

BEAR BULLETIN

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BCC News



January 1, 2017



MERRY CHRISTMAS
THE TELL FAMILY

THE TELLS IN THAILAND: Since 2000 the RICD Wheelchair Project has operated with the goal of mobility for all. It is our belief that no case is so difficult that we cannot make a difference. And it was no mistake that our 10,000th wheelchair to be distributed was an incredible creation, custom designed, created and fitted for young Pootawan... (Look for the full report on the lit table).



WOMEN'S BUNCO NIGHT: Ladies, please join us for an evening of fun on Friday, January 13th, from 7-9pm, at Janis Lockridge's home. We will play a rousing game of Bunco and enjoy getting to visit with each other between rounds. Bring a snack to share if you would like. Janis' address is 4359

Navarro Springs Ave, Medford 97504

CONGRATULATIONS to Nate and Nikki at the birth of little Jean (like the French for "John"), and to Scott and Violet on the birth of little Jayce. And thanks to those of you who will bless these expanding families with gifts of meals in their homes! We love babies, and especially when we are celebrating the incarnation of God as a babe.

PROTECT OUR CHILDREN SEMINAR: In order to insure that our Church continues to be a safe place for our precious children, and for the sake of the protection of all children in our entire community from child sexual abuse, we are hosting two "Protect Our Children" seminars in conjunction with the Children's Advocacy Center. We encourage all to attend, but especially any of you who have contact with our BCC kids through Sunday School, the Nursery, our Disability Ministry Team, or wherever. It would be useful for all parents, grandparents, uncles, aunties, brothers, sisters, caregivers, babysitters, etc. There are two seminars from which to choose: Tuesday Jan 24th from 6:15 until 9 pm, and Wednesday Feb 1st from 6:15 until 9 pm. Both will be held in a Medford Public Library meeting room. The Library is located at 205 S. Central Avenue. I recommend you enter from the Central Avenue entrance. No RSVP is necessary.



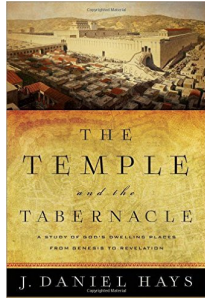
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AT THE BOOK TABLE: *The Temple and the Tabernacle* by J. Daniel Hays. This beautiful book traces the history of God's presence with his people in the Tabernacle and Temple, his leaving them due to their persistent and shocking sin, never to return until 400 years later the Son of God Himself walked into to the Temple. Visually stunning and theologically rich, this full-color resource brings together the latest scholarship and archeological discoveries to make God's dwelling places come alive for modern believers. It places these important structures in their historical and theological contexts, connects them with the overall biblical story, and shows how they bring meaning and depth to the faith of Christians today.

WALK FOR LIFE: This coming January 22 Jackson County Right to Life will host a "Walk for Life" event to commemorate the 44th anniversary of the Roe v. Wade decision. The walk will take place Sunday, Jan 22nd, at 1:30 pm, and the route will be from the RCC parking lot at 9th and Central, Medford, to Grace Point Fellowship on Fir St, where there will be a time of worship and Pastor Tom Sabens will give a short message. Thank you for your support and let us all continue to pray for an end to abortion. Blessings!

THE LADIES PRAYER FELLOWSHIP will be on Thursday January 5th at 1:00. We will be meeting at Helen Foster's home at 424 Coral Circle, Phoenix. What a great way to start the New Year by gathering with friends for good fellowship and prayer time. We have many concerns that need our prayers. Hope you will come join us for this short time every other week. For any questions or need directions please call Helen at 541-535-6721.

THE PREGNANCY CENTER is looking for a RN to train in, "Limited Obstetrical Ultrasound". This training requires availability to attend a 10 day course out of the area, on our dime. This part time position will be in our office or out in the community on our Mobile Women's Health Clinic. If you are interested please call for an appointment with Cyndi at 541-772-1921.

See www.bearcreekchurch.org for a list of our current small group opportunities

UPCOMING

Jan 13 th	Women's Game Night: A fun opportunity to get to know others in a casual atmosphere. Details to come.
Jan 24 & Feb 1	Protect Our Children Seminar - 6:15pm - 9:pm at Medford Public Library. No RSVP required
Mar 18 th	Women's Mini Conference - more details to come.
Jun 29-Jul 3, 2017	BCC Campout