

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

Discipleship Continuum

"GO"

Matthew 28:19-20 (ESV)

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

"Go" is a command

"Go" is an action verb

"Go" is a natural response

"Go" means we engage the community

"Go" is not optional

STRETCH

What do you think of when you hear the word "Go"? What do you think is a good way to tell someone about God? What do you think is a bad way to tell someone about God? Who is someone in our neighborhood that needs God in his or her life?

Put yourself in one of the lifeboats from the *Titanic* tragedy. You sit shivering, aimlessly looking ahead into the black night, not even aware that the person rowing the boat is yelling at you to move to the front of the little boat.

Finally he gets your attention and you move ahead. Only then do you realize that not only can you move forward, but you can also move with ease. You expect to trip over a boat packed with people but you realize it's nearly empty. Suddenly the cries from those struggling in the water pierce your heart. You ask why the boat is not stopping to pick up more screaming passengers. "There's room in here!" you shout. You're pushed aside and threatened to be thrown overboard if you even suggest such a thing again.

What are your options? What are the benefits of each option? What are the downsides of each option? What should you do? What would you do?

Ever been in a situation like that? Maybe not one with as great a consequence as life or death, but one in which you had to make a decision to put someone else's needs before your own? Take some time this week and "GO"!!!



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Discipleship Continuum:
"Go"

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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: "Go"**
- Worship through Giving
- Music Ministry: Alivia Hoke
- 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: Alissa H. (S.S.); Alissa H.; Kendra R.; Ali H. (Worship)
Jan 25: Mel H. (S.S.); Mel H.; Jennifer W.; Valerie W. (Worship)

Thank you to Jason & Tahran Olsen for sharing with us today!

this week

- Today
 - 2:00 pm *Passion Play Auditions*
 - 4:30 pm *Soup/Salad Supper Benefit for Cody Burke (Century Baptist in Bismarck; see poster)*
- Tues-Feb. 1
 - 6:45 pm *Ladies' Bible Study Fellowship*
- Tuesday
 - 6:30 pm *AWANA— (Key Verse: Acts 1:8)*
 - 6:30 pm *PHYM*
- Wednesday
 - 6:30 pm *TBC Mission Trip to Africa*
- Fri.– Feb. 9
 - 6:00 pm *Dinner for 10 (see R2 to sign up)*
- Friday
 - 6:30 am *DAWG Pound (Men's Ministry)*
- Saturday
 - 9:20 am *S.S./Small Groups*
 - 10:30 am *Worship; "Make" (R2 preaching)*
 - 2:00 pm *Ice Bowl/Chili Cook-off at 5:00*
- Next Sun.
 - 2:30 pm *Memorial service—Ave Maria Chapel*

The *Ice Bowl* and *Chili Cook-off* are open to everyone! Following the *Ice Bowl* (Youth vs. Adult football game), we will meet for the *Chili Cook-off* competition!

This service is to remember *Ave Maria* residents who have died in the months of Oct., Nov., & Dec. All are invited; refreshments will follow.

coming events

- Feb 1 Super Bowl Gathering (R2's)

praise & prayer

Around TBC

- ◆ Special health concerns: Pastor R2, Candace Brown, Cody Burke, Colleen Conley, Dorothy Dahl, Teurina DiLallo, Margaret Elhard, Diana Gray, LeRoy Lang, Stuart McWilliam, Isaac Neumiller, Alvin Reich
- ◆ TBC College Student Ashton Johnson (Univ. of Jamestown)
- ◆ Search for NAB Executive Dir.
- ◆ Africa Mission Team
 - God's wisdom; discernment
 - Hearts prepared to receive God's working;
 - Dean & Doris Giedt; Randy & Kristy Jaspers; Pat & Erin Motschenbacher; Mary Rachel

Around the World

***MALDIVES** – Muslim 99.0%; Christian 0.2%

Maldives is one of the least evangelized countries in the world. The figure for Christians refers to expatriate Christians. Citizens of the Maldives are automatically Muslim, and non-Muslims may not become citizens. The open practice of any religion other than Islam is forbidden. Maldivian believers are carefully watched. They suffer ostracism, mockery, incarceration and even torture. Christians cannot meet or read the Scriptures openly.

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

2015 CSB Camp calendars are available at the Welcome Center & on the tables in the back.

GIVING REPORT	
Benevolent Fund	\$25.00
YTD Budget	\$17,147.96
Building	\$250.00
YTD General Fund	\$12,983.07
General Fund Total	\$13,233.07

Around the NAB Conference

Tony Dunaway - *Every Orphan's Hope*



The NAB is sending Tony out to follow the passion God has put in his heart and become a part of *Every Orphan's Hope (EOH)*. As their new Chief Operating Officer, Tony is based in Texas providing leadership to help *EOH* and its mission. He'll also be spending time in Zambia helping local staff, providing leadership, and assisting program managers to meet the needs of the 80+ children currently living in the 'My Father's House' homes. Pray for Tony as he transitions into this role and works on fundraising.

First Baptist Church - Linton, ND
Pastor Paul Brannon

Mission Team Encouragement

Use the boxes (Fellowship Hall) to share written notes with our mission team members. Notes will be read while they are in Africa to be an encouragement and to remind them of your partnership and prayers.

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? _____

New Address Mr. | Mrs. | Miss. | Ms _____

New Email Address I am: Attendee Member Visitor _____

I came as a guest of: _____