

### 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

## EVERYDAY (LIVING) HOPE

1 Peter 5:12-14 (Everyday Church #8)

Living in hope as a good news people, enables us to . . .

- Stand in the grace of God together.

*Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms.*

4:10 (cf. 1:2, 10-11; 2:19-20; 3:7; 5:5-6)

*And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. 5:10 (cf. Philippians 1:29)*

Where I most need others to stand with me in grace is . . .

- Show generous love with our family.

*Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins. Offer hospitality to each other without grumbling. Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others. 4:8-9*

To whom is God prompting you to show His generous love?

- Share in the peace of Christ together.

*Rejoice in the Lord always. . . Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. Do not be anxious . . . but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:4-7*

**NEXT STEPS:** Review the scriptures and passages above. Think about the basis of your hope. Is it, as it is for many in our materialistic society, based on possessions? Are you part of a good news community practicing mutual encouragement in the areas of grace, love and peace? Lord, Your next step for me is \_\_\_\_\_. *Thank You for Your grace, love and peace in Christ.*



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## EVERYDAY (LIVING) HOPE

1 Peter 5:12-14

Dr. Randall Jaspers, Sr. Pastor  
Rev. Randy Brown, Associate Pastor of Youth/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

(Children, ages 3-K, dismissed for Jr. Church)

Message: *EVERYDAY (LIVING) HOPE*

Worship through Giving

Music Ministry: Abby Nill

Closing Prayer

Please fill out the Response Form and place it in the offering plate.

Supervised nursery provided during Small Groups and Worship.

## Nursery Workers

TODAY: Dan T. (S.S.); Dan T., Ronda O., Michelle O. (Worship)

NEXT SUNDAY: Alissa H. (S.S.); Alissa H., Lois V., Amber V. (Worship)

# this week

- Today 4 pm *Face-2-Face* Small Group
- 5 pm Soup Potluck/Shoebox Packing Party
- Wednesday 6:30 pm AWANA (Bible Character Dress-up Night)
- (Each family is asked to bring a bag of candy.)
- 6:30 pm PHYM @ PowerZone (Gr. 7-12)
- Saturday 9:20 am **DST ends!** Set your clocks **back** one hour!
- Next Sun. 10:30 am Small Groups
- Noon Worship
- Pancake/Sausage Lunch Fundraiser, here

Help University of Jamestown students raise funds to attend TCX, a missions conference in Minneapolis during Christmas Break.

# coming up

- Nov. 6 6 pm **AWANA Parents'/ShoeBox Night**  
**Bring a dish to share.** Clubs packing the most boxes receive points and a prize. **Please bring items to fill boxes!**
- Nov. 10 10:30 am Celebrating the Lord's Supper  
The **Benevolent Fund offering** will go toward the purchase of military Bible sticks (\$25 each) through the ministry of *Faith Comes by Hearing*.

# praise & prayer

## Around TBC

- ◆ Special health concerns: Anne Friesen (Pastor K's mom), Doris Giedt, Pat Hamilton; Candace Brown, Richard Kale
- ◆ David and Andrew Craig; Daniel Craig (Afghanistan)
- ◆ God's direction for our 4th Ave. NW property
- ◆ Wisdom and courage in becoming the "everyday church" around us

## Around the NAB Conference

### Becky Lengefeld - Japan

PRAY for Becky as she continues to build relationships with women who come to the Tsu English Center; pray, especially, that she would have opportunities to share God's love. PRAY that many in Japan will hear and respond to the gospel message.



### First Baptist, Wishek, ND

PRAY for our new pastor, Gordon & Janis Bakan PRAY for our after-school children's group, averaging 25 children, most NOT from our church! PRAY for our Haiti mission team (January) PRAY for Dennis & Linda Johnson, concluding their ministry here October 31.

## Around the World

### LEBANON - 59% Muslim; 32% Christian

The only Arab state not officially Muslim, Lebanon was a majority Christian nation before 1970. Beirut, the capital city, is segregated by religion, with very little interaction between groups. Religious freedom is guaranteed; one stipulation in the penal code is that anyone who "blasphemes God publicly" could face up to a year in prison. With an increasingly factionalized society and the unrest in neighboring Syria, Christians fear that local conditions could deteriorate and leave them vulnerable to increased persecution.

**SYRIA & EGYPT:** PRAY for God's peace and for protection for Christians.

**U.S.:** PRAY for our leaders.

## Shoeboxes

**Collection week** for OCC shoeboxes is **November 18-24!** (Shoeboxes will be taken to Bismarck on November 24.)

## Good News Clubs

The Good News Club at Washington Elementary is looking for **prayer partners** and for **home-made cookies/treats**. (Teachers are Rob Craig, Debbie Kercher, Dianne Satrom, Kim Satrom). Contact Kim if interested in bringing home-made treats.

### GIVING REPORT

YTD Budget	\$330,661.55
YTD Building Fund	\$13,820.00
YTD General Fund	\$287,636.30
<b>General Fund Total</b>	<b>\$301,456.30</b>

## Business Meeting

**Sunday, November 24, 9:15 a.m.**

- ◆ Election of Officers
- ◆ Approval of 2014 Budget

# 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 \_\_\_\_\_

New Address  Are You: \_\_\_ Single \_\_\_ Married

New Email Address  Names of children living at home & birth dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. | Mrs. | Miss. | Ms \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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: \_\_\_\_\_