

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

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FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Fred Metcalf February 2
Jean Metcalf February 12
Richard Yates February 24

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Mark & Sharon Hawkins February 4
James & Denise Clark February 9
Doug & Patricia Fewell February 14

COMING EVENTS

Kindred Spirits @9:30a.m February 3
Board Meeting @4:30p.m. February 12
NMI Meeting @6:00 p.m. February 12
Kindred Spirits @9:30am February 17
(Celebrating finish of Bible Study)
Prayer Breakfast@8:30am February 25
Celebration Sunday 7:00 February 26

HOME WANTED

Ruth & Lamont have 10 books of the "Left Behind" series by Tim Lahaye and Jerry Jenkins that are looking for a home. If you would like to "adopt" please talk to Ruth or Lamont.

Recently we were advised by Nazarene Compassionate Ministries that our sponsored child, Ambika Devi Magar was no longer participating in the Child Sponsorship Program. Ambika had migrated with her parents out of the area.

Therefore, a new child was assigned to us. Her name is Anita Lama. She was born May 12, 1999. She is in the 5th grade. She lives in Nepal. Her father is a painter. She says she likes to help with cooking at home. She also likes to play badminton. You can see her picture on the bulletin board in the hallway. Thanks for continuing to support our Compassionate Ministries.

PASTOR'S CORNER

I have been taking pictures now for over 30 years. Wanda gave me (us) a 35mm camera and I was hooked. I took pictures of people, flowers, animals, etc. The more I took the better I got and the more I took. It was a way of recording the events of our life together, of our children as they grew now into adulthood. The technology has changed over the years and now the 35mm camera I cherish is out of date and has been replaced with a much more technically update camera. But the desire to take pictures has not diminished. Chris and I take lots of pictures and with the digital technology I can delete the pictures that I don't want and can store them digitally without having a lot of pictures laying around. What a world we live in?

Well the technology has also changed when it comes to the written word. The Bible is available in digital form and can be carried in a shirt pocket. Bible study that used to take literally hours can be accomplished with a few clicks of a mouse and we can read about, study the thoughts of others, get definitions to words and so many more helps that it is mind boggling to those who grew up without these tools. What a world we live in?

But one thing hasn't changed and that is the truth of God's Word. It is still the same yesterday, today and will be tomorrow. It still has the answers to the questions of life today. When we are out of answers and seemingly out of options God's Word is there. Isn't God good. What a world He has given us.

Pastor Baker

Some think there is danger of leaving Christ behind in the modern age. Maybe it would be wise to try catching up to him first.



GOD HAS A GOOD EAR FOR HEART MUSIC

THE MANY PLACES I HAVE BEEN

I have been in many places, but I've never been in Cahoots. Apparently, you can't go alone. You have to be in Cahoots with someone.

I've also never been in Cognito. I hear no one recognizes you there.

I have, however, been in Sane. They don't have an airport, you have to be driven there. I have made several trip there, thanks to my friends, family and work.

I would like to go to Conclusions, but you have to jump, and I'm not too much on physical activity anymore.

*Sometime I'm in Capable, and I go there more often as I'm getting older.
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NMI NEWS

Missionaries Diane and Rusty Robbins will be in our Church on March 11th for the morning service. They are with the Jesus Film Harvest Partners for the Church of the Nazarene. They will tell us about their experiences with the "JESUS" film.

Each of us are invited to be a part of a Saturday night service, February 4th @ 6:00PM at the Nazarene Church in Fayetteville with Brian Helstrom.

Brian was at our last District NMI convention in Greenbrier and is the Coordinator between the Jesus Film Harvest Partners and Campus Crusade for Christ and other ministries. He is a very dynamic speaker and it is simply miraculous how God is using the JESUS film through this ministry.

Larry Woodward, Pastor

FEBRUARY: THE MONTH OF LOVE

Someone cares and always will,
The world forgets but God loves you still,
You cannot go beyond His Love
No matter what you're guilty of -----
For God forgives until the end,
He is your faithful, loyal friend,
And though you try to hide your face
There is no shelter any place
That can escape His watchful eye,
For on the earth and in the sky
HE'S EVER PRESENT AND ALWAYS THERE
To take you in His tender care
And bind the wounds and mend the breaks
When all the world around forsakes.....
SOMEONE CARES and LOVES YOU STILL
And GOD is THE SOMEONE who always will.

Helen Steiner Rice

CLEANED-UP LIVES IN A HURRY

An Unlikely Participant: He was a habitual drunkard and was rumored to be addicted to other vices that could not be mentioned in the polite society of his day. He drained the royal treasury to pay for his extravagant expenses associated with women and wine. He married off his children like pawns to suit his foreign policy. He was described by J. R. Green as a man with a "big head...slobbering tongue....quilted clothes....rickety legs..... Goggle eyes."

When people compared him with King Henry or Queen Elizabeth, he seemed woefully lacking in dignity. He was highly criticized for his drunkenness and silly behavior. Some labeled him a coward. Even so, God used this man to assemble scholars and establish the "Authorized Translation of the Bible" in 1611. This man's name became linked with the most influential Bible of all time. His name was King James I.
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