

# NEWSLETTER



## BROOKINGS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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### From the Pastor's desk...

Dear Brookings Family,

Thank you for your prayers concerning the trip that we were supposed to take in October to Nepal. With the political situation the way that it was, we were relieved that the Lord revealed His will to us by having the airlines cancel our ticket.

What tremendous support many of you have given during the John Bradshaw series of meetings. Special thanks to Don & Mary Kirk, Lyn Shiffer and Sonja Mosier greeting and registration and Linda Merritt in charge of refreshments. This series has provided us with many new friends.

On Saturday afternoon, November 7, we will present the second film in our Faith

and Science film series. "Metamorphosis: Beauty and Design of Butterflies" will be shown in the Sanctuary at 4 pm. Please invite your friends to this amazing presentation.

Game night also returns on November 7. We will start when the film ends. This is a great time for fellowship.

A church business meeting is being called for Saturday night November 14 at 5pm. This should not be a long meeting. We need to approve the budget for 2016 and also discuss 2016 plans for evangelism. Please plan to attend.

A special musical Thanksgiving program is being planned for 11am Sabbath November 28. This would

be another opportunity to invite friends and neighbors. Because this is a holiday weekend, there will be no game night this evening.

We have recently started to study a new book during our Wednesday afternoon prayer meeting. Come Wednesday to the Fellowship Hall at 3pm and study with us "God's Health Principles for His Last Day People".

With the days getting shorter and darker, let us all give thanks that we can have the comforting light of God's presence both day and night. May you all find many things to be grateful for this Thanksgiving.

Love, Pastor & Linda Shultz

### God won't ask you about...

- WHAT KIND OF CAR YOU DROVE...HE'LL ASK HOW MANY PEOPLE YOU DROVE WHO DIDN'T HAVE TRANSPORTATION.
- THE SQUARE FOOTAGE OF YOUR HOUSE...HE'LL ASK HOW MANY PEOPLE YOU WELCOMED INTO YOUR HOME.
- THE CLOTHES YOU HAD IN YOUR CLOSET...HE'LL ASK HOW MANY YOU HELPED TO CLOTHE.
- WHAT YOUR HIGHEST SALARY WAS...HE'LL ASK IF YOU COMPROMISED YOUR CHARACTER TO OBTAIN IT.
- YOUR JOB TITLE...HE'LL ASK IF YOU PERFORMED YOUR JOB TO THE BEST OF YOUR ABILITY.
- HOW MANY FRIENDS YOU HAD...HE'LL ASK HOW MANY PEOPLE TO WHOM YOU WERE A FRIEND.
- WHAT NEIGHBORHOOD YOU LIVED...HE'LL ASK HOW YOU TREATED YOUR NEIGHBOR.

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◆ The Adventist Book Center will be here on November 3 from 4-6 PM to deliver your orders and to set up a book display. This is a good opportunity to pick up some gifts for the holidays, or perhaps even a new cookbook to im-

prove your health by making better choices.

◆ Church Board will meet on November 11

◆ We're looking the very best way to contact you. We want each person to let us know if they would prefer to be on the Call-

Em-All list (a pre-recorded phone message) or the e-mail list.

◆ Business meeting on November 14 at 5 PM.

