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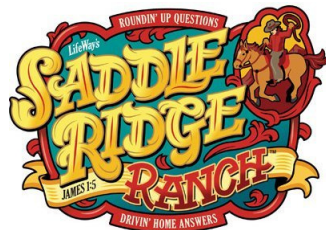
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**Vacation Bible School
For children age 3 - grade 12
at Tabernacle Baptist Church
July 11-15 (Sun. - Thurs.)
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM**

**Come join us for a
taste of the west with covered wagons and horses.
A Snack Supper will be provided each night.**

From Jennifer

I am sitting in the office on the Tuesday after camp, thinking about what a blessing each and every member of Tabernacle has been to our youth and how grateful we are. I want to thank each Club 52 member for their financial support that paid for camp this year. I want to thank each person that prayed for us over the course of the week. Those prayers were felt daily. I want to thank those who wrote letters for our goodie bags and those that sent encouraging messages throughout the week.

M-Fuge was a blessing to each of us. The worship experience was powerful, the Bible study was inspiring, the mission sites were encouraging, and the fellowship was fantastic. You could feel the presence of God in each part of camp, and the students experienced spiritual growth and a renewed sense of who God is and what He can do. Now- that is a defining moment!



It's hard to believe that Vacation Bible School time is here! Our Youth VBS theme is "Pick Up and Go." We will be following two teenaged boys as they travel across the country, chasing dreams and seeking new adventures. Each day we will look into a life question and how it is answered in scripture.

- Sunday: How do I know that God values me?
- Monday: Can I trust God to be there for me?
- Tuesday: What does it take to have a relationship with God?
- Wednesday: How does God want me to respond to Him?
- Thursday: How does God want me to live every day?

The VBS curriculum is exciting and should be a great way to answer the students' questions about God. If you know a teen that you would like to have involved in VBS, encourage them to attend. I pray that God will send youth and children to us to show God's love and promise for us. Also, we will be having two overnight events during VBS. On Monday, the girls will be having a sleepover at my house after VBS. On Wednesday, the boys will be having a camp out at my house after VBS. Please bring a sleeping bag and pillow.

Thanks again for all that you do to support our youth!!

From Linda (Continued)

I was drug to the kitchen sink to have my mouth washed out with soap if I uttered a profanity. I was drug out to pull weeds in mom's garden, flower beds and cockleburs out of dad's fields. I was drug to the homes of family, friends and neighbors to help out some poor soul who had no one to mow the yard, repair the clothesline, or chop some firewood, and, if my mother had ever known that I took a single dime as a tip for this kindness she would have drug me back to the woodshed.

Those drugs are still in my veins and they affect my behavior in everything I do, say or think. They are stronger than cocaine, crack or heroin, and if today's children's had this kind of drug problem, America would be a better place. God bless the parents who drugged us.

From Linda

It's Finally Here! Saddle Ridge Ranch begins this Sunday, July 11th at 5:00 and runs through Thursday, July 15th. Ages 3 through grade 12 are welcome. Pray for movement among all those who attend.



Upcoming: Centri-Kid Camp July 30th...more info to come!

If you had the honor of being here this past Sunday you witnessed for yourself what makes Tabernacle special. God was truly praised through the hard work and efforts of many. Oh and in case you haven't heard, the secret is out....As Pastor Rick said Sunday....we have Jesus walking our halls! Amen

In my position I have the privilege of seeing children from different backgrounds but in God's house we are one.

The Bible clearly states in Proverbs 22:6 to ..."Train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not turn from it." A bit of biblical research tells us "train" means to dedicate; give instruction and discipline...."the way he should go" can also be stated asthe right way, the way of wisdom.

Thank you for taking God's commands seriously and for making your child's knowledge and growth in Christ a priority. As a child of God, I am grateful to my mom for taking me to church. I'm sure I am responsible for more than a few of her beautiful grey hairs but she had God's promise to cling to. As a mother of adult children there is peace in my heart. Because of God's promise, I do not have to fear, just trust.

None of us knows where life will lead us but it is worth our praises to God to know we are never alone. Many of the lessons we learned, we learned as children. With that being said I encourage you to continue to be strong in your faith and raise your children in the Lord.

On a lighter note a beautiful friend of mine shared this with me. What fun words of wisdom. Enjoy!

The other day, someone at a store in our town read that a Methamphetamine lab had been found in an old farmhouse in the adjoining county and he asked me a rhetorical question. "Why didn't we have a drug problem when you and I were growing up?"

I replied, I had a drug problem when I was young: I was drug to church on Sunday morning. I was drug to church for weddings and funerals. I was drug to family reunions and community socials no matter the weather.

I was drug by my ears when I was disrespectful to adults. I was also drug to the woodshed when I disobeyed my parents, told a lie, brought home a bad report card, did not speak with respect, spoke ill of the teacher or the preacher, or if I didn't put forth my best effort in everything that was asked of me.

Music Notes

Projection Schedule

July 11	Steve Breeden
July 18	Dutch Deitz
July 25	Kyle Boyd
Aug. 1	Hoss Young
Aug. 8	Steve Breeden
Aug. 15	Dutch Deitz

Special Music

July 11	Lynne Elmore
July 18	Praise Band
July 25	Linda Coyle
Aug. 1	Rhonda Young
Aug. 8	Praise Band
Aug. 15	Linda Coyle

To EVERYONE who contributed in any way to the Fourth of July Freedom Celebration...a huge thank you! In addition to the choir, there were 26 people in the program, plus cooks, kitchen workers, and clean-up crew ALL working together to make this event happen.

The TBC choir "outdid" themselves as they allowed God to use them to bless our church with an exciting, yet worshipful tribute to Him and to our country. From comments after the service and by email, it is apparent that hearts were touched and lives were challenged to pray for our country.

I am truly blessed and privileged to have been a part of such a wonderful day.

Thank you!
Lynne

Wednesday Night Dinner

No dinner July 14 because of VBS

July 21

Salmon cakes, fried potatoes, beets, salad dessert
or chef salad

Clean-up Team: Barbara Warren/Mary Simpson

\$4.00 per adult; \$2.50 children 6-12
\$12.00 maximum per family

Please sign up on the bulletin board or let the office know by Tuesday if you are coming.

TBC Bulletin Board



Thanks so much for the prayers, food and thoughtfulness at the passing of my brother, Ronnie Dalton. Wanted to keep him, but God knew best. He always does.

Love, Vonnie Maxey

Once again, we want to thank each of you for your prayers, cards, visits and phone calls and your support following the loss of Wayne's brother, Fred. What a blessing for us to have such a loving and caring church family.

Thank you and we love you.

Wayne & Linda Perdue

Salem Food Pantry Needs



Jelly, canned pasta, dry pasta, spaghetti sauce, canned meat or complete meals with meat, canned fruit, canned vegetables.

Mission Statement: In light of the Scriptures and in Christian charity, the Food Pantry provides food and financial assistance to those in need while honoring the dignity of all people.

No Health and Wellness meeting July 11th due to VBS.

Budget Information for June

Monthly Requirements:	\$ 27,996.83
June receipts:	19,995.95
Budget required to date:	167,981.00
Budget receipts to date:	164,937.37
Disbursements to date:	173,133.11

Nursery Schedule

Sunday, July 11, 10:15-11:45 a.m.

Birth-Age 2: Susan Horne/Linda Horne
Age 3-K: Tessa Muehlendyck/Linda Coyle
Children's Church (Gr. 1-3): Janet Hale

Sunday, July 18, 10:15-11:45 a.m.

Birth-Age 2: Rhonda Young/Christy Ferguson
Age 3-K: Bob/Rosemary Belvin/Ashley Whitlow
Children's Church (Gr. 1-3): Debbie Duffy/Mary Simpson
Wednesday Night, July 21: Betty Friend

Opportunities for July 11-17

Sunday, July 11

9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship
4:00 p.m. Deacon's Meeting

July 11-15 from 5-8 p.m. VBS

Thursday, July 15

6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast/Bible Study
11:30 a.m. Sr. Adult Luncheon at Country Cookin'
5:00 - 8:00 p.m. - last day of VBS

Opportunities for July 18-24

Sunday, July 18

9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship
4:00 p.m. Health & Wellness in the Parlor
5:00 p.m. S.N.ISL.

Wednesday, July 21

5:00 p.m. Praise Band Practice
5:45 p.m. Dinner
6:30 p.m. Prayer/Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Children/Youth Activities
7:30 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, July 22

6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast/Bible Study

From Pastor Rick



Our Freedom Celebration July 4th was a wonderful opportunity to express thanks to God for our nation and for the freedoms that we enjoy. We truly were blessed as we worshipped. Thank you choir, drama team, youth and kids for all you did for us. Thank you Shorty Wright for the many hours you spent preparing the set and the flags that were used. Thank you Lynne for all the time you devoted to the Freedom Celebration. Your love for God and His people was so evident. Your creativity was enjoyed by all.

Thanks also to Barbara, Roy, and Melissa Clifton, Liz Cole, Janet Hale, Frank & Patsy Dobbins, and Wayne Perdue for the great meal that we enjoyed. Thanks also to each one who brought food and for those who stayed to "clean up".

Our youth had a wonderful week at Mission Fuge in Greenville, SC last week. God spoke to our youth; decisions for Christ were made. Thank you Jennifer Wood and Tim Ostendorf for allowing God to use you.

VBS begins July 11. Pray, pray, pray for the kids who will attend and for each worker who will be involved. I am excited about what God is going to do in making Himself known to those who will be attending. Don't forget to invite and bring kids to VBS. It is a great opportunity that God has given to us to advance His Kingdom.

I look forward to being with you Sunday in Bible study and worship.