



At a Glance: Upcoming Events

Saturday, September 10 @ 6:00pm. Andy Stanley #5 DVD. Potluck and Discussion.

Saturday, September 17 @ 7:00pm. Wedding Shower for Lisa and Wes.

Saturday, September 24 @ 8:00AM. Bike Trip to ride the Mickelson.

Saturday, October 8 @ 6:00pm. Andy Stanley #6 DVD. Potluck and Discussion as well as Prayer for Jeff for his next Gideon missions' trip.

Saturday, October 22 @ 6:00pm. Fall Soup Supper and Games.

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Friends of SNA

“Agenda: Grinding America Down” is a documentary created by Curtis Bowers, a former legislator from Idaho and addresses what is happening to America, who is behind the scenes and why they are doing what they are doing. During this time of an upcoming election, the Friends of SNA would like to make this film available for viewing on Friday, September 16th @ Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City beginning at 7:00pm. Feel free to bring snacks to share if you wish.

Curtis Bowers follows this film up with his second DVD: “Agenda 2: Masters of Deceit.” and Friends of SNA would also like to share this film on Friday, October 14th @ Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City beginning at 7:00pm. Again, feel free to bring some snacks to share if you wish.

Curtis Bowers is a Christian man who has started and run several businesses, served as a state representative, speaker and film producer. His film “Agenda: Grinding America Down” won a \$101,000 Grand Prize and his “Agenda 2: Masters of Deceit” won “Best Documentary” at the 2016 Christian Worldview Film Festival. Both films have been shown here in Rapid City but even if you have seen them, you are invited to come and see them again. If you have not seen them, now is your chance to see them FREE of charge. Any questions? Contact Kaye @ (605)858-4073.

SAVE THE DATE!!!

Annual SNA Christmas Banquet to be December 10th. More details to follow in our next newsletter!!



Olympics and Us

By Lila

I am sitting here watching the Olympics and I must say, I am getting inspired. The Olympics make me think about how Paul and others in the Bible use competing, running and winning to encourage us in our daily walk with the Lord. I thought this would be a good time to remind us all of some of these verses. Praying Jesus will use them to encourage us to live a life worthy of Christ. All verses are New King James.

The first verse is taken from Isaiah 40:28-31. "Have you not known? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth, neither faints nor is weary. His understanding is unsearchable. ²⁹ He gives power to the weak, and to *those who have* no might He increases strength. ³⁰ Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall, ³¹ But those who wait on the LORD shall renew *their* strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint."

The next verse comes from Galatians 5:6-7. "For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but faith working through love. ⁷ You ran well. Who hindered you from obeying the truth?"

Philippians is where the next two quotes are taken and come from Philippians 2:14-16 and Philippians 3:8-14. (1st) ¹⁴ "Do all things without complaining and disputing, ¹⁵ that you may become blameless and harmless, children of God without fault in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world, ¹⁶ holding fast the word of life, so that I may rejoice in the day of Christ that I have not run in vain or labored in vain." (2nd) ⁸ "Yet indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ ⁹ and be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which *is* from the law, but that which *is* through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith; ¹⁰ that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death, ¹¹ if, by any means, I may attain to the resurrection from the dead. ¹² Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected; but I press on, that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me.

¹³ Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing *I do*, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, ¹⁴ I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus."

Hebrews 12:1-2 is where the next encouraging verses come from. "Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares *us*, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, ² looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of *our* faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God."

And, last but not least, Jude 24-25. ²⁴ "Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, ²⁵ to God our Savior, who alone is wise, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and forever. Amen.

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September 2016

Saturday, Sept. 10 @ 6:00pm. Potluck and Discussion at Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City, SD. Join us for the fifth video in the "Guardrails" series by Andy Stanley. Potluck will be first followed by a viewing of the DVD and discussion. This fifth video is called "The Consumption Assumption." and deals with finances. Please bring a dish to share, your Bible, a friend or two and come learn more about how we can "guard" our hearts, and our wallets. For more information and/or directions, please call Lila @ (605)484-1460.

Friday, Sept. 16 @ 7:00pm Friends of SNA present the first Agenda movie @ Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City. Refer to the first page of this newsletter for a description of the video. For other information and/or directions, please call Kaye @ (605)858-4073.

Saturday, Sept. 17 @ 7:00pm. Wedding shower for Wes and Lisa. Join us at Darcie's to celebrate the upcoming nuptials of Lisa and Wes. Please bring a snack to share and a card and/or a gift of money to congratulate the couple. Fun and games will be provided. For more information and/or directions, please contact Darcie @ (605)209-6677.

Saturday, Sept. 24 @ 8:00am Bike Trip on the Mickelson Trail. Please meet at South Canyon Baptist Church, 3333 West Chicago St., Rapid City to car pool to Dumont Trailhead north of Rochford. The plan is to bike from Dumont to Deadwood, a distance of approximately 16 miles with one section of about a mile that is a bit steep but not too bad. Bring water, sunscreen, jacket, \$4.00 for the trail fee, lunch and anything else you can carry in your own pack that you think you will need. Money for the driver(s) is also appreciated. For more information, please contact Laurel and Dan @ (605)545-4852. The fall colors should be pretty good!!

October 2016

Saturday, Oct. 8 @ 6:00pm Potluck and discussion as well as prayer for Jeff. We will be sharing a meal together and then watching and discussing the final DVD in the Andy Stanley series "Guardrails". This one is called "Once and for All" and is more or less a summation of the previous lessons. After the discussion, we will be having a time of prayer for Jeff and you will have a chance to sign up to pray for him as he leaves for Liberia for his Gideon's mission trip. Please bring a dish to share, your Bibles, a friend or two and a desire to learn and pray together. For more information and/or directions, please contact Lila @ (605)484-1460.

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Oct.—Nov. 2016

Friday, Oct. 14 @ 7:00pm. Friends of SNA invite you to Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City, to view the DVD "Agenda 2". A description is on the front page of this newsletter. For other information and/or directions, please contact Kaye @ (605)858-4073.

Saturday, Oct. 22 @ 6:00pm. Fall Soup Supper and Games @ Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City. Bring your favorite soup or food items to go with soup to share for our potluck. Games will be planned but you can bring your favorite game as well just in case. This will be a fun time of celebrating fall with food, fun and fellowship. For more information and/or directions, please contact Laurel @ (605)545-4852.

Saturday, Nov. 5 @ 6:00pm. Potluck and Prayer. With the election looming, joining together to eat and then pray for America and the election is our goal for this evening. Please bring a dish to share, your Bibles if you wish and the desire to petition our Lord God for His will in this election. For more information and/or directions, please contact Kaye @ (605)858-4073.

Tuesday, Nov. 8 all day. Election. Please vote your conscience and vote for Truth.

Saturday, Nov. 19 @ 5:30pm. Thanksgiving Meal and Fellowship @ Darcie's. This is the time of the year we get together to celebrate all we have to be thankful for. Please bring a dish to share and a heart full of thanksgiving. Turkey and mashed potatoes and gravy will be provided. Come and be thankful. For more information and/or directions please contact Darcie @ (605)209-6677. Jeff will be sharing some great testimonies and stories from his trip to Liberia as well.

