

Grace Notes

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The Treasured Word . . . “She sets about her work vigorously; her arms strong for her tasks.” Psalm 31:17

Our Mission

Grace Notes is an endeavor to bring communication and information to the Women’s Ministry so that we, together, may share our lives in Christ in everyday living. We welcome your contributions and expertise in any area. Please direct your short articles to Georgette Rude at nwfish2@yahoo.com, or put them in her box.

What’s Happening June

- 3rd Senior Brunch
- 8th Last Day of School
- 11th Race for Life Fundraiser
- 18th Father’s Day
- 25th – 1st Pre-teen Camp

Get Ready For July

- 4th Independence Day
- 2-8th All Teen Camp
- 22nd Relay for Life
- 24-26th Bible Sports Camp

Youth Life Group meets Tuesdays 7pm to 8:30 in the Youth Barn for all 6th – 12th graders

Ladies So-In-Love Class meets Tuesdays at 10:30am in the Bus Barn.

180 Living Ministry meets downtown Sunday evenings at 5:30pm, Tuesday night coffee from 5pm -7pm
And Thursday game night at 6pm.

Dear God,

Bless all the fathers that you would guide them to be good role models and loving to their children. Please help them to be a father like you are. Give them grace and patience to handle situations in a loving way. Amen



SHEERAH

Notable for having built three towns:

Bethhoran (the lower and upper) and Uzzensherah in 1 Chronicles 7:24. The idea that a woman back in those times did such a thing and is stated in the Bible is quite amazing, and many have surmised of how that could be and why, yet there is only one mention of the endeavor. So what can we take away from this little mention in our good book? Let’s look at her background. Some say her father was Ephraim, and some say Beriah, Ephraim’s son’s daughter. Because the scripture is not very specific, we don’t really know. What we do know is her family experienced tragedy when the raiders killed Ephraim’s sons. Could this be what created the desire to build towns? Instead of being vulnerable in a tent, making solid walls for protection may have been the reason. Or was she just an enterprising woman who was making a few bucks? Of course she couldn’t have built these towns by herself. In any case, it shows what we as women can do. Our study of the Proverbs 31 woman in Heart to Home groups shows we are capable of most anything as God created us, giving us purpose, especially as we grow in Christ to never underestimate the power and strength He gives us women to do incredible things for Him, our family and church!

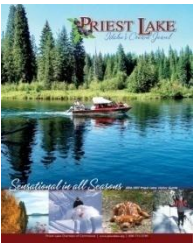
Thank you to Kim Borsheim and all the Heart Homes for making this season’s



Heart to Home a lovely way to share Christ and build relationships, you are amazing!

In The Garden

Lilacs are blooming and oh how lovely! But alas, the blooms go away and that is the time to prune them for next year's blooms. Roses are generating tons of growth. Trim them to 3 stalks, removing leaf clusters at the crown, opening up the dirt around them for air circulation. So you know, we are prepping for a large wedding on the 22nd -24th in the Garden this month and are working hard to make it beautiful. There will be a large tent set up at the west entrance that weekend. Take a moment to share your appreciation with the community service worker's hard work here; they can use your encouragement or just a cheery hello!



Let's Go!



For the love of camping and adventure, go to Beaver Creek campground located at the *top* east side of Lower Priest Lake. There are reservable sites and first come, first serve sites. It's a bit of a drive, about 1 ½ hours to get there by car and 2 hours by motor home. Take hwy 57 from Priest River and watch for the right turn at Nordman, Reeder Bay Road (people always miss it) and just keep going to the end of the road, turn left. It's worth it! Take your canoes, kayaks, boat, jet skis and swim, snorkel, fish, lay on the beach, explore the canal that links upper and lower lakes, hike the trails, see Granite Falls and the Giant Cedars (a day trip – pack a lunch and camera for the picnic area) and stop in at the incredible art store – it's fantastic! Must have's – forest service map, insect repellent, and binoculars. Be aware, this is a primo bear, moose and cougar area. If hiking on a less traveled trail be sure to wear a small cowbell to ward off critters. And do be careful to leave a note as to where you are headed and dates, should you get stuck. As always, heed the posted signs, this is wilderness. Oh, and bring lots of bread for the ducks in the canal!

Terrific Kids

The biblical definition of greatness is servant hood Matthew 20:26-28. In whatever area your child is, school, sports, activities, etc., he/she serves others when sharing skills, techniques with others. Teach your child how great it is in God's eyes when allowing younger or smaller friends to participate and have their turn, as well as compassion for those who make mistakes. Let them know Jesus rejoices when they serve in this way and they become a good example for others to do the same.

CAMPING FUN

Tie up a clothesline between trees, pin up beach towels on it and tell the kids it is their stage and they can do a performance after dinner for you. Give them a little list of songs, movie characters, or scenarios like a singing chef, a part from the bible, or a story book, allowing them to be creative. It gives them something to look forward to and especially if they get your praise for a great show. *And* keeps them busy for the time you would like to relax and enjoy the outdoors!

Warm Weather, Easy Cool Salads!

Tropical Jell-O

1 package orange Jell-O

Chopped bananas, pears, mango, pineapple and mandarin oranges

1 container peach yogurt

4 large tablespoons cool whip

Make Jell-O and add fruit, refrigerate until set

Mix yogurt and cool whip and add to Jell-O, letting set for 1 hour.

Fresh Greens +

1 bag of salad greens

Chopped tomato and mango

A handful of Craisens

Mix all together and toss with raspberry dressing!

Ladies Fall Fellowship is in the planning stages! Please be a part of it in some way that would bless the team.

Contact Kim Borsheim or Georgette Rude ☺