

News from Creighton First Baptist Church



As I was praying about what to write in this article, my mind went to the young missionary couple who were killed in Haiti. I must admit, I shocked myself as I searched for information on the internet about them. I am not a tech guy but I wanted to learn more about them and I did it, small victory for me. I wish I was looking for good news. The young couple are Davy and Natalie Lloyd, they gave their lives spreading the gospel. Her dad is Missouri State Senator Ben Baker from the 106th District, Neosho area. That brings it a little closer to home. I know there will be critics who will say they should have never gone to Haiti, but we must remember they answered the call the Lord put on their lives. As we serve the Lord, we are not promised an easy life. May have lost their lives for the cause of Christ, and many times after that happens people come to the Lord. Pray for the family as they are working on getting them home for burial and for the Lord to use this to reach people for Him.

Now for better news. We get to celebrate Father's Day this month. As much as fathers are made fun of, put down and told they are not necessary, it is a joy to be able to celebrate fathers. Studies keep coming out that only confirm scripture, remember science has never disproved the Bible but always, sometimes by accident, confirmed what the Bible has told us. Now studies are coming out that kids really do need a dad. The old saying is "a boy needs a dad", hinting at girls will be alright without a dad, well guess what, studies and so-called experts have decided that girls need a dad, too. Next thing you know, they will decide that marriage matters. Thank you to the men of our church and all the godly men who read this. Keep being a good example.

We are preparing for Vacation Bible School next month. Have a blessed month.

Pastor Vernon R. West
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June memory verse: Proverbs 16:7

Coming Soon!

**Men's
Breakfast
and Bible Study**
June 8 at 8:30 a.m.



HAPPY 
*Father's
Day*

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June 16
first day of
SUMMER!
June 20

A GRATEFUL SON

IT WAS ONE BLEAK MORNING when Daniel Webster was helping his father to build a fence on the rocky New Hampshire farm, that he learned that his great ambition was to be fulfilled—he was to go to college. His father said to Daniel, “We intend to wear our old clothes another year. We have put a second mortgage on the farm. Denied an education myself, I am determined that one of my children anyhow, shall have a chance to be a scholar.

That night the boy did not go to bed at all, so excited with joy was he. But neither did his father in the room below, that old and failing father who was turning his back upon an age of ease and taking up with a prayer of thankfulness the hope that his boy was to have a chance in the world.

It was no wonder that when Daniel Webster became the most famous man in America, he said, “The finest gentleman I have ever known, and the most heroic soul was my father.”

Happy
Fathers
Day

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.

The Creighton Community of Care Bake Sale raised \$1,201.00 and we received donations of \$173.00 for a grand total of \$1,374.00!!

Thank you, Creighton!



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.

FYI
• FOR YOUR INFORMATION •

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:45 a.m.
Bible Study	12:30 p.m.
Wednesday evening fireside chat on Facebook®	7:00 p.m.

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Adult Bible Studies for Life Promises We Can Count On

June 2: God's Promise of Fruitfulness (Genesis 1:26-30; 2:16-17; 3:16-19)
 June 9: God's Promise of Preservation (Genesis 9:1-13)
 June 16: God's Promise of Blessing (Genesis 12:1-3; 15:5-7; 17:7-11)
 June 23: God's Promise to Make a Holy Nation (Exodus 19:1-8)
 June 30: Praying for Our Nation (2 Chronicles 7:1-3, 12-20)
 July 7: God's Promise of a King (2 Samuel 7:8-16)
 July 14: God's Promise of a New Covenant (Jeremiah 31:31-34; Luke 22:14-20)

Youth Bible Studies for Life Promises

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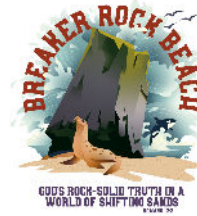
Children Bible Studies for Life God Is in Control

June 2: God Called Samuel (1 Samuel 1:24-28; 2:18-26; 3)
 June 9: God Judged the Philistines (1 Samuel 4:1-11; 5-6)
 June 16: God Chose a King (1 Samuel 8:1-10, 19-22; 9-10; 11:12-15)
 June 23: Saul Disobeyed God (1 Samuel 13:1-15; 14:47-15:35)
 June 30: God Chose David (1 Samuel 16)

Preschool Studies for Life God Is in Control

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My favorite time of year is coming fast this year! We are going to have an exciting adventure at Breaker Rock Beach this year!

Every day is an adventure at Breaker Rock Beach, from the morning waves crashing against the shore to evenings filled with bonfires and s'mores! Catch a glimpse of an orca leaping through the surf or watch happy sea lions playing among the rocks beneath magnificent pines. Race along the sand with your brightly colored kite, join friends to make the most amazing sandcastle, or gaze in wonder at the mysteries found in a glimmering tide pool, as the crowds come and go and the tides ebb and flow, Breaker Rock rises majestically as a symbol of strength, standing firm against the force of wind and waves.

At Breaker Rock Beach, kids and adults will learn to recognize the difference between what the world says is true and what God says is true. They'll encounter five everyday sayings that sound right, but dangerously miss the truth found in God's Word. Each day kids will be challenged to know that God's truth never changes -- even when it's radically different from what some people say. They'll discover that God does not want them to be conformed to this age, but to be transformed by the renewing of their minds so that they can discern what is the good, pleasing, and perfect will of God (Romans 12:2).

Youth and Adult July 8-12

6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. dinner served each night

Children's Bible School July 15-19

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Celebration of both Bible Schools will be Sunday July 21.

Mark your calendars and come join us for two great weeks of Vacation Bible School!

Your Vacation Bible School Director,

Janet West

Call or text if you have any questions 816-377-7245



Bacon Wrapped Asparagus Bundles

- 1/2 lb. asparagus spears, trimmed
- 4 or 5 inches long tips
- Extra-virgin olive oil, for Drizzling
- A few grinds black pepper
- 4 slices center cut bacon or pancetta
- Chopped chives or scallions, Optional garnish

Preheat oven, if using, to 400 degrees F. Lightly coat asparagus spears in extra-virgin olive oil. Season the asparagus with black pepper. Take a quick count of the spear tips. Divide the total number by four. Gather that number of spears and use a slice of bacon to wrap the bundle and secure the spears together. Repeat with remaining ingredients.

To grill, place bundles on hot grill and cover. Cook 10 to 12 minutes until bacon is crisp and asparagus bundles are tender. For oven preparation, place bundles on slotted broiler pan. Bake 12 minutes.

Strawberry Bread

- 2 C. flour
- 1 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/4 tsp. baking soda
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 large egg, at room temperature
- 3/4 C. granulated sugar
- 1/2 tsp. freshly ground pepper
- 1/4 C. brown sugar, packed
- 3/4 C. buttermilk, at room temperature
- 1/3 C. vegetable oil or melted coconut oil
- 2 tsp. pure vanilla extract
- 1 1/2 C. fresh strawberries, chopped, tossed in 1 T. flour
- 3 C. grated peeled carrots

Preheat oven to 350° F. Grease an 8x4-inch loaf pan. In a large bowl, whisk the flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt together until combined.

Whisk the egg, granulated sugar, brown sugar and buttermilk together until combined. Add the oil and vanilla. Slowly pour the wet ingredients into the dry ingredients and gently whisk. Avoid over-mixing. Gently fold in the strawberries. Pour/spoon batter into prepared loaf pan.

Bake for 55-70 minutes, loosely cover the bread with aluminum foil halfway through to prevent the top from getting too brown. The bread is done when a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean with only a few small moist crumbs.

Remove bread from the oven and allow the bread to cool in the pan for about an hour, then remove bread from the pan.



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