SABBATH SCHOOL
Adult Lesson Study  “Grieving and Resisting the Spirit”
Classroom #1: Maggi Runyan
Classroom #3, downstairs: Doug Cross
Youth meet in Classroom #4, leaders are Shantel Escobar and Ceri Hyatt
Children meet in Classroom #5, leader is Sarah Kirk.

Worship Hour—10:45 AM

CHURCH IN PRAISE
Song Service
Call to Worship*  “I Worship You Almighty God”  Brandi Van Meter
Invocation*  Pastor Shultz
Opening Hymn*  “My Maker & My King” Hymn #15

CHURCH IN GRATITUDE
Local Church Budget  Dale Hoie

CHURCH IN SHARING
Community Fellowship  Tom Bischoff
Children’s Story  Michelle Merkley
Joys & Requests & Prayer  Pastor Shultz
Response Song  “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” Hymn #290

CHURCH IN WORSHIP
Scripture Reading  Romans 11:33-36  Tom Bischoff
Sermon  “Why Permit Sin, Evil, & Suffering?”  Pastor Shultz
Closing Hymn*  “I Cannot Tell Why” Hymn #255  Pastor Shultz
Benediction*  Pastor Shultz
Organ  Pat Ball
Piano  Jann Biegel

Announcements

♦ A memorial service for Verena Kasselik will be held today at 2 pm in the Sanctuary.
♦ JOYS & REQUESTS: Please write your praises and prayer requests on the slip of paper provided in the pews, and hand to a deacon.
♦ Prayer Meeting Wednesdays at 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall Library.
♦ Women’s Ministries Luncheon is tomorrow Sunday, March 19, 10 am to 2 pm.
♦ Tables are already set up for the luncheon tomorrow. Please LEAVE the tables set up as arranged; don’t move them or put them away after Picnic in the Basement or memorial service refreshments. Thanks.
♦ Coming to Brookings May 5-14: Tim Roosenberg presenting in person “Islam & Christianity in Bible Prophecy”. Save the dates!
♦ HELP NEEDED. Friendly, dependable kid-loving volunteers needed for child care program during the May evangelistic meetings. Contact Misti if interested in helping.
♦ Please use a main level entrance when exterior doors to the Fellowship Hall are locked during the worship service.
♦ Oregon Prayer Conference 2017 “Above & Beyond”, Mar 31-Apr 2, with Melody Mason. See bulletin board for more information.

Remember in Prayer
Rey Escobar—RN license hearing May 15-17
Anderson’s mission trip to Guatemala, March 16-27
Tanya Huether—healing

Cheerful Givers Report As of February 28, 2017
Needed for Budget: $2,800.00  Needed for Building: $3,941.00
February Budget Received: $3,286.91
February Building Received: $4,253.24

Building Mortgage Principal Balance $118,471.01

Sunset 7:27 pm
Our Beliefs in Brief: #8 - The Great Controversy

Satan accused God of being untrustworthy and unfair. God gave us freedom to choose, and human history shows the result of rebellion—and the incredible power of God’s love to save us.

All humanity is now involved in a great controversy between Christ and Satan regarding the character of God, His law, and His sovereignty over the universe. This conflict originated in heaven when a created being, endowed with freedom of choice, in self-exaltation became Satan, God’s adversary, and led into rebellion a portion of the angels. He introduced the spirit of rebellion into this world when he led Adam and Eve into sin. This human sin resulted in the distortion of the image of God in humanity, the disordering of the created world, and its eventual devastation at the time of the global flood, as presented in the historical account of Genesis 1-11. Observed by the whole creation, this world became the arena of the universal conflict, out of which the God of love will ultimately be vindicated. To assist His people in this controversy, Christ sends the Holy Spirit and the loyal angels to guide, protect, and sustain them in the way of salvation.

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(Ex. 3: 6-8; Job 1:6-12; Isa. 14:12-14; Ezek. 28:12-18; Rom. 1:19-32; 3:4; 5:12-21; 8:19-22; 1 Cor. 4:9; Heb. 1:14; 1 Peter 5:8; 2 Peter 3:6; Rev. 12:4-9.)

Today
Sermon
Pastor Charles Shultz
Elder
Tom Bischoff
Deacon In Charge
Mike Runyan
Greeters
Teri Knighten, Wayne Howard

Next Week
Picnic in the Basement
Sermon
Pastor Charles Shultz
Elder
Cheri Hoie
Deacon In Charge
Don Kirk
Greeters
Ernie Madden, Sonya Mosier
SS Teacher
Cheri Hoie

“Thou wast perfect in thy ways from the day that thou wast created, till iniquity was found in thee.”
(Ezekiel 28:15)

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