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Mission #1

When you get to read this article I will either be in the air headed for Fairbanks Alaska or at Camp LI-WA. This will be the first short term mission that I have ever been on and I'm looking forward to being of service helping to meet a need.

Camp LI-WA is in much need of construction work. There are windows to be replaced, decks to be built, painting, electrical, plumbing, wood to cut, brush to clear, and the list goes on. Now I'm not your average construction or carpenter worker, but the camp is desperate for individuals who can help in whatever capacity they can. Fourteen volunteers are going to camp LI-WA having various abilities but of One Spirit to get as much of the work done as they possibly can in two weeks.

What I ask of you is that you keep the Alaska Mission Team in prayer. Pray that the team will keep safety first in their minds as some of us will be doing tasks that we've never done before. Next I ask you to pray that the team will be a witness for Christ as we work to accomplish each job. No doubt I will have many stories to share when I get back home.

Mission #2

This mission involves all of us at Busti Federated Church. The mission: "Reconnect 2018."

A lot of work has been going on behind the scenes in preparation for August 25, 2015. The Ministry Team has met a few times along with some of the Hamlet residents and business owners: Bob & Judy Shults, Dave Crandall, Hazeltine Library, Peterson Candies, etc.

Volunteers are needed in order to have a successful event. The signup sheets are located on the foyer wall under the big calendar. Take a look and see where you may be of service. While I'm in Alaska, Carol will need your help to work this "Home Mission" to get the area to reconnect.

Blessings to you all, Pastor Lee

## **Around the Church**

## **Prayer Needs**

Pray for our Nation & Military. SPC Collin Hanson Cadet Clayton Hanson Tyler Davis

Pray for those who are ill: Katie Lewis, Kay Calendar, Carol O'Brien, Jason Gould, Charlie Hannan (Cancer), Kitty & Manny Boutureira, Donny Dittman, Carol Abbott, Terry Lata, Bill Allshouse Dee Gould, Jennie Locke (Carol's Mom)

#### **Alaska Mission**

Please continue to pray for Pastor Lee, Ivan, Joel and Helen as they travel to Alaska to volunteer at Camp LIWA outside of Fairbanks. They will be departing from Buffalo on July 18th and Pastor Lee will be returning on July 30th while the others will be traveling home a few days later.

Thank you to everyone that helped support this mission by attending the fundraising dinners and contributing throughout the year.

#### **Church Parsonage Update**

Since I was decided to sell the parsonage we have begun the process of preparing a sales contract. We have been in contact with a local attorney and it was also decided to have the septic system tested before we were to far along in the process. We will continue to keep you updated as we have more information.

## July

### **Birthdays**

Pam Ellis	16 <sup>th</sup>
Julie Fried	22 <sup>nd</sup>
Brady Callender	26 <sup>th</sup>

#### **Anniversaries**

Jim & Julie Fried	10 <sup>th</sup>
Jim & Shirl Streib	28 <sup>th</sup>

## August Birthdays

Tom Bergstue	1 <sup>st</sup>
Greyson Lewis	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Colleen Anderson	12 <sup>th</sup>
Boyd Mattison	13 <sup>th</sup>
Pete Cash	16 <sup>th</sup>
Katie Lewis	20 <sup>th</sup>
Jim Fried	25 <sup>th</sup>
Paul Hazzard	29 <sup>th</sup>

### **Anniversaries**

Joel & Helen Davis	11 <sup>th</sup>
Tom & Caryl Bergstue	14 <sup>th</sup>
Lee & Carol O'Brien	21 <sup>st</sup>
Todd & Barb Hanson	24 <sup>th</sup>

## September Birthdays

Austin Lynn	8 <sup>th</sup>
Nancy Jordan	28 <sup>th</sup>

#### **Anniversaries**

Jon & Karen Putnam	2 <sup>nd</sup>
John & Deb Siggins	23 <sup>rd</sup>

#### Love INC

#### The needs our neighbors currently have:

Single mom with 2 kids recently received a twin bed is still in need of a full-size bed

Single mom of seven is in need of a full-size bed

Single lady recently released release from jail in of a full-size bed

Single mom moved to protect her daughter from abuse is in need of a gas stove

Grandmother caring for a grandchild is in need of a full-size bed, washer & dryer and toaster

Single father recently released from jail with 2 kids is in need of a full-size bed

Single working man with no extra resources is in need of a full-size bed

Grandmother getting custody of her grandchildren is in need of full-size bed, twin bed & a gas stove

Single man recently released from prison is in need of a full-size bed

Single woman with health issues is in need of a new bed for back issues

Grandmother taking care of grandchildren for addicted daughter is in need of a twin bed

Grandmother just got custody of grandson is in need of a full-size bed

Single mom of 3 is in need of 2 full-size box springs

#### Love INC Job Descriptions

#### Call Center Volunteer

Duties: Answer call center phone line, assist a neighbor in need with completion of intake form over the telephone, pray with neighbor, write neighbor an encouraging note and communicate with call center coordinator regarding neighbor's story

Skills Needed: comfortable on phone, comfortable asking questions, some probing and praying for others out loud

Minimal requirement: 2 hrs per week

#### Furniture Ministry Volunteer

Duties: Picking up donated items and delivering to neighbors in need and pray with our neighbor.

Skills Needed: Strong back and able to lift up to 50 lbs., able to climb steps, flexibility, ability to work on a team and willingness to pray out loud with clients if needed.

Minimal requirement: up to 4 hrs 1-2 times a month.

#### Call Center Receptionist Volunteer

Duties: Answer call center phone line, assist a neighbor in need in completing an initial contact form, pray out loud with a neighbor (If neighbor refuses prayer, pray over initial contact after completing the telephone call.) Greet guests, photocopy documents and pray with visiting neighbor.

Skills Needed: welcoming personality, comfortable on the phone, comfortable asking questions, the ability to photocopy documents and praying for others out loud.

Minimal Requirement: 2-4 hours per week

#### Storage Manager Volunteer:

Duties: Oversee donations in storage by sorting, putting away and gathering requested items for neighbor in need

Skills Needed: organizational and decision-making skills

Minimal Requirement: flexible schedule (based on needs and donations)



## August 25th 11:00am—3:00pm Lawson Town Park, Busti **Family Friendly** FREE FREE

## **Held In Conjunction With**

**Busti Hazeltine Library** 

**Busti VFD** 

**Busti Historical Society** 

Peterson's Candy

Lakewood/Busti PD

Live Music Sunnyside up

Wagon Ride to Historical Society and Peterson's Candy

**Hotdogs & Snacks** 

Playground & Basketball Courts

Fun and Fellowship

#### **Volunteers Still Needed**

FREE FREE

Serving Popcorn Snow cones Cotton Candy Helping to Lead Games

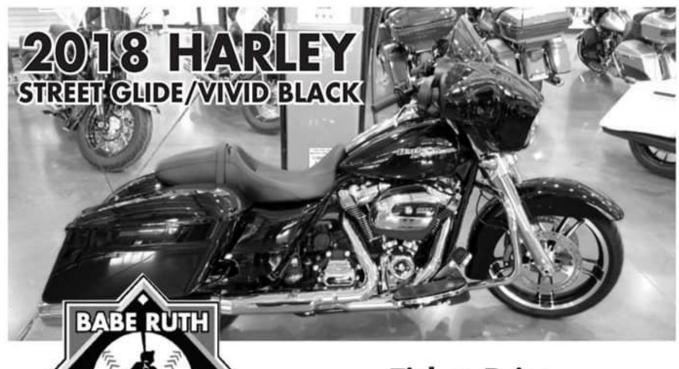
**Running Cornhole Tournament** Set Up and Clean up

## **Sponsorship Opportunity**

We will be producing a program to be handed out during the event. It would include the History of Busti and the community. There will also be local trivia and something for the kids. We are selling advertising spots in the book.

Business Card Size—\$15.00 Half Page (6.5"X4") - \$25.00 Full Page (6.5"X8") - \$45.00

If you are interested please contact CJ at bustifederatedchurch@gmail.com



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# August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	National Watermelon Day	4
5  Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	6	National Lighthouse Day	8	9	10	11
Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	13	14	15	National Tell A Joke Day	17	18
Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	National Radio Day	21	22	23	24	Reconnect 11:00-3:00 Lawson Town Park
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# September

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	3 Labor Day	4	5	6 Community Sewers	7	8
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If you would like to submit an article, information or event to be placed in the Newsletter please have into the church office by the 25th of the month