



**CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN
COMMUNITY CHURCH of Pine
River - NEWSLETTER**

SEPTEMBER, 2023

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“And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ,
After you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong,
Firm and steadfast.” 1 Peter 5:10 NIV

“Although the world is full of suffering, it is full also of the overcoming of it.”
Helen Keller

CHURCH CALENDAR

**PRESBYTERY MEETS SEPTEMBER 22 AFTERNOON & EVENING IN DURANGO
& SATURDAY MORNING MEETING**

SEPTEMBER 24TH SUNDAY – 9:30 FAVORITE HYMN SING! (before Worship at 10 a.m.)

BAYFIELD HERITAGE DAYS, SEPTEMBER 30 – 125 year CHURCH CELEBRATION
COFFEE & DONUTS IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL --- MANSE OPEN HOUSE
8:30 am – noon



SESSION met Wednesday, September 20th.

Pastor's Report for August: Total hours were 58. Approximately 13 hours per week. This included: Service Preparation x 4, Sermon preparation 4, PowerPoints and Bulletins x 3, Session Meeting, Hospital visit, Child Evangelism Fellowship Brunch, Cluster meeting, Social time with parishioners, Discussion with PNC Presbytery Liaison. Emails/texts/phone calls.

BUILDING & GROUNDS: Jerry Brown & Judy **MANSE open for tour September 30th, Saturday morning during Heritage Days parade and after.**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: The Wired Word continues to be emailed each week to membership. Sunday School discusses each lesson with Pastor Jane.

WORSHIP & TECHNOLOGY: Carol Blatnick September 3rd Communion numbered 21.

Sunday, September 24th. A favorite hymn sing beginning at 9:30 and during the service is planned.

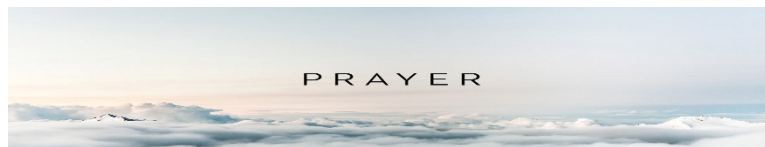
LOOKING AHEAD. HERITAGE DAYS IS SATURDAY. SEPTEMBER 30. We will be participating with our own celebration of **125 years** of anchoring the Bayfield Community with our Presbyterian Church. We plan to have Berry Hall open at 8:30 before the parade. We will serve Coffee and Donuts. We will have a Historical Handout available with a brief church history. The Manse will be open for tour.

KITCHEN: Judy There is a balance of \$406.74 in the kitchen account. There is also an amount of \$500 additional in the General account.

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“These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.” John 16:33 KJB

PRAYER REQUESTS

August 27th: Sherry Hughes will have back surgery the 28th. Senti nephew Roman has large brain tumor with upcoming surgery.

Our Melanie is leaving for new adventures! Callum is healing, somewhat unsure about his future. Pastor Jane reported that Amanda and Josh waiting for further tests on their unborn baby in the coming weeks.

September 3rd: Nancy’s friend Jim Shadid (Marilyn) missing west of Purgatory. Remember Carol Blatnick and her mom. Sherry Hughes’s surgery did help some of her problems – amen!

We pray that God comforts all those people in natural disaster areas.

Adi Hooks is sick and adjusting to college also.

Don DeWitt’s granddaughter gave him T-shirt that reads “Congratulations—you have a great grandchild due 3/14/2024” (Also LouRay’s day of passing).

Jayne Lyday is sick.

September 10th: Pray for rescue workers searching for Jim Shadid.

We keep Carol Blatnick, her mom & Lara in our hearts. We remember those transitioning from this life. Travel protection for the Browns and Lance Mazur.

We consider the great divisions in this country and world and pray for peace.

September 11th:

Keep Shane Dawson in your prayers.

Carol's mother passed.

Pastor Jane's friend Lloyd passed today. Prayers in particular for his son Mark to navigate life without his father and without his role as caregiver.

September 17th: Safe travel for Carol Blatnick after mother's passing. Safe Travels also for the Browns as they go to Minnesota for medical treatment.

Pastor Jane's nephew has nasty recurrence of leukemia. He has no option for treatment. Prayers for him and his family.

Melanie's friend Bob had a stroke. Joy for her mother's visit!

Losses in Morocco surpassing 11,000.

We are thankful to God for our congregation—for our session—for our PNC—and for the minister that God has selected to serve our church. Faith!

Keep Shane Dawson in all prayers. Also, for Roman, Senti's nephew as he begins chemo treatment.

COMMUNITY CARE & FELLOWSHIP: Nancy The women's bible study has provoked and answered many of our questions about life after death, all from the bible. It has 'laid to rest' many thoughts and opinions about this transition. See Thessalonians 4:13-18

Residents from Evenings Porch visited again September 9th. We played bingo and enjoyed Judy's beef stew and goodies. We enjoy having them and they enjoy having an outside activity!

Our Operation Christmas Child workshop on the 13th was more than an opportunity for area church project leaders to get shoeboxes, ideas and supplies. We met the new leader from Vallecito Baptist Church Kari Adamski, Mary Lovejoy from the Life Church in Bayfield and Pam Avila, leader of First Baptist in Bayfield. Alison Rhodes came from Pine Valley Church. Ignacio Baptist church was here with their enthusiastic team. Our own Pastor Jane also came for the workshop. The **Shoebox Packing Party** with the Heritage Family girl and boy scouts is tentatively scheduled for the third week in October.

This church **newsletter** is emailed and mailed to our membership and friends. If you have friends who would like to receive it please contact Nancy at nancysenti@gmail.com or 970-749-7807 (text, also).

MISSION: Pine River Shares open Monday - Thursday for our food and clothing donations.

PNC: Our ministerial search continues.

NEXT SESSION MEETING IS Wednesday, September 20, 2023 AT 5:30 P.M. Session Elders are Jerry Brown, Carol Blatnick, Judy Norton (Treasurer), Nancy Senti