



# SBA Weekly News

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Hi everyone, Sounds like Grace Youth Mission Team had a great experience. If anyone would like to give a better report than that it would be wonderful.

FYI in August I plan to be just checking in the week of the 6th. I will be available by my cell for anything you might need. The week after I will be on vacation and not available, so Kevin, Lenny and Sherry will have the wheel for that week. No Weekly News either week, (You all say, "Ahh a break!" LOL)

### • Prayer Needs and Praises:

- Let me know if your church has a prayer concern it will be posted here.
- Updates are a great thing.

- **Children and Youth Team** getting down to the wire for Camp. Please pray for health, safety, endurance, stamina and pacing.
- **Grace Youth Mission Team** - Returned Had a great week.
- **John Powell** - Petra - He is having serious back surgery. It will be in two sessions over a 2 day period.
- **Heidi Merritt, Lampman Road** - Getting close to delivery!
- **Fires in Colorado and other areas.** Families and Ministries. Pray for the firefighters and all the supporting personnel. Bob Batte's family is in that area maybe other families related to the SBA churches.
- **Floods in the Florida and other areas** Families and Ministries. Pray for the emergency folks and all the supporting personnel. My family has one in that area maybe other families related to the SBA churches.
- **Jamie Batte:** He is facing serious life changes and needs total clarification from God that he is doing what God wants him to do.
- **Church Needs:** We have three churches that could use **large tents** for a period of time. They would need to hold about 100 for two and 150 for one. Pray that God would make provision for those tents and the muscle to put them up! PTL there is a possibility for College Heights. Checking into it more.
- **Bruce Pearson:** Said to thank you all for your prayers and continued prayer. He doing very well. Preached and taught Sunday School this last Sunday, PTL. Driving, I think, next week.
- **Margaret Fry:** Healing from lung removal cancer surgery.
- **College Heights** - Pastor Search Committee as they discern God's direction in regards to a new pastor. They are taking resume's for their pastoral position. Pray that they will find the man God is leading to their church. Continue to pray for the reconstruction and all of what goes into that.
- **Pastor Ron Lloyd, FBC Tule Lake, CA.** Church family is still in pastoral call process: please pray for church unity and wisdom from God as they complete their pastoral call. As for Carol and I, we continue to trust Him to provide further wisdom as our next interim ministry.
- **From Pastor Richard Williams, Petra, Central Point** - Pray for Petra as they seek God's direction and will for their place of worship.
- **Pray for your purity of heart, that you will be a bold and courageous witness that God can use.**

- **Pray for these Pastors and their wives:**
  - Kevin and Linda Darr, Lampman Rd, Gold Hill
  - Zach and Heidi Merritt - Baby due soon!
  - Kean Lynch
- **Pray for all of our Pastor's and wives, Region 4 Team, Missionaries (IMB and NAMB) and NWBC staff** for endurance, stamina and pacing to insure long-term and fruitful ministry. Phil3:14
- **Be in prayer for Bill Crews, he has tendered his resignation as Executive Director/Treasurer for our convention. Continue to pray for his health and his family.**
- **Be in prayer for Sara Wisdom, Retired Women's Strategist/WMU Director of the NWBC. For her health.**
- **Prospect Baptist Church and Bob Batte** as they work on making more room for many new folks and bus ministry. They are on hold for engineering etc. The waiting game begins.
- **For ministries throughout our SBA area that are reaching out to their greater community.**
- **For upcoming events, that they would encourage and edify the Body of Christ here in So. Oregon.**
- **For So. Oregon New Work** that we will seek to see where God is leading and follow Him to reach many for Jesus.
- **For our churches that are struggling with both much and lack of growth and financial issues.**
- **NWBC: Search Committee**

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## **Reminders of upcoming Current Calendar Information:**

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The rest of this year's calendar for SBA is listed here. Please make note and attend as much as possible.

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### **July Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.**

William Burns - 1st; Richard and Patricia Williams-Anni, 8th; Sawyer Badley (4), 9th; Zach Merritt, 17th; Ken and Pat Barrington-Anni, 18th; Carolyn Dawson, 21st; Rhonda Smith, 24th; Bob and Betty Batte-Anni, 25th; Teri Franell, 28th; Stan Smith, 29th

### **CAMP 2012- July 9th - 13th, 2012 - Very Important for those sending kids to camp!!**

If you have kids going and have not contacted Lenny or Sherry do so today!

If you have questions feel free to call Lenny at 541-326-1238.

### **VBS 2012 Lozier Lane Baptist**

July 29-August 4

### **5th Sunday July 29th - College Heights, Grants Pass**

**Annual Church Profile** - Churches should receive the Annual Church Profile from the NWBC. A lot of this can be done before the deadline of October 11. Please plan ahead.

**Week of Prayer for NW Missions/Sylvia Wilson Mission Offering** September 9th to 16th

**E-Board Meeting** September 24<sup>th</sup> - 7:00 PM - Lampman Road, Gold Hill - 541-956-7588 SBA office

**SBA 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Singspiration** September 30th -- Grace Baptist ?? Need a back up place

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**Annual Church Profiles Due** - October 11 - Annual Church Profiles are due. Thank you!!!!

**Pastor & Wife Appreciation Dinner** - October 12 - Watch for details in Aug/Sept

**SBA Annual Meeting** - October 22nd -- SBA Annual Meeting - College Heights ?, Grants Pass

6:15 Potluck 7:15 meeting. Zach Merritt - preacher - 541-956-7588 SBA office

**Thought for the day:** Get passionate about what God is doing around you. Jump in and give Him the Glory for the things that He does. Phil 3:14 "I pursue as my goal the prize promised by God's heavenly call in Christ Jesus."