

Announcements

- **2nd Quarter giving statements are available at the Welcome Center today.**
- Please join us in celebration of **Don and Donna Scott's 50th Wedding Anniversary** on July 18, 2010 from 2 pm-4 pm at Central Christian College-Broadhurst Student Center Dining Facility.
- The family of **Harold and Doris Short** are requesting a card shower in honor of the couples **50th Wedding Anniversary**. Cards of congratulations will reach the couple as a surprise at: 310 Berry Blvd., Rapid City, SD 57702.
- **Groom's reception for Jordan and Jennifer Fithian** will be held on July 24th from 2:00 pm-4:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The couple is registered at Macy's and Crate and Barrel.
- Join **Fellowship of Christian Adult Singles (ALL AGES!)** at the pot luck party, game night and praise and worship at Countryside Covenant Church 940 E Northview Rd. in McPherson it will be on July 24th 2010. Please bring some good food to share with everyone! Please RSVP to Tod at 620-245-4237 or Lisa at 620-245-4747 by July 22nd 2010.
- **Mt Hope Sanctuary** is looking for some volunteers to help in the office. If you can donate a couple of hours please contact Vickie van der Hoeven at 755-5998

Outreach McPherson

Do you like to talk on the phone? Do you like to help others? Outreach McPherson is looking for a few people to help with answering the phone messages that are received each week. Please contact Shirley Esau at 755-1155 if you are interested in learning more about this important ministry opportunity.

Weekly Giving Report

Monthly Budget for Four Weeks	\$40,071.40
Amount in July	\$21,977.78
Loan Balance as of July 9	\$99,434.34

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McPherson Free Methodist Church

*A worshipping community loving God and others
and making disciples for Christ*

July 18, 2010

Summer Series: The (Not So) Minor Prophets

Gather for Worship

You Have Saved Us

Join in Praise

*Because of Your Love
You're Worthy of My Praise
God of Wonders*

Worship Through Giving

*We Declare Your Majesty
Sylvia Wolcott*

Hear the Message

When a Furious Fugitive Sees Forgiveness Flourish
Dr. Robert Wolcott

Join in Prayer

Welcome to the McPherson Free Methodist Church. We seek to be a congregation that joins God's mission of sharing the gospel and making disciples. As His disciples become more like Jesus (2 Corinthians 3:18), the church thus acts as the body of Christ transforming the community and the world for the kingdom of God. Whether you are a first-time guest or a regular attendee, be certain to fill out the Friendship Folder when it is passed to you later in the service. We value your comments, prayer requests, and updates in regard to contact information. If you have children, we provide safe surroundings and wonderful activities which are detailed below.

Childcare Information:

- Infants-23 mos. cared for in main nursery.
- 2's cared for in 2's Sunday School room.
- Ages 3-K meet Children's Church leaders in the narthex at 11:00.

• VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL-

Please pray for the upcoming Vacation Bible School Outreach Event. Keep Jan O'Dell in your prayers as she helps to coordinator over 50 staff members and many, many children. Pray for the staff members as they prepare for this ministry. Pray for the children that will be attending that God will work through and bring many more into His family.

• HEALTH CONCERNS-

Jerry Alexander, Angie Bonham, Bonnie Boyle, Ruth Brandt, Lorinda (Quastad) Douglas, Noah Dossett, Lila and Cranford Ensey, Ilda Ford, Ruby Fern Huddle, Vicki Gillette, Virginia Moraine, Kent Noffsinger, Jan and Danny O'Dell, Beth Sherman, Baron Shively, Coleta Steers, Robert Whelpley

• PRAYER REQUESTS FROM OUR CHURCH FAMILY-

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor (Tamara Young's parents), Ruth Baker (Betsy's mom), Mary McNally (co-worker of Jennifer Pickerell), Kevin Wilborn (Brandts' son-in-law), Chris Keagle (co-worker of Roger Beck & James Berry), Braden Bishop

• GREAT PLAINS CONFERENCE-

-Superintendent Chuck Frankenfeld and Annie

• CENTRAL CHRISTIAN COLLEGE-

-President Hal Hoxie and Kathy

• OUR MEN/WOMEN IN SERVICE-

Cameron Blackford, Adam Ediger, David Esau, Craig Hart, Brandon Hawkes, Nathan Reagan, Andy Rott, Doug Vanderhoof and Tyler Wig-gins

REMEMBERING OUR GLOBAL WORKERS -

Marisa McHenry— Papua New Guinea

Free Methodist World Missions Hotline-

Taiwan: Feng Shan FMC will hold their annual summer camp in Chiku, July 19 to 22. Pray for the many volunteers who come together to share the love of Christ with the children in this community. Pray the children and their families will encounter God in a deep and lasting way.

Myanmar: Pray for the people of Myanmar who are experiencing a plague of rats. These packs of rats that swarm through the hills once every 50 years destroy crops and bring the potential for disease. A FM pastor reports that between 600,000 and one million rats have crossed the highway near Yangon, where much of the Free Methodist work is based.

Day	Time	Event
Sunday, July 18	9:15 am 10:30 am	Sunday School Worship Service
Tuesday, July 20	9:00 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Play Date at Jan O'Dell's VBS Meeting Women's Bible Study at <u>The Well</u>
Wednesday, July 21	5:30 pm 7:00 pm 8:15pm	JOLT! Teach Us to Pray Finance Meeting
Thursday, July 22	7:30 pm	Surprise Fun Day for Grades 1-5 Board of Administrators Meeting
Friday, July 23	Fast and Pray for Free Methodist Churches Worldwide	
Saturday, July 24	7:00 am 2:00 pm 7:30 pm	Men's Prayer Group Groom's Reception for Jordan and Jennifer Fithian VBS Kick-Off at the Water Park
Sunday, July 25	9:15 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm 6:00 pm	Sunday School Worship Service Biluminous Potluck Vacation Bible School Starts

Vacation Bible School-July 25-28, 6:00 pm

- Join us for a VBS kick-off on Saturday, July 24 at 7:30 pm-9:30 pm at the McPherson Water Park. Free Admission to the water park! Bring a friend!
- Thank you to everyone who picked up a snack card from the VBS table. You can place any snack items in the tubs under the VBS table.
- During VBS, we will be collecting the following items for **Mt. Hope:** 13 gallon trash bags, dishwashing detergent, bleach, Lysol, paper towels, gallon size bag-gies, and copy paper.

Community Reception for President Hal and Kathy

Join Central Christian College in **welcoming President Hal and Kathy Hoxie** to the McPherson community on Sunday, July 25 at 2:00 pm-4:00 pm. The reception will be help at the Broadhurst Student Center.

Habitat for Humanity

The Blitz Build for the newest McPherson Area home will be July 29-July 31 at 1st and Elm in McPherson. Volunteers are needed! Work day will be from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day. If the weather gets too hot we may start earlier in the day and quit sooner. Hammers, nail aprons, pencils and tape measures are helpful. Please dress appropriately. Water, snacks and noon meal will be provided. Minimum age is 18. Questions? Call 620-241-0886, or e-mail wparker1@cox.net.