

Announcements

Pastor Henley on Iranian TV Program: Last week, Pastor Henley had the opportunity to appear on a live Iranian TV broadcast - he was on the phone here at 2:30 AM. The invitation came as a result of his editorial that appeared in the Mountain Express, expressing his opposition to the Florida pastor who was threatening to burn the Koran. If you would like to hear his remarks, please follow the links below. Above all, please pray that God will use his words to reach out to the hearts of any true seekers who may have been listening.

<http://www.youtube.com/sahartv#p/c/6F4FA1C6C815CED2/10/qXmqxfcQekU> part one
<http://www.youtube.com/sahartv#p/c/6F4FA1C6C815CED2/9/1YUYO0qEyH8> part two
<http://www.youtube.com/sahartv#p/c/6F4FA1C6C815CED2/8/It8JyKdB9VA> part three

One Combined Worship on Sunday, October 31st: We will have **one blended service at 9:30**, followed by a brunch in the Family Ministry Center. We're asking you to bring soups, salads, bread and desserts enough for your family plus 10 more. Sign-ups are in the Outer Court Gallery.

New Members Class: If you want to explore what it means to be connected in the family of faith at PCBW, you're invited to join Pastor Henley on Saturday, **October 30th from 8:30—3:00PM** for our next new members class. This is a wonderful way to connect with others in sharing our faith journey as well as going more in depth as to what it means to be a disciple of Jesus in the community of faith. Childcare and lunch are provided. Please call Tai in the church office to sign up to participate at 208-726-5123.

An additional 20's and 30's somethings Bible Study is forming soon. Meeting time will be during the morning or daytime. Please contact Kira Gray if you're interested at 208-720-2328

Ministry Opportunity: The Presbyterian Church of the Big Wood will participate in the mission of Christ in the world locally, regionally, and globally through our Missional Outreach. Our Missional Outreach Team will seek to discern the Spirit's work and direction, and then lead the congregation at every opportunity to support, send and serve Christ's mission, both fiscally and physically. If you're interested in serving with our Missional Outreach Team, please contact Mick Halverson at 208-309-0481.

Loving Our Muslim Neighbors: We are delighted that Nick Armstrong will be with us on Monday evening, November 1, at 6:30 in the River Room. Nick, his wife Laura and their children have lived and ministered among Muslims for twenty years in the world's largest Muslim country, Indonesia. Nick will help us understand some of the basics of Islam, help us understand both common ground and differences between Islam and Christianity, explore the anatomy of 'radical' Islam, and then how to share our faith with Muslims with gentleness and respect. This will be a unique opportunity for our community to gain the benefit of the Armstrong's insight and experience.

Micah Challenge Event: On October 30, First Presbyterian Church in Pocatello is hosting a workshop on issues of justice and advocacy for the poor. The workshop will be presented by Micah Challenge, an international Christian organization devoted to advocacy for key poverty issues all over the world. They educate and train Christians to be better able to follow our Lord in service and ministry to the little ones of the world. We invite you to join in this exciting opportunity to work with Micah Challenge and to learn how better to deepen the ministry of our churches in mission. There is no charge for the event, but limited to forty-five participants. To reserve your place, call the Pocatello Presbyterian Church office by October 22 at 208-232-3439. To find out more about the organization, visit www.micahchallenge.org.

Casserole Ministry: The freezer shelves are once again filled with casseroles and soups created with love to help those in our church family who are in need. The chefs this time are Sara Petit, Linda Menser, Ann Ellis, Sara Harkness and Sharon Bockemohle.

Updating Database: We are updating our church database and would like your help in keeping our information current. Please fill out the informational card on the table in the Outer Court Gallery and turn it into the church office as soon as possible or e-mail it to office@pcbww.org.

Cell Phones: Please turn your cell phones off before the beginning of the worship service! Thank you.

Coffee Hour: Please sign up to help with the 10:30 coffee hour and to bring goodies. Call Carolyn Palmer at 208-720-0676 or e-mail cp8811@cox.net.

Prayer Request Cards: Please place your prayer request cards in the box on the table just as you exit the sanctuary. Thank you for allowing us to share in this ministry with you.

Job Board: Are you looking for a job? Are you an employer who is hiring? A bulletin board had been placed in the Outer Court Gallery hallway for those who have been laid off and are looking for a job. If you are an employer or in need of some help in your home, please take a look at these candidates when hiring. The PCBW church family is at work in staying connected!

Resource Room: Check us out down the hall to the Pastor's Study, turn left, walk to the end of the hall, last door on right. ON THE CART: (3 possible choices) *Wild at Heart* by John Eldredge; *Epicenter* by Joel C. Rosenberg; *The Case for Christ* by Lee Strobel.

Special Recognition

Special Thanks

...to **Steve & Linda Tracy** for serving as greeters this morning!



...to **Mike & Elaine Phillips** for ushering this morning!

...to **Carolyn Palmer** for hosting Coffee Hour this morning!

NURSERY & SUNDAY SCHOOL

Nursery (infant thru 3 years old) Room 5 Tori Poole

For "wee Christians" who might be having a bad day, there is a **crying room** located at the back west side of the sanctuary nearest the river. You can care for your child while listening to the sermon over the speaker. *Thanks for your consideration.*

Nursery Notice: Snacks/water will be provided to all children in the church nursery. Due to severe food allergies, **please do not** bring any outside food/drinks. For more information or details, please contact Carrie Kotara @ 622-0548 or carriek@pcbww.org.

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
Sunday, October 17, 2010
11:00 a.m.

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11:00AM

Sermon Notes

Sunday—October 17, 2010
Pastor Bob Henley
“Stewardship!”
Matthew 25:14-30; 1 Peter 4:7-10

Prelude			
Call to Worship			
Brothers and sisters, we have set this time, this Sabbath, aside to offer our worship and our lives to God! <i>We have come to worship God with hearts and minds that are open to the joyful presence of God's Spirit!</i> God invites us to come, just as we are, through the grace of the Son, our Lord Jesus! <i>Let us gladly worship God!</i>			
Introit	Grace		
<i>Gathering Around the Word</i>			
Celebrating God's Faithfulness	From Psalm 145		
The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made. <i>All your works praise you, Lord; your faithful people extol you.</i> They tell the glory of your kingdom and speak of your might. <i>The Lord is trustworthy in all he promises and faithful in all he does.</i> The Lord upholds all who fall, and lifts up all who are bowed down. <i>You open your hand God, and satisfy the desires of every living thing.</i> The Lord is righteous in all his ways and faithful in all he does. <i>My mouth will speak in praise of the Lord. Let every creature praise his holy name forever and ever!</i>			
Hymn of Praise	All People That On Earth Do Dwell	101	
Prayer of Confession			
Gracious God and loving Father, forgive us for coming into your presence as we so often do, half-hearted and indifferent. You are glorious beyond our ability to conceive. Your goodness fills us with longing, a desire to see it captivate and penetrate the darkness, suffering and sorrow of our fallen world. Your tender compassion and personal care astound us. By your Spirit, stir us from our lethargy and make us fully alive to all that you are and would be to each of us in the grace of your Son. Help us live and serve as members of your body, through whom you continue to live and serve for the sake of the world. Amen.			
Moment of Silent Reflection			
Song of Response	He Is Exalted	36	
Prayer and the Lord's Prayer			
Welcome and Greeting			
<i>Proclaiming the Word</i>			
God's Word in Scripture	Matthew 25:14-30 1 Peter 4:7-10 This is the Word of the Lord <i>Thanks be to God</i>	NT27 NT220	
Anthem	'Tis So Sweet		
Sermon	Stewardship!	Pastor Bob Henley	
<i>Responding to the Word</i>			
Offering			
Offertory			
Prayer of Dedication			
<i>Following the Word Into The World</i>			
News of the Community			
Closing Hymn	Be Thou My Vision	562	
Benediction			