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From The Pastor's Desk

On Sunday, October 9 we started a new sermon series on the book of Galatians. Galatians focuses on the gospel of Jesus Christ - that by faith alone as a result of God's grace alone we become part of God's rescue plan for His creation. This book has been a pivotal work in the lives of believers throughout Christian history. It makes it clear that you are brought into a right relationship with God purely as an act of God's grace and you can do nothing to earn it. God's grace sets you free from the tyranny of measuring up and opens the door to a Spirit-filled life of joy, fullness, meaning, and calling. Jesus Christ comes to live in you and by the power of the Spirit your life begins to express Christ in you.

As always when we are working our way through a book of the Bible, I encourage you to read that book as part of your prayer and devotional time. Reading a portion of Scripture every day asking the Spirit to teach will enrich your journey with the Lord. It also gives us a chance to walk through it together as a church family. If you want additional readings I suggest Phillip Yancey's book, What's So Amazing About Grace? and/or Scot McKnight's commentary on Galatians (The NIV Application Commentary). If your small group has not started up yet this would be a good time to get everyone back together or join a group or even start a group (talk to Pastor Paul).

Blessings,
Pastor Paul



We have coffee hour openings for the fall; please sign up on Sunday or call Bonnie.

October 9: Ginger Quaresma

October 16: Randy & Kathy Taylor

October 23: Jason & Jen Don

October 30: OPEN

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Pastor Paul Fredericks

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Pastor Jacki McNair

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Home-bound Communion

The first Sunday of every month is an opportunity for our church family to celebrate the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ through partaking in the Lord's Supper. We want everyone who has placed their faith in Jesus Christ to have the opportunity to participate, but we are aware that some in our family are not able to get out due to bad weather or physical problems. However, our Deacons will be available to bring Communion to those who want to receive it on that Sunday. Please call the church office (786-1594) and let us know if you aren't going to be able to be in church and would like to have Communion in your home.



Annual Apple Pie Making-October 15

We are making apple pies on Saturday, October 15. We will need many volunteers; young, non-experienced and experienced hands-all are welcome! We will be serving lunch for all of our volunteers. Bring your apron, favorite peeling knife, and rolling pin. Sign up in the narthex if you can come down for a few hours or all day.

The Chosen Video Series

Tuesday's, September 20-November 8, 6-7:30p

Watch the history-altering accounts of Jesus and his followers come to life in this crowd-funded series that has taken the media world by storm. Captivating dialogues and fascinating twists abound as the director builds a storyline focused on possible back stories and perspectives of Jesus' early disciples. Come prepared to engage your heart and your mind in open conversation surrounding these powerful episodes. Showings will be every Tuesday from 6:00-7:30P in the main auditorium of Bethel Church in Prosser (270 N. Gap Rd.). Childcare available for a fee upon registration. go to events at bethel.ch



January-September 2022

Actual Income: \$218,846.36*

Actual Expenses: -\$217,570.55
\$ 1,275.81

**reflects four pledges paid in full for 2022*

Thank you

THANK YOU!

Thank you to those who helped with 'Back to the Future' Sunday. There were many people involved to make it all come together! Everyone had a great time; worship, eating together, games, fellowship & fun!

RENOVATE

RENOVATE 3 YEAR GIVING TOTAL (2018-2020):
\$432,041.40 (96% of pledges were fulfilled)

RENOVATE EXTENSION (1/2021-6/2023):
Total Recv'd: \$114,465.00

LOAN BALANCE 9/30/22: \$136,161.59

Giving options:

- bring to worship on Sunday's
- mail your check (we have a secure, locked mailbox)
- drop your check off at the office
- set up bill pay through your bank
- go to our website and look for the giving tab



8th annual Trunk or Treat event
Monday, October 31, 4-6p



Join us for an afternoon of fun in front of the church. We need volunteers to decorate their trunks or truck tailgate! You are welcome to use paper supplies and other decorations that we have at the church. We suggest that you partner up with another person/s to keep the cost of the candy minimal but we will also have additional candy available. Please non-scary decorations & feel free to dress up! Let us know if you are going to join us that night! Call the office if you have any questions.



PROMISELAND

THE BEST HOUR
OF EVERY KID'S WEEK!
for children Kinder -5th grade



Please join the Promiseland Team as we explore the
Book of Genesis!

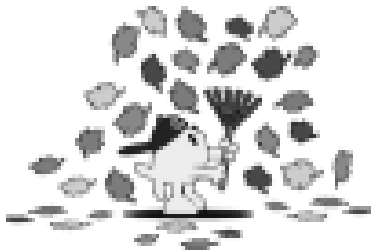
Sunday's; kids are dismissed after the Children's Sermon in
worship.

YOUTH GROUP

Middle School & High School

Wednesday's

5:30-7:30p



Dinner, Bible Study,
Fellowship & Friends

Financial goal has been met!

Isaac, a 12-year-old boy in Thailand, was born with severe scoliosis. He was orphaned at a young age and his relatives lived in a rural mountain village and didn't have access to a hospital to treat him. His family moved to a community just outside of Chiang Mai City when he was about 7 years old, which is where Jojo's Sanctuary staff met him a few years later. They took Isaac and his family to get a medical assessment and the doctor determined Isaac needed intensive corrective spinal surgery in order to have a normal life. Due to Covid lockdowns and costs, the needed surgery was postponed, and during this time, his spinal curvature has become significantly pronounced.

***UPDATE:** Through many generous donors in our church family, community, and beyond Jojo's Sanctuary has raised \$5000 for Isaac's surgery. Thank you for being a significant part of his journey through prayer and financial assistance. God is Good!*

Isaac had a doctors appointment in June and the doctor said he is not ready for surgery and needs about six more months of physical therapy. Prayers that Isaac will be diligent about his daily exercises and be encouraged by his family.

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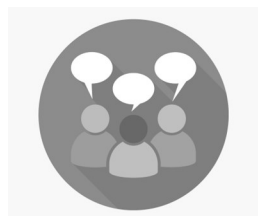
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Can't make it to trunk or treat but still would like to help? Please bring a bag or two of Halloween candy to church or make a monetary donation so that we can purchase candy. Thank you!

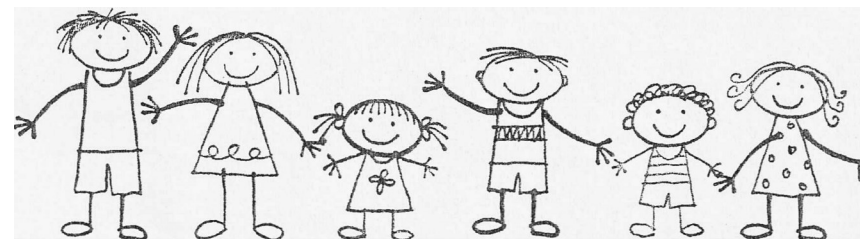


Cheri Eisen, is a licensed physical therapist that is offering Wellness classes here at the church. She focuses on Geriatric wellness, fitness, strength, and general well-being. Classes are Monday & Thursday at 11am; \$5 each class. You may attend twice at no charge to see if this is something you would benefit from. Please call Cheri if you are interested. You can text at 816-510-5025 or call 509-497-1154.

Do we have your email address? We have a great email program that we use for prayer requests, upcoming church events, volunteer needs, and weekly updates. If you want to be added please call Bonnie.



Social media platforms to keep connected:
Instagram: [prossercovenantpres](#)
Twitter: [@PCovenantPres](#)
Church website: www.prosserpres.org
Find us on Facebook too!



MARKET STREET KIDS

Market Street Kids, our mid-week ministry for kids
Kinder-5th grade will begin a new season on:

Wednesday, October 19
4:30-6:30p

Come join us for Large Group Bible Time, Small Group
Teaching, and family style dinner!

Oct. 19–Feb 15
\$75 per child, scholarships available!

For more information: Jacki McNair at 786-1594,
jackim@prosserpres.org

October Birthdays:

10/01 Stewart Padelford
 10/03 Lorena Roehl
 10/04 Guy Auld
 10/07 Holly Rankin
 10/07 Shawna Don
 10/08 Katie McNair
 10/08 Samantha Buckles
 10/08 Heather Love
 10/08 Jim Laws
 10/08 Justin Andrews
 10/09 Deisy Castillo
 10/11 Rene Martinez
 10/12 Ryker Bonham
 10/13 Tomasz Jensen
 10/14 Monty Richman
 10/14 Alex Renollet
 10/15 Maia Jansen
 10/15 Carol Carlyle



Happy Birthday

10/17 Brandi Renollet
 10/17 Jason Rainer
 10/23 Addison Andrews
 10/23 Bettie Ottman
 10/26 Jean Wolters
 10/29 Rhonda Root
 10/30 Dan DeVriend
 10/31 Dick Nelson



October Anniversaries:

10/04 Bob & Carol Elder
 10/15 Warren & Margie Barmore
 10/16 Glenn & Alison Bestebreuer
 10/24 Dennis & Rachelle Pleasant

OCTOBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 10a WORSHIP Nursery Available Promiseland Pastor's small group	3 11a Wellness Class	4 10a Sun Terrace Bible Study	5 Youth Group 530-730p	6 11a Wellness Class	7	8
9 10a WORSHIP Nursery Available Promiseland Pastor's small group	10 11a Wellness Class 530p Team Mtg 6p Session Mtg	11 10a Sun Terrace Bible Study	12	13 11a Wellness Class	14	15 APPLE PIE DAY!
16 10a WORSHIP Nursery Available Promiseland Pastor's small group	17 11a Wellness Class	18 10a Sun Terrace Bible Study	19 MSK 430-630p Youth Group 530-730p	20 11a Wellness Class	21	22
23/30 10a WORSHIP Nursery Available Promiseland Pastor's small group	24/31 11a Wellness Class Trunk or Treat 4-6p	25 10a Sun Terrace Bible Study	26 MSK 430-630p Youth Group 530-730p	27 11a Wellness Class	28	29