

GRANT COUNTY SENIORS

**John Day Seniors**

Alma Joslin



Cornerstone Christian Fellowship. Helping the regular servers was Joey Eckel from Salem. He is interning with Pastor Levi for the summer and then will be back in Bible College in the fall. What a pleasant young man. God bless you Joey.

Andy Anderson led the flag salute and Pastor Levi asked the blessing, after a story as usual.

Veanne reminded everyone of the Blue Mountain Hospital Health Fair coming up on June 19 at the Grant Union High School Gym. People can still pre-register through Thursday at the hospital.

Veanne has money for scholarships for the regular blood tests but not the special ones. When you register just tell them you would like a Senior Programs scholarship for your \$35 blood draw. If you can't make it to the hospital to register, you may register by telephone to Ali Lenz at 541-575-1480.

Veanne also thanked Dale Stennett for cleaning up the flower beds in front so they would look nice for Fred Stoltz's Celebration of Life, held on June 13.

Sharon Smith won the Chester's certificate and Margie Parker won the lunch for 2 at Valley View. I would also like to remind everyone to come early on June 18 and be present for the presentation of the automated external defibrillator (AED) by the Blue Mountain Hospital EMTs to the Senior Center.

On that day we will be having homemade chicken fried steak and the following Monday it will be pork chop casserole with potatoes O'Brien and french fried onions. If you don't join us, you will be missing some real treats.

*John 4:7 - Beloved, let us love one another; for love is of God; and everybody who loves is born of God and knows God.*

**Prairie City Seniors**

Rose Coombs



PRAIRIE CITY - We've become well known up at the hospital lately, still investigating causes of Derrol's dizziness. The ear crystal thing was a proper diagnosis; the treatment did not eliminate the problem, although it helped considerably. So another series of scans and X-rays was ordered by the surgeon. A report is due shortly.

Meantime, Derrol felt so good, he volunteered to go to Camp El Kanah and mow the extensive lawns with their new super-duper mower. Wheee.

And double wheee: There were 83 names on the registration book for the meal last week. Buzz led the flag salute and Bob Meador asked the blessing. Our volunteer servers included Julia Davis, Molly Gill, Pam Howard, and Linda Boyer.

The \$5 in trade donated by Prairie Hardware & Gifts went to Laura Raines.

Our meal was comprised of apple juice, pizza, green salad, and frozen watermelon pie for dessert. Never know what you'll find here!

Visitors included Terry and Kay Steele from Ritter. Terry said his garden was rather sparse this year due to the weather fluctuations. So they are doing much needed work on the house.

Former resident RoseAnn Pierson Day dropped in, too.

The ladies from the Blue Mountain Care Center - Lorna and Jonie - brought Dorothy Blasing, Lois Hill, Eula

Thompson, Dollina Humphreys, and Bonnie Barton.

We had a special guest: long-ago resident Jane Meador Nagler, who has written a historical novel about her forebears and how they came to be on the ranch southeast of Prairie City. She graciously donated a copy to our library. This is one that when you take it home to read, you MUST return it to the library so someone else can read it.

I'm working on it now, so you won't find it for a week or so. She also donated a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the book to those who bought it today to our center. We decided to use that money to purchase items for our float in the Fourth of July parade. And for those who are curious, Jane is Bob's cousin. She and hubby Skip live in Wenatchee, Wash.

One of the mysteries that intrigue me is why certain people ended up in Grant County, and in Prairie City particularly. I found out some answers at the Cemetery re-enactment. Do you know why your ancestors came here? There may be a book in the answer! Check it out.

This Wednesday, June 17, will be our Father's Day meal, so come on down, over, up, or in, as the case may be.

Presidential Trivia: President Andrew Johnson never went to school. His future wife taught him how to read and write when he was 17 years old. President Gerald Ford once modeled men's fashions for Look magazine.

*1 Timothy 6: 8 And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content.*

**Monument Seniors**

Soo Yukawa



MONUMENT - Does anyone else just want to scratch their eyes out? I have been going crazy with itchy eyes. I've found some relief using allergy eye drops before venturing out. Looking on the brighter side of things, hey, at least my immune system is working.

School is almost out so maybe we will have more visitors coming to our senior lunches.

Last week we had chili dogs, french fries, salad, fruit, cookies and some cupcakes that were donated from a party the night before.

Thanks to our cooks Terry Cade and Heather Bowlus for their hard work.

Our greeters were Bob Blakeslee, Bodean Anderson and Marva Walker. Bob led the flag salute and Bodean prayed the blessing over our meal.

Dennis Abraham won the Len's gift card, and Sharon Falls and Doug Sweek both won a free meal.

We had 47 attendees and six takeouts.

There are lots of events that took place or are coming up. There was a board meeting after lunch, and there was a memorial service and potluck at the park on Friday, June 12, for Betty Maynard.

There will be a Monument Service Club Breakfast on the Fourth of July

at the Senior Center at 7 a.m. Volunteers to help would be appreciated.

There will be bingo on July 4, but no potluck. The American Legion will be cooking breakfast at 7 a.m. Sunday, July 5.

The Fourth of July celebration in Monument will include a school reunion, so it is going to be a big gala.

As I get along in my years, I find I appreciate more and more this country that I call my home, America - the land of the free and the home of the brave.

*Matthew 5:16 Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.*

**Church offers Bible school**

Blue Mountain Eagle

LONG CREEK - "Parables of Jesus" is the theme of the vacation Bible school offered by the Long Creek Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The program will be from 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon Monday through Friday, June 29-July 3. It is for ages 3-12.

For information, call Heather Morris, 503-386-5474, or Vivian Morris, 541-421-3868.

**Church Services In Grant County**

**GRACE CHAPEL**  
Evangelical Methodist  
154 E. Williams St.,  
Prairie City • 541-820-4437  
gracechpl@ortelco.net  
Pastor Michael Harvey  
Early Worship ..... 8:45 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer ..... 8 a.m.  
THURSDAY  
Bible Study ..... 6:30 p.m.

**Seventh-Day Adventist Church**  
SATURDAY SERVICES  
JOHN DAY  
110 Valley View Dr. - 541-575-1216  
Head Elder.....541-575-2914  
Bible Classes (all ages).....9:30 am  
Worship.....11 am  
LONG CREEK  
E. Main Street - 541-421-3033  
Head Elder.....421-3468  
Bible Classes (all ages).....2 pm  
Worship.....3 pm  
Tune into  
3 ANGELS BROADCASTING  
KSPL 98.1 FM  
Blue Mountain Cable, Channel 2  
Antenna; Digital Channel 15  
& UHF Channel 8

**Cornerstone Christian Fellowship**  
139 N.E. DAYTON STREET, JOHN DAY  
541-575-2180  
Sunday Bible School (for all ages)...8:45 am  
Sunday Worship Service.....10 am  
Pastor Levi Manitsas  
cornerstonejohnday@gmail.com

**John Day Valley Mennonite Church**  
Meeting every Sunday  
at Mt. Vernon Grange Hall  
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship...10:50 a.m.  
Pastor Leland Smucker  
Everyone Welcome • 541-575-5507

**St. Thomas Episcopal Church**  
Morning Prayer.....10 am  
(1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays)  
Eucharist & Sunday School.....10 am  
(2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays)  
139 S. Washington, Canyon City  
541-620-1436

**JOHN DAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
541-575-1326  
Marcie Collins, Pastor  
JOHN DAY, 126 NW Canton  
Sunday Worship 9 am

**MT. VERNON PRESBYTERIAN Community Church**  
SUNDAY SERVICE.....9 am  
SUNDAY SCHOOL.....9 am  
541-932-4800  
EVERYONE WELCOME

**Prairie Baptist Church**  
238 N. McHaley St.  
Prairie City  
Pastor David Hoeffner  
541-820-3696  
www.prairie-baptist-church.com  
Sunday School for all ages .....9:00 am  
Sunday morning worship .....10:30 am  
Awana (Oct.-Apr.) .....3:00 pm  
Youth Group .....5:30 pm

**VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
KJV Independent  
Fundamental • Premillennial  
Terence K. Crabb, Pastor  
A Bible-believing Church  
"He that hath the Son hath life..." 1 John 5:12  
Sunday School 9:45 am • Sunday Preaching 11:00 am  
Junior Church 11:00 am • Sunday Evenings 3:30 pm  
Wednesday Bible Study & Master Club 7:00 pm  
Saturday Men's Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm  
108 S. Washington Street, Canyon City  
541-575-2688 or 541-575-0844

**New Life Bible Church**  
Corinthians 5:17  
Every Sunday in the L.C.  
Community Center  
(Corner of Second & Allen)  
Begins at 4:10pm  
Contact Pastor Ed Studtmann at  
541-421-3888

**St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Church**  
Corner of S Canyon Blvd and SW 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Mon. - Fri. Mass - 12:05 pm  
Saturday Mass - 5:00 pm  
Sunday Mass - 9:00 am  
Confession: Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm  
Anytime by appointment 541-575-1459

**St. Anne St. Katherine**  
Dale  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays at 2:30 pm  
Office Hours  
Monday - Friday 9 am - 12 Noon

**Living Word Christian Center**  
Hwy 26 Mt. Vernon  
Celebration of Worship  
Sunday 5:30pm  
Kids Classes 0-6th grade  
Youth Connection  
Thursday 5:30-7:15pm  
Kids K-6th Grade  
YOUTH GROUPS  
Friday 6:30pm  
Jr Hi 7th-8th & Sr Hi 9th-12th  
PASTOR SHARON MILLER  
541-932-4910

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Sunday School.....9:30 am  
Sunday Worship Service.....10:45 am  
Sunday Evening Service.....6:00 pm  
Children & Teen Activities  
SMALL GROUPS CALL FOR MORE INFO  
Weekdays: Sonshine Christian School  
Pastor Ron Roberson  
Associate Pastor Brad Williamson  
521 E. Main • John Day • 541-575-1895  
www.johndaynazarene.com

**Historic Remnant Church**  
Preparing for Jesus to come  
Meets Saturday at Mt. Vernon Grange  
Sabbath School.....9:30 am  
Church Services.....11:00 am  
541-620-0340

**Redeemer Lutheran Church**  
Come Worship with us at  
627 SE Hillcrest, John Day  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Worship  
& Communion .....4:30 pm  
2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Worship .....10 am  
Wednesday Evening Bible Study.....6 pm  
For information: 541-575-2348

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School.....10 am  
Church.....11 am  
Afternoon Service.....1 pm  
No Mid-week Services  
Pastor Ray Isenberger  
300 W. Main, John Day  
541-575-1355

**Strawberry Mountain CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**  
Calvary Chapel Outreach Fellowship  
Sunday Services .....10 am  
Seneca Outreach.....2 pm  
Midweek Services also available  
170 SE Dayton, John Day  
2nd & Ave. D, Seneca  
541-575-2006

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday School.....9:45 am  
Sunday Worship.....11 am  
Sunday Evening Bible talk.....6:30 pm  
Saturday Men's Study.....7 pm  
Full Gospel- Come Grow With Us  
541-575-1202 Church  
311 NE Dayton St, John Day  
Pastor Al Altnow  
www.fccjohnday.com