

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



**CBC Women's Ministry Team is planning a 2024 Fall Women's Retreat** and is looking for committee volunteers. Possible Committees include: Décor, Meals, Snacks, Breakout, Registration, Notebook/Packets, Activity, Nursery, & Set-up/Tear-down Committees. If you're interested in being a part of these committees, please come to the February Women's Ministry Meeting on February 12th at 6:00 pm or contact Rachel Hettinger or Katelyn Todd.

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



◆ Etta Rae Kyriss, daughter of Kody & Courtney, and sister to Desmond and Jasper.

**New!**◆ Evelyn Marlene Beck, daughter of Daly & Sarah Beck

Please help us welcome them by placing any cards or gifts on the umbrella shower table.

**Contribution/Giving statements are now available.** Please stop at the table in the back to pick yours up. Any statements left after TODAY will be mailed.



**Feb. 25th is a Quarterly meeting and Potluck after 2nd service.** Church updates will be given, and new members introduced. Everyone is asked to bring a main dish, those with last names starting with A-L bring dessert, and M-Z bring a salad. Hope to see you there!

**Summit Ministries now has applications available** for the 2024 summer sessions. Go to <https://www.summit.org/programs/student-conferences> to check on available dates and get your preferred spot. **Early Bird Discount!** Please help us be a good steward of the scholarship money and register by March 31, 2024, and save \$200 off Summit Student Worldview Conference. Student Scholarship Applications can be found on our home page at <https://www.cbcpierre.org>.



**The shoeboxes packed at CBC last year went to Mexico and to Hard to Reach Places.** Our boxes were selected to be a critical link to sharing God's love in a tough place! Customs and cultural or religious reasons can make access difficult, but these gift-filled shoeboxes give local believers a sensitive way to initiate ongoing relationships with those who may not know Christ. The gift you provided helps equip Christian brothers and sisters to take great risk to advance the Gospel of Jesus Christ and they are deeply grateful for your partnership. Through



your generosity, you are calling out "His praise from the ends of the earth" (Isaiah 42:10). This month shop for hygiene (toothbrushes etc) and stuffed animals for the boxes you are packing at home or donate items for church wide packing parties.

**It's official, Virginia Brown has decided to retire this November.** Words cannot express our appreciation for Virginia and all she has done over the last 17 ½ years. Therefore, the Deacons will be posting a job announcement in the upcoming weeks for a new office coordinator. We would like the new coordinator to start no later than September 1st in order to shadow Virginia to help get acquainted with all the tasks she does daily. If you have any questions, please contact a Deacon.

# THIS WEEK AT CBC

## Sunday – 11th

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 (NW upstairs corner of gym)  
Adults – Room 200 (next to gym kitchen) – The Book of Samuel  
Adults – Sanctuary – Eschatology: The Study of Biblical Prophecy  
11:00 AM Worship Service  
6:00 PM Women's Prayer Meeting

## Monday – 12th

6:00 PM Men's Bible study – Room 200 – Contact Mark Anderson (605.281.1263)  
6:00 PM Women's Board meeting room 201 – see announcement  
7:00 PM H.S. Study Group in Youth Room – Contact Morgan Carr (605.295.1601)  
7:30 PM Girl's & Boys 6th thru 12th grade Bible Study – Contact Heidi Becker (605.280-7803)

## Tuesday – 13th

6:00 AM Men's Bible study- Room 200 – Contact Rick Vallery (605.222.8045)  
6:00 AM Men's Bible study in person @ 318 N Jefferson or via Zoom  
Contact Brent Dowling (605.280.6564) or John Strohman (605.280.2780)  
9:00 AM MOMents (Mothers of 0-5 yrs. – meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays)  
6:30 PM BSF (Women's Bible Study Fellowship)  
6:30 PM Elder meeting in room 202 – Contact an Elder to be added to the agenda  
7:00 PM Deacon meeting in room 201 – Contact a Deacon to be added to the agenda

## Wednesday – 14th

6:20 PM Awana – ST. VALENTINE'S NIGHT! Color teams are awarded  
100 bonus points for each clubber wearing red in addition to their uniform.



## Thursday – 15th

7:15 AM Youth Prayer Breakfast – Contact Morgan Carr (605.295.1601)  
10:00 AM Women's Bible Study – Room 400 – Contact Pastor Chance (605.224.6730)  
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 – 16th

6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Room 200 – Contact Scott Granville (605.280.3330)

## Saturday – 17th

8:30 AM Alan Shlemon, Summit Speaker  
– See insert, the church app, or CBC website, for more information

## LOOKING AHEAD

Feb. 25 Quarterly meeting & Potluck – see announcement  
Mar. 10 DST Begins – Spring ahead!  
Mar. 29 Good Friday service

# 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 ask for help with various CBC ministries for all ages. A complete listing of our staff, ministries, and Sunday messages can be found at [www.cbcpierre.org](http://www.cbcpierre.org).

**Nursery is provided during both services and Sunday School:**

1 <sup>st</sup> service	8:20 – end of service	infant – 3 years
During Sunday School	9:50 – end of class	infant – 3 years
2 <sup>nd</sup> 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.



**2 AEDs available** 1) West of Welcome Center 2) In the gym kitchen on west wall

### NEXT SUNDAY'S VOLUNTEERS

Scripture	Kevin Hofer		
1 <sup>st</sup> Ushers	Randy Sarvis Robert Hettinger	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ushers	David Smith Marc Scarborough
1 <sup>st</sup> Welcome Center		2 <sup>nd</sup> Welcome Center	LeAnn Haskins
1 <sup>st</sup> Greeters		2 <sup>nd</sup> Greeters	
1 <sup>st</sup> Nursery (Walker)	Mattie Weaver Rachel Hettinger	2 <sup>nd</sup> Nursery (Walker)	
SS Nursery (Walker)	Dawn Nordquist	2 <sup>nd</sup> Nursery (Toddler)	
1 <sup>st</sup> Sound	Paula Huizenga	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sound	Cody Lorenz
1 <sup>st</sup> Graphics	Virginia Brown	2 <sup>nd</sup> Graphics	Mindy Sargent
1 <sup>st</sup> Livestream & Lights	Benjamin Brown	2 <sup>nd</sup> Livestream & Lights	
<b>We thank you for your service to Community Bible Church!</b>			

**February 11, 2024**  
**Worship Times**  
**8:30 AM & 11:00 AM**

Gather in Fellowship  
 Welcome and Call to Worship

Worship Team

Scripture  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 Worship through Song

1 Corinthians 12:4-11 (p. 959)  
 Rick Vallery, Elder  
 Worship Team

The Exodus  
 Exodus 3:1-12 (p. 46)

"God's Calling Trumps All"  
 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”

### Pets Aren't People

When Kathryn and I lived in Dallas, millennials talked about their “fur babies.” Excuse me—fur what?! I recently heard someone say in a commercial for super-expensive, “human-grade” dog food, “No living being should ever eat processed food for every single meal of their life.” What a strange statement. 38% of US households have at least one dog, and only 30% of households have a child. Toys R Us is dead, but PetSmart is booming. This “pet over people” movement shows the outworking of mankind’s depravity.

God creates mankind in His image (Gen 1:26). This means that we all desire to show and receive love, and God instituted the family for these desires we have (Eph 5–6). The desires to nurture and to receive comfort do not go away if we reject God. Rather, these desires become distorted, and this is where the “fur baby” trend fits. As the world becomes increasingly anti-God, individuals treat animals as if they’re people and treat people as if they’re animals. Many of the same people who champion animal rights also strongly support a woman’s “right” for abortion. God, help us!

We need not pit people against pets. I’m a fan of the *both/and* approach: *both* people *and* pets! I love my little Poochon, Mitzi, as I do my kids. However, when faced with the choice of raising children or acquiring pets, God’s Word is clear: “Behold, *children* [not fish, cats, hamsters, or dogs] are a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward” (Ps 127:3). Let’s reject the “fur baby” nonsense—it’s symptomatic of the madness of our age.

Pastor Chance

# HOMOSEXUALITY, TRANSGENDERISM, SCIENCE, & THE BIBLE

- What does *Scripture* say about Homosexuality and Transgenderism?
- What does *Science* say about Homosexuality and Transgenderism?
- Homosexuality and Transgenderism: Truth and Compassion

**With Guest Speaker  
Alan Shlemon, Summit Ministries**

Alan Shlemon is a public speaker and author for Stand to Reason, an organization that trains Christians to share their conviction in a compelling yet gracious and friendly way.

**Join us  
February 17th, 8:30 am-2 pm  
@ Community Bible Church  
Pierre, SD**

If you are coming, let us know if you will join us for lunch @ this QR code





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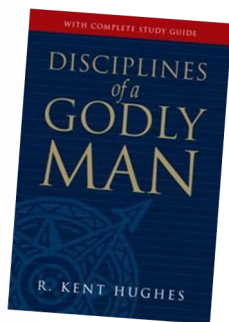
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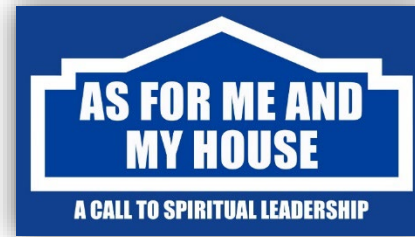
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Material Provided...

- ...As for Me and My House Discipleship/Mentoring Manual
- ...Textbook for Personal Spiritual Growth



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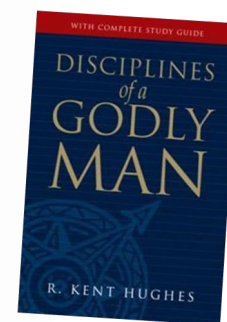
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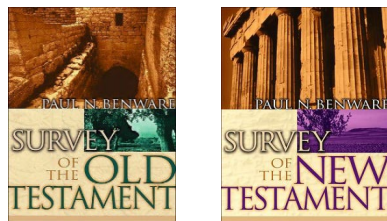
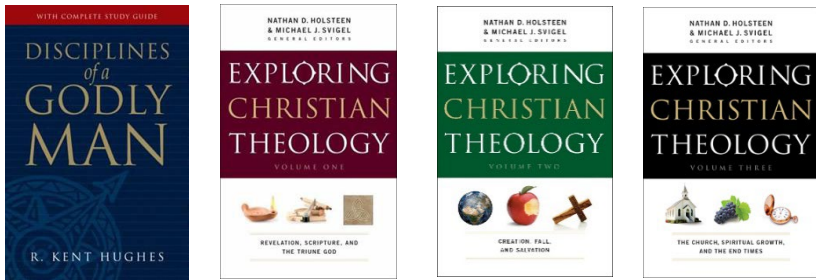
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- Theology 101 – Revelation, Scripture, and the Triune God
- Theology 102 – Creation, Fall, and Salvation
- Theology 103 – The Church, Spiritual Growth, and the End Times
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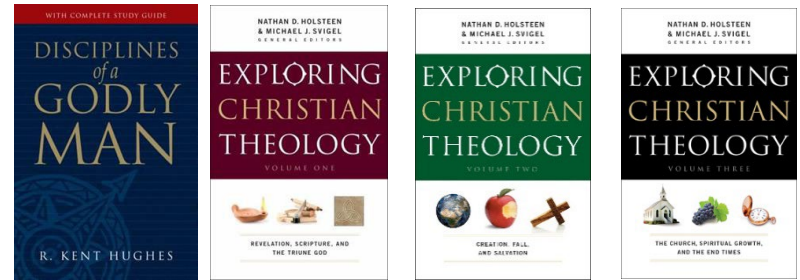
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