

# News & Notes

## September 17 – 23, 2017

### Revive Church

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## ALL-CHURCH CORNER

### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY RESUMES

The Men's Monday night Bible study at church, after last week's introduction, will begin **THIS Monday** at 7:00 PM with the actual study. 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).

### "ENGAGE" MN CHURCH EXPO 2018

Revive Church is hosting an event that will encourage, inspire and impact your ministry with workshops, exhibits and networking! Come Saturday, September 23, 8:00 AM–3:00 PM. Registration info here: [mcmaonline.org](http://mcmaonline.org) or call 952-934-6777.

### 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!

### BLOOD DRIVE

Give the gift of life! The Memorial Blood Drive bus will be here on Wednesday, September 27, 2:30–6:00 PM. Sign up for a time slot with our Parish Nurse: [jpetersen@bpefc.org](mailto:jpetersen@bpefc.org).

### SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICES SEEKING HELP

The HOME Program is seeking individual and groups of volunteers to assist with fall yard clean-up for elders in the community. Work will start mid-October, depending upon the weather, and continue until the snow stays. Meanwhile, there are lots of gardens to weed and windows to wash before raking begins. Please see flyer in the back glass case for information.

### PRAYER CHAIN EMAIL ADDRESS

The email for the prayer chain is [prayerchain@bpefc.org](mailto:prayerchain@bpefc.org). We ask that you please allow 24 hours for a prayer request to go through—they are going through the Church Office.

## REVIVE KIDS MINISTRIES

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

### AWANA BEGINS THIS WEDNESDAY AT 6:30 PM!

Sign up online at [www.signupforms.com/registration/11420](http://www.signupforms.com/registration/11420) or find a paper copy at the Kids' Kiosk. We are looking for volunteers, as well. Contact Leanne with questions or to volunteer: [lklein@bpefc.org](mailto:lklein@bpefc.org).

### TEACHERS NEEDED

Teachers are needed at 10:00 AM on Sundays for 2/3 year olds and 4/5/K. Please contact Leanne Klein for details.

## REVIVE STUDENT MINISTRIES

Student Ministries Pastor  
Nate Miller, Ext. 15

### SUNDAYS AT 9:00 AM

Middle Schoolers (Grades 6–8), join us as we dig into our Bibles together to discover more of who God is and what Jesus has done! We meet in the Youth Room.

### WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30 PM

Middle School & High School Youth meet first in the Youth Room for games, student-led worship, and teaching from Pastor Nate, then go to Small Groups.

### 9–12 FALL FIRE! RETREAT

October 20-22 is the MEA Fall Fire! Retreat at Camp Lebanon. The cost is \$119 plus \$ for two meals. There is a \$20 discount of you register before 9/30. Register: [www.signupforms.com/registrations/11419](http://www.signupforms.com/registrations/11419).

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  
Facebook.com/Women'sMinistry@ReviveChurch  
Email: womensministry.revivechurch@gmail.com

### ABUNDANCE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

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. Authors/teachers/recording artists will explore and illustrate how embracing God's abundance transforms 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") or flyers in the Foyer for more info about the hotel and Saturday lunch. Tickets are on sale in the Foyer or you can talk to Holly Jenson.

### FALL BIBLE STUDIES START THIS WEDNESDAY

- 9:30 AM, Matt Chandler's "To Live is Christ, to Die is Gain" (Philippians), facilitated by Pat Catlin, Cost: \$15, childcare is available for an additional small fee.
- 6:30 PM, Precepts Study, "John," facilitated by Carmen Huisinga, Cost: \$25, childcare is available in AWANA.
- 6:30 PM, Matt Chandler's "To Live is Christ, to Die is Gain" (Philippians), facilitated by Gail Lyon & Niki Hunter, Cost: \$15, childcare is available in AWANA.

Please register in the Foyer today! Bring a friend!

## CARE MINISTRIES

Parish Nurse, Judy Petersen, RN  
Ext. 30, jpetersen@bpefc.org

### SUPPORT GROUPS THIS FALL

- **GRIEFSHARE:** Started 9/12 at 7:00 PM in Room 112/113. You are still welcome to join any time. This group is for those who have lost a loved one to death. We know this can be a very painful and confusing time. Besides the experts on the DVDs, we also have opportunity to share.
- **DANIEL PLAN:** Starts this 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:** Continues to meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 2:00 PM in the Office Conference Room. A group for men and women of all ages with a chronic illness or a disability who meet together to be a support to each other through life experiences using scriptural encouragement and prayer.

### HOMEBOUND

We want to know those in our congregation who are unable to be at a worship service on a regular basis. Please notify Judy Petersen if you or someone you know could use a home visit.

## MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

### Harry & Audrey Brown CityTeam

Harry is head of the International Division of CityTeam.

#### PRAISE GOD FOR:

- The multiple generations of new believers that are coming from the influence of a Muslim-background follower of Jesus who was attacked by a man with a machete. He was severely injured and left for dead, but the Lord spared his life!
- A Muslim-background follower of Jesus who was given a deadline to convert back to Islam or be killed. However, when the instigator against him had a stroke, the tide turned to where some of the group threatening him actually helped him escape!

#### PRAY FOR:

- God's protection and deliverance in the new wave of persecution in SE Asia.
- God to raise up a new leader for our work in the Ivory Coast. The former leader died suddenly a few months ago and we have not yet found a replacement.
- The training and development of the Ethiopian missionaries in our "Go North" initiative who are headed to North Africa as missionaries.
- Our plan to launch/extend the DMM process in 10 major urban centers in 2018. Pray for breakthrough in:
  - Nairobi, Kenya
  - Abidjan, Ivory Coast
  - Cairo, Egypt
  - Johannesburg, South Africa
  - Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
  - London, UK
  - Paris, France
  - Munich, Germany
  - Stockholm, Sweden
  - Jakarta, Indonesia

*"Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed,  
for his compassions never fail.*

*They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness."*

Lamentations 3:22-23