

GRANT COUNTY SENIORS



**Prairie City Seniors**  
Rose Coombs

Cook Iva and helpers Donna and Pam served the meat pot pies from their rolling cart, while the servers brought out the rest of the meal: pineapple juice, cottage cheese, Waldorf salad, marinated cukes and rice/custard pudding for dessert. Bruce said it had been 60 years since he'd had rice pudding.

It was delicious, as was the rest of the meal. I gave all the mushrooms in my pot pie to Wanda. Made her happy.

Lorna and Patty from Blue Mountain Care Center brought Dorothy Blasing, Lois Hill, Dollina Humphreys and Marilyn Randall.

There were 75 names on the book.

My question for Soo is, have you caught the gopher? We have a neighborhood skunk that takes strolls around the yards. Wasn't bad enough to have the smell of smoke; he had to add his perfume, too.

Our poor little bedroom window fan ran two days straight to keep the smoke exhausted from the house. Then it cooled off and I've had run the heater a little in the mornings. Never a dull moment.

"Alleluia! A Celebration of Praise and Worship" will be at 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25, at the Prairie City Community Center. We have lots to be thankful for, right?

*1 Thess. 1: 2, 3 "We give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers, remembering ... your labor of love ..."*



**John Day Seniors**  
Alma Joslin

JOHN DAY - Had a very small turnout on Aug. 31. Boy, you guys don't know what you missed. We had chicken/bacon quesadillas, refried beans, Spanish rice and Mexican corn salad. Top that off with Lisa's homemade banana cake and you have a great meal.

Rick Rhinehart and Al Altnow delivered 22 outside meals and eight frozen meals to shut-ins. Senior programs manager Veanne Weddle helped with deliveries. Our greeters were Marianne Morris and Billie Bullard. Our servers were from First Christian Church. Alma Joslin led the flag salute, and Dale Stenett asked the blessing. The Blue Mountain Care Center gals, Lorna Askew and Shauntele Hicks, brought Marilyn Randall, Lois Hill and Donna Cox for lunch. We really enjoy these ladies.

Veanne announced we are low on take-home containers and also plastic bags. Please wash some up and bring them in. She also advises everyone to keep their phone chargers in their cars. You never know when you won't have any power in your homes.

Shauntele won the Len's Drug certificate, and Debbe Lambeth won the free meal.

On Sept. 3, we had approximately 56 diners at the Center, plus Jim Spell and Shay Lewis delivered 25

meals to those who couldn't come in. We had barbecued pork ribs with Shay's homemade apple butter barbecue sauce, cheesy potatoes au gratin, oven roasted corn on the cob, pears, homemade dinner rolls and for dessert, birthday cake.

The entrée was furnished by Tootie Cernazanu in memory of her late husband Jim. The birthday cake was baked by Chester's Thriftway, and furnished by Driskell Memorial Chapel, represented by Jackie Osborne.

At the desk were Marianne Morris and David Pasko. Our servers were from St. Thomas Episcopal Church. Jim Spell led the flag salute, and Beth Spell asked the blessing. Lisa Periera set the tables. Ron Dowse did the announcing in Veanne's absence. He announced there is bingo here every Thursday after lunch.

There will be a build-your-budget presentation at the Old West Federal Credit Union from noon-2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 14.

September birthdays are Marianne Morris, Margaret Glass and Don Porter.

Sharon Smith won the Chester's gift certificate and Everett Swayne won the lunch for two at Valley View.

Lunch on Thursday, Sept. 10, will be "gold miner's chicken," served with rice pilaf and who knows what else. We also have some sort of surprise.

*John 20:31 "But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing in Him you will have life."*



**Monument Seniors**  
Soo Yukawa

MONUMENT - Dare I say that we got a glimpse of what this winter is going to be like?

We woke up to our house being 66 degrees F. one day this past week. I even heard some people turned on the heat in their house. Wow! Are we not still in summer? My hubby showed me a little article that said it actually snowed in John Day? What? Praise the Lord! The rain and snow to help stop the fire, in the middle of September - God is good, all the time. Coincidence? I think not.

The breakfast fundraiser by the 4-H group raised over \$1,000 for the fire victims. We thank the group and the people who came out in support.

The women's get-together for sewing quilts will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 10. We have changed the venue; it will most likely be at Monument Bible Fellowship in Monument. We will sew and tie quilts for people in John Day, Prairie City and Canyon City who lost everything in the recent fires, to show them that we love and care for them, and mourn with them through their trials and loss. If you can, we

hope you can join us.

Our Sept. 1 lunch had 54 guests and three take-outs. Our greeters were Bob Blakeslee, Jimmy Cole and Marva Walker. Bob led the flag salute, and Bodean Anderson prayed the blessing over the meal. Our wonderful cooks whipped up all kinds of different and tasty pizza. We had a nice green salad to go along with the pizza, sliced pears and chocolate chip cookies for dessert. Sharon Falls won the Chester's gift card, Donna Campbell won the Len's gift card and Sylvia Cockrell won a free meal. We thank Chester's and Len's for their generous support.

I hope my tomatoes will finally start to turn red this week because I've heard we are supposed to hit the 90s around Thursday. Crazy!

Maybe all this drastic change in weather over short periods of time has contributed to my cold. I hope I can keep up. I planted some trees thinking there might be a sudden freeze. I guess it pushed me to get things done which might otherwise have been delayed.

*Isaiah 55:7 "Let the wicked forsake his way, And the unrighteous man his thoughts: And let him return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon him; And to our God, for he will abundantly pardon."*

 **Capital Bureau**  
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**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  
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  
Thursdays - resuming in Oct  
Kids K-6th Grade  
YOUTH GROUPS  
Fridays - resuming in Oct  
Jr Hi 7th-8th & Sr Hi 9th-12th  
PASTOR SHARON MILLER  
541-932-4910  
www.livingwordcc.com

**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.....12 pm  
Midweek Services also available  
170 SE Dayton, John Day  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 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