



# The Booster

## Calvary United Methodist Church

### July 2013

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#### Tools for Sharing Your Faith

If we are to be a truly fruitful congregation, it means we take seriously our responsibility to share the Good News with others who have yet to receive Christ as Lord and Savior.

So I offer for your meditation and consideration, the following:

"not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance." (2 Peter 3:9). We are His tools, but He is the power.

2 Timothy 1:7.. For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind."

#### Power

There are three supernatural change agents we can depend on when sharing our faith:

##### 1. The Power of the Gospel

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek" (Romans 1:16). Any rejection involved thus centers on Christ, not you.

##### 2. The Power of the Holy Spirit

"But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me . . . to the end of the earth" (Acts 1:8).

The Spirit of God will lead you, empower you, and enable you.

"And when He [the Holy Spirit] has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness and of judgment" (John 16.8). The Holy Spirit specifically does so by using the Word of God.

##### 3. The Power of Prayer

When we pray for an unbelieving friend, we confess our dependence upon God for His leadership, His wisdom, His timing.



#### Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

You're invited to an anniversary party for

Melvin & Barbara Herring

Sunday, June 23

5013 Tyrone Road

2-5 p.m.

Your presence is the only present required.

R.S.V.P. 260 747-3826



The Family of Ked and Sue Herstad are hosting a Celebration of Ked and Sue's

60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

On Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>

from 1:00 -4:00 pm

in the Fellowship Hall

Please join us to celebrate this wonderful occasion!

Kim & Terri, Kent & Mindi Herstad



Calvary T-ball has 51 registrations this year with 5--8 kids on each team totaling 8 teams. We had some difficulty finding coaches, but parents stepped up along with a few Calvary youth (Erin and Heather Rowlett). Thanks to the Searchers for providing snacks each and every game, that is an added bonus to the parents and kids. God Bless and thank you so much!

The "Pink Ladies" Doni, Elaine, and Tammy

#### Spiritual insomnia

Studies show that most Americans don't get adequate sleep. Whether an overcrowded schedule or insomnia is to blame, the short- and long-term effects are alarming. It's tough to maintain a healthy mind and body when you're sleep-deprived.



Likewise, we require sufficient, regular quiet time with God to stay spiritually healthy. Even Jesus needed time alone with God. Luke 5:16 says Jesus withdrew to deserted places to pray. Think how much more we need to listen for God's voice and learn from his Word!

Did you know that you probably have Silver Sneakers insurance?

Did you know that you do not have to pay for any Silver Sneakers Activities?

Did you know that Zumba Gold is a branch of Silver Sneakers?

Did you know that Zumba Gold is for the elderly and is not crazy Zumba?

Did you know that you can give me music you like and I can put choreography to it?

There is an extension of Silver Sneakers called the Flex program that would allow me to bring this to the church.

I will eventually be offering a couple Silver Sneakers programs here at the church as long as this would be okayed by the Board of Trustees. There is insurance involved and if you are not aware if you have it or not, I can check.

Please let me know if you are interested in Zumba Gold. I would try to have this prior to my regular classes on Monday and Wed. This would be from 5:00 - 5:45. (45 minute class) This class is basically a range of motion class but on your feet. If you feel you do not have enough balance to move around, but you want to get moving, be patient and we will get the silver sneaker program up and running soon. I will know more next week. I did see a short pic of the class and I noticed people in chairs, therefore I believe at least a portion of that class will be in a seated position.

Please see me for more details. Donna 745-5607

### RUMMAGE SALE

I want to thank everyone who helped to make the Rummage Sale a great success this year. Thanks to everyone who donated the treasures and especially the donation from Vicki Yearling and family. Thanks to all my helpers: Marvella Overfield who was there from start to finish, Phylis Richter, Sheldon and Elaine Light, and Christie Lake. I can't forget Bruce who sacrificed his weekly Monday golf to help. The rummage sale would not be possible without all the helpers. All the donations and

the helpers allowed us to raise over \$1100 for the United Methodist Task Force of Habitat for Humanity build.

Thanks so very much. Nancy Lake

We are still in need of ushers, and greeters. How about volunteering to do a little ushering or greeting. Just sign up for one Sunday, if everyone would take a Sunday, there wouldn't be a shortage of volunteers. Usher and provide a service to your church and its people. Please get involved.



### Coffee and Conversation

The July Coffee Host— Adult Sunday school class



My special Thank You for the many cards received for my 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday! It was very meaningful to be remembered by my long time Calvary friends, also several new friends at Calvary. Pat Sprunger



People to keep in our prayers: Don Dennie, Paula Girdner, Olive Paxson, Lynn Umber, Tim White, Al Zimmerman

Nursing care, Assisted living and Homebound: Charles (Bogie) Boghosian, Gil & MaryAnna Brookhart, Edna Eickhoff, Norma Fisher, Paula Girdner, Delight Hostetler, Ruby McKee, Naomi Osborn, Evelyn Phillips, Jo Pond, Jim & Joan Roth, Al & Marge Zimmerman

Prayers for our service men & women

Benjamin Garrison is in Alaska, (grandson of Marge Hughes, nephew of Jay Hughes); Kent Taylor is in the National Guard Reserves, Nathan Stocking serving in San Diego (nephew to Phylis Richter); Brandon Fawbush is in San Diego (grandson to Elaine & Sheldon Light)



07/03 - Susan Walters  
07/05 - Mary Anna Brookhart  
07/06 - Rosmary Gable  
07/07 - Delight Hostetler  
07/09 - Delaney Herstad  
07/09 - Mallory Sheefel  
07/10 - Terri Herstad  
07/13 - Alley Broom  
07/13 - Karen Veith  
07/14 - David Tappy  
07/15 - Tom Pearson  
07/17 - Pat White  
07/18 - Ryan Kaiser  
07/20 - Maxine Leininger  
07/21 - Daniel Herstad  
07/22 - Elaine Rowlett  
07/27 - Heather Rowlett  
07/29 - Dean Walker  
07/30 - Hadley Herstad  
07/30 - Don Dennie



07/01 - Albert & Marjorie Zimmerman - 65 years  
07/19 - Ron & Bonny Nelson - 44 years  
07/21 - Tom & Anita Pearson - 34 years  
07/23 - Don & Gloria Dennie - 58 years