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# THE BETHEL CONNECTION

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## The New Thing

This is where you'll find our new library! On the second Wednesday of every month, the newsletter will have a "Book Look," which will feature a book, an article, a book review, or a website that offers great resources. We'll let you know how to hook up with these, and you can take it from there. The goal is not only to help you in your walk with Christ generally, but also to speak to specific interests.

We also want to feature book reviews from our own congregation! If you have read an excellent Christ-centered non-fiction book and would be willing to write a 200-word review, contact MaryAnn Fritz (info below). We have an easy, half-page form that will give you some good ideas on what to include in your review. We can even give you a book if you don't have one of your own!

I'd like to start the ball rolling by mentioning one of my favorite websites: <http://www.challies.com>, website of author and pastor Tim Challies. Across the top you'll see "Articles, Book Reviews, and Topics" (as well as bio and subscribing info). Each of these headers has a drop-down menu that takes you to a great variety of resources, including some on current issues. Check it out! Tim also has a Facebook page that offers a daily article. Just search for Tim Challies, and "like" the page. He's good.

If you have ideas, suggestions, or want to review a book, please contact MaryAnn at [maryann.fritz1@gmail.com](mailto:maryann.fritz1@gmail.com) or 574-225-0290 (cell)

Thanks, friends! I'm looking forward to this!

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We are looking forward to hearing from Dr. Wayne Vanderwier this week during the morning worship service! Dr. Vanderwier is the *Director-at-Large; Chairman, Board of Directors* for Overseas Instruction in Counseling. OIC is a ministry that trains Biblical Counselors around the world. In a typical year, the Vanderwiers are busy traveling to many different countries, equipping leaders to share the Gospel. Of course, 2020 was a different story! They were able to stay connected to their different ministries via Zoom and are looking forward to returning to traveling in the coming weeks. It's always an encouragement to hear from Dr. Wayne!

Sunday School will begin **2/7/21** with something for all ages from nursery to adult.

All Sunday School classes will run after the morning worship from 10:30-11:30.

Sunday School				
Class	Age	Location	Studying	Snacks
Nursery	0-1 year olds	Baby Nursery		Each kids' class will have a snack in their own room.
Pre-School	2-5 year olds	Toddler Nursery	Natalie and Brenna will teach children about God's love for us.	
Elementary	Kindergarten-5 <sup>th</sup> grade	West Fellowship	Melody, Dana, and Sandi will teach about the life of Christ beginning in Matthew.	
Youth Group	6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> grades	Loft	Bible study on 1 Peter.	Prepackaged snacks and coffee will be set up in the main kitchen to pick up and take to your class.
Homebuilders Plus	Adult	Gym	Teaching team of Whipples and Millers will lead <i>Pursuing Peace, how to handle conflicts biblically.</i>	
Sanctuary Class	Adult	Sanctuary	Teaching team of Chris and Don will teach <i>God and His Word, how to grow your love for God.</i>	

#### HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

- **Today, Wednesday January 27—Simple Supper @ 5:30 pm; Family Night classes @ 6:00 pm**
- **Saturday, January 30—Ladies Bible Study @ 9:00 am**
- **Sunday, January 31—Worship service @ 9:15 am with Dr. Vanderwier**
- **Sunday, January 31—BBC Movie Night @ 6:00 pm**

#### Prayer Concerns:

Caleb Leman, son of Mike & Tina, has been diagnosed with MS. Pray wisdom as the doctors determine next steps. Pray for his wife Kayla and the family as they face this trial together.

Dray Kessler is an 8-year old boy that Mike Leman knows from his work. He has a tumor growing from his nose, basically up to areas of his brain. He will be undergoing surgeries this week on Thursday & Friday @ Riley hospital. Please keep him & the family in your prayers.

Pray for the Hershman's! Hazel has a broken wrist and Jason has sustained some internal injuries from a 4-wheeler accident. Pray for healing for both of them and for Maggie as she cares for her family.

Continue in prayer for Joie, granddaughter of Bob & Carrie Fritz, as she is going through treatments.

#### BBC MOVIE NIGHT~~~JANUARY 31 @ 6:00 PM



We are providing 2 options for movie night. The movie "I Still Believe" will be showing in the sanctuary. The movie "Prince of Egypt" will be showing in the West Fellowship. Popcorn and water will be provided. Hope to see you there!