

TODAY: March 15



- ◆ 8:30a—Elder & Deacon Prayer Time
- ◆ 8:45a—Prayer Time (all ages)
- ◆ 2:00p—Bible study at Grugel's
- ◆ 4:30p—Choir Practice / N132

THE WEEK

CANCELLED

Fri. Mar. 20—MFBC Friends and Family Night Idaho Steelheads **Hockey Game** has been suspended due to the Coronavirus—we will not be hosting a hockey night—Steelheads will be contacting ticket holders—anyone who purchased tickets let BJ Bourn know and he will work directly with his contact to ensure everyone is refunded for their tickets

[weekly activities listed on the back of bulletin]



- Mar. 22—Baptismal Service
- Mar. 23-27
- Mar. 28—9:00a—4:00p



Spring Bible Conference / Dr. Todd Bolen from The Master's University on The Book Ruth *In A Barley Field*—Cost \$20 (includes note packet & Lunch—additional family members \$5 each)—Register online at www.mfbc.org /scroll down to the bottom /click on My Giving / Choose Fund / click on Bible Conference

• Mar. 30—11:30a **J.O. Y.** Group Luncheon—A—F = Dessert; G—M = Main Dish; N—Z = Salad

• Apr. 12—*Easter* —9:00a Brunch—10:00a AM Service—No SS, Jr Church, or Children's Church

• Apr. 14—6:30p Celebrate **Camp Dinner**—**Silent Auction** starts at 5:00p at Barlow Barn (8886 Deer Sky Ranch Trail (off Deer Flat Rd. Nampa)—No Charge—RSVP online at camppinewood.org/events

• Apr. 22—6:30p Family Dessert and **AWANA AWARDS** Night

• Apr. 29—6:30p-8:00p—



2020 Camp Schedule

- June 15—19 Discovery Day Camp
- June 22—26 Junior Camp
- June 29—July 4 Adventure Camp #1
- June 29—July 4 Family Camp #1
- July 6—11 Junior High Camp
- July 13—18 High School Camp
- July 19—22 Special Needs Camp
- July 22—25 Connection Camp
- July 27—August 1 Adventure Camp #2
- July 27—August 1 Family Camp #2
- August 17—21 Joy Camp



Ministry Assignments



March 15:

Greeters: Bill & Annalee (F) Vivian (B)

Ushers: Mike / Than / Vio / David

Nursery:

• **AM:** Donna / Katie

• **SS:** Vivian / Jean

• **PM:** Robin / Kathy C.

Children's Church: Kara (Teacher)

Josie / Iyana (Helpers)

Junior Church: Viktor & Inna

PM Children's Ministries: Judy B. (Teacher)

Sound Booth: Audio: Jonathon (AM & PM)

Video: Alison (AM & PM)

Safety Team: Ray (AM) Kent (PM)

March 22:

Greeters: David & Jeanie (F)

Donn & Johsta (B)

Ushers: Jason / Carl / Alan / Yuriy

Nursery:

• **AM:** Olga / Nadia

• **SS:** Brian & Mary Ann

• **PM:** Connie / Sara

Children's Church: Kara (Teacher)

Angie / Colette (Helpers)

Junior Church: Viktor & Inna

PM Children's Ministries: Zack & Kim (Teachers)

Sound Booth: Audio: Jason (AM & PM)

Video: Scott L. (AM & PM)

Safety Team: (AM) Jim M. (PM)



Deposit Report 2020
March General Fund Budget:
\$50,384.62

WEEK: March 8, 2020

General Fund: \$8,153.35

Special Offering: \$559.00

Deposit: \$8,712.35

MONTH: MARCH

General Fund: \$21,246.66

Special Offerings: \$2,134.00

Deposits: \$23,380.66

General Fund Fiscal YTD Deficit: (\$7,138.37)

Building Fund Balance as of 02/29/2020

\$719,089.27

Continuing in Faithfulness **pledges received:**

\$74,979.15

Goal by Project Start Date: \$799,200.00

MERIDIAN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

March 15, 2020

9:30 AM

Pianist: Michelle

Song Leader: Jim

Welcome/Announcements

Hymn #143—*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name*
Song—*Psalm 23*

Hymn #164—*What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Prayer & Offering: Pastor Saltz

• Welcome Guests

• Special Music: Melissa

Hymn #184—*Come, Behold the Wondrous*
Mystery

Scripture Reading: Garrett

Message: *Jesus' High Priestly Prayer—for His*
Disciples

Text: John 17:6-19 Pastor Randy

Closing: Jim

6:00 PM Service

Pianist: Lina

Song Leader: Scott

Hymn #296—*Hallelujah, What a Savior!*

Hymn #104—*Come Thou Fount*

Hymn #260—*All Glory Be to Christ*

Special Music: Michelle

Message: *Jesus' High Priestly Prayer—for All*
Believers

Text: John 17:20-26 Pastor Randy



For ages 2—5
years old
during our
PM Service

Copies of the **2020 Budget** are available on
the back table in the auditorium.
Pick up a copy TODAY!

MISSION
FOCUS



MARCH



Rich & Cindy Brown

SPAIN

• Pray for lady now 23 years old & a Biology major at the University of Alcalá de Henares—who came to know Christ a few years ago in the Youth Group—pray she will make wise choices regarding her relationship to an unsaved classmate she has started dating.

• Cindy is working with some younger ladies to revive a weekly ministry outreach activity—besides teaching the Bible lesson, Cindy is seeking to reach the unsaved parents of the kids who regularly attend—pray that God would help these ladies in their efforts to establish relationships with unsaved parents and to have the courage to share their faith openly with these people.

• Salvation of Angel who is currently going through an evangelistic Bible study with Rich—pray that God's Spirit and Word would open his eyes to surrender to Jesus Christ.

• Miguel Ángel and Rich are doing a study in Matthew—also preaching-teaching 50-50% on Sunday mornings—we alternate on Wed. evenings at the weekly prayer meeting—pray that God might first stir hearts with His Truth and impact the lives of the people who attend the services

• Pray for the marriage of a couple with three-year old —pray that the LORD would protect this family.

• Pray for the Ordination and installation of Miguel Ángel as pastor of the church—pray for God's guidance as we plan key aspects of this event.

• Pray we have a daily hunger for God's Word, a clear perspective of the lost, a love for any and all, a willingness to sacrifice ourselves for the welfare of others, etc. Thank you for praying for us.

Serving & Leading



ELDERS & DEACONS

As our elders and deacons have been faithfully leading and serving our church, we wanted to update you on some recent developments and future plans.

Recently, we had a **Confirmation Vote** for the following deacons at our **Annual Business Meeting** on January 26, 2020:

Deacons:

Paul Grugel

Alex Sklyarov

Brent Ho

Jesse Tappert

Viktor Lavor

Gary Wiltout

We will vote on additional **Deacons** at our **Upcoming Business Ministry Meeting:**

Deacon Candidates:

BJ Bourn

David Granger

Kent Canoy

Byron Henrickson

Bruce Carman

Charlie Morgan

John Crapuchettes

Tom Nelson

James Fife

As you prepare for our next congregational vote on the deacons, please prayerfully consider the men being presented. If you have a concern that one of them may NOT be qualified, please contact one of our elders and share your concerns. Here are additional passages for your consideration:

1 Timothy 3:8-13; Acts 6:3-6

1 Corinthians 13.

— Thanks for your prayers

-Pastor Dave