

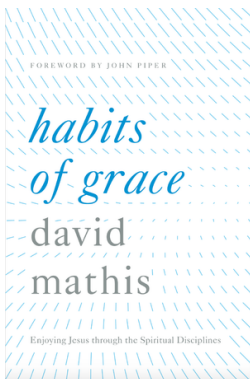
# BEAR BULLETIN

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BCC News



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**AT THE BOOK TABLE:** *Habits of Grace* by David Mathis. An accessible, encouraging book on the three simple principles we need for growing in Christ. John Piper says: "This book is about grace-empowered *habits*, and Spirit-empowered *disciplines*. These are the means God has given for drinking at the fountain of life. They don't earn the enjoyment. They receive it. They are not payments for pleasure; they are pipelines. All of us leak. We all need inspiration and instruction for how to drink—again and again. Habitually. If you have never read a book on 'habits of grace' or 'spiritual disciplines,' start with this one. If you are a veteran lover of the river of God, but, for some reason, have recently been wandering aimlessly in the desert, this book will be a good way back." Consider this book also for a graduation gift.

**AN OPPORTUNITY TO COUNSEL YOUTH:** Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup> (7-9pm), The Pregnancy Center is hosting *The Silver Ring Thing*, a presentation to high school students to encourage abstinence until marriage. The message includes a gospel presentation and an opportunity for teenagers to come forward for prayer. Both men and women counselors who have a burden for the gospel and youth are needed. If you're interested, please email Joe VonDoloski with Logos Public Charter School, at [jvondo@logoscharter.com](mailto:jvondo@logoscharter.com).

**HELP a Mother By Mother's day**, Sunday May 8, 2016. Buy a \$20 or \$25 dollar gift card for Human Bean, Wal-Mart, Cinemark Theaters, Apple Bee's etc... and donate it to be placed in the gift baskets being made for the mothers of *Sometimes Miracles Hide* - organized by *Joni & Friends Southern Oregon*. Place the Gift Card in the receiving gift box at the hallway at church. If you would like a tax recite please leave your name and address with the gift card, Thank-You! Tom and Debbie Eastwold, [tdmleatwold@msn.com](mailto:tdmleatwold@msn.com), 541-776-6315.

**THE LADIES PRAYER FELLOWSHIP** will meet on Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:00. We will be meeting at Helen Foster's home at 424 Coral Circle, Phoenix. All are welcome to come for some good fellowship and great prayer time. If you have any questions or need directions please call Helen at 541-535-6721.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** 2016 Joni and Friends Friendship Prom is coming up on SATURDAY JUNE 4<sup>th</sup>. We need an amazing team of volunteers to help put on this amazing event. Please contact Adria Tollefson at [artollefson@gmail.com](mailto:artollefson@gmail.com) for more information, or sign up on Facebook under *Joni and Friends Southern Oregon*.



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*Cornerstone Lecture Series Presents:*  
*Running the Race -*  
*The Practicalities of Perseverance*

With Guest Lecturer:  
*Rev. Daniel Hyde, M.Div., Th.M.*

*Saturday, May 14, 2016, 9:00am-2:30pm*



**Rev. Daniel Hyde**

Church Planter, Pastor, Author & Adjunct Instructor of Systematic Theology & Missions at Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary. Rev. Hyde has written a number of books including: God In Our Midst, Why Believe in God, & With Heart and Mouth.

**Registration: Before May 8th:**  
**\$25 Adults / \$15 Students**  
**At The Door: \$30 Adults / \$ 20 Students**  
**Includes Continental Breakfast and Lunch**

**To Register:**  
**Call 541-773-8163 or email [churchinfo@cccm.org](mailto:churchinfo@cccm.org)**  
**608 N. Bartlett, Medford, Oregon**  
**Childcare Provided**

## UPCOMING

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| May 14 <sup>th</sup>  | Cornerstone Lecture on Perseverance with Rev. Daniel Hyde                                       |
| May 21 <sup>st</sup>  | Sometimes Miracles Hide - see the Joni and Friends S. Oregon FB page for more info.             |
| Jun 19 <sup>th</sup>  | Father's Day Picnic (after the 2 <sup>nd</sup> service) at Holmes Park                          |
| Jun 30 - July 3       | BCC 2016 Church Family Campout  |
| Aug 6 <sup>th</sup>   | BCC Rogue River Raft Trip - see Doug and Robin Reed for details                                 |
| Sept 10 <sup>th</sup> | Bike Ride (or run) from Lake of the Woods to Fish Lake - see David and Donna Jordan for details |
| Nov 11-13             | Joni Tada Event at BCC!!!   |