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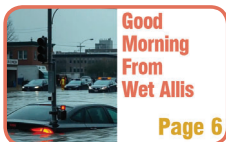
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Pastors And Christian Workers Encouragement Day (PACWED) Friday September 26th at The Wisconsin Club

Article by Jack Roper, Freelance writer

Photography by Murray & Kay Jackson Missionaries

This month, ProBuColls Books and Gifts together with the Christian Courier Newspaper will again be hosting this free event. You are encouraged to bring your pastor and Christian co-workers for...encouragement! We will have a variety of speakers. Here is a partial list of some of the faces you can expect to see. We will start serving breakfast early and enjoy music by Rev. Lowell Nye the Piano Guy before the event starts at 9 a.m.



Evangelist Murray and Kay Jackson

Two featured speakers at the upcoming PACWED will be Evangelist Murray and Kay Jackson.

Murray and Kay Jackson are an independent and dedicated missionary couple that helps others in frontier evangelism. Jesus Christ loves the sinners and provides forgiveness and love for believers and non believers alike. The Jacksons seek to reach people in rural areas and share the gospel of peace. It is the Holy Spirit that

transforms the heart. In John 3:16, Jesus suffered for us. He died for us. He ascended into Heaven for us. He promised peace for us upon believing in Him. His greatest symbol of love for us was the Cross (Phil 2:8) As the writer of this article, my twin sister and I lived in an orphanage for 7 years.

For the orphans there is hope. Education is a key component for advancement in their life. In Uganda, East



Children in Uganda, East Africa

Africa there are 45.9 million people (UNICEF data) Half of that figure is 22.9 million and they are children. As for that figure nearly three million are orphans. There is a school in Uganda that is operated by caring missionaries: YESU AFAAYO Jubilee Academy and Children's Home. YESU AFAAYO means Jesus Cares. The focus is on hope and what it can do for those believers. Attendance at the school is around

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Introducing The Builders Ministry (TBM)

Milwaukee native Roger Smith who is fifth generation in the A.O. Smith Corporation family has founded The Builders Ministry (www.thebuildersministry.com). In launching TBM, a 501c3 ministry, Rev. Roger S. Smith will draw on his personal experience growing up feeling very inadequate with big shoes to fill and naturally never feeling he had done enough. Praying and working through this struggle, Roger is prepared to help pastors and people of faith gain strength and victory from the one source he has found never fails in conquering 56 years of depression, Jesus Christ. Roger says, "I'm praying for all government, business, church people and systems to have the Spirit of the Lord sweep over them and bring revival." Roger says that people everywhere are facing differ-

ent challenges. As a speaker and someone who has been in leadership roles, Roger is available to encourage your group, your mission, your Bible study using the powerful Scripture-based model he has developed over the last forty-eight years of walking with the Lord. Roger and wife Judy have been members of Eastbrook Church for over 40 years. Together they have led worship for many of those years also singing and speaking at retreats and conferences. Roger Smith is currently Chairman of the board of directors at Midwest Bible College and a longtime member of the Faithwalkers Men's Ministry (meets Saturday mornings 8 a.m. at Crossway Northshore Church in River Hills). Judy, who met Roger at a Bible study in Mequon when she was just 26, says fondly that Roger has always been a great



Roger and Judy Smith

husband and dad even as he has faced many spiritual struggles. When the Smiths are not summering in Milwaukee, they are at their home in Boca Raton, FL attending Spanish River Church.

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Commentary



My Pastor

By Bob Conklin, Jr.

Do you appreciate your pastor? I do! My pastor is my friend, a very good friend. He is on my Favorites list in my iPhone. He is easy to reach. When I call him, he answers the phone. He is a good listener and I'm glad to say, he gives me good advice. Traveling out-of-town together, I've gotten to know my pastor and his wife. My pastor has met my out-of-town family members in person, or on the phone. My pastor understands me and he encourages me in business, ministry and life in general. My pastor is highly regarded among men and has pastor friends with whom he connects. My pastor is a real-life person with real life challenges of his own. My pastor prays with me and I with him. He often says, Thanks for calling, Bob. My pastor knows how to laugh when I feel like laughing. He also knows how to make challenging situations seem tolerable, ok and reminds me they're of God and tailor-made for me. My pastor is down-to-earth, open to ideas and seeks Godly wisdom himself. In fact, we met through what I would characterize a divine appointment at the Pastor Appreciation Breakfast at the Italian Community Center in 2016 when he was interested in finding out what I thought about a particular topic in the news. My pastor is what the Navigators in their Operation Timothy series call an Obedi-



That's me in the lower left corner of this photo. My Pastor Mike Harden to my left, then Kevin Klandrud, Sylvester Jackson and his wife Lavansa then Joann Harden and back to me at the WI Club.

ent, Well-Balanced Christian: he has Jesus Christ as the hub at the center of his life. Like a "wheel" with his spokes equally tightened, he spends time often in the word, in prayer, in fellowship with other Christians and in witnessing and sharing God's word with the lost. The more I spend time with my pastor, the more I appreciate all it takes to be a pastor. I learned a lot about having my pastor as my friend by watching our brother in Christ, Oscar Johnson, Sr. spend time with and honor his friend Pastor Julius R. Malone. Behold, how

good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! (Ps. 133:1 KJV). Want to meet my pastor? Come to the Pastors and Christian Workers Appreciation Day at the Wisconsin Club the last Friday of September (9/26/25 9 AM) and I'll introduce you. Hey! How about bringing your pastor to be your guest? Have a hearty breakfast with lots of protein, a variety of speakers who will be sharing encouraging messages and be out the door at Noon. The event is free to all and sponsored by ProBuColls Christian Courier. You'll be our guests! Look like a big spender while not cutting a dime into your Sunday offering. Now that preaches doesn't it?



Clark House Resident David Grady holds up the his perpetual Bible calendar showing the page left open by the burglar who climbed through his window and stole his hidden \$250 cash from under this page showing Ps. 30:5 "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning." David told us that after MPD took prints from the window and his statement, he was so upset the night of the break-in, but the next morning when he awoke and looked around his room at all the thief left behind that David has accumulated in the few months since getting out of prison, he was brought to tears and said Thank you Jesus and I forgive you whoever you are!" This reporter couldn't help but do the same...

Introducing newly appointed Watertown School Board member Linda Oberbrunner!

As reported in the Watertown Daily News, Linda is a licensed social worker who previously worked with the Waukesha County jail, and also led the Evangelical Child and Family Agency (ECFA). She also heads the "Share the Love" children's outreaches. Linda joins also recently appointed David Handyside who is a retired educator who was on the school board at Watertown's Calvary Baptist Christian School, and was the Dean of the School of Education at Maranatha Baptist University. President emeritus of the Wisconsin Family Council, Julaine Appling is also on the seven-member school board.



Linda Oberbrunner (Term Expires April 2026)

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700 children and approximately 100 are of orphanage origin. Murry and Kay established this ministry 20 years ago. Presently they also help in remote villages setting up other schools, churches and assisting with orphanage problems and situations. In Phil 2: 3 let each esteem others better than themselves.



Ugandan children from the Jacksons travels in Africa

Uganda is known for its immense variety of wild life such as the gorilla sanctuary and Lake Victoria. Uganda is considered to be the Pearl of Africa. A major problem in this African county is the growing amount orphans. According to the National Institute of Health, Uganda's HIV infection rate is 2,363 individuals are infected every week.

Other forms of STDs are considered in governments testing. The father of a family plays an important role. When the father is lost or leaves on his own, the managing mother sometimes cannot handle the family changes and at times has to give up often turns her child or children over to an orphanage facility.



Pastor-at- Large Michael and Joann Harden

Two additional speakers will be Pastor-at- Large Michael and Joann Harden.

Having passed the baton after completing their longtime leadership role at Central City Church 2400 W. Center Street Milwaukee, The Hardens now make their home in Menomonee Falls. They will be bringing encouraging words for church workers attending the PACWED with the topic of, "Wake Up!"

Keep reaching out to the youth! They're hungry!!

MEET LARRY MACHONGA

"The Woods is literally my number one favorite place in the world!" — Natalie. With a testimonial like this, we have to hear from Larry Machonga who is Development Director for The Woods Camp. Contact Us! The Woods. 9025 Camp Awana Rd, Fredonia, WI 53021. info@thewoodscamp.



LOWELL NYE

Playing the keyboard will be the highly accomplished recording artist, career life insurance man and proud Air Force Veteran Lowell Nye.



Also see ad on back page of this edition of the Christian Courier Newspaper. Invitations are out to additional speakers....

Register for this year's PACWED by calling Mary Claire at ProBuColls Bookstore (414) 344-7300. Email: goodnews316@icloud.com. www.proburolls.org

The event will be recorded and aired later on the ProBuColls YouTube channel.

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ProBuColls is a nonprofit organization with many distinct ministries dedicated to furthering the gospel message of Jesus Christ. It was originally founded as an organization called Collegiate for Christ and was a part of the Milwaukee Youth for Christ (now MYC). The group became a separate organization in 1962 and was formed as a 501(c)(3) in 1964. The name was changed to ProBuColls shortly thereafter, which is a combination of "PROfessional," "BU.siness," and "COLLegiate"; the three focuses of the organization.

The first office was located at 13th & Lincoln Ave. in Milwaukee. After moving several times, the current location is at 1000 N. Lincoln Ave. in Menomonee Falls, WI.

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World Mission OUTREACH
EVANGELISTIC ASSOCIATION

MINISTRY UPDATE: PLATTSBURGH, NEW YORK – JEWISH OUTREACH; AUGUST 2025

"Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were making an appeal through us; we beg you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God." 2 Corinthians 5:20 (NASB)

Dear Family and Partners of World Mission Outreach,

Grace and peace in the name of our Lord Jesus! As we lift you in prayer, we're excited to share how your partnership is bearing fruit. Wherever Jesus is proclaimed, lives are being transformed. Here's what God is doing—thanks to your faithful support.

At WMO, we are committed to proclaiming the Gospel, equipping the Church, and mobilizing believers, especially in these prophetic times.

GOD IS ALWAYS AT WORK

Our recent outreach reminded us that even when plans shift, God's purposes prevail. Just a day before the event, Henry had a powerful divine appointment with Rabbi David, a local Chabad leader. He was able to clearly and lovingly share the Good News of Jesus the Messiah—a living reminder that God values faithfulness over numbers.

Later that week, we met Yaron and his 18-year-old daughter Hagar, visiting from Tel Aviv. As they read Isaiah 53 aloud in Hebrew, God's Spirit was present. Please pray for Hagar as she prepares to enter the IDF next month. What a beautiful divine appointment. Additionally that week, two more divine conversations with Jewish individuals reminded us: the harvest is ripe.

Please continue praying for Rabbi David, Yaron, Hagar, and the others who heard the truth of Messiah.





News & More



The Independence Day message rings true at CEF®, helping equip parents to raise God-fearing, responsible children

By Natalie Grass (www.cefonline.com)



"It's not only important that children learn that their liberty and rights are blessings from God, but the success of our nation and other nations depends on the same truth," says CEF Vice President of Administration Fred Pry.

July 4 is known as Independence Day because it celebrates the birth of the United States of America as an independent nation, free from unjust rule and unhealthy dependency.

For Child Evangelism Fellowship® (CEF®), this day serves as a reminder to teach kids about the importance of America's history of freedom and an opportunity to provide parents with the tools to raise God-fearing, responsible children.

Benjamin Franklin once said, "Only a virtuous people are capable of freedom. As nations become more corrupt and vicious, they have more need of masters."

"It's not only important that children learn that their liberty and rights are blessings from God, but the success of our nation and other nations depends on the same truth," said CEF Vice President of Administration Fred Pry.

"CEF teaches parents how to impart personal responsibility. And our many ministries and resources provide fun, age-appropriate Bibli-

cal lessons and activities for children to learn about their God-given freedoms in Christ," Pry says.

An Independence Day article on the CEF website explains that parents' goal is to raise their children to become independent adults and offers tips on how to get there.

In short, children must learn how to take responsibility.

Often in today's culture, "discipline" has become synonymous with harsh punishment. However, discipline is a means of growing self-control and responsibility in children to help them become self-disciplined, independent adults. Good discipline is hard work. There's the temptation to avoid holding kids accountable and just letting them do their own thing. Yet the hard work of discipline is worth it, as it helps produce responsible, independent adults.

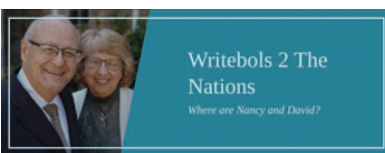
Three ways to help develop a godly, disciplined child:

First, teach children to study the Bible to learn about God and what He has to say and defer to His authority. God, the Creator of all things, is the one who has established right and wrong. It's important for kids to understand God's position of authority over their lives and that God has established other positions of authority they should respect.

Second, using God's word as a guide, set expectations. Talk to children about those expectations and consequences for disobedience. Teaching kids to understand consequences will help produce responsible, independent adults.

Third, be consistent. If children know that their parents will follow through because they consistently have in the past, it will help lead to immediate obedience based on trust, not fear. This can also help reduce frustration and hold anger in check for both the parents and children. When children are allowed to continue their bad behavior, it reinforces that behavior.

"This July 4, CEF encourages parents and loved ones to take the next step in discipling their children toward the true independence God desires — an independence and freedom rooted in obedience to Him, which begins with honoring and obeying their parents," says Pry.



"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations..." Matthew 28:19a

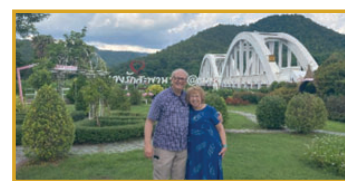
The border area between some countries in Asia can be dangerous crisis areas to people on both sides of the border. These are places where bad actors often prey upon vulnerable people. Crimes of human trafficking, slavery, and abuse create trauma for many already fleeing danger in their home country.

On our last trip to southeast Asia, we were introduced to a group of young people who had been scammed by traffickers who promised that they would receive good jobs and a place to live if they joined the company. After agreeing to join, the traffickers confiscated their passports and compelled them to work in a 'call center' that would contact people to persuade them to buy a product

they didn't want, or divulge personal information so that the bosses could hack into bank accounts or sell the credit card information to make money. If they didn't produce results on these calls, they wouldn't get food. When the government raided the call center, these young people were rounded up. They were placed in a local ministry that serves refugees and vulnerable people, but the young people were stuck and had to wait for many weeks or months to receive new passports to be able to return to their home country.

Nancy and I trained trauma healing facilitators to begin healing groups with these young people, but they didn't speak the same language, so an interpreter would be needed. How could that work? Would they be able to help?

We learned again that God always has the answer and is never late! While we were training a few weeks earlier in the home country of these stuck young people, we used the version of Healing the Wounds of Trauma material in their language.



The White Bridge, Lamphun, Thailand

Nancy had kept two copies of the translated materials. Imagine the surprise and joy we felt to be able to give these materials to the facilitators that would be used to care for this group of young people, helping them learn about how Jesus can heal their heart wounds and how He can change their lives for eternity.

Thank you for your prayers for us and prayers for the ministry of Trauma Healing! Please continue to pray for our good health, safety in travel, stamina, and success in the training. Pray that lives will be changed, leaders equipped to help others with their trauma, and Jesus Christ will be made known through our presence and ministry in these places.



News & More



White House Action Ensures Churches 'Can No Longer Be Intimidated' by IRS for Endorsing Candidates

By Ben Johnson (washingtonstand.com)

Pastors may now endorse candidates from the pulpit without fear of losing their tax-exempt status, thanks to a Trump administration court settlement that conservatives hail as a victory that will "no longer allow the IRS to bully us," while liberals denounce it as a "Christian Nationalist" plot that "threatens our democracy."

The Trump administration agreed Monday not to prosecute churches that formally endorse or condemn a candidate during elections. The National Religious Broadcasters (NRB), Intercessors for America, and two Texas churches sued the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) last August, arguing a 1954 tax code provision known as the Johnson Amendment



for many churches, "the exercise of their religious beliefs includes teaching or instructing their congregations regarding all aspects of life, including guidance concerning the impact of faith on the choices inherent in electoral politics." Therefore, it will no longer threaten churches that endorse candidates with losing their 501(c)(3) status. The ruling still applies to other nonprofits. A consent decree usually cannot be appealed, except for fraud.

violates the First Amendment and has been used to persecute conservative churches.

In a consent decree filed on July 7 in the U.S. District Court of Eastern Texas in Tyler, the Trump administration noted that,

"This is a victory. Pastors need to understand that we can no longer be intimidated. We can no longer allow the IRS to bully us into telling us what we can say and cannot say," Rep. Mark Harris (R-N.C.) told "Washington Watch".



A graduate of both the Moody Bible Institute and Liberty on-line, Erv Martins teaches at Faithwalkers Men's Ministry held on Saturday mornings at 8 a.m. at Crossway Church Northshore 2500 W. Brown Deer Road, River Hills.



After prayer by Senior Pastor Jason Knapp and intro by Jeff Hurst at the Friday night Men's BBQ at Grace Church in Delafield Joe Glatzel leads worship with Dave Sauer soon to share hope in Christ with the men.



Lead Pastor Matt Morton from Spring Creek Church in Pewaukee is welcomed to Milwaukee by the men at the Palas CBMC meeting on a recent Tuesday morning



Ted Hutton with Carini's great-grandkids at Elmbrook Church Friday Fellowship sponsored Hymn Sing.



At Riverside Park in Watertown at the Share the Love Kid's Kwest Free Family Event Counselors shared the Gospel message with young people using the CEF God Loves You tract.



Pastor Elie Hasbani and Bob Conklin, Jr. shown at this year's National Prayer Breakfast Gathering. Anyone interested in joining us in Washington, D.C. for the February 5, 2026 Breakfast and surrounding events ASAP contact ProBuCollis or Bob Conklin direct at 414-791-5315 to submit your name and request your invitation. (Budget \$650 due if you accept NPB invitation plus hotel and travel).



Old Glory flies next to the moon on a final night of softball this year. Not one rain-out all season!



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Good Morning From Wet Allis

By Pastor Greg Richards

Too soon for this terrible joke? Probably. This morning I wanted to reach out and give you all a quick update and continue asking for prayers for a number of members who will be recovering from this flooding for awhile. As you are well aware, on Saturday night/Sunday morning we received historic amounts of rain. The water table and drainage system could not handle the amounts as quickly as they came so everything backed up into low lying neighborhoods. The church basement was flooded and under 2-3 inches of water when we checked on Sunday morning. Our priority the 24 hours or so has been the homes of our members, and I have personally seen a number of our Journey of Faith family coming along side people who need all sorts of help now that the initial flooding has receded. This has been a huge encouragement and is an amazing way to demonstrate Christ's love to your neighbors. I can tell you from firsthand experience that every extra set of hands has been a blessing. As for our building, Tim Huston has done a ton of work and has providentially found maybe the last carpet cleaner in Milwaukee. He has done an initial pass over the carpet and purchased the supplies to help dry it out. We will need to go over it a couple more times at least, and there is a lot more cleaning to do. Fortunately the ABC taskforce did a ton of decluttering earlier this year, but there is still some stuff that needs to be thrown out from the basement. Beyond this we will need to bleach and mop everything on the basement floor and make



sure its as dry as we can make it. This morning I would like to close with a few charges:

First, if you have been flooded and are in the early stages of recovering- DO NOT STOP. Ask for help. Your church family wants to come alongside you. We know the feelings of being overwhelmed and defeated, but we also know that God is at work even in this. God will not leave or forsake us. Know that no matter how lonely and isolating this feels, you are not alone.

Second, if you were blessed to not be flooded or have already navigated the waters, I have a pastoral charge for you:

1. Help your neighbors. Move trash. Mop floors. Bring fans. Make meals. Pray for and with them. Anything to make this heavy burden lighter for them.
2. Come help out at church. If you have fans that are not being used, if you have bleach and disinfectants, if you have time- come use all of that to try to make the basement usable again as quickly as possible.

In my experience with Journey of Faith, these times of challenge are when we really excel as a church in our love for our neighbors. I am super excited to watch and hear stories of your love and care for those "near ones."

Whose Responsibility is it?

A DYING NATION

The U.S. fertility rate reached a historic low last year, with a growing share of women between 25 and 44 having never given birth. Recent data suggests that nearly half of young adults, including those in their 20s and 30s, are either childless or do not expect to have children according to the Pew Research Center. A majority (56%) of childless couples younger than 50 say that they never want to have children. A new Harris Poll study of 2,000 Americans reveals a trend where 43% now prefer pets over children, with many Gen Z and Millennials citing pets as easier to care for and less financially burdensome. There are more households with a pet (70%) than with children under 18 years old (40%). Not only are couples choosing not to have children, but we are killing our children at an alarming rate before they are born.

As saints of God, we know that children are the foundation of any nation. They are our greatest asset, inherently valuable, deserving of love, care, and protection. There is no future for a nation which kills its offspring, because the next generation is our future. Right now, we are living in a nation that is dying. We have a birthrate that is below replacement level of 2.1 children per couple. American couples have an average of 1.6

children. The low birth rate problem is attracting worldwide attention.

America has become a deadly nation for children in the womb. Most Christians may not be aware that, besides abortion, we are killing tiny embryos (preborn children) through birth control and IVF. When we take into account all methods of child aversion, America may be killing more babies than are born. An average of 10,000 babies are born daily, but the daily death tolls for American offspring through abortion, birth control, and IVF may be more than 25,000.

Here is a list of estimated daily death tolls for Abortion - 2,800 (Chemical - 1,760, Surgical - 1,040) Birth Control - from 17,800 to 31,800, IVF - 4,100 (estimate), with explanation as follows.

Abortion - Abortion is the 3rd leading cause of death in the U.S.

Researchers estimate there were 1,026,700 abortions in 2023.

Birth Control - the death toll of tiny human embryos from birth control far exceeds the number of babies being aborted through surgery or chemical abortions, according to Pharmacists for Life. Women using birth control experience breakthrough ovulation fairly frequently, depending on the method.



Meet the authors and directors of Tarry One Hour: l-r Anne Franczek and A.B. Herron

While it is impossible to know the exact number of embryos conceived during breakthrough ovulation, which die because they are prevented from implanting, estimates from 2009, range from 6.5 million to 11.6 million per year.

In Vitro Fertilization (IVF) is also causing more deaths than abortion. For each couple who tries to bring to birth a live baby, there are at least 7 or more embryos created, the majority of which are either discarded (allowed to die) or put in frozen storage. CDC estimates show that somewhere between 1.5 million and 1.8 million embryos created through IVF were never born.

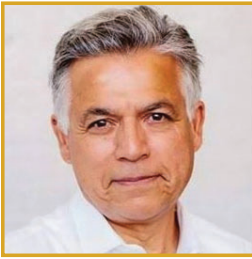
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I Loved Dr. John MacArthur

by Bob Roman <roberto.roman.jr2016@gmail.com>



But did not like his Calvinism! I have his study Bible. But it frustrated me that he used the Term Palestine instead of the words, "Israel God's Promise Land to the Jews!"

I want to share something that's been on my heart about a theological issue many of us face. I have tremendous respect for Dr. John MacArthur's Classical Dispensational Premillennial Pretribulational Rapture Futurist Eschatology. His understanding of Bible prophecy and the end times is excellent and biblically sound.

However, I struggle with his Calvinist theology, and here's why this matters for all of us who love God's Word.

DEFENDING CLASSICAL DISPENSATIONALISM

Classical dispensationalism interprets Scripture literally, historically, and grammatically. This approach takes prophetic texts at face value rather than spiritualizing them, which is why it maintains:

ISRAEL AND THE CHURCH ARE DISTINCT. GOD HAS SEPARATE PROGRAMS FOR EACH.

Unconditional covenants with Israel remain valid including the Abrahamic, Davidic, and New Covenant.

The Tribulation period is literal, representing Daniel's 70th week from Daniel 9:24-27.

The Millennial Kingdom will be earthly and literal as described in Revelation 20:1-6.

Pretribulational Rapture Support includes the doctrine of imminency, meaning Christ could return at any moment as promised in 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17. The Church's absence from tribulation judgments is evident in Revelation chapters 4-19. There's a clear distinction between the Rapture and Second Coming as two separate events, and we have God's promise of deliverance found in Revelation 3:10 and 1 Thessalonians 5:9.

BIBLICAL DISTINCTIONS CLASSICAL DISPENSATIONALISM MAINTAINS

Israel represents God's earthly people with earthly promises, while the Church represents heavenly people with a heavenly calling. God's program with Israel was interrupted, not replaced, as Romans 11:25-26 clearly teaches.

Regarding covenants, the unconditional covenants with Israel remain unfulfilled and await future completion. The Church participates in New Covenant blessings but doesn't replace Israel's role in God's plan.

THE PROBLEM WITH CALVINIST INFLUENCE

My concern is that Calvinism tends toward Replacement Theology because Reformed Covenant Theology sees one overarching cove-

nant of grace. This leads to spiritualizing God's promises to Israel, making the church become "spiritual Israel," which contradicts dispensational distinctions. Predestination undermines the genuine nature of God's offers to both Jews and Gentiles.

WHY THIS MATTERS

Calvinist influence compromises the literal interpretation that makes dispensationalism work. It can lead to supersessionism, where the church replaces Israel. This theological drift has historical connections to antisemitism when the church sees itself as having replaced Israel in God's plan.

THE PALESTINE ISSUE

My concern about MacArthur's use of "Palestine" in his Study Bible is historically valid. "Palestine" comes from "Philistia," named after Israel's enemies. Roman Emperor Hadrian renamed the land "Palestine" after the Bar Kokhba revolt in 135 AD specifically to insult the Jews. The term deliberately obscures Israel's biblical connection to the land and undermines the biblical narrative of God's covenant with Israel.

We must also remember that there are still hostages being held, and Israel continues to face threats to its existence. Using biblical terminology honors both God's promises and acknowledges the reality of Israel's current struggles.

Biblical alternatives would be "The Promised Land," "The Land of Israel," "Canaan" in historical contexts, or "Eretz Israel," which is Hebrew for "Land of Israel."

MY POSITION

I hold consistent Classical Dispensationalism that maintains the Israel-Church distinction, supports Israel's ongoing covenant relationship with God, rejects Calvinist theology as inconsistent with dispensational principles, uses biblical terminology that honors God's promises to Israel, and defends literal interpretation of prophetic Scripture.

This represents theological consistency that many dispensationalists share. We can appreciate MacArthur's eschatological framework while rejecting Reformed theology that undermines dispensational distinctives.

God's Word is clear about His promises to Israel and His plan for the Church. We must be careful not to let systematic theology override the plain teaching of Scripture. Israel remains God's chosen people, and the Church has its own distinct calling and destiny.

What are your thoughts on maintaining these important biblical distinctions?

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GOD'S PROTECTION BY PASTOR TODD

On Saturday, August 9th, I let my adult granddaughter borrow my car to take our great-grand children to the Wisconsin State Fair. She brought a stroller for the youngest and knew my SUV would be better for hauling it to the fair from our home in Racine.

I knew there was some rain in the forecast and felt my car would do better than her compact car in rainy weather.

I didn't follow the news into the evening so I didn't realize that State Fair had gotten flooded until I read this text from her:

Got caught in a horrible flash flood water was up to our knees and the car door it was so scary we walked like 10 blocks in that mess and some ppl helped me get the kids in the car

She got her family home safe.

The debris in the grill of my SUV showed how high the water was that she drove through. Her own car would likely have stalled out. Thinking through how God moved in that scary situation gives insight into how God surrounds us with his protection. Thank God she took my SUV! Thank God she encountered helpful strangers! Thank God for watching over her driving and navigating her through the pouring rain to find a safe passage home! Thank God for His protection!

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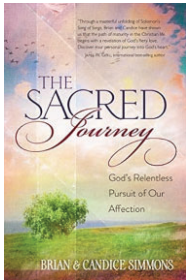
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Christian Book Reviews

The Sacred Journey by Brian & Candice Simmons



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Dr. Brian & Candice Simmons with their three children spent nearly eight years in the tropical rain forest of the Darien Province of Panama where Brian served as a church planter, translator, and consultant. Brian was involved in the Paya-Kuna New Testament translation project and studied linguistics and Bible translation principles with New Tribes Mission. He is now the lead translator for The Passion Translation. Both Brian and Candice travel full time speaking, teaching, and helping churches and leaders grow in Christ. They make their home in Wichita, Kansas. **Broadstreet Publishing \$16.99**

The Israel Decree by Amir Tsarfati

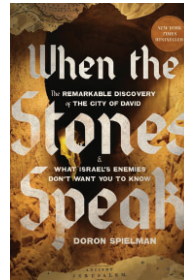


For centuries, questions have lingered both within and outside the church: Is modern Israel connected to the Israel of the Old Testament? Do God's past promises to Israel still apply now? And what does this mean for all Christians today?

As you grow in your understanding of God's steadfast promise to both bless Israel and to bless the world through Israel,

you will be inspired by His wonder-working power and equipped to carry out your unique role in His plan with hope and confidence. **Harvest Prophecy \$8.99**

When the Stones Speak by Doron Spielman

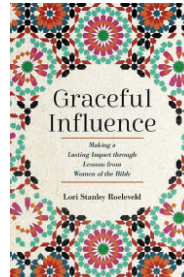


This is the untold story of the rediscovery of the ancient City of David in Jerusalem and the powerful evidence that proves the Jewish peoples historical and indigenous connection to the Holy Land.

Since the founding of Israel in 1948, the Jewish people have faced nine wars against multiple enemies. Yet, beyond the physical conflicts, a deeper ideological battle has been waged against Israel and the Jewish people.. This war, crafted by certain Arab leaders and echoed by international organizations like the United Nations, seeks to erase the Jewish people's ancestral ties to the land, casting them as outsiders, imposters, and "settlers."

As former vice president of the City of David Foundation, Doron Spielman has guided numerous visitors—including donors, diplomats, professors, celebrities, and American politicians—on a journey into the City of David's tunnels. While often holding vastly different political views, these visitors agree on one thing: the story of the city of David must be told. **Hachette/Center Street \$30.00**

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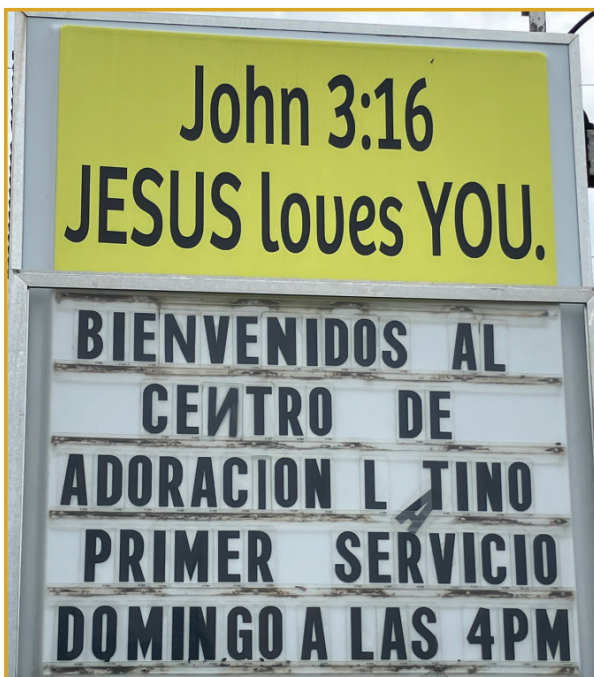
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WHOSE RESPONSIBILITY FROM PAGE 6

Before 1930 ALL church denominations taught that all forms of birth control are wrong. They viewed it as a sin against both the natural order and God's purpose for marriage, which they understood as primarily for procreation. This view was widely held across various Christian denominations for centuries. The Bible tells us in Genesis 1:27, "Be fruitful and multiply."

In Milwaukee, in addition to Planned Parenthood and Affiliated, a new abortion site opened on June 10th to destroy more families. Furthermore, on July 2nd, the Wisconsin Supreme Court nullified the 1849 law that was designed to protect unborn babies. A Marquette University Law School poll found that 58% of Wisconsinites believe that it is okay for a mother to kill her own child while it is in the womb, for most or any reason. As the floodgates have opened, Milwaukee has become a hub for women to come from around the state and other states to legally terminate their children.

Abortion is just one part of the anti-family agenda which is destroying this nation. The LGBTQ movement is another childless movement which has plagued our nation. This ideology has greatly taken over our learning institutions, and left our young people confused, devastated and even suicidal. Our society in America is becoming an anti-God and anti-family society. Most institutions of society (education, government, and media) celebrate and promote abortion, homosexuality, and transgenderism. Our nation is confusing and indoctrinating the children who did survive abortion, inciting them to sin against our Lord Jesus Christ.

CAUSE OF THE PROBLEM

The root of the problem is that we have lost our first love for God (Revelation 2:4). We love ourselves and the things of this world more than we love God and His Kingdom. And because of this we are destroying our families for the cares and desires of this world (Mark 4:19). In our society we see unborn babies as subhuman, and children as a burden, rather than what the Word of God calls them - a blessing (Psalm 127:3-5). Many in the church today put more value on education and worldly individual success than on getting married and raising a godly family. A major issue is that the church is not ministering outside the church building in the public square. There is too much apathy in the church regarding the two major sins - abortion and homosexuality. All sins

are evil, but we believe that child sacrifice and sodomy are some of the most grievous sins to our holy God. Some pastors and churches even promote these sins as acceptable to God. The church has become a silent bystander as our society deteriorates.

WHAT IS THE SOLUTION?

We won't find the answers in the politicians nor the White House. Only the church and gospel of Jesus Christ can eliminate and reverse this trend. Jesus did not stay in the Temple. He went from village to village preaching the gospel of the Kingdom. Jesus said, "Go out in the world and make disciples." When the disciples received the Holy Spirit, they did not stay in the upper room. They went out into the public square to preach the gospel to the lost, and 3,000 souls were saved that day. (Acts 2:1-41).

Hebrews 11:33,34 tells of the heroes of the faith, "who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens." Following Jesus is an active, not passive faith.

We have great examples of active faith in men like George Mueller, Charles Spurgeon, General William Booth, D.L. Moody and Billy Sunday. These men fed and housed orphans, and preached to drunks and prostitutes in the open square. Charles Spurgeon and Billy Sunday were masters of open-air preaching, reaching people who might never have gone to church.

In the parable of the talents (Matthew 25:14-30) Jesus teaches that God holds us accountable for the gifts and talents He has given us. He expects us to bring forth fruit. The servant who buried his talent in the ground, doing nothing, was reprimanded and punished. We are stewards of the world's most valuable asset which a human soul can possess: the gospel of Jesus Christ, which can save souls. God will hold individuals and churches accountable for what they do and do not do. Jesus has already won the war on the cross, but we who believe in Him are to occupy until He comes (Luke 19:11-27).

We can no longer, as saints of God, continue to stay inside the 4 walls of our church buildings while our families, our neighbors, and our nation are being destroyed, because of our inaction. We must minister in the public

square, in our schools, in the legislature and every institution to turn people away from their sins, that they might receive the precious salvation that God offers to all men. God wishes that no man perish (2 Peter 3:9).

WHOSE RESPONSIBILITY IS IT?

The great issue of our day is abortion. In Milwaukee, on a given day, there are 10 - 20 babies killed through abortion. We have shared the astronomical national daily death toll, which is incurring God's wrath. God has been so patient and merciful. Only the church with the gospel of Jesus Christ can eliminate and reverse this trend. Legislation cannot change hearts, only the Holy Spirit and the Word of God can. It is the church's responsibility to help save the lives of the unborn and souls of the parents from the wrath of God to come (Jude 23).

Tarry One Hour is an Evangelical recruiting ministry, seeking other Evangelical Christians to come and join us in ministering to the lost in the public square: at abortion sites, at LGBTQ public gatherings, at the Wisconsin state capitol, with legislators, at high schools and colleges, and Christian outreaches. Our mission is the Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20), to make disciples for the Kingdom of Jesus Christ. Our goal is to do our part to turn a godless nation into a God-fearing nation for His glory.

Tarry One Hour encourages individuals, churches and organizations to give just one hour a week to minister outside the abortion facilities. Who could be more in need of the gospel than a mother and father who are destroying their own families? We have the satisfaction of "speaking the truth in love", offering help, and sometimes the extreme joy of seeing a mother or couple choose life for their baby. If we are not out there ministering, the baby doesn't have a chance and the parents may not hear the gospel. It is the church's responsibility to "Open your mouth for the speechless, In the cause of all who are appointed to die." (Proverbs 31:8)

We also have a preventive ministry outside the high schools, giving the students the gospel, abstinence literature, and a 12-week fetal model. We urge our brothers and sisters to join us in these mission fields. Please call us at (262) 672-3685 to get involved. Also Tarry One Hour has a monthly training meeting on the 3rd Monday of the month from 6:00-7:30 pm at the Wauwatosa Lions Club, 7336 St. James Street.

THE CHANGE OF SEASONS

Christian writers frequently draw on the book of Ecclesiastes, which includes the well-known verse, "There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens" (Ecclesiastes 3:1 NIV). This provides a foundational biblical framework for exploring the different stages of life.

OTHER KEY SCRIPTURAL THEMES INCLUDE:

God's constant nature: While the seasons of life and nature change, God's nature remains the same.

God's love for the lost: The cycle of seasons, especially the harvest, is used to remind people that time is limited and to turn to God.

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In the Kitchen With Diane

Diane Fechter, Author



BLUEBERRY MUFFINS

- 1 egg
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- 1 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- 1/4 tsp. almond extract
- 1 c. flour
- 1/2 c. sugar
- 2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 c. fresh or frozen blueberries
(do not thaw frozen berries)

In a small bowl mix first 5 ingredients. In a medium bowl mix flour, sugar, baking powder and salt. Combine bowls and stir only until mixed, do not overmix. Gently stir in blueberries. Place batter in paper muffin cups or greased muffin tin.

Bake 350° 20-25 minutes or until toothpick inserted near center comes out clean. Makes 12.

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What's New at the Clark Boarding House?



Resident Gary Kimble putting his Commercial Drivers License CDL to work on a summer morning



Overseen by the City of Milwaukee Engineering Dept. outstanding work being done by the men from American Construction Services, West Bend and WE Energies as our 2424 W. Kilbourn received new copper replacing old lead line water service



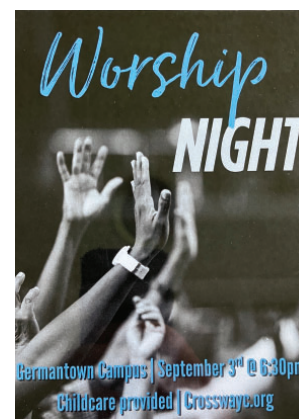
Tony on the kitchen crew whips up another amazing meal at the Clark Boarding House



Clark House goes to State Fair. Cudos to Fire Marshall Alex, Officer Paul Hoover and the whole First Responder team who helped locate our missing Dietrick who got separated from us at the pig races and was lost with no cell phone, money or map for over two hours. Meet the newest fan of the West Allis PD who found him at Subway offsite and delivered him to the ProBuColls van promptly after the all-points text of this timely pic went out! (Shown l-r Bob, Dietrick, Robin, Mike P and Mike H)



Our Head of Maintenance, Marcus Harris at work on 943 N. 24th Street





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Poems from the Clark Boarding House

Following are poems dictated by our resident **Harry Faulkner** to a handful of us including Pastor James Renard, our Clark House Chaplain, Bob, Scott, Lucas, Chris and a few Aurora Health at Home professionals leaving a home visit and others passing by as we sat on the front porch yesterday (August 19, 2025) at the Clark Boarding House. We did our best to capture everything Harry said... the way he said it.

NUGGETS OF GOLD

The words of the Bible are precious as gold. Treasures upon treasures. Within its pages it holds. More precious than silver as each page unfolds each word is a nugget, more precious than gold. The commas are diamonds. The question marks pearls. The pages are made from the purist of silk filled with molasses, honey and milk. Yes, the Bible was made for our spiritual growth as we feed on the pages from which it was wrote.

WHO AM I THAT HE WOULD EVEN CARE

I want to get who am I that he would even care enough to even want to get near someone like me who is dying in sin but thanks be to God. He chose to call me friend. He wants to save a sinner that's on his way to a fire burning, hell where he must pay, but Jesus was willing to take my place and for all the world he was willing to take. My sins and yours for an old rugged cross where he would die to save the lost. The world in which we live today he was willing to come and pay the cost.

I WANNA THANK THE FATHER

I wanna thank the father and I wanna thank the son. I lift my hands to heaven to praise him for what he's done. I want to thank the father and the Holy Spirit too and oh my brother if you only knew. The one that truly loves him and came here to die. You'd fall down on your knees and stop asking why. The God so full of mercy with a heart so full of love would leave his home and glory to come from above. Oh sister get to know him and come to the Cross and there our God will meet you for he's calling the lost. Brother can't you hear him the one that died for you? Oh come I pray you will right now before your life is through. Give glory to the father and glory to the Son and let Him know you're thankful for what he has done.

BIG BLACK LIMOUSINE:

Someday you're gonna ride to the church know what I mean Since you don't go they'll carry you in a big black limousine Walking down the aisle that as you the child your mama took but now those days have become a closing book. Have you chose to do what's right and to walk the narrow way? But soon that limousine will pass. This just might be today. Must you wait till God himself why don't you come to Christ? Don't wait till that big black limousine has passed and took your life. The only chance you'll ever have it makes me wanna sob to know that big black limousine have drove you waiting God.



Poet Harry Faulkner

At 80 years young, Clark House Resident Harry Faulkner dictated these poems to us and we wrote them down. These represent just a few of the many Christ-centered poems Harry says he has written.



Here is the Clark Boarding House front porch with I-Pastor James, Duane, Chris, Mike H.

Samaritan's Purse



The Elmbrook Church Brookfield campus will serve as the base for Samaritan's Purse disaster relief as they respond to needs in the community following last weekend's record rainfall and flooding. Interested in volunteering with Samaritan's Purse for a full or half day? Visit their website to sign up to serve.

Do you or someone you know need help with residential damage cleanup caused by the recent flooding? Find more information here on how to request assistance from a Samaritan's Purse disaster relief team.

A longtime member of Elmbrook Church and supporter of Samaritan's Purse, Kevin Klandrud sent this pic-

ture to the Courier of the truly awesome set up of the Active Work Site and Volunteer marshalling area at Elmbrook to help the many Milwaukee area flood victims from what the weather experts are calling the 1,000 year flood that ensued starting the afternoon of August 9, 2025. The damage hit really close to home this time for Kevin. First to respond to Kevin's basement with his carpet knife and tool bag was Tom Los who is an assigned Ford Transit 350HD driver on the Disaster Relief team based at Elmbrook Church. Tom is also a fellow Tuesday morn-



ing Pallas and Elmbrook Friday Fellowship attendee with Kevin. We spotted license plates on volunteer cars from as far away as TX, MO, IL, MI, NC in an outpouring of love and Christian lovingkindness for those devastated by water damage.

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Invisible Sin Chain



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Our decision making choices can be good. Decision making is influenced by various factors such as by our emotions; by our reasoning process; by our cognitive status & health.

Our invisible sin can influence our invisible heart during our decision making. The human heart (our emotions) are truly considered wicked (Jeremiah 17:9) according to the Bible. The straitjacket was designed to incapacitate the escape artist or magician. The jacket escape techniques are shared on Google for those that come across such as jacket show. To escape from being chained down is a little more difficult. Flexibility is more challenging that working out of a resistive jacket. Having a hidden lock pick is an essential tool when being bogged by chains. To the audience it looks impressive. To the escape artist he conceals his tools for chain escaping.



The performance by the Escape Artists took place during a Mardi Gras, New Orleans event.
Article by Jack Roper, Freelance writer and photographer.

The above 2 performances were non-supernatural. The next one is supernatural??

The Behavior of Sin to Win



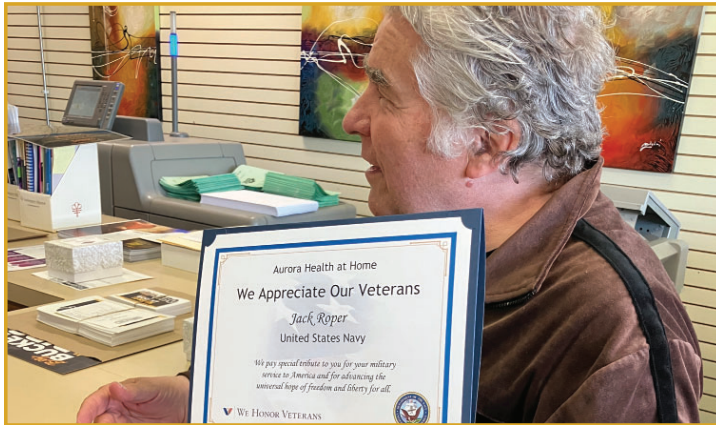
Sin moves the letter "T" to the right from Satan to Santa which is better Sin sees in the middle of the word "lust" into the word "us". Sin hates the word grace for God loves the human race. Sin hates the word mercy and prefers the word "hersey". Sin hates the word Bible and prefer the word "rival". Sin is the child of Satan who loves those when their heart is "wild". Sin loves those that become a rival to make the innocent facing a trial. Sin laughs at Jesus when He was on the Cross for Lord sought the loss. Sin loves suffering trials for it hopes it last along while. Sin in the human heart of tin thinks in the long run it is going to win. Sin in the heart never gets old for it never grows mold. Sins new every morning even when we are mourning. Sin waits as when we hang around and then decide to go to town. Sin follows Satan's "wish tool" for it then becomes a rule, Sin knows about the Cross for Satan seeks out those that are still loss. Sin knows about our "wicked" heart for with sin it is not restricted. Sin and the Cross shall never meet because has no choice, it has to retreat. Sin hides in the heart but the Cross comes along & then sin cries & dies. Sin knew the painful Cross for Jesus suffered. His pain was believer's gain.

Original expressions by Jack Roper, Freelance writer

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Jack Roper with longtime friend and co-laborer in ministry John Jones next to the Mobile Media Unit before heading down to Phantom Ranch Bible Camp.



Christian Courier photographer and freelance writer Jack Roper humbly shows off his US Navy Veteran's Recognition at Printgraphix Copy Shop 4967 S 76th St, Milwaukee

The Jack Roper Story Bio by Jack Roper

My twin sister Anna & I were raised at the Milwaukee County Orphanage Home. Our mother Lucille, from Zagreb who then came to America. She became pregnant while dating and had twins. She had a nervous breakdown after having her twins born out of wedlock. She bearing 2 children was against the moral code in society in those days. Then the twins were placed to stay at the Milwaukee orphanage for children. When my twin and I were 4 years old, a farm family in Rubicon, Wisconsin took us into their farm. The farm had pigs and cows and chickens, a mean bull and little kittens which was all new to the twins. Meows were everywhere especially in the farm barn. Over time, drought took its toll on the crops. The foster family with its kids decided to move into Milwaukee. The foster father started work at Delco and the kids walked to school about a 2 mile distance. School was a bore for Jack. He almost flunked 6th grade and he flunked 7th grade at Walker Junior high school. After Anna graduated from high school she got married. Jack while still in high school got involved in amateur acting which was separate from school. The film producer knew my twin. Jack took the lead film role in 2 films. The first one, For He Shall Conquer, won in an international contest out of Washington, D.C. The producer won a Golden Eaglet trophy. He now lives in Australia. The 2nd film won a Honorable Mention in a different film contest

While in the Navy as a hospital corpsman, I would sew up wound injuries, pediatrics, taking xrays, emergency needs and driving ambulance. After my tour of military duty I came back home in Milwaukee and applied for Registered Nurse training at Milwaukee Lutheran hospital 3 year program I was accepted for the RN school program. In my last year of RN school, a New Age gentleman came to our school and offered the nursing students the opportunity to apply mind control insights in order to improve our cognitive studies. Two of us then went through the Silva Mind Control course. The course did not improve my smarts. What it did was triggered a curiosity in the psychic and esoteric field. Some of my "psychic" friends and I formed The Wisconsin Society for Psychical Research. I went to the First Yoga and Esoteric Science lectures in Switzerland and was initiated into Hinduism by Swami Bua and I received my mantra from this guru. The Lord of Heaven knew of my wanderings into a counterfeit religion and later I learned my lesson. It says in Scripture "...For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine, but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears."(2 Tim 4:vs 3). Well I found out later that Swami Bua was one of those teachers. My mantra was "kamaloka" which meant "a lower astral plane". This is the last place you would want to be. The Director of the esoteric conference, Dr. Douglas Baker, asked me to work with him as an assistant. I never gave him an answer. The esoteric arts are related to the "occult".



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Thank You Pastor Gary. Welcome, Pastor Kyle.

Many of you know Pastor Gary and Carmen Zacharias. This couple is a blessing to so many and has been a pillar at Terrace Shores Evangelical Free Church in Green Lake County, for as Gary says in this letter, three plus decades as he prepared to pass the baton to Pastor Kyle. Gary refers often in his sermons to lessons learned from things he read or heard from Stuart Briscoe and his years at the Moody Bible Institute and Trinity. John Fisco always liked Gary and Terrace Shores Church, especially since the church has so faithfully displayed the Courier for decades! So, when John and I bought a get-away place in nearby Kingston, we started attending and John encouraged me to join Terrace Shores... which I did back in 2016. Fellow CBM-Cer Owen Purvis who has been a regular at the Midwest Men's Retreats Greenlake Conference Center was in my new members class as Owen & Sue had relocated to Princeton, WI. Small world! When my Mom, Dad and sister Evann came to town to attend the Wisconsin Governor's Prayer Breakfast and hear Bob and Pam Tebow in 2014, Gary led the prayer at dinner. Gary and his sister had come down from Markesan to also be our guests and join Governor Scott Walker for prayer.

All the best Gary and Carmen from Bob and your many friends in Milwaukee and at ProBuColls / Christian Courier Newspaper!

PASTOR GARY'S LETTER TO HIS TERRACE SHORES CHURCH FAMILY

Dear Terrace Shores Church Family,

You are likely aware of my upcoming retirement, so I wanted to write you a note trying to answer a few of the common questions some have had regarding this. George Burns, a gravelly voiced, cigar smoking actor, who lived to age 100 and entertained audiences for over 70 years, noted, "Retirement at 65 is ridiculous. When I was 65, I still had pimples." His message was clear that age is a matter of perspective. There is not a set age at which we should suddenly stop functioning and living useful lives. None of us is made to live an existence of inactivity and void of meaning, at any age. Creative Mr. Rogers observed, "Often when you are at the end of something, you're at the beginning of something else." This is also true at any age. Regarding this, C.S. Lewis challenged, "You are never too old to set another goal or to dream a new dream."

These words of wisdom, confirm what I have believed all along; that we are to follow the Lord, and use what has been entrusted to us, to serve Him at every age. Over the last 34 years here at Terrace Shores, I have seen so many use their 'retirement years' to honor the Lord in a multitude of ways. That is what we desire to do also, though at this point, we don't know exactly what that will look like. Here's what we have told some who ask us what we plan to do. We plan to catch up on things we have put off and need to get done. Beyond that, we hope to be able to spend more time visiting our kids in their various locations and attending more activities of grandkids. Along with this, we hope to re-connect with some of the dear people we have had the privilege of knowing or working with in the past, who are scattered across the country and world. And finally, at whatever level He allows, we hope to use the experiences and gifts God



Pastor Gary Zacharias at an infant dedication at Terrace Shores Church

has entrusted to us, to continue to honor Him and further His Kingdom.

We are thrilled with the new pastor that God has provided for Terrace Shores. Kyle Witek is a dear brother in Christ who has faithfully served in two other church ministries, and we're so grateful for God's leading and provision in this area. Looking back over the past 15 months of the pastoral search process, God's guidance and timing in this has become quite evident. I feel confident that you will receive and love Kyle and his family and be a blessing to them, just as you have been to our family over these many years.

Regarding the immediate future however, I wanted to let you know what's planned for the next couple weeks. Most recently I've begun the

dreaded task of sorting and cleaning out the church office I've been allowed to use for the last 3+ decades. Doing this has sparked a multitude of wonderful memories and nostalgia. This coming Sunday, July 20, will be my last sermon here as a pastor at Terrace Shores. Then the following Sunday, July 27 will be my last Sunday as a pastor at Terrace Shores. We are fortunate to have a missionary pilot from JAARS sharing with us on that last Sunday of July. Pastor Kyle Witek will begin his ministry with you the following week and will have his first Sunday as your senior pastor on August 3. These are exciting days as Terrace Shores begins a new stage in God's plan for this church. In order to facilitate this transition, Carmen and I will not be worshipping at TS (though our hearts will be with you), but visiting a variety of churches, to see what God is doing through his people in many locations, and learn from them. We have no plan to move from this area however, and we anticipate running into many of you in our daily lives. Along with that, we look forward to coming back at the time of the regular Fall Outing on September 21, to celebrate with you God's goodness and blessing on Terrace Shores over the years.

The transitions of life are inevitable, filled with a mix of emotions. I'm nostalgic by nature and resist big changes, but God uses change in our lives to accomplish His purposes, and grow us in the process. We find our comfort and stability in the truth that God Himself is unchanging. He is the same, His love is the same, His truth is the same, His purposes are the same, and His promises are the same. We stand upon the Rock of Ages, though on this earth we experience the effects of time. As I write this today having learned that Pastor John MacArthur passed into eternity yesterday, I'm reminded of the brevity of life. A plaque in Westminster Abbey quotes hymnwriter Charles Wesley, "God buries his workmen but carries on his work." His work is calling people to Himself, to know Him now and forever. Thank you, dear friend, for allowing me to serve as your pastor and co-worker in this Kingdom work God has entrusted to us. May God bless you as a church and as an individual, as you continue to serve the Lord who made us each, and gave Himself for us. The words of the Apostle Paul express well my heart for you: "Now I commit you to God and to the word of His grace, which can build you up and give you an inheritance among all those who are sanctified" (Acts 20:32).

Gratefully, yours in Christ,

Gary & Carmen

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth! Isaiah 52:7



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Sue Maleski Area Coordinator for Operation Christmas Child shares with local leaders her travels with OCC to distribute packed shoeboxes to children overseas. NOTE: Milwaukee just received six (6) pallets of Go Boxes ready to be PACKED. Come to the Milwaukee Central Drop-off Center: ProBuColls Bookstore 97th & Greenfield to pick up empty boxes for your office, school, church, neighborhood or family packing party! Call 414-344-7300 or go to www.probuolls.org for more info.



Dr. Basil Jackson hosts a group of men for fellowship periodically on Saturday mornings (pictured left of Dr. J Fred Schwertfeger, Randy Melchert, Joe Kurk, Ralph Story, Kevin Klandrud, Erv Martins, Bob Conklin, Jr. and Joe Helm)



PBC/CC Sponsored Boy's Club 2025 Crystal River trip – lunch before our tubing trip



Discipleship Pastor Keith Luecht organized Elmbrook Church Men's event with Scott Arbeiter as special speaker



Congratulations to newlyweds Josh and Laura Lindsley – looking amazing on a hot day!



Elmbrook Church Senior Pastor Tim Breen speaks to the men at Pallas Restaurant (see Tuesday 7 a.m. CBMC Men's Ministry Listing in this edition of The Christian Courier)



The Transform My City Outreach leadership team led by Pastor Luis Pizarro at Fountain Park in Sheboygan. With special guests Steve & Charlene Rose and an eye on the weather, the opening song "Open the flood gates of Heaven, let it rain" was perfect!

MINISTRIES DIRECTORY

MILWAUKEE (AREA 1)

Agape Harvest Fellowship
Ministries Church of Engleburg
4620 W North Avenue
Milwaukee 53208
Sunday Worship 10AM
414.449.2390

Apostolic Missionary Church
2686 S 12th Street
Milwaukee 53207
Call for times 414.645.7383

Berean Family Worship Center, Inc.
ONE CHURCH IN TWO CITIES
3920 N. 51st Blvd
Milwaukee, WI 53216
Sunday 8 am
Wednesday 6:30 pm prayer, 7 pm service

Blessed Deliverance M.B.C.
2215 N. 23rd Street
Milwaukee, WI 53205
414-344-9645
Sunday School 8:45 am
Worship 10 am
Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 pm
Blessdeliverance@aol.com

Christian Faith Fellowship Church East
724 S. Layton Blvd.
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215
Sunday Worship Time: 10 a.m.
Sunday Night Ministry Training 6:00 p.m.
Wed Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.
www.cffceast.org

Cornerstone Church Milwaukee
2223 E. Kenwood Blvd
Milwaukee, WI 53211
Sunday Worship 10am
414.395.7777 or
cornerstonemilwaukee.com

Divine Shepherd Lutheran
9741 W Beloit Rd
Milwaukee 53227
Sunday Worship 9AM
414.321.0730

Eastbrook Church
5385 N Green Bay Ave
Milwaukee 53209
Sunday Worship 8, 9:30, 11AM
414.228.5220

The Embassy Center
3725 N Sherman Blvd
Milwaukee 53216
Sunday Worship 8, 11AM
414.442.7411

Greater St. Lukes
2741 N. 27th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53210
11 am Sunday Worship
9 am Sunday School
414-264-8040

Holy Cathedral COGIC
2677 N 40th Street
Milwaukee 53210
Sunday School 10AM
Sunday Worship 8:30, 11AM, 6:45PM
414.447.1966

Hope Lutheran Church
1115 N 35th Street
Milwaukee 53208
Sunday Worship 10:30AM
Sunday Bible Study 9:15AM
414.342.0471

Kingdom of Heaven Christian Min.
PO Box 18194
Milwaukee WI 53218
Sunday 10AM
414.393.1500

Lakeshore Church
1820 E. North Ave.
Milwaukee, WI 53202
414-273-2850
Sunday 10:30 am
Friday- Bible Study 4 pm

Liberty COGIC
1811 W. Center Street
Milwaukee, WI 53206
Sunday School 8am
Sunday Worship 9am
Tuesday-Bible Study 6:30pm
Friday Evening Evangelistic Service 7pm
414-264-0590

Life Church
5511 W Burleigh St
Milwaukee 53210
Call for times 414.445.0755

New Beginnings Seed Faith M.B.C.
138 W North Ave
Milwaukee, WI 53215
Pastor Annie Smith
Service 1:00 p.m.
Sunday School 2:15 pm
www.nhmbchurch.org/

New Hope Missionary Baptist Church
2433 West Roosevelt Drive;
Milwaukee, WI 53209
Sunday School: 8am
Sunday Worship: 9:30am
Wed. Bible Study: 6:30pm
414.871.0350
www.nhmbchurch.org/

Newport Missionary Baptist Church
2237 N. 11th St.
Milwaukee, WI 53205
Sunday School: 9:30am
Service: 11am
Wed Nite Bible Study: 7pm
414-265-5881
newportmissionarybaptistchurch@gmail.com

Restoration International Ministry, Inc.
5017 W. Center Street
Milwaukee, WI 53210
414-499-7961
Christian Educ Sunday 12:30 pm
Worship Service Sunday 1:30 pm

RISE MKE
9450 N 60th Street
Brown Deer 53223
Sunday Worship 10AM
414.354.6620

Souls Harbor Baptist Church
3800 S Howell Ave
Milwaukee 53207
Sunday School 10AM
Worship Services 11AM, 1PM
Wednesday 7PM
414.342.1234 or
www.shbcmilwaukee.com

Spiritual Healing & Restoration Ministries
2925 W Lincoln Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215
Pastor Patsy McNeely
First Service 12/04/2016 @ 3:00 P.M.

Tarry One Hour Ministry
Wauwatosa Lions Club
7336 St. James Street
3rd Monday of each month 6pm
A.B. Herron: 262.672.3685

Word is God Worship Center
3320 W Vliet St
Milwaukee 53208
Sunday Worship 11AM

Word of Grace Fellowship
4949 West Villard Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53218
Pastor Ernie Oby
Sunday Service: 10:30am
Wednesday Service: 6:30pm
414-464-9643
WOGFmke@gmail.com



Ministries



SOUTH SUBURBS (AREA 2)

Cornerstone Bible Church
11321 St. Martins Rd.
Franklin, WI 53132
Sunday Bible Study 9:30AM
Children's/Jr Church 10:30AM
414.232.3158 or
www.cbfranklinwi.com

Discovery Church
7311 S 13th Street
Oak Creek 53154
Worship Service 8, 9:30, 11AM
Sunday Evening 6PM

Harvest Community Church
6612 S Howell Ave
Oak Creek 53154
Worship Service 9AM, 10:45AM

Jubilee Christian Family Church
3639 W Ryan Road
Franklin 53132
Sunday Worship 10AM
Wednesday Bible Study 7PM
Mon-Fri AM 1:30 12:45PM
414.423.0700 or Jubilee-Christian.org

Milwaukee Victory Church
2110 W National Ave
Milwaukee 53204
Sunday Worship 10AM
414.645.7496

Life Restoration Church
2422 W National Ave
Milwaukee 53204
Sunday Worship 10AM
414.383.2280

St John's Lutheran Church
4850 S Lake Dr
Cudahy 53110
Call for times 414.481.0520

Southbrook Church
11010 W. St. Martin's Road
Franklin 53132
Sunday Worship 8:45, 10:30AM
414.427.1929

WEST SUBURBS (AREA 3)

Anchor Falls Church
N84W16971 Menomonee Ave
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051
Sunday Worship 10:00AM
Wed. Youth Programs 7PM
414.464.9220

Banner Church
1500 S. West Lane
New Berlin 53146
Sundays 9am & 10:45am
weatherstonechurch.org

Beloit Road Baptist Church
8337 W Beloit Rd
West Allis 53219
Sunday Worship 10AM
414.395.0635
www.BRBCmke.org

Beth Messiah Congregation
N84W16971 Menomonee Ave
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051
Saturday Worship 10AM
414.395.3043

Body of Christ Ministries
KimSargentMinistries.org
Radio Ministry
Sundays 6-6:30 pm
Joy 1340 AM and 98.7 FM
Prayerline: 414-587-9899

Brookfield Christian Reformed
14135 W Burleigh Rd
Brookfield 53005
Sunday Worship 9:30AM
262.784.1125

Calvary Bible Church
1459 S 81st Street
West Allis 53214
Call for times 414.353.3575

Elmbrook Church
777 S Barker Rd
Brookfield 53045
Worship Services
Sunday 9, 10:45AM
262.786.7051

Family Prayer & Worship Center
2370 S. 75th Street
West Allis, WI 53219
414.216.FPWC (3792)
Worship Sundays 10AM
Wednesday 7PM
www.fpwcenter.org

First Baptist Church-New Berlin
3800 S Casper Dr
New Berlin 53151
Sunday School 9:15AM
Sunday Worship 10:30AM
Wednesday Bible Study 7PM
262.782.7775 or
www.fbcnewberlin.org

Honey Creek Church
8200 W. Bluemound Rd.
Wauwatosa, WI 53213
(414) 475-1234
Sunday Worship - 10:30 am
Honeycreekchurch.org

Life Church
3285 N Calhoun Road
Brookfield, WI 53005
262-783-2900
www.vifanline.org

New Beginnings Fellowship Intl.
8650 W National Ave
West Allis 53219
Sunday Prayer 8:45AM
Sunday Worship 10:30AM
Sunday Praise 6PM
Wednesday 7PM
414.543.0603
NewBeginningsInternational.net

Faith Christian Church
4800 S. Calhoun Rd,
New Berlin
Worship Services
Sundays 11:15AM & 6:00PM
Wednesday 6:30PM
414-423-5241

Jesus Christ Is Lord Congregational Bible Church
2931 S Kinnickinnic Ave (Bay View)
Milwaukee, WI 53207
Sunday Worship 12:30PM
Wed. Bible Study: 7PM
414-210-6104
davidfann188@gmail.com

Layton Avenue Baptist Church
9600 W Layton Avenue
Greenfield, WI 53228
Sunday School 9:30am
Sunday Worship 10:45am
414.425.1616
www.laytonavenuechurch.com

A Mighty River Ministries
5933 W National Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214
Sunday Prayer 4:30PM
Sunday Worship 5PM
Friday Bible Study 6:30PM
414-306-5672

New Song Church
2323 S 109th St.
West Allis, WI 53227
Sunday 10AM
414-546-1234

New Vintage Church
6626 W. Beloit Rd.
West Allis, WI 53219
Sunday 10AM
Wednesday 7PM
414.400.8320
www.newvintagewi.org

Northtown Church
A multi-ethnic church
7000 N 107th St
Milwaukee, WI 53224
Sunday Worship and Bible classes 10 am
414-353-5588
www.northtownchurch.org

Pipeline to Jesus Church
13400 W Beloit Rd
New Berlin 53151
Sunday Worship 10AM
Tuesday 7PM
414.525.0000 PipelineToJesus.org

Poplar Creek Church
17770 W Cleveland Ave
New Berlin 53146
Sunday Worship 10:00AM,
Wednesday 6:30PM
262.782.1777
PoplarCreekChurch.org

Poplar Creek Church - Wauwatosa
201 N 121st St,
Wauwatosa 53226
Sunday Worship 10:00AM
262-782-1777

Reformation Hope Church
915 Adelman Ave., Lower Level
Brookfield, WI 53045
Sunday Worship 10:30AM
Family Bible Hour Sunday 1:00PM
www.reformationhopechurchministries.com

RightWay Church Ministries
POBox242232
Milwaukee, WI 53225
4016 W Silver Spring Dr.
Milwaukee, WI 53209
(In the Trinity Miracle Church building)
Sunday School 9am
Worship Service 10am
414-376-1651
rightwaychurchministries@yahoo.com

Risen Savior Bible Church
8556 W National Ave
West Allis 53227
Sunday Worship 9AM
414-617-0347 or
RisenSaviorBibleChurch.org

Showers of Blessing
8544 W National Ave STE #28
West Allis, WI 53227
Sunday School 10:00AM
Sunday Worship 10:30AM
414.502.7584

Wauwatosa Bible Chapel
2200 N 67th Street
Wauwatosa 53213
Sunday Lord's Supper 9AM
Family Bible Hour 10:30AM
Wednesday 7PM
414.771.1030 or
WauwatosaBibleChapel.org

REGIONAL (AREA 4)

Berean Family Worship Center, Inc.
ON CHURCH IN TWO CITIES
N112 W17655 Mequon Rd
Germantown, WI 53022
Sunday 11 am
Tuesday 6:30 pm prayer, 7 pm service

Blessed Hope Independent Bible Fellowship
PO Box 481; Oak Creek, WI 53154
Meeting Sunday 9:00 am @
the Oak Creek Community Center
8580 S Howell Ave
(262) 822-HOPE (4673)

Christian Life Church
309 Lakeview Drive
Belgium, WI 53004
Sundays 10:30 AM
Thursday Bible Study 6:30 PM
text: 936.488.0080
christianlifechurch.us

Cornerstone Church Lake Country
354 N. Oakwood Ave
Oconomowoc, WI 53066
Sunday Celebration 10am
Wed. Catalyst Youth Group 7pm
262-569-0001
cornerstonelakecount.org

Covenant Connection Fellowship Church
(Ingleside Hotel; Upstairs, Rm 1)
2810 Gulf Rd
Pewaukee, WI 53072
Worship: Sunday at 10am
262-650-9433

Delavan Christian Reformed Church
850 Oak Street
Sunday Worship 9:30AM 6PM
262.728.6801

Eagles Wings Nazarene Fellowship
609 Sandy Acre Drive
West Bend, WI 53090
262-334-7124
www.wbnaz.com
Sunday School 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Monday Ladies Bible Study 10:30 am
Wednesday Service 6:30 pm for adults and children

Emmaus Bible Church
220 N 6th Ave
West Bend WI 53095
Sun School 9 AM
Sun Worship 10:15 AM
Sun Old Testament Survey Class 6:30 PM
E-Mail: EBCWestBend@gmail.com
848-226-4306

Faith Christian Fellowship
1200 Racine St.
Racine 53403
262.637-6220 or RacineFCF.org

Faithlife Victory International Church
Sunday worship 10:00am
(Temporarily meeting at the Kenosha Woman's Club)
6028 8th Avenue & 60th Street
(use west entrance) Kenosha WI 53143
www.faithlifevictory.org

Foundational Biblical Baptist Church
6224 22nd Ave.
Kenosha, WI 53143
Sunday School 10am
Morning Service 11am
Main Service 6pm
262-654-4665 www.fbckkenosha.org

Family Chapel
N25 W23050 Paul Road
Pewaukee 53072
Sunday Worship 10AM
FamilyChapel.org

Grace Bible Chapel
3917 59th Street
Kenosha 53144
Sunday Lord's Supper 9AM
Family Bible Hour & Sunday School 10:30AM
Wednesday Prayer 7PM
262.654.9631 GBC-Kenosha.org

Hillside Community Church
593 W30580 County Rd NN
Mukwonago 53149
Sunday Worship 9AM
Call for Bible Studies
262.363.8025 or HillsideMuk.org

Journey Church Burlington
740 Center St.
Burlington, WI 53105
262-767-3649
Sun. 9 & 10:45
Wed. 6:30

Journey Church Kenosha
1000 75th St
Kenosha, WI 53142
262-694-3300
Sat. 6pm
Sun. 9 & 10:45
Wed. 6:30

Lake Country Bible Church
N45W32481 Watertown Plank Rd
Nashotah, WI 53058
Sunday Bible Study 9AM
Worship 10:15AM
262-369-8777 LakeCountryBible.org

Northbrook Church
4014 Hwy 167 West
Richfield 53076
Saturday 4:30PM
Sunday Worship 8AM, 9:30AM, 11AM
262.628.3142

Oconomowoc Faith Bible Fellowship
25 McDowell Court
Oconomowoc 53066
Sunday Lord's Supper 10AM
Family Bible Hour 11AM
262.567.7234

Open Door Church
3420 County Road LL
Port Washington, WI 53074
Sat Worship Service 5:30pm
Sun Worship Services 8am & 10:45
Sun School/Adult Bible 9:30am
262-284-0711
www.ODB(port.org)

Orchard Hill Assembly of God
N9590 County Rd ES
Mukwonago WI 53149
Sunday Worship, 9:30am
Wednesday, Family Night & Youth Ministry, 6:30pm
(262) 363-5443
http://www.orchardhillag.com

Praise Fellowship Church
W195 S9912 Racine Avenue
Muskego, WI 53150
Sunday Worship Service: 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday Service: 6:30 p.m.
www.praise-fellowship.org

Prayer House Assembly of God Church
1525 24th Avenue, Kenosha WI 53140
Sunday Worship: 10:00am. Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30pm
262.595.0500
www.prayerhouseag.org

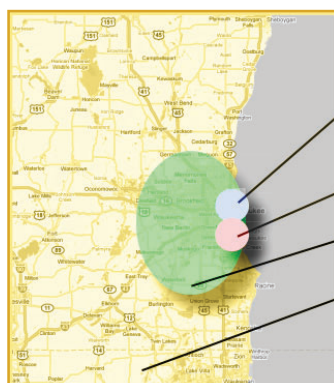
Summit Harvest Church
888 Thackerway Trail #209
Oconomowoc 53066
Sunday Worship 10AM
262.560.0765
SummitHarvestChurch.org

Terrace Shores Ev Free Church
W3278 County Road K
Markesan 53946
Sunday Worship 7:45, 9:15, 10:45AM
920.398.2734

Transformational Ministry
1123 Center St.
Racine, WI 53403
Sundays Worship: 2pm
224.656.1803

Watertown Community Church
106 E Madison St
Watertown 53094
Sunday Worship 10AM
Call for other meetings/studies
920.206.0599 or
WatertownCommunityChurch.org

Zion Christian Assembly
Zion Chapel 319 Cedar Street
Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085
Sunday Lord's Supper 9:30AM
Bible Ministry 11:00AM & 6:30PM
Wednesday 6:30PM
920.458.4137
920.889.7064
believers@ZionChristianAssembly.org



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LifeChain along Hwy 100 and Bluemound Rd., held Sunday, Oct. 5, 2:00-3:30 pm

Kids' Day, an alternative to Halloween, Saturday, Oct. 25, 10 am-4 pm at ProBuColls

Annual LifeChain

Sunday, October 5, 2025

2:00 to 3:30 p.m.



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Gathering the first Sunday in
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Bluemound Road and up and
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