

*From the
Pastor*



I have been convicted and have mentioned a lot lately, that Christians need to stand up and speak up about what is right and call wrong, wrong. I recently saw an article about a Christian who did just that. As you may know, the Major League baseball season has started. Before each game they kneel in support of Black Lives Matter. One major leaguer did not kneel. He said that he is a Christian and he cannot support some of the stands the Black Lives Matter movement is promoting.

Obviously, he had done his homework, as all of us should. His stance took courage and I pray that he does not face any persecution for doing what is right.

His statement made me do a little bit of checking, what was he talking about? What does BLM support that a Christian cannot support? I found three things that we need to be aware of. First, they want to do away with the Biblical family, dad, mom, and children. They call it a Western idea when it is actually a Biblical idea. Second: They celebrate homosexuality, a stance that goes against at least 9 different Bible verses. Third is just a natural step when you move from one and two, they tout gender confusion.

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Coming Soon!



August 4



September 7



*Creighton First Baptist Church
Saturday, September 19
Beginning at 4:00 p.m.*



TeamKid Meetings temporarily suspended.

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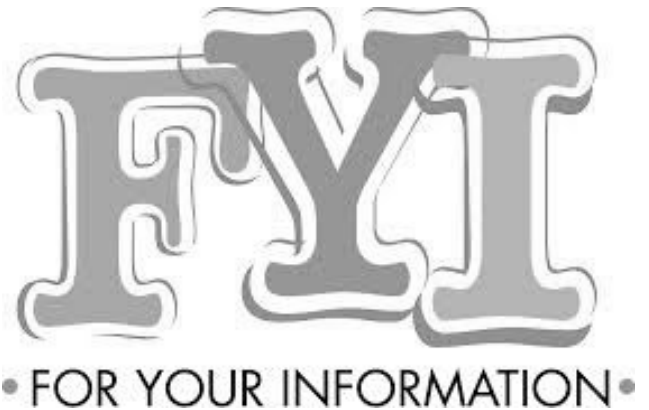
Top Hymns for Old Folks

- 1.) Precious Lord, Take My Hand . . .
And Help Me Up
- 2.) It Is Well with My Soul . . . But My
Knees Hurt
- 3.) Nobody Knows the Trouble I
Have Seeing
- 4.) Just a Slower Walk with Thee
- 5.) Count Your Many Birthdays,
Name Them One by One
- 6.) Go Tell It on the Mountain . . . But
Speak Up
- 7.) Give Me the Old Timers' Religion
- 8.) Blessed Insurance
- 9.) Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah
. . . I've Forgotten Where I Parked

Community of Care

The Creighton Community of Care will be the hands and feet of Christ and respond to needs in the Creighton area, guided by **Matthew 25:35-40**.

Our next scheduled meeting will be September 21 at 6:30 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, when election of new officers will be held. We have been able to help several families this year and are hopeful for the opportunity to give for school supplies. If you know of any needs that we need to be looking at, or wish to volunteer, please contact any of the churches in Creighton.



Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:45 a.m.
Bible Study	12:30 p.m.

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Adult Bible Studies for Life **Why Do I Need the Church?**

July 26: We Are Joined Together (Ephesians 1:20-23; 2:8-10,19-22)
 August 2: We Pray for One Another (Ephesians 3:14-21)
 August 9: We Support One Another (Ephesians 4:1-7,11-16)
 August 16: We Encourage One Another (Ephesians 4:17-32)
 August 23: We Strengthen One Another (Ephesians 5:8-21)
 August 30: We Stand together in Spiritual Battle (Ephesians 6:10-20)

Youth Bible Studies for Life **Why Do I Need the Church?**

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Children Bible Studies for Life **In the Beginning**

August 2: God Created the World (Genesis 1:1-2:3)
 August 9: God Created People (Genesis 2:4-24)
 August 16: Abram Solved a Quarrel (Genesis 13)
 August 23: Jacob and Esau Reconciled (Genesis 25:27-34; 27; 32; 33)
 August 30: Joseph Loved His Brothers (Genesis 37; 42; 43; 45; 46; 50)

Preschool Bible Studies for Life **In the Beginning**

August 2: God Created the World (Genesis 1:19)
 August 9: God Created Animals (Genesis 1:20-25,30-31)
 August 16: God Created People (Genesis 2:4-24)
 August 23: God Planned for Families (Genesis 1:27-28; 3:20; 4:1-2)
 August 30: Joseph Loved His Brothers (Genesis 37; 42:1-8,25-26; 43:1-2,15-17; 45:1-14; 46:28-34; 50:15-21)

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I am not writing this to attack any group of people, but to be informed and inform you. *1 John 4:1a* tells us "Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God." Any person or group that goes against scripture are not of God and should not be supported by Christians. Please do not misread this and assume that I hate people of color. I do not, Jesus died for all people regardless of the color of their skin, short, tall, big or small and we need to take the message of the gospel to all people, sounds like the Great Commission doesn't it? *Matthew 28:19-20*.

Always be careful before you get involved in a group and yes--even a church, check it out. Especially be careful of the mob mentality, remember it was a mob that crucified Jesus.

We did have Vacation Bible School. It was different this year as everything has been. We did not have large group; we did not expect one. Perhaps the best part was watching our young people step up and do an outstanding job. We had at least ten teenagers, I know it sounds dangerous, but they did an outstanding job. It was a joy to watch them take leadership roles and do a good job. I guess it should not surprise us, they all have grown up coming to Vacation Bible school and learning from all our adults who do good jobs. Continue to pray, the results of this Bible School will not be known until we get to Heaven, pray that seeds were planted and if we do not see the harvest someone does. Thank you for your help, your prayers were felt.

Have a great month and pray for our nation.

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Mini S'mores Pies

1/3 cup sugar	1/2 teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons cocoa powder	6 mini graham cracker crusts
4 1/2 teaspoons cornstarch	3 large marshmallows
1/8 teaspoon salt	
1 1/4 cups milk	

In a medium saucepan, whisk together sugar, cocoa powder, cornstarch, and salt. Stream in milk while whisking. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture boils. Let boil one minute, then remove from the heat. Add butter and vanilla and stir until incorporated. Unwrap graham cracker crusts and place on a cookie sheet or oven-safe tray. Pour pudding into crusts. Refrigerate for one hour or until pudding is set. (Press plastic wrap over the top of the pies to prevent a skin from forming on the pudding.) Cut each marshmallow in half with kitchen shears. Place one half, cut side down, in the middle of each pudding pie. Set oven to broil. Broil two inches from heat for 20-30 seconds, just until marshmallows are browned. Serves 6.

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Pineapple Casserole

1/2 cup butter, room temperature
1 cup sugar
4 egg whites
5 slices bread, cubed
20 ounces crushed pineapple

Grease a 1-2 quart casserole dish, and preheat oven to 350 F. Cream together butter and sugar. Blend in egg whites. Stir bread cubes into butter mixture. Add pineapple, and fold together. Pour into casserole dish, and bake for one hour, until casserole is set. Serve warm or at room temperature. Serves 6.



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