-5020. SUNDAY Worship, 11:00a.m. evening 6:00pm WEDNESDAY Bible Study 12Noon. HARVEST INDEPENDENT BAPTIST, 100 W. 3rd, Mission Hill, Pastor Nathan Martin, 668-0708 (ch.) 665-1481 (home). SUN. 9:30am SS. 10:30am Worship, 5:30pm Worship. WED. 7:00pm Worship.

YANKTON BAPTIST CHURCH, SBC, Pastor Matt Green, 607 East 15th St., Yankton, 665-7587. SUN. 9:30am Bible study, SS; 10:45am Worship. WED. 7pm Midweek service.

Bible Church

GRACE BIBLE CHURCH, 31102 Walleye Drive (Corner of Hwy. 52 and Walleye Drive, just east of Gavins Point Dam road), Yankton, Joel Finck, pastor, 463-2070. SUN. 10am Worship.

Catholic

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Immaculate Conception), St. Helena, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen, (402)357-2400. Sat 5pm. HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Sts. Peter & Paul), Bow Valley, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen (402)357-2400. Sat. 8pm & Sun. 11am.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Sacred Heart), Wynot, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen, (402)357-2400. Sun 9am Mass.

MOUNT MARTY COLLEGE, Peace Chapel, MMC campus. SUN. 10am Mass with the Sisters in the Bishop Marty Chapel. Public is welcome to attend.

SACRED HEART, 509 Capital, Yankton. Rev. Mark Lichter pastor. 665-3655 (office). SAT. 4:30pm Mass. SUN. 8am, 9:30am, 11am Mass. THUR. 12:30pm, 2:30pm and 7:30pm Confessions.

ST. AGNES PARISH: SIGEL, rural Utica. SUN. 9am Mass, confessions 1/2 hour before Mass.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, Bloomfield, NE. Fr. Michael Schmitz SUN. Mass: 10:30am; TUE. Mass: 8am; THUR. Mass: 7pm. Confessions: THUR. 6:30-6:55pm.

ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH, 1500 St. Benedict Drive, Yankton. Father Paul Josten, 664-6214 (church). Masses: SAT. 5pm. SUN. 8:30am & 10:30am.

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Catholic

ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH, Menominee, Neb., Rev. David Fulton, pastor. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

ST. BONIFACE CHURCH, rural Freeman. For weekend Mass info see church bulletin or Rev. Mathew Vazhappilly, (605)583-4318.

ST. COLUMBA CHURCH, rural Irene. For weekend Mass info see church bulletin or Rev. Mathew Vazhappilly, (605)583-4318.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH, Scotland, SD. Rev. Mathew Vazhappilly. For weekend Mass info see church bulletin or call (605)583-4318.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC, Fordyce, Neb. Rev. David Fulton. SUN. 10:30am Mass.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC, Lesterville. SUN. 10:30am Mass.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, Constance, Neb., Fr. David Fulton, pastor. SAT. Mass: 7:30pm.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC, Wakonda. Rev. Scott Trayner, 624-2697. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA, Crofton, Neb. Fr. Michael Schmitz. SAT. Mass: 8:00am & 5:30pm. SUN. Mass: 8:30am. WED/FRI Masses: 8:15am. Confessions: WED. 11am-11:30am, SAT. 5-5:20pm.

ST. WENCESLAUS, Tabor, (605)463-2336. Rev. Joseph Puthenkulathil, SAT. 7pm Mass. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

THE HOUSE OF MARY SHRINE, 6-mi. W. Yankton, Hwy.52. Masses: 1st Saturday 9:00am, Monday 8:30am, Rosary: 4:00 Sunday. Open 7 days a week for prayer. thehouseofmaryshrine.org

Charismatic

YAHWEH-SHALOM CHARISMATIC, St. Benedict Catholic Church. MON. 7:30pm prayer meeting

Christian

KINGSWAY CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 19th & Burleigh, 665-6317. Joseph Mason, Pastor. 9am-SS; Worship 10:15am. Wed.-6pm-Kids games; 7pm-Kids for Christ & Adult Bible Study.

Christian Science

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY, Sixth St. and Douglas St., Yankton. SUN. 9:45am Worship.

Church of Christ

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1114 West 12th, Yankton, 665-6379. SUN. 9:30am Bible study; classes for all ages. 10:30am Worship.

Church of Jesus Christ

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST LATTER-DAY SAINTS, 2300 Douglas, Yankton. Randy Campbell, (605)565-2016. Family History Ctr 665-0901. SUN. 10am Sacrament meeting.

Episcopal

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 517 Douglas, Yankton. Rev. James Pearson, (605)665-2456. 8:30 Serenity 9:30 Sunday School 9:30 Holy Eucharist Tuesday Fermenting Faith 5:00 Wednesday noon Eucharist.

Evangelical

EMMANUEL CHURCH Yankton HS Theater, 1801 Summit, Sunday Worship @ 10am. Pastors Dan Freng & Jeremy Mulder, www.emmanuelyankton.com (605)665-0404.

Faith Alive

FAITH ALIVE, 501 Cedar St., Yankton. 665-4797. Contemporary Worship & Family Values. SUN: 10am service. WED. 7pm CareCells "Small Groups For Building Relationships" Various Locations.

Jehovah's Witnesses

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, 2215 Douglas, 664-2249. SUN. 10am Public Bible lecture, 10:35am Watchtower WED. 7:30pm Bible Study, 8pm Ministry School, 8:35pm Service meeting.

Lutheran

CALVARY LUTHERAN, Irene. 263-3527. SUN. 9:30am Worship. 10:45am SS.

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH, 305 W. 25th, Yankton, 665-8848. Rev. Dani Jo Ninke. SUN. 9am Worship, SS-9:45am.

FAITH UNITED LUTHERAN, 44874 303rd St., Volin SD 57072. (605)267-2277. SUN. Worship Services 9:30am. Children's Education WED. Evening (WOW) 6:30-7:30pm.

FIRST AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC 300 S. Carpenter St., Tripp, (605)935-6941 SUN. 9am Worship 9:30am Sunday School. firsthope@santel.net

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Lutheran

GAYVILLE-BERGEN LUTHERAN Pastor Ralph Egbert. Phone number: 267-4342 (church) Sunday BLC 9am; Sunday School 10:15am; Gayville Sunday School 9:45am; GLC 10:45am.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, 200 South Wilson, Delmont. (605)935-6941. SUN. 10:45am Worship. firsthope@santel.net

Martinus Lutheran Church, Utica. Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service 8am (605)569-3195 www.MartinusLutheran.org

OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN, rural Irene. 263-3724. SUN. 11am Worship.

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN, 29219 431st Ave., Menno. Rev. Bradley Danielson. SAT. 7am Men's prayer breakfast. SUN. 9am Worship. 10:30am SS.

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN, LCMS, 12th and Elm, Springfield. Rev. Kenneth Johnson, pastor. SUN. 8am Worship. 9am SS. THUR. 7pm Adult Bible study.

PRINCE OF PEACE, Wisconsin Synod, 201 East 25th St., Pastor Werre, 665-4793. Sat. 6pm Worship.

South Dakota Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, MAIN STREET LIVING television program, 10a.m. (CST) on KDLT-NBC; and 11a.m. (CST) on KAUN-PAX; and 10a.m. (MST) on KJRA-PAX.

St. John Lutheran Church, Tyndall, Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service 10am (605)589-3195. www.StJohnsTyndallLCMS.org

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMS), 1009 Jackson. David Gunderson, Pastor. SUN. 8am Worship, 9:15am Education Hour, 10:30am Worship.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, 403 Broadway, Yankton, 665-7415. Worship Saturday, 5:30pm, Sunday, 8:15am & 10:00am. Coffee fellowship, 9:30am.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, Hartington/Crofton, NE. Bob Bryan, pastor, (402)254-6606. SUN. 9am Worship (Hartington), 10am SS (Hartington), 11am Worship (Crofton).

TRONDHEJEM LUTHERAN CHURCH (AFLC), rural Volin. 263-3841. SUN. 9:15am; 10:30am Worship.

VANGEN LUTHERAN CHURCH, Mission Hill. 665-5426. Rev. Lance Lindgren, Pastor. Worship 9:30am; Coffee Fellowship 10:30am; Quilters each Wed. 9am; WELCA 3rd Thurs. 1:30pm; Senior Dinner first Thurs. 12pm.

Non-Denominational

GLORY CHRISTIAN CENTER, 901 E 11th St. Yankton, Gail Ryken, pastor, 665-2369. SUN. 10am Service. WED. 6pm Prayer. GC School, call (605)665-1988.

Presbyterian

PEACE PRESBYTERIAN (PC/USA), 206 E. 31st. 665-0448. Rev. Dr. Nelson Stone & Rev. Marilyn Stone. Sun-9:30am worship. Coffee & SS for kids & adults to follow. Aired at 8pm Fri. on Ch. 3 & 98

Reformed

RIVERVIEW REFORMED, 17th St. & Burleigh, Rev. Rodney Veldhuizen, pastor, 665-9204. SUN. 9:30am Worship, 10:15am SS. WED. Youth group & adult choir.

Seventh-Day

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST, 722 Locust St., Yankton, 665-1032. SAT. 9:30am Sabbath School, 11am Worship. 665-4496, 665-4881. Pastor George Shaver Home phone (605)369-5496.

United Church

CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, Newcastle, Neb., 303 Highway 12, Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SAT. 6PM Church school, 7PM Worship. Second THUR. 2PM Ladies Aid.