

Church News

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

We have all heard the story of Adam and Eve and how they ate the fruit of the tree God had forbidden them to eat. And how they were thrown out of the Garden of Eden as a result. But what of the serpent that had tempted Eve to eat the forbidden fruit? How many of us remember what the wrath of God inflicted upon it?

In Genesis, Chapter 3, we learn that, “The Lord God said to the serpent, ‘Because you have done this, cursed are you among all animals and among all wild creatures; upon your belly you shall go, and

dust you shall eat all the days of your life. I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will strike your head, and you will strike his heel.”

Such was the punishment God commanded. Such was his anger at both the snake and the woman for not abiding by his rule. And the lesson for us? Perhaps it is to remember how severe the punishment was for the snake and the woman for breaking one of God’s commands. A sobering thought if we reflect

on our own daily actions and activities.....how many of them are in direct conflict with God’s commands?

Church calendar:

Thursday, June 13, 4:00 PM, Good Shepherd Singers rehearse;

Sunday, June 16, 9:15 AM, All-Comers Bible Class, 10:00 AM, Worship and Communion.

Bridgeview Community Church

“The heart of Jesus”

Matthew 8

There were three groups of people in Jesus’ day who were absolutely, irrefutably looked down upon.

The first group was lepers. Lepers were believed to have been smitten by God. Lepers were banished from society. Leprosy was the AIDS of that day.

The second group was women. Jewish men felt that women were necessary for the propagation of the race, but outside of that, they didn’t have a whole lot of value.

The third group looked down upon was Gentiles—everyone who was not a Jew. The Jews basically believed that Gentiles existed only as fuel for the fires

of hell. With this in mind, check out Matthew 8, where the first three healing miracles Matthew recorded involved a leper, a Gentile, and a woman. Matthew’s readers must have said, “What are you trying to tell us, Matthew, that the kingdom of God includes lepers, Gentiles, and women? This thing is more inclusive and more expansive than anything we’ve ever heard.” And Matthew would have said, “That’s the point. The kingdom Jesus is building is a lot different from what the religious people think it is.”

Join us this Sunday for Father’s Day as we celebrate our earthly fathers and our heavenly father.

**Warmest Regards,
Pastor Sonny Moore**

Community Bible Church

In What Do You Hope?

“For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope.” Romans 15:4

When the church began two thousand years ago, before Jesus’ apostles had written anything, they already had a foundation for their beliefs established by what was

written in the Old Testament. That Jesus would be born in Bethlehem was recorded by the prophet Micah in chapter 5, verse 2 of his book - 700 years before it happened! That Jesus would be born in the lineage of King David is recorded in Isaiah 9:7. It was written in Zechariah 9:9 that Jesus would enter Jerusalem riding a donkey’s colt amid rejoicing. This event is recorded in the book of Mark chapter 11. We celebrate it (Palm

Sunday) every year just before we celebrate Jesus’ resurrection (Easter). This event was foretold about 520 years before it occurred. But for me, maybe the absolutely, most amazing Old Testament record of Jesus’ life was His crucifixion recorded in the book of Psalms, chapter 22 - over one thousand years before it occurred! You should read Psalm 22:1 and then verses 14-18 and compare that to the accounts of Jesus’ crucifixion in the

books of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. These are only a few of many things the Old Testament records about Jesus. As our beginning verse stated, these things were written for our learning, comfort, and hope. By the way, what do you hope in?

In Christ, Pastor Dave

Ministry at CBC

Sunday
Morning Worship 10:30 am
Praise and Prayer 6:00 pm

Community Christian Academy
Preschool – High School
Limited openings

Backyard bird watching with Harry: by Harry Johnson

Well it’s taken them time to get to the Illinois Valley, but my hummingbirds are finally showing up. I usually have 5-7 feeders going by now and I just this week (June 1st) put up my second feeder. I know hummingbirds are a favorite bird for most people, but just how much do you know about your favorite bird? I have a short quiz for you to try. It will test you on your knowledge of these small beautiful birds.

1. A ruby throated hummingbird weighs how much?
- A: less than two pennies
B: less than two nickels
C: less than two quarters
D: less than two super models
2. Approximately how many hummingbird species are there in the world?
- A: 16
B: 86
C: 330
D: more than 1,000
3. Hummingbird tongues are shaped like:
- A: A tube
B: A W-shaped trough
C: The letter Q

- D: A fork
4. Which one of these is NOT the name of an actual hummingbird species?
- A: Ruby topaz
B: Plain-capped star-throat
C: Mavelous Spatuletail
D: Glittering Awesomeness
5. Which of the following is the ONLY type of sugar to use in making hummingbird nectar?
- A: Powdered sugar
B: Brown sugar
C: White table sugar
D: Natural molasses
6. How do hummingbirds migrate across the Gulf of Mexico?
- A: They float on drifting palm fronds
B: Kind Canada geese give them a lift
C: Partly flying, partly swimming underwater
D: They fly across. It takes them 20+ hours
7. Why do most experts suggest a ration of 4 parts water to 1 part sugar for

- making hummingbird nectar?
- A: Because that closely approximates the sucrose content of natural flower nectar
B: Because hummingbirds prefer it
C: Because adding more sugar is too expensive
D: Tastes great, less filling!
8. A flying hummingbird can:
- A: Hover in place
B: Fly backwards
C: Fly upside down
D: All of the above
9. In order to stay alive, a hummingbird must eat:
- A: Up to half its body weight in food
B: Almost constantly throughout the day
C: Both nectar and insects
D: All of the above
10. Which of the following statements is true:
- A: It’s easy to tell female rufous and female Allen’s hummingbirds apart
B: The smallest bird in the

- world is the bee hummingbird of Cuba
C: Hummingbirds cannot perch because they have no feet
D: Hummingbirds sometimes kill snakes and eat them
- Answer #1: A. A ruby-throated hummingbird weighs less than two pennies.
- Answer #2: C. There are approximately 330 hummingbird species in the world.
- Answer #3: B. Hummingbird tongues are shaped like a W-shaped trough.
- Answer #4: D. Glittering Awesomeness is not a hummingbird species.
- Answer #5: C. White table sugar is the ONLY type of sugar to use in making hummingbird nectar.
- Answer #6: D. Hummingbirds migrate by flying across the Gulf of Mexico. It takes them 20+ hours.

- Answer #7: A. Most experts suggest a ration of 4 parts water to 1 part sugar for making hummingbird nectar because that closely approximates the sucrose content of natural flower nectar.
- Answer #8: D. A flying hummingbird can do all of the above (hover in place, fly backwards, and fly upside-down).
- Answer #9: D. In order to stay alive, a hummingbird must eat all of the above (up to half its weight in food, eat almost constantly through the day, and eat both nectar and insects).
- Answer #10: B. The smallest bird in the world is the bee hummingbird of Cuba. Hummingbird Quiz Scale: 1-4 correct: You need more protein in your diet. 4-6 correct: Nice job! A booklet on hummingbirds

- might help you do better. 6-9 correct: Your hummingbird name is Almost Brilliant! Perfect 10: You are a hummingbird expert!
- Just to blow my own horn. I took this before typing out for you and I missed one question. Can you beat that? Let me know your score.
- If you’re in Cave Junction on a Saturday morning, stop by “My Place Family Cafe” and join me for breakfast or just a cup of coffee. I’m there every Saturday morning with other bird lovers around 8:30am. We would love to meet you and hear about the hummingbirds in your backyard.
- If you have questions, or want to share your bird experiences, email me at birdwatching@frontiernet.net
- Q & A’s are out of Bird Watchers Digest and by Harry Johnson in O’Brien.



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Pastor Sonny Moore
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265 S. Old Stage Rd., CJ
Sabbath School - 9:30 a.m.
Saturday Worship 11 a.m.
Pastor Christian Martin
Church (541) 592-3218
Madrone Adventist School
541-592-3330

ILLINOIS VALLEY PENTECOSTALS
987 Caves Hwy., CJ
541-592-4716 or 541-218-2792
Sunday - 2:30 p.m.

IMMANUEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
200 Watkins St., CJ
Phone 541-592-3876
Pastor Charles Chase
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship - 9:15 a.m.
Child-care for small children

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
Pastor Dave Gordon
113 S. Caves Ave., CJ
Office: 541-592-3896
Email: cbccca@cavenet.com
Sunday Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Christian Academy
Pre-K to 12th grade
Awana - Wednesdays - 6 p.m.

ST. PATRICK OF THE FOREST CATHOLIC CHURCH
407 W. River St., CJ
541-592-3658
Fr. William Holtzinger, Pastor
Mass - Sunday 11 a.m..
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Sunday - 10:30 a.m.
Holy Days TBA

TAKILMA BIBLE CHURCH
10300 Takilma Road, Takilma
Pastor Dan Robinson
Bible Study / Prayer Time
9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m
Wednesday Bible Study
7 p.m

First Baptist Church of Selma
18285 Redwood Hwy., Selma
541-597-4169
Pastor Monty Pope
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship - 11 a.m.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
East River Street
& Lewis Court, CJ
Pastor Don Torala
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship - 10 a.m.
Tuesday Youth group - 6 p.m.
Church Phone: 541-592-2290
www.goodshepherdlutheraniv.net

VALLEY EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
498 Laurel Road, CJ
P.O. Box 1248
Pastor Marvin Porter
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
evfree@frontiernet.net
541-592-6160

FOUNTAIN OF LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
451 S. Junction Ave., CJ
541-592-3956
Pastor Mark McLean
Morning Worship
9:30 & 11 a.m.
Wednesday - 7 p.m.
Adult Bible Study

ST. MATTHIAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
25904 Redwood Hwy., CJ
541-592-2006
Rev. James Boston
Worship Service - 5 p.m.
1st Sunday of each month

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
209 S. Junction Ave., CJ
Sacrament Meet - 10 a.m.
Sunday School - 11:20 a.m.
Priesthood, Relief Soc. - 12:10 p.m.
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