



BUNKHOUSE GAZETTE

JANUARY 2024 ISSUE

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 Springfield, MO

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 P.O. Box 127
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS JANUARY 2024

Every Monday night.....**CIRCLE of SISTERS**
 Bonita Hines, 817-228-6654 6 p.m. at Event Center

Third Sunday of each month.....**BAND of BROTHERS**
 Randy Runion... 816-536-9728.....4-5 p.m. at Event Center
 Dinner to follow

Every Friday night.....**Game Night**.....Event Center
 5:30-8:00 p.m. Mildred Mincher, 417-327-5509

*Game night is for ages 13 and over

SRCC Quilters.....Every 3rd Friday evening @ 5 p.m.
 & every 3rd Saturday morning @ 9 a.m.....Event Center
 Nadine Mahan @ 620-875-3598

Every Sunday night.....SRCC Youth
On a MISSION to Serve Others.....Event Center
 New time 5-6:30 p.m. 7th through 12th grade

*Snacks*Fun*Games*Lesson*

Michael Blaine @ 417-350-5706 or

Brandy Walls @ 661-706-7346

Follow SRCC Youth @SRCCTeens on Facebook

Sundays in Jan.....**Children's Church**, Details, page 2 & 3

Jan 7.....**Pot Luck**, 11:30, SRCC, upstairs

Jan 20.....**Deadline for Gazette** articles

BIBLE TRIVIA

In the book of Revelation, John relates his vision of Jesus' return to earth and the final judgment of mankind. In 21:1, he tells of seeing what new things as he stands before the throne of God?

COWBOY HUMOR

My doctor told me to eat more Taco Bell. Well, he actually said "less McDonald's", but I'm pretty sure I know what he meant.

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Services:.....8:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. at SRCC
10:00 a.m. and 11:30 at SRCC Event Center
Thursday Services:.....6:00 p.m. Event Center

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL BIBLE CLASS

8:45-9:45 a.m. at the Event Center. If you have any questions please contact David and Cindy Hancock 417-773-2482.

NEW POLICY

Instead of a General Fund and a Building fund, all contributions will now be deposited in the General Fund.
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SRCC PRAYER LINE

and

PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a prayer request, call or text the
SRCC Prayer line
417.839.6508 or e-mail srccspringfield@icloud.com
If you would like to be part of the SRCC Prayer Chain,
call or text 417-839-6508
or e-mail srccspringfield@icloud.com

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"Celebrate endings—for they precede new beginnings."

Jonathan Lockwood Huie

INSPIRATION

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away: behold, all things have become new."

2 Corinthians 5:17 NKJV

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Ages 2 through 6th grade

8:30 and 10:00 at the Livestock Marketing Center
11:30 at the new Student Center at the EC
Contact Tami Greene, 417-861-8922
email sacriveryouth@gmail.com

BIBLE TRIVIA ANSWER

A new heaven and a new earth.

Revelation 21:1

STATEMENT FROM THE BOARD

Sac River Cowboy Church has never gone into debt and always plans to be debt free.

SRCC Board of Directors

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

BY LARRY WHITELEY

THIS SPECIAL PLACE CALED SAC RIVER COWBOY CHURCH

Another year begins. Our journey continues through life here on earth. I am thankful that Sac River Cowboy Church is a big part of my life. This church has changed me and many others for the better.

I have never been a part of a church like Sac River Cowboy Church. We are family. We are there for each other. We support each other in times of need through prayer and giving.

This past year, you were there for little Shay, Doug, Judy, and the rest of her family. You were there for our son Kelly, his family, my wife, and I. You were there for Weston and his family. You are always there for others through prayer and giving. Those of us who have been a recipient of your love, we thank God for that. We would all like to squeeze your hand three times. As most of you know, that means - *I LOVE YOU.*

I would like to say to those of you who volunteer your time in so many ways – *THANK YOU!* You serve in any way that is needed. There would not be a Sac River Cowboy Church without you. Someday, you will hear these words – “Well done, thy good and faithful servant.”

God has richly blessed Sac River Cowboy Church with Scotty, Mark, and Tami. They help us, our kids, and our grandkids better understand and grow stronger in God's word.

To those of you who are new or first-time visitors, we say, “Welcome Home to Sac River Cowboy Church.” You will find we are a little different, in a good way, than most churches. We are glad to have you as a part of our family.

Could this be the year that Jesus will come to take us home? Are you ready? I like to imagine him reaching out His hand and squeezing my hand three times.

We do not know what we will face this year, but as our son Kelly says, “Take it one day at a time, and put it in God's hands.”

Happy New Year! God bless America, all of you, and this special place called Sac River Cowboy Church.

POLICY RE: DOGS

All dogs must be on a leash and owner must hold leash while dog is in the church facilities. No dogs are allowed near food, kitchens, or food lines.

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CARD MINISTRY

If you know someone who needs a card, contact one of the three women with the card ministry.(see page 1). Addresses are helpful. OR send a card yourself.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THE EVENT CENTER

The time for adult Sunday School at the Event Center has changed to 8:45 to 9:45. If you have questions, contact David and Cindy Hancock 417-773-2482.

SRCC CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

For now there will be no changes to the Children's church times. We will continue to offer the 8:30 and 10:00 o'clock children's church at the Stockyards, and at 11:30 at the Event Center.

Unless we can get more volunteers for our children's church we will only be able to offer one 10:00 service. If you have any interest in leading a children's service at either location for the 10:00 o'clock time, please let me know. And for my current teachers, please let me know if you and your family plan on changing time or service location so I can make sure I have the coverage that I need.

Checking your children in for Children's Church: I know your kids are excited to get to their Sunday school class, but for their safety please do not leave them in the classroom until there are at least two teachers there, and not before 15 minutes before the service begins. We have

a short window between services, and I need time to pick up and get ready for the next class. And also picking them up after the service helps me get ready too. I appreciate you entrusting your children to me and our wonderful group of volunteers. I hope they love children's church as much as we do.

Thank you!

Tami Greene @ 417-861-8922

THANK YOU!

Thank you to all our customers for supporting our small business in 2023. Our next beef goes to the packing plant in February 2024. Merry Christmas & Happy New Year.

Judy Thomas

DO YOU NEED A WALKER OR CANE

Contact Herschel Jordan @ 417-882-2286 or Kate Miller @ 417-227-8233.

CIRCLE OF SISTERS

Circle Of Sisters Bible study will start back on Monday, January 8th at 6:00, located in the Stables at the Event Center. The class will study Dr. David Jeremiah's book, The Book Of Signs. Please come and join our group. Contact Bonita Hines, 817-228-6654, if you have questions.

NEW FORMAT FOR BUSINESS DIRECTORY

We appreciate everyone who submitted business cards the last year for the Business Directory. It was a great success, and ballooned to three pages, so we have a new format. If you find a error in your listing, please contact Fran @ 417-631-5898.

Fran Black

GUSS APPRECIATION DINNER

December 2024



LADIES ANNUAL CHRISTMAS GALA



Holly Cathell & Kelly Smith

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM





Class Examples

- Food Preservation & Prep
- Water Supply
- Basic Mechanics
- Home & Community Preservation
- Power & Energy
- Safety
- First Aid
- Food Access
- Medication Remedies
- Other Ideas

Are you prepared? If you think you are, how do you know if you've thought of everything?

The Ark Mission is a new networking group for people in ALL walks of life.

***Saturday, January 20th, 2024, "Prepare 101," Ashton and Austin Hartweg**

Come to learn new skills and help your community prepare for uncertain times.

Contact Information

Austin Hartweg: 417-773-4302

Ashton Hartweg: 417-693-0312

srcc.arkmission@gmail.com

Location

SRCC Event Center/Stables

6448 W State Hwy EE

Springfield, MO 65802

GUSS CORNER

GUSS MINISTRY
SERVICE ABOVE SELF

"Find a Need and Meet It"

We regretfully report the death of Barbara Gardner (Apr 6, 1948-Dec 15, 2023), who had served as a GUSS Team Member Greeter at the Event Center since Jul 24, 2022.

She was also part of the Greene County Sheriff's Department performing a variety of activities and services such Ride Along with deputies, security at courthouse, and completed numerous trainings, such as crisis intervention.

SRCC GUSS Ministry Volunteers

Full Time - Serve at a service of your choosing every Sunday.

Minute Man - Serve as needed to maintain operational service excellence.

Contact Dan Bill

(530) 635-5994 for an application or any questions.

PASSION, PURPOSE and MAKING A DIFFERENCE

SRCC Business Directory -- If you own a business and would like to list in the directory, send info to Fran @ frances_b_65705@yahoo.com, or text 417-631-5898.				
		SRCC is not endorsing any business.		
Farm & Home				
The Rekindled Home	Home Remodeling Specialists	Donald Wheeler	therekindledhome.com	417-814-8465
Whiteley Home Solutions	Remodeling, custom cabinets	Daron Whiteley	Whiteleyhomesolution@gmail.com	417-844-7119
Rose Eskridge Realty		Rose Eskridge	roseeskridge@aol.com	417-860-4663
D Bar J Livestock Hauling	Short or Long Haul	Doug Thomas		417-840-9316
		Josh Boyd		417-755-5355
Top Shelf Stump Gridding	Tree Care - Stump Grinding	Marland Schmehl	treeservice79@gmail.com	417-988-5656
Jayden D. Underwood	Heating & Air Service Technician			417-773-1960
Parch Corn Skid Steering	Land Enhancement, Brush Hogging	Tanner Nickels	parchcornskidsteering@gmail.com	417-239-6063
Sally Touts	Painting, Faux Finishes, Murals			417-343-4388
Roof One	Roofing Specialist	Austin Hartweg	ahartweg.roofone@gmail.com	417-773-4302
Rust Freedom	Plumbing, Heating and Air		rustfreedom@gmail.com	417-597-7610
Ash Grove Dump Trucking	Dump truck, dozing, loader service	Rodney Dawson		417-830-2970
McDowell Land & Cattle		John & Mary McDowell	mcdowelllandandcattle@gmail.com	417-849-1432
Auto				
MO Roadside Rescue	Towing, tire change, jump start	Michael Blaine		417-350-5706
Elite Dent Company	Hail damage, door dings, scratches	Sid Huff	sid@eliteDentCo.com	417-417-DENT
Birdeye Kustoms	Auto restoration & painting	Tony Baker		417-880-8565
Beef				
Judy Thomas	Farm Raised Half or Whole	Judy Thomas	(Buyer pays processing)	417-425-8052
Bottom Up Wangus Ranch	Freezer Ready Beef	Ken Garrison		417-368-0368
Wellness/Health				
Absolute Wellness Center	Consults, supplements, homeopathic	Sherry Neill	absolutewellnesscenterllc.com	417-832-0292
Garden 4 Life	gardening systems	Dawn & Curt Rankin	www.garden4life.com	417-736-3251
Our Orchard Country Store		Dawn & Curt Rankin	ourorchardcountrystore.com	417-345-5100
Miscellaneous				
The Bible Rebinder		Joe Gleason		417-693-3137
Piano Works	Tuning, repair, refinishing	Bob Baker		417-830-0932
Mike Wallace Custom Art		Mike Wallace	mikewallacecustomart@gmail.com	417-655-8544
Michael Moyer, Luthier	Stringed instrument repair	Michael Moyer	michaelmoyer@ymail.com	417-880-0267
Elevate Lives	Pathway out of poverty		elevatelives.org	417-351-2564