

OBC Times

Open Bible Church, Boone, Iowa

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Church Schedule

Sundays, 10:00 a.m.

Celebration

K.I.D.S. Church

Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Adult Bible Study

L.I.F.T. for teens

Pastor's Corner

These last few weeks we've been focused on preparing the way for revival. This focus came out of our desire to be more effective in evangelism.

The seven-step thought process goes like this... 1. The most effective form of evangelism is "one-on-one." 2. One-on-one evangelism occurs when a Christian shares their faith with a friend or family member just between the two of them. 3. Most Christians are very reserved about doing this. 4. But, when a Christian is on fire for God it happens more naturally. 5. So, if we want to be more effective in evangelism, what we really need is not more or better methods, but Christians whose faith is on fire. 6. Revival is what adds the fire to any Christian's faith. 7. Therefore, we are seeking God to bring revival to our church and community.



Pastor Phil & Naomi Waldo

We can prepare the way for revival by applying Hosea 10:12: "*Sow for yourselves righteousness, reap the fruit of unfailing love, and break up your unplowed ground; for it is time to seek the LORD, until he comes and showers righteousness on you.*" 1. **Sow** righteousness (be truthful; do right; be good). 2. **Soften** the soil of your heart (be tender and open for the Lord's work). 3. **Seek** the Lord *until* he comes (never give up pursuing His presence). Then, God will 4. **Show**er righteousness on us (bring revival in our place and time).

Pursuing His Presence,

P.S. - Remember the Awake Now! prayer meetings on Sunday evenings at 6:00.

Care Groups

Sunday

Life Style Mother/Daughter Bible Study

4:00 p.m.

304 Benton Street

Monday

God's Devotional Book for Women

2:00 p.m.

OBC Conference Room

INSTE Level II

7:00 p.m.

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Tuesday

Purpose Driven Life

6:30 p.m.

1320 Clinton

Wednesday

Becoming a Woman of Excellence

10:00 a.m.

227 Benton Street

Special Agents for Christ

Morning

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Thursday

Women's Fellowship

10:00 a.m.

Park

Saturday

Men's Casual Sports

2:00 p.m.

OBC Gym

Prayer

7:00 p.m.

Worship Center



Vacation Bible School

Mark your calendars for Monday through Wednesday evenings, July 11-13! Your K-6 graders won't want to miss this year's VBS! We will be Building Character Like Jesus in our Construction Zone themed events. Be sure to invite your friends and neighbors!

Don Riemenschneider Honored

The date was May 10, 2005, and the event was the Senior High Awards Ceremony at the Boone High School auditorium. Each year, the Mallas Family Educator Appreciation Award is presented to a deserving teacher. This year, Don was surprised to hear he was the recipient, as it was the first year that an administrator was selected for this award. He was honored for contributing to the educational program of the Boone Community School District with integrity and innovation. The presenter, Ken Mallas, described Don as a fair and respectful man and an exemplary role model who served the school district with an obvious love for his profession. The crowd responded with a standing ovation. Pictured with Don is Ken Mallas (center) and Laurie Sorem (right). Congratulations, Don!



These men from our church are currently serving our country with the armed forces in Iraq.



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The Big One That Didn't Get Away

On Monday, May 30, the Wolf family went fishing at Spring Lake near Jefferson. Bethany, pictured at left, was surprised when the crappie she had on the end of her line turned out to be quite a catch! When the Department of Natural Resources Officer stopped by to check their fishing licenses, Bethany showed him her fish. He was impressed by the size of the crappie, and said it was the biggest he had ever seen! He retrieved the scale, and the official weight of her fish was 1.3 pounds, becoming the biggest crappie to have ever been caught at Spring Lake! Her pic can also be seen online at

<http://www.iowadnr.com/fish/news/photos.html>



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You will find information regarding church calendar activities, audio of our celebrations, sermon notes, event photos, the current bulletin and archives of our newsletters.

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Business Feature

This issue's featured business is:

"Janelle's House" Daycare
 511 11th Street
 Boone, IA 50036
 515-432-1158

Janelle Keffer has provided in-home daycare for nearly six years! She is CPR and First-Aid certified. Her daycare is registered with the State of Iowa, Child Care Resources and Child Care Connections. Janelle has over ten years of experience working with young children. She is a mother of three and has three small grandchildren. She currently works with preschoolers ages two through five. She has cared for several children in our church family over the years and would be happy to provide references. She has openings for full-time and part-time or occasional drop-in care. Her hours are 7 a.m. through 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.



Newest Arrival

Kolton Wayne Munson was born on Monday, April 25, at Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames. He was 20.5" long and weighed in at 6 pounds 13 ounces. He is joined at home by his parents, Joel and Doreen, older sisters Karissa and Kaley, and older brothers Kolby and Kale. We praise God for this wonderful blessing to the Munson family, and say a big "WELCOME" to Kolton!

Tori Stanton Visits Compassion Café

Compassion Café had a special guest on Sunday, June 5. Tori Stanton grew up in Boone and is now working with Sunshine Gospel Ministries as a missionary to inner city Chicago kids. Sunshine Gospel Ministries exists to see young people and their families in the urban context thrive in family, church and community life. Tori works with children who live at Cabrini Green Housing Project. Hands of Mercy has been a financial supporter of Tori and her work there. She was in the Boone area raising awareness and funds in order to return to her ministry in Chicago. It was exciting to see Tori and hear about the lives she and the rest of the Sunshine Staff touch with the hope of the Gospel message.



Carol Elsberry and Tori Stanton

REMINDER reminder

E Parents: If your children **e**
M have been unsupervised **m**
I using any part of the church **i**
N facilities, please be sure to **n**
D double check before you **d**
E leave that everything is put **e**
 back and locked up as you **e**
 found it. THANKS!

Reminder REMINDER

Just for Fun...



"We'll start with him and work our way up."

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Upcoming ...

Saturday	June 16	Elders Meeting	9:00 a.m.
Sunday	June 19	Father's Day	
Sunday	June 19	Awake Now!	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	June 22	L.I.F.T. and Parent Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Thursday – Sunday	June 23-26	OBSC National Convention	
Sunday	June 26	Awake Now!	6:00 p.m.
Friday	June 24	L.I.F.T. to Water Park	11:00 a.m.
Sunday	July 3	VHS Huddles Only	
Sunday	July 3	Awake Now!	6:00 p.m.
Monday	July 4	Food, Fun, Fellowship, Fireworks	8:00 p.m.
Friday	July 8	Common Meal	6:00 p.m.
Saturday	July 9	Awana Informational Meeting	9:00 a.m.
Sunday	July 10	Grand Opening Compassion Café	8:45 a.m.
Sunday	July 10	Doug and Nikki in Concert	6:00 p.m.
Monday – Wednesday	July 11-13	Vacation Bible School	evenings
Saturday	July 16	Common Meal	6:00 p.m.
Sunday	July 17	Common Meal	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday – Sunday	July 20-24	Boone County Fair	
Sunday	July 24	Common Meal	Noon
Monday – Friday	July 25-29	Senior High Camp (Grades 9-12)	
Monday – Friday	August 1-5	Junior High Camp (Grades 7-8)	
Sunday	August 7	Compassion Café	8:45 a.m.
Sunday	August 7	VHS	1:30 p.m.
Monday-Friday	August 8-12	Junior Camp	
Sunday	August 21	Potluck in the Park	
Saturday	August 27	Praise Fest Practice	
Sunday	August 28	Choir	1:30 p.m.
Sunday	August 28	Praise Fest	6:00 p.m.