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VBS is rapidly approaching, and this year we are VERY much in need of help! We currently do not have a music leader for the week of VBS—we need someone who loves to work with children and sign praises to God! If you would be willing to lend your time, talent and love for children and God to us for the week of July 31– August 5, WE NEED YOU! Please let Sandy or Stephanie know if you can help out!

We also are still collecting lids, and will continue collecting them through Sunday, July 24. We still need screw on lids— plastic or metal,

washed and ready to go. If you have some you can donate, please bring them to church and leave them in the box near the sanctuary doors, or drop them off in the church office anytime during the week. Thank you for all the donations!

We will be having a VBS meeting on Wednesday, June 29, at 6:30 PM, to discuss final plans for VBS and set up a schedule of worknights in July to get all the behind the scenes & preparation work done before opening night. We hope you can help out, and will attend the meeting. We really need all hands on deck!



OPEN HEARTS

OPEN DOORS

OPEN MINDS

Thank You for Your Help!

A big thank you to all the men and ladies who stepped up to help with the BBQ chicken sale during the festival. Your efforts and time are very much appreciated!

Jim McPike

**COUNT YOUR
BLESSINGS.**
NAME THEM **ONE BY ONE.**
COUNT YOUR
MANY BLESSINGS
SEE WHAT **GOD HAS DONE.**

A BIG THANK YOU for all the help on the Baked Beans and Potato Salad sale that was held during the Festival, alongside the BBQ chicken sale. The cooks, packers, sellers, the men that helped with setting up, carrying supplies and tearing down. Thank you to those that loaned coolers, the overhead canopy, and especially their time and effort. The last total I had was that we sold \$361. We sold 1/2 of what we had and for the first time, I would say that is a wonderful start. We learned a lot of things we can change or make better for next year!

Blessings to you all,

Ruth Mayer

A rose was placed on the altar on Sunday, June 19, in honor of the birth of

Adelind Rose Zolman

Adelind was born on June 14, 2016, weighing 7 pounds 0.5 oz and was 19" long. The beautiful young lady was welcomed home by her big brother Ashton, and dad and mom, Derek and Kahrin Zolman. She has many extended family members, one of which is Great Grandma, Ruth Mayer.

Congratulations to the Zolman & Mayer families!

It's a Girl!!!



Around the World



We have begun a new program in Children’s Church, called ‘Around the World’. Each week, we will ‘travel’ to a different country. Each student has their own passport, which they get stamped for each country they visit. We learn a little bit about each country, and learn/ play games native to that country, or make crafts that pertain to that country. In addition we have a Bible story that ties in with the country in some way. So far we have visited New Zealand. The children learned a game that is played in New Zealand, and our Bible Story was the Lost Sheep story– we learned that sheep farming is big in New Zealand, and that sheep outnumber people 7 to 1 in New Zealand. So the story of the Lost Sheep fit perfectly! Our next visit will be to Australia, where we will learn the creation story and learn about the Great

Barrier Reef and see glimpses of God’s majestic creation in the pictures and videos of Australia’s nature and wildlife.

Imm-Lawson Wedding

This past weekend, grandparents Sandy Wood and Neal Imm had the privilege of watching their first grandchild get married. Mahryha Imm and Trevor Lawson were married on Saturday, June 18, 2016.

Mahryha is the daughter of Doug & Tonya Imm. Congratulations to the happy couple! And as Grandma Sandy put it– that’s the first grandchild married off. Now only 22 more to go!



July Birthdays & Anniversaries

7/8 Dan Allomong
7/14 Matthew McPike
7/18 Sharon Wallace
7/18 Carole Monosmith
7/19 Otis Tootle
7/20 Phil Frager
7/21 Steve Fritch
7/24 Colleen Vonalt

7/14 Richard & Phyllis Smith
7/15 Matt & Stephanie Krill
7/19 David & Linda Krill
7/28 Mike & Julie Wright



Marcella Koerner
Chuck Bernath
Steve Hutchinson
Marcus Hartley
John Weller
Marcia Kitchen

Harlan Poole
Kurt Whitman
Christy Whitman

Edgerton Liturgists

7/3– Denise Farnham
7/10– Iva Peverly
7/17– Ruth Mayer
7/24– Mike Douglass
7/31– Karlyn McPike

**Mark your
calendar!**

**Ice Cream Social on
Wednesday, August 10.
More details to come in the
August Newsletter**