

For Week: July 3 through July 10, 2011

PRAYER REQUESTS

Current prayer requests: Dayton Oaks Camp near Dayton and personnel; and the ministry and leadership of Evangelical Free Church.

Ongoing prayer requests: Harriett Thede; Bud Taylor's Family (Bud passed away on June 19); Bill Monen (hip replacement); Homer Dickey & family (Homer has 3 kinds of cancer.); George Steininger (brother of the Smith family has cancer); Lt. Cmdr. Timothy Myers (grandson of Roland & Isobel Myers, serving in the Middle East); Don Taylor & his family; Danielle Mitchell's grandmother (surgery); Mary Wicks (complications from surgery, friend of Mary Haglund); Joan Sigmund (health concerns continue), Carolyn Gibson (illnesses), Sherri Jones, Rose Jones and Family; Mike Schminke Family (Mike is deployed to Afghanistan.); Roberta White (health issues); legislation being debated in Congress (all bills); Kevin Bouk (health problems); George Pettigrew; Noah Sienkiewicz (baby, muscular dystrophy, great-nephew of Lauri Bouk); Violet Scofield (Harriett Thede's sister, heart problems); Rev. Eugene Martin (father of Lauri Bouk); and those who are living in care facilities or confined to their homes; for family; for friends, for traveling mercies for those on vacation and for those serving in the military and their families; staff church; Pastor Jerry Bertelson, wife Tami and Alina; our missionaries (Ruth Mooney); Region staff; our country, and our President.

Let's get	Is the theme for Bible School beginning at 5:30 pm with supper, July 11-13, 2011. First Baptist Church 621 8 th St, phone: 432-5981 for pre-registration. BRING YOUR FRIENDS
	

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<p><u>TODAY, JULY 3</u> FOURTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:15 AM WORSHIP SERVICE (CHILDREN'S CHURCH/COMMUNION) 10:30 AM CONGREGATIONAL LUNCH SERVED 11:30 AM <u>MONDAY, JULY 4</u> INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY – OFFICE CLOSED VISITATION 1:30 PM <u>WEDNESDAY, JULY 6</u> MORNING BIBLE STUDY 9:30 AM MUNICIPAL BAND CONCERT, HERMAN PARK 7:30 PM <u>THURSDAY, JULY 7</u> BOARDS & COMMITTEES MEETINGS 7:00 PM FINANCE BOARD MEETING 8:00 PM <u>FRIDAY, JULY 8</u> MEAL PREPARATION FOR IOWA BAND FESTIVAL ON SATURDAY AB WOMEN'S CONFERENCE IN WAVERLY AA MEETING 6:30 PM <u>SATURDAY, JULY 9</u> IOWA ANNUAL BAND FESTIVAL, HERMAN PARK 8:30AM – 2:30 PM AB WOMEN'S CONFERENCE IN WAVERLY <u>SUNDAY, JULY 10</u> FIFTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:15 AM WORSHIP SERVICE (CHILDREN'S CHURCH) 10:30 AM SPECIAL MUSIC DURING WORSHIP: CATHERINE POLLARD FELLOWSHIP 11:30 AM</p>
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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

CONGREGATIONAL LUNCH SERVED – The Coffee House Committee serves a lunch to the congregation after worship service today. You are invited to attend.

MUNICIPAL BAND CONCERT – The Municipal Band concert is Wednesday, July 6 at 7:30 pm.

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MUNICIPAL BAND FESTIVAL LUNCHEON – In lieu of the ice cream social this year, our church will be serving the luncheon at the Municipal Band Festival on Saturday, July 9th. Augustana Lutheran Church has served the lunch for the past 18 years, and we have been offered the opportunity this year. The music committee is partnering with the LA Mission Group to organize this fundraiser. We need pies and bars, as well as volunteers to help serve. Please sign-up on the sheets in the hallway. If you have any questions, speak with Pastor Jerry.

GIVE BLOOD JULY 11 – The Boone County Hospital Auxiliary sponsors the next community blood drive on July 11 at the Boone Senior Citizen Center, 1112 Story Street from 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm. A shortage of donated blood occurs during the summer months while the need for blood is always consistent. To help prevent this blood shortage, please consider donating. Call 1.800.287.4903 or use the Internet at www.lifesevebloodcenter.org to make an appointment. Bring a valid form of identification when coming for your appointment.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY - Get ready for our next work day at the new house: 1317 Tama. We are scheduled to work at the house on Saturday, July 23 from 8am until about 2 or 3pm. Tina has already volunteered to prepare the refreshments for coffee break and to do the devotional. Sandy Monen is preparing beef burgers for the lunch. We'll need some chips, veggies, dessert and beverages as well.

If you can help, please let Jo Howell know a.s.a.p. We'll also need a minimum of 4 workers for that day. If they are on schedule, we'll be installing wall insulation and plastic as well as priming and painting the shed.

Jo's phone # is 230-8338 or email her at jo_anne_howell@yahoo.com.

Thank for anything you can do to help out!!!

RAGBRAI SUPPER ON JULY 26 – The Coffee House Committee plans to serve a meal to RAGBRAI participants on July 26th. This meal serves as an initial fund raiser for the Coffee House Project. Many hands are needed to make the meal a success. We are expecting 500 cyclists. Anyone who wants to participate is invited to sign-up or contact Tina Krell or Lauri Bouk, co-chairs. The committee asks for donations of pies, brownies, and money to purchase food. Any help received is appreciated. All of us working together can make this meal a success.

A sign-up sheet is in the hallway outside the church office.

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BOONE BIBLICAL SUPPER FOR JULY – Since our church has so many activities already going during July, there will not, **NOT**, be a supper served at the Boone Biblical Church this month. Please help with one of the other activities. Jeannie Johnson

THANK YOU FROM THE TAYLOR FAMILY – We would like to thank our wonderful church family for all the prayers, visits, cards and words of encouragement during Bud's illness and passing away. A special thanks to Pastor Jerry and Pastor Dave for the calls and prayers as well as to Pastor Dave for officiating the wonderful service for Bud. We would also like to thank Dan Malloy for the beautiful song he sang as well as David Howell for being the organist, and to Tom Kendall for paying such a great tribute to Bud. We also send many thanks to all who took part in serving the delicious refreshments. It means so much to have such a loving and caring church family.

In Christian Love,
The Don Taylor Family

BILL MONEN'S THANKS – Thanks to the church family for all the prayers, cards and visits after my hip surgery. They were much appreciated. Bill Monen & family

THANKS FOR COVERING THE OFFICE – Thanks to everyone who volunteered to cover office hours while I am on vacation. The schedule is as follows:

July 1: Betty Ferry 9:00 am - about 12:00 noon
July 4: Holiday – Office closed
July 5: Tina Krell 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
July 6: Karen McCool 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
July 7: Karen McCool 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
July 8: Jo Howell 9:00 am – 11:30 am
July 11: Jo Howell 9:00 am – 11:00 am & 1:00 – 3:00 pm
July 12: Jim or Marilyn Krell 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
July 13: Vivian comes back to work.

JULY NEWSLETTER – The July 2011 Booster is out on the table in the narthex and outside the kitchen in the basement.