

# CAMP LIBERTY

Camp Liberty will be joining the festivities at the ChokeCherry Festival this year!  
We are excited to be a positive tool in our community as we join this event.

Mark your calendars now for -

**Saturday, August 16, 2008**

**Harmon Park**

**11 am—4 pm**

We need people to help with the following activities:

- Bubble station
- Wet sand station
- Scavenger hunt
- Jumping castle
- Balloon games
- Greeters and more!!!!

You can sign up to help the whole day or for an hour. Plans are being made NOW, so please let the church office know where YOU can help!!



## A Free Voice

### Search Committee Update

The search committee consists of Pastor Shane Kroger, Garth Sjue, Al McFarlane, Boone Herring, Brent Bogar, Tia Wallin, and Cami Morgan.

So far we are looking at what God is doing within our church, and the direction God is asking us to go as a church. This process has made it a great deal easier to see what kind of man we are looking for, and that God has planned to bring into our church. It has also been a great time of getting to know each other better, and to push us out of our comfort zones. I also see this as an incredible opportunity to stretch us, as a church, seeing that there are so many new opportunities to serve our church body. We are also working on getting our church profile out to bible colleges, seminary's, and some Internet pastoral search sites so that we have a wider range of applicants.

Please keep us in your prayers as we seek Gods will for our church. And remember God has already chosen the right man for the job and we are just waiting on His perfect timing.

We all thank you for trusting us with this great responsibility.  
-Cami Morgan

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### THINGS TO BELIEVE

Believe in yourself; you are God's creation

Believe in your job; honest work is a form of worship

Believe in this day; every minute contains an opportunity to serve God

Believe in your family; create harmony & togetherness by working together

Believe in your neighbor; friends are an important ingredient of a happy life

Believe in the present; yesterday is gone & tomorrow may never come

Believe in God's promise; He means it when He says,

"I am with you always."

Believe in God's mercy; since God forgives you,  
you can forgive yourself and try again tomorrow

## FLIPSIDE

Pastor Shane Kroger



What an awesome day that the Lord has given us today! How have you been doing lately Liberty? I hope that this newsletter finds you doing well in the Lord. I pray you are finding victory in those things that weigh you down, I pray you become so passionate for God that you cannot contain your excitement, and I pray for your health.

We have finally finished up talking about Other Religions at Flipside. We have also talked about What Prayer Is and What Does It Mean to Pray in the past few weeks as well. We are now talking about Holiness, God's and Ours. Joel has had a chance to lead a lesson this last month and look forward to hearing more from him. I want to thank Joel, Andre, Eric, and Tia for all of your continued sacrifice at Flipside.

We had our Prince Caspian Day back in May. It was a fun day with youth and adults. I think the movie was good and well done. It is great to see C. S. Lewis' books come to life on the big screen.

We also held our third Halo Tournament this past month as well. We did have a great time and ate a ton of food/soda. We held our day at the New Armory and it suited our needs well. We will continue to pray if we will have these type of game days in the future.

### Upcoming Events

- July 15<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Sonshine Music Festival
- July 25<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> Camping Canoe Trip
- Aug. 2<sup>nd</sup> Mud Football
- Aug. 16<sup>th</sup> Camp Liberty
- Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> Garage Sale Fundraiser
- Sept. ?? See You at the Pole Event
- Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Cooperstown Autummmatics
- Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>-Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> Vikings Outreach Weekend
- Dec. ?? Christmas Party
- Dec. ?? Christmas Caroling

\*\*\*No Flipside on a July 2<sup>nd</sup>, July 16<sup>th</sup>, or Aug. 13<sup>th</sup>\*\*\*

Concerning all tests results for me and my headaches, in short, the tests are all negative and my headaches as of this last week, have been going away. Thanks for all of your prayers. Continue to pray for Dr.'s and my Chiropractor (Ceynar) to keep finding ways to repair me.

The Kroger's had a very fun and relaxing vacation to the Black Hills this past month. This was a postponed trip from last year, with Elizabeth being sick and all. It was so fun to see the joy on the kids faces during the weekend. Thanks for letting us get away, it was very good for us.

I just wanted to encourage you all during this transition time. We are moving along well with our search for a new Sr. Pastor. We are keeping the communication lines open and taking care of some much needed business and repairs. Remember that if you have any concerns, questions, or praises, to stop by my office or give me a call. I love you guys! Keep seeking God and you will find Him in all of the areas of your life.

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PETER FINDS HIS FAITH TO BE MUCH STRONGER IN THE WINTER

## Missions News

I have been very excited about all the opportunities I see as missions chairperson. One such opportunity is thru Global Fingerprints. Global Fingerprints is an EFCA orphan sponsorship program working in the Democratic Republic of Congo. They are in immediate need of 5 motorcycles. The motorcycles will be used so that the Congolese staff can travel hundreds of miles to care for the children in their homes. The staff visits the children, prays with them, pays their school tuition and medical bills, and manages nutritional projects in the communities. In order to run the program effectively they need transportation. In response to this opportunity we will be taking a special offering on the last two Sundays in July.

We are also trying something new by putting on an outreach dinner for all the people who are working in the area, stuck in a hotel, and eating fast food. We thought what better way to show them Gods love than making them a home cooked meal and having some time to fellowship. Our first event is scheduled for July 2<sup>nd</sup> and we plan on having it once a month for at least three months. The plan is to have it on the first Tuesday of each month. If you would like to get involved please let me know.

I am hoping to schedule a mission's trip for the summer of 2009. I am looking at a mission in Costa Rica, run by the Pure Life Project. We would be gone for one week to construct a chicken house that would be managed by the local church and would provide enough food for the village for the entire year. This is a going to be a tough job and we would be in the jungle in tents. We need at least a group of 12-15 for this to be possible, and we will need at least a year to prepare so if you are interested please let me know ASAP.

-Cami Morgan

# Children's Ministry

Don't miss out!!!!

July 20th & August 10th!!!