

TODAY: April 28

- 8:30a—Elder's & Deacon's **Prayer**
- 8:45a— **Prayer** Time (all ages)
- 3:30—4:30p—**Drama** Team Practice

THE WEEK

- Wed.** May 1—12:00p—1:00p Holocaust Remembrance Day in the Lincoln Auditorium at the State Capitol/Boise
- Wed.** May 1—6:30p **Children's FUN FAIR**—we need your help with food items—please sign up at the AWANA table in the foyer—Thank you
- Thurs.** May 2—9:30a Area Pastors Fellowship Meeting
- Sat.** May 4—10:00a Women's Ministries **Brunch and Get Acquainted** Time in the East Wing
- Sat.** May 4—12:30p **Youth Leader's** Meeting in Youth Room

[weekly activities are listed on the back of the bulletin]

- May 7—11:30a J.O.Y. Group Potluck Lunch at the church—Food Assignments: A—F= Salad; G—M = Dessert; N—Z = Main Dish—Donna Lee Velvick-Lowry a representative from the Hope House in Nampa
- May 11—9:30a WM **Quilt Day** in the East Wing
- May 24-27—Memorial **Work Weekend** at Camp Pinewood
- May 25—9:00a—12:00 Noon **New Members** Class
- May 27—Jun 6—**Pastor Randy's Togo** Ministry Trip (Bible Geography Course)
- Jun. 7-17—**Mexico** Mission Trip—contact Pastor Dave for details
- Jun. 12—American Red Cross **Blood Drive** at the church—sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org
- Jul. 26-28—**MFBC in the Mountains** at Water's Edge Campground in Cascade—For those non-campers, contact *The Ashly Inn* for prices and availability—Questions contact Brian Rhom or Byron Henrickson
- Aug. 5—9, 2019 **Vacation Bible School** from 9:00a—12:00 Noon

Register your children or yourself as a volunteer online at: www.mfbc.org



Ministry Assignments

April 28:

Greeters: Hendricks (F) Zarybnicky (B)
Ushers: Mike/ Thane/ Vio/ David
Nursery:

- **AM:** Olga / Nadia
- **SS:** Jean / Gloria
- **PM:** Connie / Sara

Children's Church: Kara (Teacher)
Alison / Katelyn (Helpers)
Junior Church: Zach & Kim
PM Children's Ministries: Zach & Kim
Sound Booth: Audio/ Brent (AM & PM)
Video / Iyana (AM & PM)
Safety Team: Mike (AM) Ray (PM)

May 5:

Greeters: Ham (F) Peterson (B)
Ushers: Mike / Thane / Vio / David
Nursery:

- **AM:** Kathy H. / Rosy
- **SS:** Jeremy & Hillary
- **PM:** John & Erin

Children's Church: Christy (Teacher)
Garrett (Helpers)
Junior Church: Viktor & Inna
PM Children's Ministries: Sue & Heather
Sound Booth: Audio / Christopher (AM & PM)
Video: Scott L. (AM & PM)
Safety Team: Craig (AM) Mike (PM)

Summer Camp Schedule 2019

June 24-28	Junior Camp
July 1-6	Family Camp 1
July 8-13	Junior High Camp
July 15-20	High School Camp
July 29-August 3	Family Camp 2
August 19-23	Adult Camp



McCall, Idaho

Register online www.camppinewood.org

MERIDIAN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

April 28, 2019
9:30 AM Service

Pianist: Lina
Song Leader: Luke

Welcome/Announcements

Song—*Psalm 1*
Song—*Open My Eyes That I May See*
Song—*I Am Resolved*
Greetings

Prayer & Offering: Pastor Saltz
•Welcome Guests

•Special Music: Orchestra

Hymn #361—*By Faith*
[Dismiss Children]

Scripture Reading: Garrett

Message: *Jesus and Abraham*

Text: John 8:30-47 Pastor Randy

Closing

6:00 PM Service

Pianist: Noah
Song Leader: Kelly

Special Music: Kelly

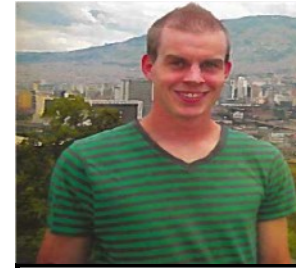
Message: Pastor Randy
Text: Acts 2:42-47



May 12—June 16—Help Lifeline Pregnancy Care Center by participating in the ***Change for Life.*** Fill a baby bottle with pocket change, cash, or check. Sign out the bottles you take. Return the baby bottle, regardless if it is full or not. Questions call the church office. Thank You.



APRIL



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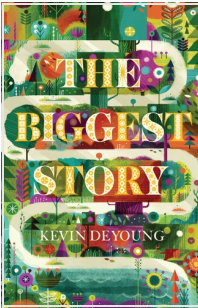
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Prayer Requests & Praises:

- Health: A number of people in the church have been hit with sickness or health issues that require surgery.
- Growth for the church.
- Salvation and personal growth and maturity in the youth.
- For wisdom for myself, Jamie, Heidi, and Marissa as we work with all these youth, kids, and their families.
- For being able to rent the third floor of the church building.
- For starting youth group and kids club.
- For consistency with some people in the church.
- For new people coming to church (mostly kids).
- For Jamie's headaches seem to have gone away months after our motorcycle accident.

	Deposit Report 2019
	April General Fund
	New Budget: \$40,307.69
WEEK: April 21, 2019	
	General Fund: \$6,268.01
	Special Offering: \$1,162.30
	Deposit: \$7,430.31
MONTH: APRIL	
	General Fund: \$26,723.71
	Special Offering: \$9,249.93
	Deposit: \$35,973.64

Excerpts from Good Booklets The Biggest Story By Kevin DeYoung



Once upon a time, there lived a man and a woman in the garden Paradise, where they were terrifically happy...

And like everything else God made, he made them good.

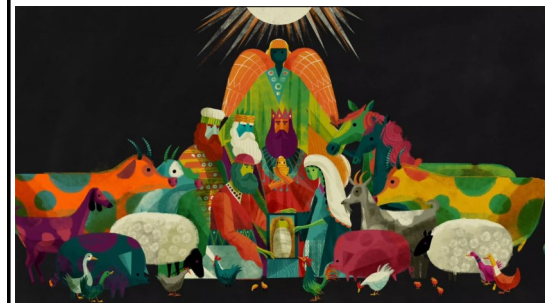
It was a wonderful time to be God's children in his wonderful world. But things didn't stay happy and wonderful for long. One terrible day, Adam and Eve sinned. They ate from the only tree in the garden that God had declared off-limits. Adam and Eve had disobeyed God's word; they believed the lie of the devilish Snake instead of the truth. God made Adam and Eve go away from the garden Paradise. ...

The Snake Crusher would put things right.

As you may have heard, the Snake Crusher who died on the cross didn't stay dead. He couldn't! Death had no claim on him. So on the third day, God raised him from the dead. A whole bunch of people saw the risen Jesus, and ate with him, and told their friends (just as we should tell our friends) that Jesus is really alive. Forty days later, God lifted him up into the sky and gave him the seat of honor at his right hand. Because Jesus's work was done, he sat down. And God gave him the name above all names, so that at the name of Jesus everybody and everything would start to sing and shout and worship...

The Snake Crusher is coming back again to wipe out all the bad guys and wipe away every tear. He's coming to make a new beginning and to finish what he started. He's coming to give us the home we once had and might have forgotten that we lost...

One day we will see him. One day we will be with him. One day there'll be nothing but the best days—day after day after day. Forever and ever, it will be a wonderful time to be God's children in God's wonderful world.



These booklets and similar are available in our church foyer for your proclaiming of the gospel.

-submitted by Pastor Dave