

# News & Notes

## September 3 – 9, 2017

### Revive Church

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## ALL-CHURCH CORNER

### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY RESUMING SOON

The Men's Monday night Bible study at church will have an introduction on Monday, September 11, at 7:00 PM with the actual study starting September 18. They meet in Room 114. The first half hour will focus on the sermon study guide, with the remainder of the time directed to studying the Gospel of Luke. We're always glad to have a few more men join us! Questions? Contact Larry Carlson: [lwc\\_rdi@hotmail.com](mailto:lwc_rdi@hotmail.com).

### "YOUNG AT HEART" RETREAT

Are you 60+, looking for a fun fall retreat? Look no further than Camp Lebanon's "Young at Heart" Fall Retreat! Our theme is "A Mighty Fortress is our God." The overnight retreat is from Monday, September 11–Thursday, September 14, with Tuesday, September 12, being "Senior Day," an option for a day trip for those who can't get away for the whole retreat. The musical guest for Tuesday is Mary Beth Carlson! For more info, see the brochure at the Info Desk or in Room 114, or visit the Camp Lebanon website: [CampLebanon.org](http://CampLebanon.org).

### 100-HOLE CHALLENGE FOR RWC

Join Robbinsdale Women's Center on Monday, September 25, for this unique, all-day fundraising event. There are many details about this event on the poster located in the back glass case. Please prayerfully consider if this is a way for you to combine your love of golf with supporting this non-profit pregnancy resource medical clinic!

### NOTES OF THANKS

- Revive Church Friends, many thanks for the beautiful flowers! Sincere thanks for our friends' love and support during our time of loss. – Leigh and Deb Eberhart
- Dear Revive Church, thank you so much for your kind support of thoughts, prayers, visits and flowers during Steve's illness. Thank you to those who helped and had a part in his service and to those who came. Your kindness will long be remembered. – Family of Steve Gale

### OUR SYMPATHY TO . . .

Jerry and Carolyn Hoogers on the passing of Carolyn's father.

## REVIVE STUDENT MINISTRIES

Student Ministries Pastor  
Nate Miller, Ext. 15

### SUNDAY MORNING YOUTH STUDIES

We'll start back up at 9:00 AM NEXT SUNDAY. Join us!

### LOOKING FORWARD TO FALL:

9/6: SMALL GROUP LEADER TRAINING – 6:30–8:00 PM  
9/13: WEDNESDAY SMALL GROUPS START – 6:30–8:00 PM

For current **Youth Events**, pick up a Calendar from the Youth Kiosk or go to [ReviveBrooklynPark.org/student-ministries](http://ReviveBrooklynPark.org/student-ministries).

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Leaders: Holly Jenson and Jera Henry  
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Join with women from across the country for ABUNDANCE, a special two-day event to explore the sufficiency and generosity of Christ to be held Friday/Saturday, September 29 & 30 at Grace Church in Eden Prairie. Authors/teachers Lisa Harper, Angela Thomas-Pharr, Kelly Minter, Jefferson Bethke and TC Stallings along with recording artists Christy Nockels and Natalie Grant, will explore and illustrate how embracing God's abundance transforms every area of our daily lives. We have pre-purchased 25 tickets for \$60 each; additional needed tickets will be \$70. Please check out our website (under "Upcoming Events") for more info about lodging and Saturday lunch. Tickets will be on sale in the Foyer starting next Sunday or you can talk to Holly Jenson.

### FALL BIBLE STUDIES START SOON!

Please join us Wednesdays for Bible Study this Fall! The morning study at 9:30 AM is Beth Moore's "Jesus the One and Only," facilitated by Pat Catlin. The cost is \$20; childcare is available for an additional small fee. Wednesday evenings at 6:30 PM, Carmen Huisinga will be leading the Precepts study, "John," which will be all-year long. The cost is \$25; childcare is available with registration in AWANA.

## CARE MINISTRIES

Parish Nurse, Judy Petersen, RN  
Ext. 30, [jpetersen@bpefc.org](mailto:jpetersen@bpefc.org)

### SUPPORT GROUPS COMING THIS FALL

- **GRIEFSHARE:** Meeting weekly for thirteen weeks starting Tuesday, September 12, at 7:00 PM in Room 112/113. For those who have lost a loved one to death.
- **STEPPING ON:** Meeting weekly for seven weeks starting Tuesday, September 12, at 7:00 PM in the West Foyer. For those over 60 who want to improve balance and strength.
- **DANIEL PLAN:** Meeting weekly starting Tuesday, September 19, at 7:00 PM in Room 114. Learn how to live a healthy lifestyle, with a lot of information about diet, exercise, your faith, focus and encouraging one another.
- **ENCOURAGEMENT GROUP:** Meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 2:00 PM in the Office Conference Room. For those with chronic illness or a disability.

### WALK FOR HOPE/ALEXANDRA HOUSE

This is a home and safe place for those experiencing domestic abuse. If you can help them raise funds to provide for those who experience this violence, go to [AlexandraHouse.org](http://AlexandraHouse.org) and register for the walk. The walk takes place at Bunker Hills Regional Park on September 30.

## REVIVE KIDS MINISTRIES

Children & Family Ministries Pastor  
Frank Lanier, Ext. 27  
Assistant Director  
Leanne Klein, Ext. 38

### AWANA REGISTRATION IS OPEN

It's time to sign up and plan for the year! Sign up online at [www.signupforms.com/registration/11420](http://www.signupforms.com/registration/11420). We are looking for volunteers, as well. Contact Leanne with questions or to volunteer: [lklein@bpefc.org](mailto:lklein@bpefc.org).

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Wednesday, September 6, 6:30–8:00 PM  
Awana Kid/Parent Orientation Meeting (mandatory)
- Friday, September 8, 7:00 PM  
Family Movie Night in the Youth Room, "The Perfect Game," Concessions will be sold
- Wednesday, September 13, 6:30–8:00 PM  
Awana Leader Training
- Wednesday, September 20, 6:30–8:00 PM  
First Full Night of Awana

## MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Suzanne Kolstad  
Kendra & Cayden

### Youth with a Mission – Educating for Life

#### PRAISE GOD:

- New schools equals new hope for the children of Papua, New Guinea. Churches and individuals are stepping up to meet the need for schools, and we are blessed to be able to come alongside them and help them learn how to be Godly teachers.
- We're using our teacher training to create a learning atmosphere that develops every child's understanding of God and their place in the Kingdom.
- Our return to PNG continues offering teacher training and strengthening the programs that have already started as soon as we have funding and visas in place.
- Six new schools started this spring. Those are just the ones we were told about; there may be more!

#### PRAY FOR:

- Leaders who have been identified and given the tools needed to train others.
- Local governments, that they would continue to be interested in the training course and ask us to return and train more teachers! It's an exciting time of growth and change in PNG.
- Us, that we can continue to support and help our friends realize their dreams. We are blessed to make some very special friendships in each area. This is the most rewarding part of our ministry, connecting with people.
- Wisdom in which areas to concentrate on for the next round of trainings. We have been asked to go to the Solomon Islands, as well. There are needs for quality teaching all around this area.
- The needed funds to come in quickly so we are not delayed in returning, and for visas to be easily granted.
- The schools—that they are reaching the whole community for Jesus, changing not only the students but the families, as well. Children are having a lot of influence in their homes after learning about God at school. Pray that this continues and parents give their hearts to God.

If you would like to know more, please contact Suzanne at [smkols@me.com](mailto:smkols@me.com) or 763-753-1966.