

# Teen News

HAPPY SUNDAY! Glad to see you all this morning! Hope you will join us in the activity building after morning worship for our quarterly fellowship luncheon. We will go bowling immediately following lunch. Also, VBS is this Tuesday and if any of you can be here to help out in any way needed, your participation would be greatly appreciated. Remember we "all" make up the body of Christ.

## “WATCH YOUR WORDS”

Sins of the tongue are among the most commonly mentioned sins in the Bible. Sins of the tongue are among the most commonly committed sins among mankind. It is so easy to slip up and say something untrue, unkind, unnecessary, yet, hurtful. Some years ago the operator of the public address system was aggravated because the speaker was dragging his feet in getting started. In his impatience he said: "Go ahead you old goat." He did not realize that his own microphone was on, full volume. The whole congregation heard the words distinctly and laughter filled the auditorium. The "goat" heard it too and joined in the laughter in a good natured way. Many humorous incidents have occurred through the years where someone forgot that a portable microphone was still on. Some not so humorous incidents have also occurred where something unkind was said and unintentionally broadcast via a live microphone. I know of a recent incident where one individual sent email to another person, sharply criticizing a third party, and the email was accidentally carbon copied to that third party. It was an embarrassing incident. If we knew that our words spoken about another person were going to be broadcast to the whole church, would we speak differently? Would we tone down the rhetoric? Would we be less prone to jump to conclusions? Would we criticize less? Would we be less judgmental? Would we be more positive than negative? Would we look for the good rather than search in hopes of finding the evil? I think so. What we need to remember is that the microphone is always on with God. While other people may not hear our words, God always hears them--and he even hears our thoughts.

## THE JOY CLUB

Friday our young people met here at the building to make cards for the nursing home patients. They then delivered these cards, had a hot dog picnic at Reagan Park and played in the splash park. All had a wonderful time.

This is the first of many activities planned for youth 3yrs– junior high (younger than 3 yrs. must be accompanied by an adult) for the summer. Every Tuesday from July-August the Schulman Theater is having movies especially for the kids at 9 AM. The admission will be \$ .50 and they will have a popcorn & drink special for \$3.50. All these proceeds will be donated to the “Blankets for Bears” charity. There is a schedule of the movies to be shown on the youth board, across from the high school class, in the hallway. We plan on meeting the kids at the Schulman Theater on these Tuesdays. We would love to have parents stay with the children, but if you can't, please check your child in with either Amanda Lane, Danna Collins, Brandy Baker or Jennifer Sparks. The first movie to be shown on July 2nd, will be the Smurfs. Please check the board for future movies and other activities planned. We hope you will all plan to bring your children.

DOOR GREETERS June 30, 2013

Fred & Beth Freeman

COMMUNION PREPARATION  
June 30, 2013

Jimmy & Jeanette Alford

# Gospel Worker

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FOX 29, Bryan-College Station, TX.  
NBC 53– Lufkin, TX.

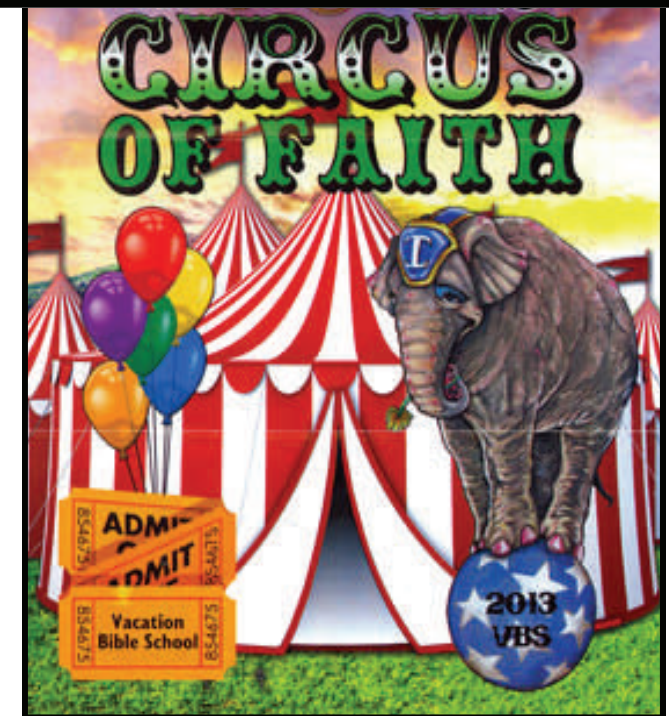
### ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class  
10:30 AM Worship  
6:00 PM Evening  
Wed: 7:00 PM

# “SUPER TUESDAY” V.B.S

## This Tuesday, June 25th, from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Invite all your friends and neighbor children for our “SUPER TUESDAY V.B.S.



**SUPER TUESDAY V.B.S.**  
**This Tuesday morning. Invite others to attend.**



*From Dan's desk:*

Thanks to all who had a part in planning and preparing for the "DONUTS WITH DAD" last Sunday morning. We had a great attendance and we all enjoyed being together. Thanks again to George for taking pictures of the event. All the "goodies were great." It was a great day. We had several guests in the audience, even though we had several out of town to be with their fathers. If you are visiting with us this morning (and we know we have several guests today) we are so happy to have you with us. We hope you will come again whenever you have the opportunity. We hope you will stay for lunch. WE are having our quarterly fellowship luncheon today. The food is delicious and the fellowship will be equal to it. Our SUPER TUESDAY V.B.S. will take place day after tomorrow. Be sure to bring the neighborhood children. It will be a fun day for all who attend. We have a lot of things planned for the children. A big thank you to all the teachers, helpers and just everyone who serves in any way to make the event successful this year. On Sunday, June 30, following the evening worship service we will have a watermelon supper. Watermelons will be furnished. We hope you will plan to stay and enjoy this annual event. See you tonight.

**PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES**



**TO KEEP  
 IN OUR PRAYERS**

**JOANN JOHNSON** was released from the hospital and is recovering at Palestine Healthcare for rehab.

**JIM DAVIS** had a pacemaker implanted on Tuesday. He is doing well.

**JEREMY DEER**, son in law of James & Linda Henry, had open heart surgery on Friday. Keep in your prayers.

*Continue to remember in prayer*  
 Linda Allen, Ed Furman, Gary Oliver

**COOKIES FOR V.B.S.**

If you can bake 3 doz. cookies for V.B.S. Tuesday, please sign the sign up sheet on the bulletin board near the office today. We need them here by Monday afternoon.

**FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON**

*IMMEDIATELY AFTER SERVICES TODAY. IF YOU ARE VISITING WITH US TODAY, PLEASE STAY AND ENJOY THE MEAL WITH US!! THERE IS ALWAYS PLENTY OF FOOD.*

**WELCOME VISITORS**

**A big hearty welcome to those visiting today. Allow us to meet and greet you following the worship service this morning. At the end of the service today you will be given a gift bag from our congregation. "It is a small gift, but it comes from big hearts."**

**"A Secret No One Could Keep"**

It all started long ago when a group of prospectors set out from Bancock, which was then the capital of Montana, in search of gold. After many hardships they were overtaken by Indians, who took their good horses and left them with only a few limping old ponies. The Indians told the prospectors to return to Bancock, and they threatened to overtake and kill them if they ever saw them in their region again. They felt their efforts had been wasted. Discouraged and heartbroken, they started back home. Along the way, they stopped beside a creek. One man picked up a stone from the creek bed, examined it, and, said, "It looks like there may be gold here." The others heard him, and together they panned about \$50 worth, a great sum in those days.

As they returned to Bancock they vowed not to tell one soul about their discovery. No one else was to know. Quietly they re-equipped themselves with tools and supplies for a return trip to retrieve more gold.

But, to their surprise, when they left to go back to that creek, three hundred men followed them! They questioned each other. Which of them had broken the vow? Each insisted he had told no one. When they asked the men who followed them, the only explanation they could ever find was that their beaming faces had betrayed their secret.

Christians do not have a secret to hide, but a treasure to share. We have found the true gold, the "pearl of great price," and there is plenty for everyone. Let those around you know it, not only by your words, but by your beaming face and your life transformed by your knowing Jesus. "Now when [the Jewish leaders] saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated, common men, they were astonished and recognized that these men had been with Jesus (Acts 4:13)."

"You are the light-of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven (Matthew 5:14, 16)."