

Pleasant Valley WELCA Soup Supper Oct. 2

VERMILLION — The Pleasant Valley WELCA will be holding its annual Soup Supper on Wednesday, Oct. 2, in the church basement, serving from 4-7:30 p.m. Pleasant Valley Church is located at 45918 308th St., rural Vermillion.

The menu includes: chicken and dumpling soup, vegetable beef soup, chili, taverns, ham sandwiches, pie, ice cream and beverages for a free-will offering.

MVCA's First Fall Banquet Slated Oct. 5

The inaugural Missouri Valley Christian Academy Fall Banquet will be hosted by Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway, Yankton, on Saturday, Oct. 5. There will be a dinner at 5:30 p.m. with a program at 7 p.m.

The featured speaker will be the Rev. J.P. Mosley Jr.

For ticket information, call 665-4470.

St. Boniface Church Fall Supper Set For Oct. 13

FREEMAN — St. Boniface Catholic Church, Idylwilde, located at 28703 444th Avenue, Freeman, will hold its annual fall supper on Sunday, Oct. 13, running from 4-7:30 p.m.

Serving will be Central Catering's broasted chicken, meatballs, au gratin potatoes, salads, desserts, buns and beverage.

First United Methodist To Host Soup Kitchen

First United Methodist Church at 207 W. 11th St. (the corner of 11th and Cedar) in Yankton will host its annual soup kitchen on Wednesday, Oct. 16, running from 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

The menu will include taverns, soups and homemade pies. There will also be a country store where you will find more baked goods, jams and jellies, crafts and other canned goods.

Mayor's Prayer Breakfast Oct. 11



Mayor's Prayer Breakfast organizers, from left, Loretta Sorensen, Julie Auch and Peg Wittmeier have secured Sioux Falls attorney Bret Merkle to speak at this year's October event.

"If you're a football fan, you're probably familiar with the stir Tim Tebow caused when he bowed his knee and acknowledged God during games," Sorensen said. "Few people are aware that his actions motivated the Newsmax Health team to study how prayer impacts people."

Newsmax Media is a conservative American news media organization founded by Christopher W. Ruddy and based in West Palm Beach, Fla. Their recent scientific research showed that prayer changes four distinct areas of the brain.

The Newsmax research demonstrated that prayer changes the brain's anterior cingulate, which helps people feel compassion for others and a loving connection to God. The change brings about numerous health benefits.

The limbic system, responsible for emotions such as fear, depression and pessimism, is also positively affected by prayer. Scientists believe that could explain Tebow's outstanding performance on the field.

"There are 47 scientifically

proven benefits of prayer," Sorensen said. "They include pain relief, reduced risk of death from stroke or heart attack, decreased anxiety, and more. That's the kind of blessing we want to help make available to our community."

Sioux Falls attorney Bret Merkle will speak about the significance of prayer in his life after he suffered a devastating motorcycle accident while he was in college.

"I'm not the one to tell Bret's story," Sorensen said. "During the breakfast he'll explain what God has done in his life. His story was so dramatic that he wrote a book about it, 'Tragic Blessing.' Because of his accident, Bret endured months of surgery and pain, which led him to the depths of despair. He was ready to end his life when God intervened."

Wittmeier notes that one of the elements of the prayer breakfast that people often say they appreciate are the prayers offered by members of the Yankton community for businesses, churches, families and more.

"There's something very powerful about hearing your friends and

CHURCH SCHEDULES

Abundant Life

ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES, Pastors Butch and Barbara Hladky, 517 Burleigh, Yankton. 665-0889. Open for prayer daily. FRI Shabbat Service 6pm Youth Service 7pm. SUN. 10am Worship.

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

First Assembly of God, 801 W. 25th. (605)665-6362 (office). SUN. 10 am: Bible teaching sermons WED. 6:30pm Midweek service and Bible study for all ages. www.yanktonassembly.com

Baptist

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH, 100 E. Douglas, Kevin Caskey, pastor, 665-0066. SUN. 9:30am Sunday School, 10:45pm Preaching Service, 4pm Preaching Service. THU. 7pm Preaching Service.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH, 301 Ohio St., Wakonda. Dr. Calvin Jones, pastor, (605)267-1100. SUNDAY Worship. 11:00a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, SUNDAY: 9:00 Sunday School for all ages, 10:30 Worship Service. MONDAY: Service broadcast 7:30pm Channels 3 & 98. WEDNESDAY 5:30pm Family meal; 6:30pm AWANA, 7-8th Grade Youth Group; 7:00pm 9-12th Youth Group, Adult Bible Study. Pastor Jon Cooke, Associate Pastor Rick Slattery, Youth Pastor Adam Ansel, Children's Ministry Director Allie Kloppenstein. www.cbchurch.com<http://www.cbchurch.com> 2407 Broadway, (605)665-5594.

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.

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Baptist

YANKTON BAPTIST CHURCH, SBC, 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, Home Fellowship during the fall and winter. Call Pastor Joel Finck for times and locations. (605)760-4701.

Catholic

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Sts. Peter & Paul), Bow Valley, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen (402)357-2400. Mass: Saturday 5:00pm.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Immaculate Conception), St. Helena, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen. (402)357-2400. Mass: Sunday 9:00am.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Sacred Heart), Wyanot, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen. (402)357-2400. Mass times, Sundays 11am.

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 Capitol, 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. SAT. 5pm Mass, confessions 1/2 hour before Mass. Father Daniel Moris.

St. Andrew's Catholic Church Bloomfield, Nebraska
Fr. Michael Schmitz, Pastor
SUNDAY Mass-10:30 AM; 2nd, 4th, 5th TUES DAY Mass-8 AM; THURSDAY Mass-8 AM.

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

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

ST. BONIFACE CHURCH, rural Freeman/Idylwilde. AUGUST WEEKEND Mass Saturdays at 4:30pm.

ST. COLUMBA CHURCH, rural Irene/Mayfield. AUGUST WEEKEND Mass Saturdays at 6:15pm

ST. GEORGE CHURCH, Scotland, SD. Sundays 9:30 am. AUGUST WEEKEND Mass Sundays at 9:30am.

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

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

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Catholic

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. Father Daniel Moris. SAT. 7pm Mass. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

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

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Charismatic

YAHWEH-SHALOM CHARISMATIC, St. Benedict Catholic Church. MON. 7:00pm prayer meeting

Christian

KINGSWAY CHRISTIAN Church,19th&Burleigh, 665-6317. Joseph Mason, Pastor. 9am-SS; Worship 10:15am. Wed.- 6:30pm Kids for Christ/Adult Bible Study. www.kingswaychristianyankton.org

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. Michael Maxwell (402)586-2645 Family History Ctr 665-0901. SUN. 10am Sacrament meeting.

Episcopal

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 517 Douglas, Yankton. Rev. James Pearson, (605)665-2456. Sunday 9:00 am Serenity; 10:15 Holy Eucharist; Wednesday; Noon Holy Eucharist.

Evangelical

Cornerstone Evangelical Church, Pastor Oliver Omanson, Stewart Elementary School; Morning Service 10 a.m. Wednesday College Bible Study 1306 Maple Street. Mike Stevens 665-8750.

Evangelical

EMMANUEL CHURCH We gather together for worship every Sunday at 9:30AM at the Yankton Middle School (2000 Mulberry Street). www.emmanuelyankton.com

Lutheran

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH NALC: 305 W. 25th, Yankton, 665-8848. Rev. Dani Jo Ninke. SUN: 8:30am & 10:45am worship services; 9:45am Sunday School.

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 9:30am Sunday School; SUN. 10:45 Worship firststhope@santel.net

GAYVILLE-BERGEN LUTHERAN Pastor Ralph Egbert. (605)267-4342 (church) Church: 10:30am-GLC Worship, 9:15- GLC SS, 10:15am-BLC SS, 9:00am-BLC Worship.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC 200 South Wilson, Delmont. (605)935-6941. SUN 9am Worship. 10am Sunday school. firststhope@santel.net

Martinus Lutheran Church, Utica. Pastor Dean Schroeder Sunday Divine Service 8:30am (605)589-3195
www.MartinusLutheran.org

OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN, rural Irene. 263-3724. SUN. 9am Worship.

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN, LCMS/NALC, Menno. Pastor Theresa Jacobson Office 605-387-5241 Worship 9am, Brunch, SS 10:20am.

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 Lutheran Church, Wisconsin Synod, 201 E. 25th Street, Yankton. Pastor Christian Sulzle, (605)665-4793. Sunday 9:15 am Worship; 10:15 am Bible Study.

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 KKRA-PAX.

St. John Lutheran Church, Tyndall. Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service: 8:30am; Sunday School 10:00am (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.

Lutheran

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, 403 Broadway, Yankton, 665-7415. Worship: Saturday 5:30; Sunday 8:15am & 10:45am; Classes with Coffee fellowship 9:30am.

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

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

VANGEN LUTHERAN CHURCH, Mission Hill. 665-5426. Worship 9:30am.

Non-Denominational

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

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. Don Barbalace. Sun-10am worship, Coffee to follow. SS for kids 10:30am. 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. Worship Services: Saturday 9:30am & 11am. Pastor Nick Osborn (605)760-7791. Yankton Fruit Program. yanktonfruitprogram.org

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.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, 301 W. Franklin, Hartington, NE, (402) 254-6563 or 664-5310, Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SUN. 8:15am Church school, 9am Worship.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL UCC, 103 S. Elm St., Coleridge, Neb., (402) 283-4824 or 664-5310. Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SUN. 9:30am Church School, 10:30am Worship.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, (Congregational) 210 West 5th St., Yankton. (605)665-7320 Dr. Richard W. Jensen, Pastor. SUN.-10am Worship, 11am-Fellowship, 11:05am Church School.

neighbors pray in a public setting," Wittmeier said. "Dave Munson emphasized the positive effect he and his staff experienced as a result of prayers offered on their behalf. That's the kind of impact we hope to have on the Yankton community. This is our opportunity to let business owners, clergy and church leaders, government and political leaders and members of our community in general know that we care enough about them and our community to publicly stand and pray for them."

Among those participating in this year's breakfast program are Dana Forbes, Pastor Kwen Sanderson, Pastor Tracy Headley, Dr. Wayne Kindle, Chuck Haffner, Bernie Hunhoff, Don Veldhouse and Pastor Randy Tramp.

As in years past, the Yankton Area Mayor's Prayer Breakfast will be held at the Best Western Kelly Inn at 1607 East Highway 50. The breakfast begins at 7 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 11, and concludes at 8 a.m.

Paid reservations are required by Tuesday, Oct. 8. Event organizers do allow for some walk-ins the day of the breakfast.

"Our speakers are always so gracious," Sorensen added. "Since we're a non-profit organization, speakers typically don't charge for their presentation. If they travel from a distance, we pick up the bill for their travel and lodging. We've had great donors in the past, too, who generously helped meet expenses."

Cost for the breakfast is \$15 per person or \$110 for a table of 8. Checks can be mailed to Yankton Area Mayor's Prayer Breakfast, PO Box 569, Yankton, SD 57078. Paid tickets will be mailed out or held at the door. For further information, call 605-660-0378 or send e-mail to sorenseblms@gmail.com.

Full results of the Newsmax study are available at <http://www.newsmax.com/Newsfront/Tebow-Power-of-Prayer/2012/01/12/id/423971>.

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