

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Showers of Blessings! We would like to welcome to our congregation:

◆ Cayson Thomas Krekelberg, son of Tyler & Emmalee Krekelberg.
Please help us welcome him by placing any cards or gifts on the umbrella table.



Showers of Blessings! We would like to welcome to our congregation:

◆ Aurora Marlene Todd, daughter of Brittney Todd & Hunter Fiebelkorn.
Please help us welcome her by placing any cards or gifts on the umbrella table.
Umbrella Shower tables will be left up until August 1st.

August 7th following 2nd service will be CBC's annual baptism at the Missouri River

If you are interested or even considering getting baptized, please contact Pastor Chance.

First is an all church picnic in Griffin Park.

- ✓ Everyone bring a main dish
- ✓ A-L bring a salad ✓ M-Z bring a dessert
- ✓ Bring a lawn chair or blanket (Plates, silverware, and water provided)



Lost & Found! Please check for items on the racks by the gym doors for any misplaced coats, and bags. Any items left after August 1st will be taken to Hospice.



HUNTER ED
COURSE



HuntSafe course open for signup. This class is hosted by Community Bible Church, Pierre, SD, and Korkow Ranch Ministries on Aug. 5, 6, & 7, 2022. The students receive hands-on instruction as well as education in land management, sporting tips, and archery.

Please register on the GFP website and also email the church at office@cbcpierre.org to indicate your attendance in this course. We

will provide further details on the location and the weekend stay. Korkow Ranch Ministries host the opportunities for students to train on safe gun handling skills as part of the class and field experience. There is lodging available at the Ranch. There is no charge for the course or weekend stay/food.

Attention current and former members of the military: We would like to include you in our new church directory. Please provide a photograph and include your name, branch of service and dates served/serving. This can be left in the church office or with Nancy Thomsen. Thank you!



FREE BROWN TABLES found against the bleachers in gym. Take what you can use.

Josh Lieberman will assist a Will Graham outreach in Martin, SD, July 24th. The youth outreach begins at 3pm, and the main service is at 6pm. For more information regarding how you can serve at this opportunity, please contact Josh at 605.220.4617.

THIS WEEK AT CBC

Sunday – 24th

- 8:30 AM Worship service
- 10:00 AM Bible Hour: 3 yrs. – 5th grade meet in classrooms (Welcome Center has a map)
 - Middle School (6th, 7th, 8th grades) – Room 300 (upstairs in gym)
 - Senior High (9th – 12th grades) – Youth Room (upstairs NW corner of gym)
 - Adults – Room 200 (downstairs in gym) – Acts
 - Adults – Room 201 (downstairs in gym) – Membership Matters
 - Adults – Room 202 (downstairs in gym) – Promise Land / Prophets & Kings
 - Adults – Room 301 (upstairs in gym) – Grace (Women's Study)
 - Adults – Room 400 (across from coffee area) – 2 Corinthians
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
- 6:00 PM Women's Time of Prayer
- 6:00 PM CBC Unashamed Youth (6th - 12th grades)

Monday – 25th

- 6:00 PM Men's Bible study on Ephesians 6 – room 300
- 7:00 PM No High School Study Group – Resumes September 2022

Tuesday – 26th

- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Room 200
- 6:30 PM No BSF (Women's Bible Study Fellowship) – Resumes September 13, 2022

Wednesday – 27th

- 6:30 PM No Awana – Resumes September 14, 2022

Thursday – 28th

- 9:00 AM Women's Bible Study – Room 400
- 6:30 PM Worship Team rehearsal in sanctuary
- 7:00 PM Community Inc. 12:5 for college and career young adults – 811 N Madison Ave.
Contact Gaye Granville with questions. 402.319.3171

Friday – 29th

- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Room 200

Saturday – 30th

- 9 AM - 12 PM Women's Ministry Morning – see insert

LOOKING AHEAD

- Aug. 7 Baptism and potluck at Griffin Park – see announcement
– Talk to Pastor if interested in baptism
- Aug. 28 Congregational meeting and Potluck
- Sept. 9,10,11 Mission Conference

WELCOME

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE and we want to help you get connected and grow in your Christian walk. Please visit our Welcome Center to pick up a gift bag and ask for a brochure detailing various CBC ministries for all ages. A complete listing of our staff, ministries, and Sunday messages can be found at www.cbcpierre.org.

Nursery is provided during both services and Sunday School:

1st service	8:25 – end of service	infant – 3 years
During Sunday School	9:50 – end of class	infant – 3 years
2nd service	10:50 – end of service	infant – 3 years

NURSING MOTHERS are invited to use the Cry Room behind the kitchen in the coffee area.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

~ That Jesus is the Son of God who became a man to die for the sins of the whole world; He was raised from the dead and ascended back to heaven; He is coming again. (1 Cor 15: 1-8)
 ~ That the Bible is the inspired word of God and is the only authority for our faith (what we believe) and practice (how we are to live). (2 Tim 3:16) ~ That every person has worth as a creation of God, but that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. (Rom 3:23) ~ That forgiveness of sins, the promise of eternal life and an abundant life are available to those who believe that Jesus Christ is Savior and Lord. (Jn 3:16) ~ That those accepting Christ shall repent of sin, confess faith, and be baptized into Him. (Rom 10:9; Acts 2:38) ~ That the Church exists to provide for the spiritual growth of the people and to see that the Gospel is preached to everyone. (Eph 4:1-16) ~ That Jesus Christ will one day return to earth and reign forever as King of kings and Lord of lords. (1 Thess. 4:13-18)



CBC has Wi-Fi Internet. The Welcome Center can provide connection information.



CBC provides Assistive Listening Devices. Check out a receiver at the Welcome Center.



AED available in the old kitchen by the offices

JULY 31ST VOLUNTEERS

Scripture	Pastor Chance Sumner		
1st Ushers	Jon Becker, Tom Wempe	2nd Ushers	David Smith
1st Welcome Center		2nd Welcome Center	Sara Ogan
1st Greeters	Bob Hofer, Jim Van Camp	2nd Greeters	Gary & Sandy Butts,
1st Nursery (Walker)	Jessica Duval, Sheryl Hall	2nd Nursery (Walker)	
SS Nursery (Walker)	Pam Templeton	2nd Nursery (Toddler)	
1st Sound	Chuck Hanson	2nd Sound	
1st Video	Ron Duvall	2nd Video	Roxanne Rice
1st Camera & Lights	Barrie Sargent	2nd Camera & Lights	Barrie Sargent
<i>We thank you for your service to Community Bible Church!</i>			

**July 24, 2022
 Worship Times
 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM**

Worship Today*

Gather in Fellowship
 Welcome
 Call to Worship

Kevin Hofer, Elder

Scripture
 Pastoral Prayer
 Worship through Song

James 5:7–8 (p.1013)
 Kevin Hofer, Elder

Summer In The Psalms
 Psalm 70 (p. 484)

“Make Haste, O God!”
 Pastor Chance Sumner

Response in Worship
 Depart in Fellowship

An Elder is available in the Prayer Room at the end of the service to pray & serve.

**Please remain quiet prior to the worship service to allow others to pray & meditate.
 Please remain in the sanctuary for the duration of the service to minimize distraction.

“FROM PULPIT & PAPER”

In Defense of Close Mindedness

I recently heard this quote: “Don’t be so open-minded that your brains fall out.” When we forsake foundational doctrinal commitments, we lose our bearings and wander into a ditch. This is exactly what is occurring in mainline Protestant denominations. Their churches are dying because they’ve forsaken basic Christian teaching. Not all see church decline this way.

In his recent article “South Dakota churches suffering decline in affiliation and attendance,” Bart Pfankuch helpfully documents the declining church numbers, but the theological diagnosis he provides is poor. Specifically, the author suggests that it is conservative doctrine that has led to declining church attendance. His source for this suggestion comes from, lo and behold, mainline theologians. According to one, Pfankuch remarks, “From strong positions on abortion, sexuality or even the response of governments and individuals to the COVID pandemic, the more that political and cultural views permeate the church, the less likely some people will be to attend regularly.”

We need to unpack this. Pfankuch argues that issues like abortion and sexuality are “political” or “cultural.” Notice how he doesn’t use the term “theological.” That’s intentional. I take it that he is removing theology from the discussion. However, we cannot neglect theology. The Bible, our source for doctrine, teaches that abortion and human sexuality are not simply political or cultural issues. The acts of killing one’s child and homosexuality are sins that require Christ’s spilt blood for forgiveness (e.g., Ex 20:13 and 1 Cor 6:9).

Mainline churches reject this reasoning, which Pfankuch fails to mention. As one theologian wittingly stated,

mainline churches incorrectly believe, “A God without wrath brought men without sin into a kingdom without judgment through the ministrations of a Christ without a cross.” No wonder why mainline churches are empty—they have forsaken the gospel. Contrary to what Pfankuch suggests, mainline churches are dying because of liberal doctrine, not because of conservative doctrine.

Sometimes we need to be close-minded. If we forsake the gospel in the name of open-mindedness, we lose our minds. And this is precisely why so many mainline churches are dying.

Pastor Chance

Making Ambassadors



For His Glory School

Contact us for Preschool – 8th Grade
605-280-7172



forhisgloryschool@outlook.com



CBC WOMEN'S MINISTRY PRESENTS:

Women's Ministry Morning

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US

July | SAT | 2022
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9:00 AM TO 12:00 PM
CBC'S FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for breakfast, fellowship and learn about
Women's Ministry at CBC. We hope you can join us!

RSVP is not required, but appreciated.
RSVP to Katelyn Todd at 605-220-0357

