

# OBC Times

Open Bible Church, Boone, Iowa

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### Church Schedule

#### Sundays

8:45 a.m.  
Breakfast in the Café  
10:00 a.m.  
Celebration  
K.I.D.S. Church

#### Wednesdays

7:00 p.m.  
Adult Bible Study  
L.I.F.T. for teens

#### Small Groups

##### Monday

**INSTE Level II**  
7:00 p.m.  
Open Bible Church

##### Tuesday

**Basketball**  
7:00 p.m.  
OBC Activity Center

##### Saturday

**Party With a Purpose**  
7:00 p.m.  
Open Bible Church

### Pastor's Corner

Numbers 6:24-26 says, "The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace." Originally, this was God's instruction to Aaron and his sons regarding how they were to bless the Israelites. So, it has become a prayer of blessing for people.



Pastor Phil & Naomi Waldo

It's summer and many will be traveling for vacation, myself included. So, I extend this prayer of blessing to you all. May the Lord share his best with you and watch over you and protect you as you travel. May he be pleased with you and always cover you with his grace. May he grant you favor, and may his peace be upon you. I pray that you will experience the peace and rest of God, especially as you take time off from work. May your strength be renewed.

God's blessings to you!

# New Groups Starting Soon!

The new small group menu will be available in August. We will have sign up for three weeks in August. Do you feel the Lord has given you an idea for a small group? There are small group menu forms available in the Welcome Center. Please turn them into the church office by Sunday, July 23, for your group to be included in the new menu. New groups will begin September 1 and will run for varying number of weeks depending on the group.

## CHANGE THE WORLD

Hands of Mercy will receive a Change the World Offering on Sunday, July 30, during the morning Celebration at 10:00 a.m. Hands of Mercy funds go directly to help children in need all around the world. In 2006, Hands of Mercy has sent monthly support to two children in the Elida Orphanage in India, sent money to Thailand to help support the Home of Hope Orphanage through missionaries Neill and Diana Gilbert, sponsored an inner-city Chicago child to attend camp through Sunshine Gospel Ministries (the missionary there is Boone native Tori Stanton), and helped a Boone family who unexpectedly was granted custody of two small children. They needed some basic food and clothing items to get started. It is because of your generosity that Hands of Mercy is able to help these precious children! Your change will be used to meet the needs that are brought to our attention. Thank you!



## INSTE



Sharon Acuff, pictured center front, was recently honored as a Level One Master Leader at the INSTE Convention/Graduation banquet that was held at Fort Des Moines Open Bible Church on Friday, June 4, 2006. To qualify for this certification, Sharon led INSTE Level One for ten consecutive semesters. What a model of faithfulness! Congratulations, Sharon!

## FAMILY DEDICATION



Mike and Elisa Huss officially adopted Yasmeeen and Adrianne into their family on June 14. Yasmeeen was born on July 16, 1998 and Adrianne on October 5, 1999. They join brothers Brenden and Jesse. They are pictured here at their dedication on Sunday, June 18, during our Celebration together. Congratulations to the whole Huss family!

# Calendar Highlights!

### GET IN THE GAME 06 Central Region Youth Camps

Senior High Camp (Grades 9-12) July 24-28 (preregister by July 9, 2006)  
 Junior High Camp (Grades 6-8) July 31-August 4 (preregister by July 16, 2006)  
 Junior Camp (Grades 3-5) August 7-11 (preregister by July 23, 2006)  
 Sunstream Camp, Boone, Iowa

### AWANA CLUB (GRADES K-6)

Awana Club will be starting up again soon! There will be a leader's meeting on Saturday, August 19, from 9-11:00 a.m. Please join us in preparing and planning for this upcoming year. Please consider helping with Awana by giving a half hour each Wednesday night to listen to scripture memory verses in the classrooms. There is great reward in getting involved with children and helping to water the seeds of faith that are being planted in their hearts. We will be having an Awana open house on Wednesday, August 30 at 7:00 p.m. in the Activity Center. Awana officially begins on Wednesday, September 6 from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Activity Center.



### BLACKWOOD LEGACY CONCERT



The group is headed by Rick Price, a veteran of 26 years presenting Gospel music. Rick joined the Blackwood Brothers at the age of 19. He has surrounded himself with some of the greatest singers in Gospel music. He is honored to carry on his Blackwood Legacy and presents that Legacy with honor. The program will not just be a mere concert; it will become a time of worship. Rick is known as one of the best MC's in Gospel music. His sense of humor will have you laughing the entire night as he leads you through the Blackwood Legacy and his sensitivity to the leading of the Holy Spirit will lead the service into a place of worship, renewal and recommitment to serving Christ with your life that will be remembered always!

### Business Feature

## This issue's featured business is:

**BD-Tech**  
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Ben Bravard and David Wanat operate BD-Tech, a computer consulting business. Among their services are computer installation and training, spyware and virus removal, wireless networking, web application development, LAN and WAN networking and small office PBX and voicemail. Check out their website and be sure to call them for your computer and technology needs.



***If you own a business or know of a business that is owned by someone in our church body, please let the church office know so it can be featured in one of our upcoming newsletters!***



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**Upcoming ...**

Monday—Friday	July 24-28	Senior High Camp at Sunstream	
Sunday	July 30	Change the World Offering	10:00 a.m.
Sunday	July 30	Worship Team BBQ at Haynes	6:00 p.m.
Monday—Friday	July 31-Aug 4	Junior High Camp at Sunstream	
	August	Small Group New Menu Sign Up	
Sunday	August 6	All Leaders Meeting	1:30 p.m.
Monday—Friday	August 7-11	Junior Camp at Sunstream	
Saturday	August 12	Worship Team Vocal Jam	
Saturday	August 19	Awana Leaders Meeting	9-11:00 a.m.
Monday	August 21	Blackwood Legacy Concert	7:00 p.m.
Thursday	August 24	Boone Schools Begin	
Wednesday	August 30	Awana Open House	7:00 p.m.
	September 1	New Semester of Small Groups Begins	
	September	Common Meals	
	September	Prayer Walking Boone	
Monday	September 4	Labor Day	
Monday—Sunday	September 4-10	IMCA Super Nationals at Boone Speedway	
Wednesday	September 6	Awana Begins	7:00 p.m.
Thursday—Sunday	September 7-10	Pufferbilly Days in Boone	
Sunday	September 10	Choir	Noon
Saturday	September 16	Director of Ministries Meeting	Noon
Saturday	September 16	Worship Team Musicians Jam	2:00 p.m.
Sunday	September 17	Church Picnic at McHose Park	3-9:00 p.m.
Sunday	September 24	Choir	Noon
Sunday	September 24	Praise Fest	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	September 27	See You at the Pole	7:00 a.m.