

**THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**October 3, 2010 A.D.**

**Faith Ev. Lutheran Church – Pierre, SD**

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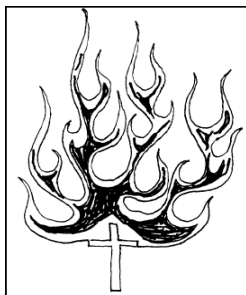
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*A Christ Caring People Who Gather Around Word and Sacrament,*

*Yoked Together,*

*In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*



**As We Gather** Today we gather to give thanks for the precious gift of the Gospel, the good news of our Savior's life, death, and resurrection. The Holy Spirit has worked faith in our hearts so that we may "guard the good deposit entrusted" to us (*2 Timothy 1:14*). Then it becomes available to pass on to the people God so graciously brings to us, our family and friends and even the stranger who crosses paths with us. This treasure is alive and active, continuing the work of salvation through us humble servants, as we simply do our duty (*Luke 17:10*).

**THE WELCOME AND OPENING PRAYER**

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the blue information card. Our Board of Elders are prayerful with our pastors about these joys and struggles of our earthly journey.

*"The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." James 5:16b*

**THE RINGING BELL CALLS US INTO THE PRESENCE OF OUR HEAVENLY FATHER**

Our 2010-2011 theme is Gratitude, Community, Growth. Our Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) reflects that hope. They are grateful ladies who serve the Lord with gladness. As we come to our Country Fair you will note that some of the proceeds will be helpful to our community. Our LWML serves Christ as a mission outreach group so that the Kingdom of God will grow.

Please join our LWML and one of its circles. As even more ladies join hands in service our gratitude grows, our community is benefited and the Kingdom of loving servants grows.

**Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost, which is our LWML Sunday.**

We are delighted to have you in worship with us. If you are visiting from out of town, we bid you welcome and God-speed on your journey. Should you be from our community, and have no church home, we invite you to make Faith your church home. Greeting you this morning:

**Before Early Service**

Bill & Joyce Nielsen  
Jerry & JoAnn Sanders

**After Early Service**

Dallan & Jackie Hoefener  
Scott & Melanie Fuerst



**Before Late Service**

Kyle & Jen Carter  
Norma Schilling

**After Late Service**

Craig & Char Arneson  
Grace Curtis & Linda Nill

**Preaching** this morning is Pastor Brad Urbach who will also preach at Trinity Lutheran in Blunt between our morning services. Pastor Levi Willms is our liturgist and will lead our Adult Study on St. Matthew.



**Our Altar Flowers** are given to the glory of God this LWML Sunday by Lila & Al Urlis in loving memory of Susan Wold and Doris Weischedel, in thanksgiving for all women who serve in the life of the church and for the women of our LWML at Faith and throughout the Synod. Thanks Lila & Al for your thoughtfulness, the Lord be with you.

**Holy Baptism** This morning at our 11:00 service by God's extraordinary Word and with ordinary water Laela Aletha Kost is received into the family of God. Laela is the first born daughter of Tanner & Brittany Kost.

Her sponsors are Jessica Kost and Cher Guptill. You will find the Service of Holy Baptism on page 268 of our Hymnal.

May God bless Laela and her family and keep them in His eternal love.

**The Hymn of Welcome**

Dearest Jesus, Laela take, Shepherd take thy lamb and feed her,  
Prince of Peace make here Thy throne, Way of life, to heaven lead her.  
Precious Vine, let nothing sever, From Thy side this branch forever!

Lord, into Thy heart we pour, Prayers that from our hearts proceeded;  
Our petitions heavenward soar; May our warm desires be heeded!  
Write this name we now have given; Write it in the book of heaven.

**Our Special Music Today**

*“Thy Word”...Smith & Grant/arr. Schrader  
Helen Kiepke, Tim Larson, vocalists*

**First Sunday of the Month Morning Fellowship** Join us for a fresh cup of coffee and goodies in the Christian Family Life Center after our 8:20 service this morning. We thank Mary/Martha Circle for the Goodies and Thrivent For Lutherans for the coffee.



**Blood Pressure!** Stop by the Living Room today between 9:20 and 11:00 to get your blood pressure checked by one of Faith Lutheran’s own health professionals. Helping you today are Jane Braley and Ann Shoup. You will even get a Scripture mint. Here’s to your good health!

**Sunday School** Sunday School continues today at 9:45. It is for all children age 3 by September 1, 2010 through our High School, who meet in the Great Room and our Adults, who meet in the Christian Family Life Center. You can register in the Narthex, it is especially important in early years to make sure kids are in the same class as they are in school.

**Sunday School Registration** You can still register for Sunday School for Nursery through high school between services. There are people from the Board of Education in the Narthex to assist you. Classes are held as follows:

**Nursery A:** Room A Downstairs

**Nursery B:** Room B Downstairs

**Kindergarten:** Room C Downstairs

**1st Grade:** Room FG Downstairs

**2nd Grade:** Room D Downstairs

**3rd Grade:** Room 2 Upstairs

**4th Grade:** Room 3 Upstairs

**5th Grade:** St. Mark Room CFLC

**6th Grade:** Room E Downstairs

**7th Grade:** St. Matthew Room CFLC

**8th Grade:** Holy Trinity Room upstairs

**High School:** Great Room upstairs

**Sunday Morning Adult Class** continues today with a great verse by verse study of the Gospel of Matthew in the Fellowship Hall.

**Nursing Moms** can find a comfortable rocker in the Daycare. This is NOT a Nursery for young children, just a quiet, private place for nursing moms.

**Nursery** Nursery is located in the Preschool Room during our 11:00 service. It is for children ages infant through 5 year olds.

**God Be With You!**

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**Sept. 26, 2010, Att. 472;** General Fund \$6,950.85; Building Fund \$3,135.16; Sunday School \$60.95; Thrivent Automatic Withdrawal \$838.85 (General \$673.85; Building Fund \$165.00); Love Fund

\$50.00; Bible Study \$112.50; Endowment Fund \$25.00; Endowment Fund in memory of Doris Weischedel \$50.00; Endowment Fund in memory of Susan Wold \$75.00; Memorial Garden \$80.00; Building Fund Memorial for Susan Wold \$25.00.

**Our Broadcasts** Our Sonrise and Cable Broadcasts are made possible this Sunday by John & Carlene Barber on the occasion of the October 1<sup>st</sup> 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Carlene's parents, Carl & Judy Chambers. Carl & Judy are members of our Trinity congregation. Thanks John & Carlene and Carl & Judy we wish you a blessed 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

Our Cable Broadcast is also on our Website which Dennis and Carolyn Ryckman keep very current for us. Take a look at [www.faithluth.com](http://www.faithluth.com). **COST:** You may sponsor the radio broadcast of Sonrise for \$30.00. This radio broadcast is on 1240 AM KCCR at 6:40 a.m. on Sunday morning. The cost of sponsoring the cable broadcast of our worship service is \$35.00. This cable access broadcast is televised on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. on Channel 8. If you choose to sponsor both, the cost is \$60.00.

### *This Week at Faith Lutheran*

**Today: Oct. 3**

8:20 am Communion

9:45 am Sunday School/Adult Study

11:00 am Worship

1:30 Maryhouse

6:30 pm Genesis Study in St. Matthew Rm.

6:30 pm Board of Missions, Board of Ed.

7:00 pm Bd. of Elders, Bd. of Parish

Fellowship

**Mon. Oct. 4**

Fall Pastor's Conference in Rapid City

1:15 pm Divine Design Study – Living Rm

7:00 pm Men's Network

**Tues: Oct. 5**

Fall Pastor's Conference in Rapid City

8:25 am Staff Devotions

6:30 pm Choir

6:30 pm Board of Trustees

**Wed: Oct. 6**

Fall Pastor's Conference in Rapid City

6:30 am Ladies Bible Study in Living Rm.

6:30 pm Midweek

6:30 pm Job Bible Study at Bill & Daria  
Bossman's – 711 W 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Pierre

6:30 pm 'How We Got Bible' at Church in  
the Preschool Room

8:00 pm LYF

**Thurs: Oct. 7**

7:00 am Men's Study – Weighing Anchor

8:25 am Staff Devotions

6:30-8:00 pm Faith Legacy Bible Study in  
Young Conference room

6:30-8:00 pm Beth Moore Bible Study in St.  
Matthew Room

**Sat: Oct. 9**

9:00-10:30 Early Communion Class in the  
St. Matthew Room

**Sun: Oct. 10**

8:20 am Worship

9:45 am Sunday School/Adult Study

11:00 am Communion

7:00 pm Board of Stewardship



# **BUILDING NEWS**

**Gifts** – A Big Hearty thank you for your gifts of \$3,300.16 this past week to the Building Fund. Included in our gifts were specific Debt Retirement gifts for our Church Extension Fund Loan, and new game balls for the Christian Family Life Center.

**Odds & Ends** We thank Jay Fredrich for finishing a portion of the ceiling in the St. Mark Room. We had Leidholt, McNeely & Leidholt raise some duct work to accommodate a flush ceiling.

We are grateful to Todd's Electric for finishing the lights in the St. Mark Room as a gift. Todd's Electric also did some landscaping by the North lawn drain to keep water out of the Transformer.

Bulletin Boards have been ordered for the hallway outside of the new rooms upstairs.

**New Balls** We thank Mike & Ann Shoup for a number of really good multi purpose balls for the Christian Family Life Center. As winter arrives be looking for Sunday night Family nights and other activities in the Christian Family Life Center

**Bank West Short-term loan** As of September 30 the Bank West Loan of \$56,000 had been reduced to a principal of \$31,015.25 and an additional \$478.15 in interest. Thank you, we have made great progress. Hopefully at our Stewardship meeting next Sunday more will be applied to the loan. At our last meeting, \$9,500.00 was applied to this loan.

**Our 30 year Church Extension Fund Loan** We have been able through gifts to do seven advanced payments as of October 1 in addition to our four regular payments. Our seven advanced payments have already saved us \$33,299.88 in interest.

**How much is a regular payment?** Our monthly payment is \$5,836.00. This adds about \$72,000 a year to our Budget. Hence, our General offering, our Building Fund gifts, and all designated gifts for Debt Retirement are very important.

**All for one, and one for all.** No one person can do this by themselves, but together, with all of us doing a bit extra, we can continue to meet our new obligation.

**Building Fund Envelopes** As members choose to extend their Building Fund giving by six months we would ask you to: 1) use the monthly envelope in your church envelope boxes, 2) each month we will provide one additional envelope, 3) if you need additional envelopes, please use the remaining chartreuse envelopes found on the Oak Table in the Narthex.

If you have extra "Hot Pink" Building Fund envelopes, please return them so we don't have to print any more than we have to. Thank you.

**Our New Cup** We want every family to have one of our new Christian Family Life Center mugs. Please pick one up for your family today.

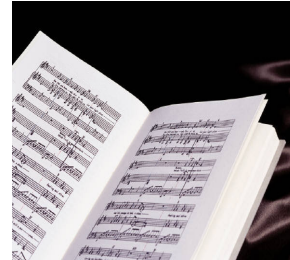
**Dedication Day Bulletins** are also on the cup table if you desire to see the day's events, please pick one up. Services from that day will be available on DVD, if you would like one let us know.

### *Different Gifts/Equal Sacrifice*

**8 x 10 Photos** If you had your picture taken for the Directory August session and did not order additional pictures, you will find your free 8 x 10 on a table in the Narthex. They are arranged in alphabetical order.



**The Hymnal in Every Home** Bible, Catechism, Hymnal. These three are the foundational texts that have shaped and formed Lutheran Christians through the centuries since the time of the Reformation. And, as you probably know, the hymnal was generally brought to church from its place in a Lutheran's home, where it was used for personal devotion, prayer, and meditation.



Why? Because hymns are a powerful means by which the Word of God, in its proper distinction between Law and Gospel, is proclaimed and meditated upon. We proclaim the Word to one another in congregational singing, as the Holy Spirit dwells richly among us through these deeply spiritual songs. But there is a strong case to be made that the hymnal is a deep blessing to the individual at home, in the personal prayer and reflection that marks the time between Sundays.

Berea Circle is making this offer available to you through Concordia Publishing. They will pay the postage. They will receive orders through Sunday, November 14 and they will place a bulk order to insure a better postage rate.

Two editions are offered:

<b>Lutheran Service Book</b>	
<u>Pew Edition</u>	<u>Personal Edition</u>
6" x 9"	5" x 7 1/2"
Hardbound	Soft bonded leather
Standard edges	Gilded edges
No ribbons	Two ribbons
<b>\$20</b>	<b>\$30</b>

If you wish to imprint the cover, the cost is \$4.00 each book for one line and \$5.00 each book for two lines. You may have up to 25 letters per line.

Stop by Berea Circle's gift shop and see their selection of Fall and Thanksgiving napkins and Cards.



**Men's Network** On the first Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m., the men of the parish are invited to a Men's Fellowship. We meet in the Great Room for a short Bible Study, a lunch and Dart Ball. Come and join us for a fun evening. We are always done by 9:00. Bring a snack to share – that's *tomorrow*, October 4.

**Substitutes Needed** We are in need of more Midweek and Sunday School substitutes. Please prayerfully consider if you could serve on as a substitute and sign up in the Narthex.

## YOUTH NEWS

**LYF Meetings** Our LYF for High School meets on Wednesday evenings from 8:00-9:00 upstairs in Jon's Place. We usually have a short Bible study, snacks and some games. We meet in Oct. on the 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th. On the 27th we will have a Pumpkin Carving contest and will use the pumpkins to decorate at the Trunk n Treat. LYF will also help serve cider and hot chocolate at Trunk n Treat. Officers will also meet at 9:00 on the 6th to discuss plans for upcoming events.

**JYM** Our Junior Youth Ministry is for all 6th-8th graders and we will meet on Oct. 17th for a Halloween Party at church from 4:00-5:30. If they want to dress up that is great. I will probably dress up as a boring old Packer fan!

**Acolytes** Please email Pastor Willms your cell phone number and service preference of acolyting if you have one.

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**“Renewal For Life!”** is a nationwide initiative from the National Lutheran's For Life organization encouraging all congregations to renew our responsibility in addressing life issues in the Church, renew relevancy as it impacts the lives of our Church members, and to renew the resources our Church might make available to anyone in need.

As part of this initiative a “Life Advocate” is designated to act as a point of contact for the National Lutheran's For Life organization, assist the Pastors in sorting through the resources available, and make recommendations about outreach in our Church and the surrounding community as it pertains to life issues.

I have been asked to fill this position, for now, and am humbled and privileged to accept in hopes

that I am only the first in a long line to follow! I pray that God uses me to glorify Him and would ask that you pray for me also as I undertake this task.

Our hope is to form a strong group that is willing to meet quarterly to discuss life issues (both unborn and end of life issues) and to work together to provide resources, education, and focused prayer to our Church members and surrounding communities.

Pray about it and if God is moving your heart in this direction, join Pastor Urbach and myself at the Church *at 7 p.m. on Monday, October 18 in the St. Matthew room* for a “Faith Lutheran’s For Life” kick-off meeting. We will meet to discuss goals and objectives and form a group conscience on these topics. There will be a short film to watch. Even if you are not sure this is what you want to be involved in, feel free to come for fellowship and information on this very important subject that touches all of our lives everyday.

With God’s Blessings!

Velda Bartel

*Isaiah 43:1...I have called you by your name; You are Mine.*

**Suggestion Forms** for the Endowment Fund allocation of interest for this year may be found on the Oak Table in the Narthex. Please return them to Pastor Urbach. Please note that there is a November 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. Thank you.

**October LWML and Circle Meetings** Our **LWML** meets the second Monday of each month. Their October meeting will be October 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Our **Altar Guild** meets four times per year. Their last meeting was September 27<sup>th</sup>. Their next meeting will be posted in the bulletin.

**Berea Circle** meets the second Tuesday of each month in the Living room. Their October meeting is on the 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

**Faith Circle** usually meets the second Thursday of the month. This month they meet on the 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall to assemble Goodie Boxes.

**Mary/Martha Circle** meets the fourth Thursday of the month at 7:30 in member’s homes. Their meeting this month is on the 28<sup>th</sup> and place will be posted in the bulletin.

**Priscilla Circle** meets the last Monday of every other month at 7:30 p.m. in member’s homes. Their next meeting will be in November and will be posted in the bulletin.

**Rebekah Circle** meets the third Thursday of each month at the church at 7:00 p.m. The women of the church are invited to visit or join any of the Circles at any time.

**Thrivent Choice Dollars** If you have Thrivent products you might have received a letter indicating how many Dollars you can designate.

There are many choices but we would encourage you to direct your dollars to:

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH  
or  
FAITH LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL

How? You have two ways to do it.

- 1) Visit [Thrivent.com/choicedollars](http://Thrivent.com/choicedollars). If you use this route be ready to establish a password.
- 2) Call 1-800-847-4836. Be prepared to share your Social Security number.

You may split your gift or give to one or the other.

In any case, hundreds of Dollars are available to us that we will lose if our policy holders don't respond.

If you use the 800 number have something to read or a little project in front of you, it might take a few minutes.

### **MAKING STRIDES BREAST CANCER WALK UNITES AND EMPOWERS**

The Making Strides Against Breast Cancer 5K – 10K Walk is October 16, 2010, Pierre, SD. Registration is at the Ramkota Inn from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. and the walk begins at 11:00 a.m. near the bridge and follows along the river walk. The walk will be clearly marked for the 5K and 10K distances. Making Strides is a march to victory and a celebration of survivorship. The walk is free and open to the public.

Immediately following the walk, the Power of Pink Rally and Luncheon will be held at the Ramkota Inn Convention Center. The Luncheon is \$15.00. Tickets can be purchased at the door.

Dr. Juliann Reiland-Smith is the key note speaker. She works with women so they help craft a plan of care that is best for their lives and needs. Dr. Juliann Reiland-Smith guides women through the diagnosis and treatment options for breast cancer. She has brought new surgical techniques and advances to South Dakota. She is with Comprehensive Breast Care Clinic in Sioux Falls.

Making Strides Against Breast Cancer is a national event, making its debut in South Dakota. The goal is to change breast cancer for women in South Dakota through awareness, education and funds raised. All funds raised support breast cancer research and programs of the American Cancer Society. The event will feature exhibits of programs and information and will challenge everyone to do more to fight the disease at home, with family and friends and neighbors.

For more information about Making Strides Against Breast Cancer contact Charlene Lund at 224-6772. Visit [www.cancer.org/makingstrides](http://www.cancer.org/makingstrides) to find the Pierre event website to register and make a donation.



## TRUNK 'N' TREAT

October 31, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Holding a Trunk 'N' Treat Halloween activity is a great way to keep Halloween safe. It's when several families get together at the church, park their cars in the parking lot, open up the trunks of their cars, and kids come around to each car to Trunk 'N' Treat instead of going house to house to Trick-or-Treat.

Treats, warm cider, hot chocolate, and coffee.

A well lit area for our Trunk 'N' Treaters, and restrooms available!

- We need 30 families to serve as Host Trunks.
- Please be set up as quickly after 5:30 as possible.
- Please have treats for 500. Over and above that, the Board of Missions will supply you with reinforcements.

**Faith Circle Goodie Boxes** On October 25 Faith Circle will be mailing Goodie Boxes to student members attending college/trade schools. Circle members will be calling parents to update the addresses or parents can call or e-mail the church office 224-2216 or [faith@faithluth.com](mailto:faith@faithluth.com) with this information.

### COUNTRY FAIR - SAT., OCT. 16 - 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM

**BOOTHS:** Crafts, Baked Goods, Cookies, Candy, Gift Baskets, Collectibles, Grandma's Attic (rummage), Kids Corner, and -NEW THIS YEAR- we're having a separate Produce Booth, and would welcome all kinds of homegrown produce, jellies, and sauces.

**LUNCH COUNTER:** We'll be serving caramel rolls for breakfast, sandwiches and homemade soup for lunch, and pie all day.

**HOW YOU CAN HELP:** Visit the Country Fair table, or check the posters throughout the Narthex.

**ATTEND:** Be sure to join us on October 16 for a really fun day!





### Upcoming Bible Studies

Genesis--Lifelight Class--Lifelight bible studies seek to give in-depth study of the scriptures. In this study you will look at the beginnings of the earth and how God began his redemptive plan of salvation through His covenants with Noah and Abraham. The contact for this class is Marv Schweigert 224-5133 Meets Sundays at Church 6:30 PM begins Sept. 12th. \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday Morning Men's Study--Men of Purpose Series--Weighing Anchor; insights into the Life of Samuel. Come and gather with men as we look into the life of Samuel and see what God teaches us about Himself and about our call to live as men in our families and world. Meets Thursday morning at 7:00 am, and for breakfast at 6:30 on the 1st Thursday of the Month. Starts Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>. \_\_\_\_\_

Monday Afternoon Women's Study--Starting Sept. 27th, this class meets at 1:30 PM at the church and is led by Karen Lindbloom. This study reminds us that any fashion makeover doesn't last, but when God does a makeover of our heart and spirit, He can do amazing and long-lasting things in our lives. If you would like to see if this class is a good fit for you, contact Karen (224-5292). \_\_\_\_\_

Lessons of the Church Year--This class on Wednesday mornings at church 6:30 AM. They study the appointed lessons for the week and helps to gain a fuller understanding of the text in preparation for what will be taught on Sunday. This class can be joined at anytime and goes throughout the year with a break during the cold winter months. Contact Ruth Leidholt (224-8308). \_\_\_\_\_

Beth Moore Women's Bible Study--This class will begin on Sept. 16th and meets Thursday nights at 6:30-8:30. The study is entitled "Breaking Free" and Beth Moore is a phenomenal teacher for women of all ages. In this study Beth leads you through a study of the Scriptures to discover the transforming power of freedom in Jesus Christ. There will be an introduction on Sunday Sept. 12th at 7:00 pm at church. \_\_\_\_\_

How We Got the Bible?--This class meets at church Wed. Evenings at 6:30 and is led by Bill Markley. This class will look deep into the history of the formation of the bible, its accuracy, and authority for Christians. It also helps us to defend against many lies that circulate about the formation and authenticity of the scriptures. Starts Sept. 29th. \_\_\_\_\_

Our Sunday Morning Bible Class will dive into the Gospel of Matthew. This book is the lead book in the New Testament for a reason. Come and join us as we not only learn about our savior but from Him directly as he shares with us the Kingdom of God that comes in the gift of Himself. Our Sunday Morning class meets in between services in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45. \_\_\_\_\_

Faith Legacy Series: The most influential person in the faith life of a child is their parents. This class will work with families on how they can teach the faith to their children in the home. The class meets for three weeks with each age group. The first age group is for Birth. Anyone who has had a child in the last year or is expecting a child, or even is hoping to have a child in the next couple of years are encouraged to attend. This class will be on Thursday night from 6:30-8:00 pm starting Sept. 16th. Child Care will be provided.

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Adult Inquires Class-A wonderful class for all that covers the basic teachings of our church and helps you understand what makes us Christian and specifically Lutheran as well. This is an especially important class for those who are new with us and who would desire to become a part of our Faith Family. This class meets on Thursday evenings at 7:30 beginning October 14th. Contact Pastor Urbach for details (224-2216) \_\_\_\_\_

Early Communion Class--for youth and parents of our 2nd-8th graders. This will cover the basic teachings of the Lord's Supper and prepare youth to begin receiving the Lord's Supper. The class meets Saturday, October 2nd from 9:00-12:00 and then again Saturday, October 9th from 9:00-10:30. Contact the church office (224-2216) to sign up or for more information. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday Night Home Bible Study--Meets in homes starting with Bob Miller's home on Sept. 15th. The class will be studying the book of Job and is led by Bill Bossman. If you are interested, please contact Bob Miller 224-9955. \_\_\_\_\_

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