

My decision today

- I prayed to receive Jesus Christ as my Savior
- I want to be baptized
- I want to grow as Christ's disciple
- Other

I'm interested in

- Knowing how to receive Christ as Savior
- Knowing how to grow as Christ's disciple
- Joining a small group
- Helping with the Music Ministry
- Helping with the Children & Youth Ministries
- Other

It is a great pleasure and joy to inform the churches and people of the Northern Plains Region that Dr. Gordon Stork has accepted the call to be the NPR's next Regional Minister. Both the Manitoba Baptist Association and the North Central Association Executives, upon recommendation of the Regional Leadership Team, voted unanimously to hire Dr. Stork.



Gordon is no stranger to the Northern Plains Region. He was born and raised in Manitoba. He spent his formative years in Winnipeg where his family were actively involved in Fort Richmond Baptist Church. His most recent ministry – September 1998 to January 2014 – was serving very effectively as Lead Pastor of Century Baptist Church, Bismarck, ND. In 2014 he transitioned into the role of Pastoral Care and Discipleship at Century.

Gordon's wide range of experience in ministry has prepared him well for the role of Regional Minister – he served in both rural and city churches and as a church planter. His personal vision statement is: "Equipping disciples to make disciples."

Gordon is married to Diane. Both are dual citizens of the United States and Canada. They have three adult children: Chris (Sarah), Katie, and Jon (engaged to Taylor). Some of the activities Gordon enjoys include cycling, working out at the YMCA, reading and writing, and hunting. Diane is a nurse and enjoys reading, being in the outdoors, and camping. They will continue to live in Bismarck, ND while Gordon serves as the NPR's Regional Minister.

Gordon will begin his ministry April 1st, 2015. For the first two months he will serve alongside our current Regional Minister, Phyl Putz, to help ensure a smooth transition in this essential position in our Region.



Lighting the Way Together

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***Discipleship Continuum:
"Observe"***

Dr. Randall Jaspers, Sr. Pastor
Rev. Randy Brown, Associate Pastor of Students and Families

To **worship** God, help people **know** Jesus Christ personally, **grow** to be like Him, **show** His love and **go** where He leads... **together**.

today at *tbc*

Worship

Worship through Singing

Worship through Prayer

Message: **Discipleship Continuum: "Observe"**

Worship through Giving

Music Ministry: Marlys Hust

Closing Prayer

*Please fill out the Response Form and place it in the offering plate.
Supervised nursery provided during Sunday School and Worship*

Nursery Workers

TODAY: Leann G. (S.S.); Leann G.; Candace B.; Amber V. (Worship)

Feb 15: Ronda O. (S.S.); Ronda O.; Wendy H.; MacKenzie J. (Worship)

this week

- Today 11:00-2:30 Benefit for Alvin Reich - *Medina School*
11:00—1:00 Lunch & Silent Auction; 1:00-2:30 Singspiration
(see bulletin board for more info.)
1:30 pm Passion Play Practice (Speaking parts)
- Monday 1:30 pm Africa Mission Team comes back
- Tuesday 6:30 pm Elders' Meeting
6:45 pm Ladies' Bible Study Fellowship
- Wednesday 6:30 pm AWANA— Parent Night/Game Night
Parents & children **meet at Louis L'Amour school** for pizza & games.
7:00 pm *True Love Waits Rally*—JHS
- Saturday 6:30 am *DAWG Pound* (Men's Ministry)
- Sat.— Sun *DiscipleNow Retreat*
Please RSVP by Wednesday if you plan to attend. Contact R2 if you would be willing to be a host home.
- Next Sun. 9:20 am S.S./Small Groups
10:30 am Worship
1:30 pm Passion Play Practice

coming events

- Feb 18 7:00 pm *True Love Waits Ceremony*

praise & prayer

Around TBC

- ◆ Special health concerns: Candace Brown, Sarah Brown; Cody Burke, Colleen Conley, Dorothy Dahl, Teurina DiLallo, Margaret Elhard, Joan Flitton, Melvin Gahner, Diana Gray, Connie Houge, LeRoy Lang, Stuart McWilliam, Isaac Neumiller, Alvin Reich
- ◆ TBC College Student Marc Wagner (VCSU)
- ◆ Search for NAB Executive Dir.
- ◆ Africa Mission Team: Pray for safety in travel

Around the NAB Conference

Craig & Maureen Moody - Cameroon



The Moodys' have responded to God's calling for hostel parents for the *Rain Forest International School* in Yaoundé, Cameroon. The

Moodys' will spend their first year as hostel parents. In 2016 they will move to Bamenda to serve as the Interim Field Director for Cameroon. Then in 2017 the Moodys' will transition again to serve with the *Life Abundant Program* and take up other responsibilities which will make up their permanent roles. **Pray** for them as they need to raise funds to be on the field this fall.

First Baptist Church - Medina, ND

Around the World

***MINDANAO (Philippines)** – Muslim 30%; Other 70%

Mindanao is the second largest island in the Philippines. It has experienced ongoing violence between government forces and minority Muslim rebels. Muslim terrorists seek to force Christians out of their territory by taking land and livestock and by killing Christians. They attack Christian villages in attempts to occupy the village or simply steal everything of value.

***Conflicts and Needs: Central African Republic, Egypt, Iraq, Israel, Nigeria, South Sudan, Syria, Ukraine, West Africa**



2015 TBC Directories are available on the table in the back. Please take one! (If you notice any errors or were not included and would like to be, please let the office know.)

"If anyone is still holding a *TBC* check from 2014 could you please cash it soon? Thank you."
- Carol Lawrence, Treasurer

GIVING REPORT

Prison Ministry	\$840.00
YTD Budget	\$42,869.90
Building	\$250.00
YTD General Fund	\$34,848.14
General Fund Total	\$35,098.14

response form

Date _____ Your age group 18-23 24-29 30s 40s 50s 60s 70s 80+ _____

PLEASE PRINT (If A Student) Your Current School Grade _____

Name _____ Are You: Single Married _____

Address _____ Names of children living at home & birth dates: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Home Phone (____) _____

Cell Phone (____) _____

Is this your... 1st time? 2nd time? 3rd time? _____

I am: Attendee Member Visitor

I came as a guest of: _____