

A LOOK AT THIS WEEK

Today: *No Sunday Evening Bible Hour* because of the Holiday weekend.

Monday:



Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. *Executive Board Meeting*

Wednesday: *There will be No Ladies Bible Study.* The last three weeks of study will be July 13, 20,27.

Next Sunday:

9:00 a.m. *Sunday School & Adult Bible Study Fellowship*
“Church supported Missionary, JoAnna Thompson, will be sharing in the Sanctuary with the Jr. & Sr. High Youth Sunday School and Adult Bible Study Fellowship classes.”

12:00 p.m. *Mission Team Meeting:* Youth Group will also be preparing, serving and eating at this time.

4:30 p.m. *C.E. Meeting*

6:00 p.m. *Sunday Evening Bible Hour* Jasper Franklin will be sharing.

FIRST CALL FOR HELP



Once again this year we will be collecting school supplies to help provide them for needy families in our community. Please watch next week's bulletin for details.

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Church Office Hours: 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Tuesday- Friday

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:15 a.m.

Sunday Evening Bible Hour: 6:00 p.m.



# Union Valley Bible Church

## Sunday, July 3, 2016

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**We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today!**  
**If you are our guest, we extend a special welcome to you.**  
**We would appreciate if you would fill out the enclosed Connection Card and place it in the offering plate.**

*Shine, Jesus, Shine*

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Lead On O King Eternal - Hymn # 483*

*America, the Beautiful - Hymn # 572*

### OFFERING & SPECIAL MUSIC

*"America Let's Bless Again" by Chuck Pyle*

### SCRIPTURE READING & PRAYER

**MESSAGE:** "What Makes Us A Family?"  
'Our Symbols, The Lord's Supper'

### COMMUNION

*White as Snow*

*Behold the Lamb*

*How Deep the Father's Love*

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A nursery is provided for children up to 3 years old near the west entrance.

The children ages 3-8 will be dismissed to Jr. Church right before the message.

**IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SEE THE SCREEN THERE ARE SONG SHEETS  
AVAILABLE FOR YOU ON THE FOYER TABLE**

**LISTENING HEAD PHONES ARE AVAILABLE DURING THE CHURCH SERVICES.  
YOU MAY PICK ONE UP AT THE SOUND BOOTH.**



Thank You for our time together at UVBC. The last four years at UVBC have been special in so many ways. We have made a lot of friends whom we will sorely miss. We have no reason to offer for our departure. We prefer to think we are being

lead, according to Proverbs 3:5-6 and not of our own reasoning. Have you ever done something you don't understand why you did it? That's where Rose and I are now; but we are in agreement with the decision. We will miss you the church. We covet your prayers in our travels and look forward to returning in the future. If you don't mind would you send CDs from time to time? We will advise of our addresses which for the most part will be general delivery. Thank you and blessings to all.

In Christ, George and Rose Maior

### GLORYLAND QUARTET

Sunday, July 17, 6:00 p.m.

This group is composed of a group of men who began singing together at Young-at-Hearts. Our own Ron Ogle is a part of this group. Invite a friend to attend with you! Special invitation postcards are available on the foyer table. Please bring a refreshment for afterwards.



### CONGREGATION POT LUCK MEAL & MEETING

Sunday, July 24, 12:00 p.m.



The Deacons will be providing an update regarding the progress of our second service research and planning.

### ANNUAL OLD FASHION HYMN SING & BBQ

Sunday Evening, August 7

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend!

#### For the Record Sunday, June 26, 2016

Sunday School: 131 - Sunday Worship: 199  
Talent & Ice Cream Night: 125

#### End of the Year General Fund

|              | Weekly      | Year to Date |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Budget needs | \$4,646.00  | \$120,159.44 |
| Offering     | \$3,342.63  | \$132,293.11 |
| Difference   | -\$1,303.37 | \$12,133.67  |

#### Missions Faith Promise

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|----------------------|-------------|
| Weekly Budget needs  | \$916.00    |
| Offering last Sunday | \$735.00    |
| Offering to date     | \$23,802.97 |
| Budget needs to date | \$23,816.00 |

When giving your Faith Promise or gift to missions be sure and mark it "Missions".  
\$115 given to the Good Samaritan Fund.

\$575 was given to toward the playground project.  
(\$10,027.46 in total has been given toward the project)

# WHAT MAKES US A FAMILY? OUR SYMBOLS

## PART #2

Jesus never asked His disciples to remember His birth. But He did instruct them to remember His death and resurrection. He gave them two visible symbols or signs, believers' baptism and the Lord's Supper, to be administered within the life of His church as visible object lessons of the saving truth of the Christian faith.

### THE MEANING AND IMPORTANCE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

We are saved by grace through faith..." Ephesians 2:8-9

Misunderstandings of grace:

"antinomianism"

"ceremonialism"

#### I. WHAT DOES THE BIBLE REALLY SAY ABOUT THE LORD'S SUPPER?

##### 1. Different views and teachings concerning the Lord's Supper

- ❖ Transubstantiation: the elements are changed into the literal body and blood of Jesus; so you are literally receiving Christ.
- ❖ Consubstantiation: the elements themselves remain unchanged but spiritually they are changed into the body and blood of Jesus when the participant partakes of them.
- ❖ Open vs. closed communion: only those of your particular faith or church can partake of it.

#### 2. The Bible's instruction concerning the Lord's Supper

1 Corinthians 10:14-17

1 Corinthians 11:17– 34

#### II. WHAT IS THE LORD'S SUPPER?

1. It is a \_\_\_\_\_.

*"The Lord Jesus, on the night He was betrayed took bread..." (v.23)*

2. It is a \_\_\_\_\_.

*"...and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, 'take, eat; this is my body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of me.'" (v.24)*

3. It is a \_\_\_\_\_.

*"In the same manner, He also took the cup after supper, saying, 'this cup is the new covenant in my blood; drink it in remembrance of me.'" (v.25)*

4. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ of faith.

*"For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes." (v.26)*

### III. HOW WE ARE TO PARTAKE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER?

*"Therefore whoever eats this bread and drinks this cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord. But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of that bread and drink of that cup." --1 Corinthians 11:27-28*

1. Make sure \_\_\_\_\_ is worthy of Christ, and promotes, not distorts the picture of our oneness in Christ.  
1 Corinthians 11:27-34

2. To the best of our abilities seek to clear up any \_\_\_\_\_ you may have with others. Matthew 5:23-24

### IV. WHAT IS THIS A PICTURE OF?

1. Our eating from the one loaf pictures our being the body of Christ together; of our getting along with one another, loving one another...etc.
2. Our drinking from the cup pictures the fact that we have entered into the New Covenant, our sins are remembered no more and God's Spirit now lives within us individually as well as corporately as the body of Christ. Luke 22:20; Hebrews 10:15-18

### V. WHEN AND HOW OFTEN SHOULD WE OBSERVE THE LORD'S SUPPER?

Jesus never said when or how often believers should observe the Lord's Supper. He instituted it on a Thursday or Tuesday night depending on when you believe Jesus was crucified. Since it is a "supper", it seems more appropriate to observe it at an evening service.

We are free to decided how often and when we want to observe it.

What is important is not how often we do it but that we remember the Lord.

## Prayer Sheet - July 3, 2016

### OUR NATION:

- Seek the Lord for a powerful spiritual awakening in our nation.
- Our leaders-to look to the Lord for wisdom & guidance in decisions that impact the course of our nation.
- The spiritual health of Christians to be a revelation of the love of Jesus.
- For homeland security forces and our military forces-wisdom in protecting Americans from terroristic threats.

### OUR CHURCH FAMILY AND OUTREACH:

- **Comfort**, for Jim & Juna Keever in the loss of Juna's brother Russel in Illinois last week.
- **Comfort** for Glenn, Theresa and Lane Lehman after the loss of Glenn's grandmother on Thursday.
- Pray for Diedre, James & Tracy who were baptized last Sunday who testified of their new life in Jesus to continue to depend on Christ.
- Clara Penner requests prayer for grandchildren, Nichole & Dusty to put their full trust in Christ.

### HEALTH NEEDS:

- Lydia Nickel, (a member living in AZ) oral cancer surgery Tuesday
- Tena Ediger, stent procedure for artery in right leg scheduled July 13
- Terry Field (Rusty's brother) healing and recovery following a 12 foot fall, has skull & multiple fractures & trouble with eyesight in both eyes
- Linda Headings, pneumonia & fluid on left lung.
- Theresa Lehman, (Glenn & Lane) awaiting surgery to be scheduled
- Janet Johnson, proper healing of broken finger
- Clara Penner's daughter, Twila, diabetic & has infection in her leg
- Ron Mulneix, constant hip pain; shot helped a little
- Harriet Smallwood's sister-in-law, Phyllis, is in a nursing facility in Cozad, NE. following another stroke (brother, Maurice)
- Rachel (Kathy Neufeld's friend's daughter) cancer-hospice, pray/miracle
- Carson Hall, age 4, Pam Krankenberg's cousin's grandson, brain cancer
- **Continued prayer:** Lynn Branaman (rehab), Dennis Friesen (knee)
- **Under hospice care:** Norma Wendelburg, Buhler Sunshine Meadows
- **Cancer:** John Janzen (Carol Scrag's brother), Dean Harrison (Chuck & Kay's son); Rollin Karg (Rick & Tammy Garnett's brother-in-law); Carol Gaeddert; David Gaeddert (Martha Caywood's nephew); Patty Greg (Kay Harrison's friend); Bobby Mahoney (Phyllis Viegra's son); Tittel's friends: Kayla Mason, Gerry & Joe Decker, Trish Lohr's husband

PRAY FOR DISPLACED & PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS AROUND THE WORLD

To start the prayer chain call Lois Ryff - 620-663-2493