

NEWSLETTER



BROOKINGS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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From the Pastor's Desk...

Dear Brookings Family,

Linda and I are glad to be back home after attending the North American Ministerial Meeting, General Conference, and Oregon Camp Meeting. We both came away after these meetings with a renewed desire to share Jesus and His last day message with those living in Curry County. While attending these meetings, I was able to gather some new sermon ideas. Today's sermon is the result of a workshop led by Shawn Boonstra.

This month the Nominating Committee needs to begin its work. Please prayerfully consider where you can serve. You will find some green slips in

the bulletin that I ask you to complete, and either return them to me or a deacon. Having these forms will aid us in the selection of our new ministry officers and teams.

On Sabbath August 8, I will be having communion for the Gold Beach Church. It really is not possible for me to do this, and still make it to Brookings in time for the church service here. My dear wife, Linda, was asked to give the sermon a couple months ago for the Coquille Seventh-day Adventist Church. And so I have asked her to preach in my place here on August 8.

On Sabbath August 15, Better Life Television is

coming to televise our church service. This hour-long program will then be aired over KBLN television. There are many people who still have negative feelings about our church. So my topic will be, "Is the Seventh-day Adventist Church a Cult?". Please plan on coming, bring a friend or two, and pray that this message will open hearts and doors.

I felt that our first Evangelism Town Hall meeting on July 18 was very successful. On August 22 at 6pm we will have our second Evangelism Town Hall meeting after we have been able to enjoy some summer refreshments together. During this meeting we will talk about more specific

plans for our "Cycle of Evangelism". Please plan to attend, and let Lyn know if you can provide a fresh fruit dish, a fruit dessert, or some cookies.

There are a number of our members who are having health issues. Please pray for them. Our church is about service. When we pray we are serving God and others. When we bless others, we in turn are blessed.

Love, Pastor & Linda Shultz

Upcoming Events

- ◆ Sunday, August 2, 2015 (Tomorrow!) is the baby shower brunch for Jack & Brooke Kirk at 11 AM. The shower is hosted by Sarah Kirk.
- ◆ Adventist Laymen and Services Industries, better known as ASI, is having their annual convention August 5-8 in Spokane, Washington. Many of the presentations will be aired on 3 ABN and the Hope channel.
- ◆ All-Church Potluck will be on August 15, the third Sabbath in August.

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