### Welcome, Visitors!

Thanks for joining us today. If we can be of service, please call the church office. The River is a fellowship of believers committed to the Lord Jesus Christ. Our primary objective, in the words of the apostle Paul, is to "know Him (become more deeply and intimately acquainted with Him) and the power of His resurrection." Our main emphasis which has been intertwined throughout our entire ministry since our beginning in the late '70s has always been knowing the Lord through a personal relationship with Jesus Christ on a daily basis.

Jesus told us to take His yoke upon us and learn of Him. So we at The River Christian Fellowship place a great emphasis on studying and learning the Word of God. Our desire is to know the full counsel of God, so we teach the entire Bible from Genesis to Revelation. We desire to minister to people of all ages. We also believe that Jesus is coming soon! This hope motivates us into a deeper relationship with Him and to share that relationship with others. Our hope is not the "Coming of the Lord" as much as it in "The Lord who is coming."

Jesus also told us that the harvest (the many who have not yet met Christ in a personal way) was plenteous but the laborers were few. Thus, we emphasize training believers to be laborers in the harvest, to know the Lord and be strong in their relationship with Him and as a result, bring other people to Him. In addition, we have regular evangelistic outreaches here in the church such as our radio and television ministries, movies, concerts and missionary endeavors. God has been faithful and blessed us as we have followed His Word. We desire to continually be open to the leading of His Holy Spirit as we live in these critical times, with hope of continually being vessels through which He can work. You are invited to join us in our desire to know and serve Him.

The River Family

#### Reminder:

Noises in the sanctuary are a distraction to others around you. In consideration of others, please remain seated once the teaching has begun. If you leave during the service, please sit in one of the back rows. The Cry/Nursing Mother's room is located in the coffee shop (it has a TV monitor so you can watch & listen to the teaching). Please remember to silence cell phones. Thank you!



## The River

# Announcements & Upcoming Events

### The Brave Hearted Man

September 5th – September 6th there is a Men's Conference hosted by Pastor Eric Ludy at Calvary Chapel Buhl. All men are welcome to come.

### Concert

Seventh Day Slumber will be here at the RCF on September 11th with other special guests. The cost is \$8.00 pre-order, \$10.00 at the door or \$15.00 for VIP tickets.

### Women's Retreat

The ladies have been invited to Calvary Chapel Buhl's Women Retreat. It's September 12th-September 14th in Challis Idaho. The cost is \$130.00 and would need to be turned in by August 31st. There will be a bake sale right after morning service as a fundraiser to help offset the cost.

### Food Bank

Please consider donating some items for our food bank as this is a great way for us to serve our community. If you'd like to help or donate please contact the church office or call Sandi Briggs at 208.316.6988

### Agape Lunch

The next Agape Lunch will be September 7th right after the morning service. All are welcome to come & bring your favorite dish.

### Services & Weekly Meetings

### Sunday, August 31st

9:30 AM Prayer located in the 5th Grade Classroom10:00 AM Morning Service & Worship w/Pastor Steve Montonye6:00 PM Evening Service w/ Pastor Steve Montonye

### Tuesday, September 2nd

6:30 PM River Christian Recovery, Coffee Shop

### Wednesday, September 3rd

7:00 PM Evening Service w/ Pastor Steve Montonye, Coffee Shop

### Thursday, September 4th

6:30 PM Women's Study w/ Anelise Rose, Coffee Shop

### Friday, September 5th– Saturday, September 6th 7:00 PM Men's Conference

### Sunday, September 7th

9:30 AMPrayer located in the 5th Grade Classroom10:00 AMMorning Service & Worship w/ Pastor Dave Rose\*AMSAgape Lunch, Fellowship Hall7:00 PMEvening Service w/ Pastor Dave Rose, Coffee Shop

### Tuesday, September 9th

6:30 PM River Christian Recovery, Coffee Shop

### Wednesday, September 10th

7:00 PM Evening Service w/ Pastor Dave Rose, Coffee shop 7:00 PM Youth Group w/ Steve Montonye

