

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

January study opportunities:

For all individuals who have signed up for one or more of the study opportunities in 2021, please plan on a brief gathering at 10:45 on January 17th to pick up your book and to discuss a basic rollout plan for study. Options for study may include small group interaction, a reading buddy, or email discussion threads to provide a means of continuity in the midst of the COVID pandemic. If you haven’t signed up yet, do so today, so that book orders placed this week may reflect the correct numbers.

Questions? Ask C.E. Elder Lejean Mitchell or Paula Dimler.

E & M: BAKING FOR BLUE: Love Lines

Thank you to all who have contributed either items or time to Bagging for Blues and Love Lines. A special thanks to Karen Samuels who made beautiful real evergreen wreaths for our five Love Line recipients. Remember that both these projects are on-going so keep those individually wrapped snacks for Bagging for Blue and items to hang on the Love Lines on hand...

BUILDING and GROUNDS: Old Windows

If anyone is interested in any of the colored glass from the old windows in Buswell Hall please contact Pastor Pat.

DEACONS: Meals

The Deacons kindly ask the congregation for more meals to deliver to our shut-ins and those in need. Please also feel free to bake cookies (or some other dessert) that freeze and thaw well. Please label those with contents and date and place them in the Deacon freezer which is in the closet in Buswell Hall.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN (PW): Scholarship

All Cody First Presbyterian Church High School Seniors and College Students may apply. Student must be an active participant in the church. Applications are available in the PW mailbox outside the church office. Place your *completed* application in the PW mailbox outside the church office or mail to 2025 23rd Street, Cody, WY 82414. **Application deadline: March 15, 2021.** Any questions please contact Sandy Klomparens at 307-272-0350.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN (PW): Circle Meeting

PW Circle meeting will be held on **Wednesday, January 13 at 1:30 p.m.** in the Parlor. Our study lesson is the story of Ruth and Naomi. Please read the Book of Ruth to prepare for the lesson. Remember to wear a mask and practice social distancing.

Welcome Visitors!

We are glad that you are here this morning.

Worshipping with children: Children are always welcome in worship. No nursery care is available at this time.

Listening Devices: If you need an assisted listening device, please ask one of the ushers and they will be happy to help you.

2020 ELDERS

Building & Grounds

Doug Williams (21)
Dennis Spargur (22)

Clerk of Session

Cathy Aardema

Congregational Life

Debbie Montgomery (20)
Patty Brus (22)

Education

Roy Holm (20)
Lejean Mitchell (22)

Evangelism and Mission

Connie Fisher (20)
Lisa Heimer (21)

Stewardship, Budget & Personnel

Dave Bensink (21)
Mike Schnee (21)

Worship

Jonene Geile (20)
Jennifer Chanley (22)

2020 Board of Deacons

Sean Murray (21) – Moderator
Chris Beers (20)
Jan Bensink (20)
Karen Snyder (20)

Carol Cherry (21)
Carol Leach (21)
Kennedy Corr (22)
Roger Kearns (22)
Quincy Sondeno (22)



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Baptism of the Lord

————— *Please turn off cell phones* —————
(You can also listen in your vehicle in the parking lot: 107.9FM)

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

OPENING HYMN “I Sing the Mighty Power of God”
(remember to hummmmm)

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

The powerful voice of God created all worlds.
That same voice calls us to worship.

**Ascribe to our God glory and strength.
Come before God’s glorious majesty.**

God’s strength shakes the wilderness.

That same strength is offered to people of faith.

**The flames of God penetrate our cold hearts.
May God bless all people with true peace.**

Come together to remember your baptism.

Gather to celebrate the Spirit’s gifts.

**The heavens open to us at the Word of God.
Surely God forgives and makes whole.**

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Office hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 am-3:00 pm

Creator God, you have created us, but we have chosen to go our own way. You have reclaimed us, but we have, by our arrogant attitudes and actions, rejected the claim. You have sent your Holy Spirit to break into our controlled and unimaginative routines, and we have not appreciated that burst of creative energy. We are ready now, ready to admit that our ways are full of dangerous byways. Our mistakes and failures have often come because, in our false pride, we have not listened to you. Save us again by your forgiving love. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI (Hymnal #579)
*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end.
 Amen.*

OFFERING PRESENTATION (*plates outside of sanctuary doors*)

SCRIPTURE
Romans 13: 1-3 & 8-10 (*NIV*) Page 1764-1765
Matthew 7:3 (*NIV*) Page 1505

LITANY *for the* DAY (*insert*)

<i>New Elders:</i>	<i>New Deacons:</i>
Jack Atkins	Bonnie Johnsey
Nancy Horn	Julie Wilson
Betheny Nieters	Sandi Yager
Michael Thomas	

WORSHIP LEADERS: Jonene Geile & Wendy Corr
MUSIC ACCOMPANIST: Tim Schoessler
MESSAGE: Pastor Pat Montgomery

Judgment *in the* Process of Time

What is “judged,” of course, is not this man or that but the system itself. At bottom it is the inadequacy in human nature that comes under judgment, for in the course of time it is human nature that turns the good thing into an abuse.

CALENDAR

9:30 am Worship Service
10:45 am Youth / Adult Sunday School Group Book Study:
 Church History: In Plain Language by Bruce Shelley,
 led by Pastor Pat

Outgoing Deacons:
Chris Beers
Jan Bensink
Karen Snyder