

**Missionary Update ... Dell Schultz** *servicing at the New Tribes Missionary Training Center*



In May our students and I spent fourteen days out in the woods with our 'Simple Living' class. The first night the temp went down to 37! That was cool, but I had a good sleeping bag. Two days later we got 4.7 inches of rain and everything was mud and water. I was glad I had my boots.

I used two walking sticks and going up a slope I slipped three times and fell on my backend, no hurts, and that was the first two days.

This was a rugged bunch! There was a lot of wood cutting, stacking and keeping the fire burning. No matter how good a fire builder you are, there's always smoke.

Everyone had a task and a part of the learning is about working as a team and that has its ups and downs, but all in all it worked well. They put up pole frames and covered the frames with plastic for sleeping quarters. For a shower, a hanging bucket and faucet. We carried water and raised a bucket with water over the sink area.

There was a class on small engines, how they function and how to repair. A class on how to cut slab board with a chain saw. They will use this when they are in a tribal area building their houses. Also, a class on killing a pig, bleeding it and then skinning it.

This was my third year but I felt I was more in the way because of the rain and mud. But I learned from my leader that I was a big example to the students and a challenge to other staff that could do the same.

**Prayer Requests:**

1. As I continue to disciple students and be involved in their lives.
2. For continued good health.

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**The ABC's of Becoming a Christian**

**A** — **Admit** to God that you are a sinner. Repent, turning away from your sin.

"For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." Romans 3:23

**B** — **Believe** that Jesus is God's Son and accept God's gift of forgiveness from sin.

"While we were sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

**C** — **Confess** your faith in Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord.

"If you will confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved." Romans 10:9

**Prayer:** Dear God, I am sorry for my sins. I believe Jesus died on the cross for my sins. Please forgive me. I ask Jesus to come into my life to be my Savior and Lord. Thank you for loving me and saving me from my sins. In Jesus name, Amen.



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**Welcome to Worship!**—We're so glad you have joined us this morning. If you are a guest today, please fill out a Covenant Connect card and place it in the offering. **Children's Church** (10:30am service) is for 3-year olds—2nd grade. The children gather in the Cubbies Room downstairs after the announcements are given.

**Benefit**—A benefit lunch will be held today following the second service for Aurora Tajah, daughter of Kristina Bodenstab. Aurora is 16 months old and has a tumor that needs attention. She will be going to Duluth for an MRI in July. Please join us for this event.

**Pastoral Search Committee** — Please continue to pray for our search committee. Members are:

- Carol Anderson
- Beth Nelson
- Eric Todd
- Rod Enns
- Kristy Hufnagle
- David Hebig
- Andy Hedlund

**Serving Opportunity** — If you enjoy working with children, we have opportunities for you to do so this summer!

- Kids Club at South Falls Apartments
- Children's Church

These are opportunities for teens and adults. Please pray about how you can help and call Lynn Peterson at 218.324.0508.

**Prayer Meeting** — Join others every Monday night at 6:30pm in the Sparky Room for a time of prayer.

**Celebrate Recovery** — every Tuesday at 7pm in Room 200. CR is open to anyone who struggles with hurts, habits and hang-ups. We all have some type of problem in our lives that we need extra help with.

**Prayer Chain** — If you have a prayer request or would like to be added to the prayer chain, please email Sue Natysin at ifeccprayer-chain@gmail.com or snatysin@gmail.com.

## Community Opportunities ...



**Memorial Butterfly Release** — A fundraiser for Fairview Range Home Care & Hospice. The deadline to order is July 1. There is additional information and order sheets in the lobby.

## We All Need a Shepherd

### Psalm 23

God, my shepherd! I don't need a thing. .... True to your word, you let me catch my breath. Psalm 23:1, 3 (Message)

We are his people, the sheep of his pasture. Psalm 100:3

1. \_\_\_\_\_

He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Psalm 23:2, 3 (NIV)

**A. Our Shepherd Provides** \_\_\_\_\_.

If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him. John 7:37, 38 (NIV)

**B. Our Shepherd Provides** \_\_\_\_\_.

He restores my soul. Psalm 23:3 (NIV)

And I will restore or replace for you the years that the locust has eaten ... Joel 2:25 (Amp)

**C. Our Shepherd Provides** \_\_\_\_\_.

He guides me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Ps. 23:3 (NIV)

I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you. Psalm 32:8 (NIV)

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Even when the way goes through Death Valley, I'm not afraid when you walk at my side. Psalm 23:4 (Message)

I will never leave you nor forsake you. Joshua 1:5 (NIV)

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Your rod and your staff, they comfort me. Psalm 23:4 (NIV)

You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world. 1 John 4:4

My son, do not despise the Lord's discipline and do not resent His rebuke, because the Lord disciplines those he loves, as a father the son he delights in. Proverbs 3:11, 12 (NIV)

4. \_\_\_\_\_

Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. Psalm 23:6 (NIV)

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may KNOW that you have eternal life. 1 John 5:13 (NIV)