

GRANT COUNTY SENIORS



John Day Seniors
Alma Joslin

JOHN DAY — Monday, Oct. 31, we had a small crowd of approximately 30 diners for breakfast for lunch.

They served us sausage patties, biscuits and sausage gravy, scrambled eggs and fresh caramel apple crisp. Bonnie Kocis and Margaret Glass greeted us at the desk.

Our servers were from the First Christian Church. Al Altnow and Rick Rhinehart delivered 28 meals plus 38 frozen ones to shut-ins with the help of Veanne Weddle. Karen Barrieta led the flag salute, and Ron Dowse asked the blessing.

We were short on servers so once more Pat Amling to the rescue. Also serving were Karen Barrieta and Dusty Harris.

Veanne put out a thank you to Tracy Andrew for the eggs. She also told us her nose to nose elk story. I would also like to thank Veanne for doing the news for me while I was unable to do it.

The Len's Drug gift card was won by Norm Fowle, and Deda Porter won the free meal. Thursday, we had approximately 45 diners for lunch.

We were served cranberry Dijon chicken with rice, green salad, french bread, steamed broccoli and birthday cake. The entree was furnished by the Blue Mountain Eagle, and the cake was furnished by Driskill Memorial Chapel.

There were also 33 lunches

delivered out by Dale Stinnett and Everett King. Margaret Glass and Bonnie Kocis greeted us at the front desk.

Our servers, from the Nazarene Church, were Tracy Andrew, Dale Stinnett, Vicki Harrison, Pastor Bob, Judy Douglas and Nikki Essex. Dale led the flag salute, and Pastor Bob asked the blessing.

Veanne announced that she and Erin Osgood will be starting up a class on Living With Chronic Conditions.

It will start as soon as they get at least five people signed up. Dates and times will be set by the majority of the members.

She also urged everyone to get their reservations in for the Thanksgiving dinner on Nov. 17.

Last year, some were turned away as we were full. To make reservations, call Veanne at 541-575-1825 or either cook at 541-575-1825. Also you may contact Linda Stoltz on meal days.

Thank you to whomever brought the apples. The site council is in need of one more member.

The November birthdays celebrated today were Buzz Harris, Jean Willey and Deda Porter. On Nov. 10, we will have pork stroganoff with noodles served with veggies. Monday, Nov. 14, we will have beef stew and biscuits.

Nikki Essex was the winner of the Chester's Thriftway gift card, and Judy Douglas won the meal for two at Valley View Assisted Living.

Philippians 2:34 "In humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of others."



Monument Seniors
Soo Yukawa

MONUMENT — Well, November is now here. Soon, we will be celebrating Thanksgiving, and that means Christmas is just around the corner.

Did I just freak you out? Sitting here typing that made me freak out. I hadn't even thought of Christmas yet. I better get a move on so that I can have a picture ready to make Christmas cards with. Maybe I can have it sent out on time this year — hmm, highly doubtful.

Our first meal of the month started off great. Terry Cade and Carrie Jewell made us a nice dish of chicken Alfredo, garlic bread, a fresh green salad and a fruit cobbler for our dessert.

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

We had Dick and Pam Wanous from Spray join us for lunch. Donny Lippert won the Len's gift card. Ron Odette and Dick Wanous both won free meals.

There will be a Living Well with Chronic Conditions Workshop coming up. For workshop dates or to sign up, please contact Veanne at 541-575-2949 or veannededle@centurylink.net.

The Co-Op will be hosting a free lunch on the first Saturday of December here at the Monument Senior Center. I will have more details on the time at a later date. Just mark

your calendars and save the date.

Ladies, we will be having our sewing class this coming Saturday, Nov. 12. The time will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Bring your sewing machine and a dish to share for our potluck. Judy Harris will be instructing us on how to sew a fidget quilt. These are to help people with various conditions to calm and to soothe.

You can also bring your own personal projects if you prefer. In any case, we will have great fun sewing, fellowshiping, sharing and enjoying a meal together. Hope to see you there!

I finally went into my little greenhouse. I was dreading going in there because I hadn't watered in awhile and was afraid of what I'd find. I was pleasantly surprised to find tomatoes and some squash still there. I dug out my cucumber plants and planted a bunch of garlic. I also found, oh, I think maybe about a meal's worth or two of potatoes. They were kind of small. I did plant them a little late and in a small space, so I shouldn't be too surprised. I am going to harvest those tomatoes maybe next week. Hopefully the temperature won't drop too low and freeze them.

I hope you all had changed your clocks back one hour this past Saturday. Sorry, I forgot to remind you. Isn't it nice that we get that extra hour to sleep in, that it's not so dark at 7 a.m.? Not too crazy about it getting so dark so early though. Get ready, winter is coming!

Job 14:12 "So man lieth down, and riseth not: Till the heavens be no more, they shall not awake, Nor be raised out of their sleep."



Prairie City Seniors
Rose Coombs

PRAIRIE CITY — We had an increase in attendance last week that included some new visitors and some old friends that hadn't been here for a while.

Good to see you all. We are in need of more volunteers to help with the home-delivered meals.

You do make it back in time to have your nice, hot meal at the center. (Ahem.)

Buzz led the flag salute, and Jack asked the blessing. We want to extend our condolences to the family of Earlene Durant. She was a special lady.

The winner of the \$5 in trade gift certificate donated by Prairie Hardware & Gifts was Pat Amling. And it was Leonard Cardwell's birthday, so he and his family came and brought a birthday cake! Wow.

Others we hadn't seen for a spell were Norma Rynearson and Enid Boss.

Norma had some P.C. Calendar business to tend to. Our special visitor is a man who just moved to the area and our community.

There were 72 names on the book.

Lorna and Krystin brought Dorothy Blasing, Helen Ricco, Lois Hill, Marilyn Randall and Otho Laurance from the Blue Mountain Care Center.

Today's lunch was a hot beef sandwich — roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy and a mini loaf of bread to put it on. Pretty cute.

Veggies were little tomatoes. Iva made a pecan/pumpkin pie, and with Leonard's birthday cake you could have one or the other or both. What a deal!

Derrol is chowing down on the leftover potatoes and gravy since he has been upgraded to eating more by mouth. The swallowing test went very well.

We can start cutting back on the nasal tube feeding. Still has to be careful when swallowing, but it is much better. Maybe by Thanksgiving the tube will be out.

Mary Brown brought in a whole bunch of yellow tulip bulbs that she had just dug up. Help yourself. Our Senior Sales Store is doing good, too. Thanks to all who made donations and to those who made purchases. Certainly helps the bottom line.

It won't be long until our fabulous Thanksgiving meal, so I'm warning you in advance so you can be thinking about the pie(s) that you will be bringing in to the meal that day. (Another ahem.)

And how about those Cubs? Wowzer, dowser. What a game. I was home ill so got to watch it until the final shout by the announcer.

A perfect thing to have happen in this "interesting" political year, in my opinion.

Got a postcard that was mailed from Poland on Aug. 30. It was post-marked again Nov. 1 in Seattle.

Guess it got lost in the bottom of the mail bag.

Luke 19:10 "For the son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost."

Church Services In Grant County

GRACE CHAPEL
Evangelical Methodist
154 E. Williams St.,
Prairie City • 541-820-4437
gracechl@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 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
(1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays)
Eucharist & Sunday School.....10 am
(2nd & 4th Sundays)
139 S. Washington, Canyon City
541-620-1436

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

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

JOHN DAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday Worship • 9AM
(541) 575-1326
johndayUMC@gmail.com
126 NW Canton, John Day
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St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Church
Corner of S Canyon Blvd and SW 2nd
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
Monument - Sunday at 12:30 pm
St. Katherine
Dale
1st & 3rd Sundays at 2:30 pm
Office Hours
Monday - Friday 9 am - 12 Noon

Living Word Christian Center
Hwy 26 Mt. Vernon
Celebration of Worship
Sundays 5:30pm
Youth: 0-6th grade
Midweek Bible Study
Thursdays 6:30pm
Youth: 0-6th grade
Overcomer's Outreach
Saturday's 8:00am
House on the Lawn
A Christ Centered, 12 Step
Recovery Support Group
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: Sunshine Christian School
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
1st & 3rd Sunday Worship
& Communion10 am
2nd, 4th & 5th Sunday Worship10 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
300 W. Main, John Day
541-575-1355

Strawberry Mountain CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP
Calvary Chapel Outreach Fellowship
Sunday Services10 am
Midweek Services also available
170 SE Dayton, John Day
2nd & Ave. D, Seneca
541-620-0976

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