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Bishop Hills Newsletter

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August Events

- 2nd Rockford Library Book Delivery at 1:30 room to room
- 3rd Chaplain Val Visiting
- 5th Harmonica Traditions music program at 2:15
- 12th Music Program by Sarah Hodges at 2:15
- 16th Resident Council Meeting at 1:15
- 20th Hymn Sing at 2:30 with Three Angel Church
- 24th Mass at 9:00
- 26th Marty Miller Music Program at 2:15
- 24th Music Man Program at 5:30
- 29th Acrylic Painting Class with Peg at 1:00

Biking for Baruch
2022 "MOVING FOR MILES"



Save the Month!

Biking for Baruch Moving for Miles! Bishop Hills is hosting a Rock-A-Thon from dawn until dusk (7:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.) on Wednesday, September 14th at Bishop Hills! Our goal is to have someone (or more the merrier) rocking the whole day! We are going to need volunteers- residents, staff and family members to sign up to rock with us (in rocking chairs/ gliders) and or donate to sponsor us rocking. Starting August 1st we will be selling \$5.00 sponsorship tags from the front office. Help us cover the whole front windows with the tags and show your support to our rocking volunteers! Donations will be used for a shade awning for our new deck space! Questions or those who would like to help contact Rachel at bishopactivities@baruchsls.org



Thriving in God's

Protection Our focus for the month of August is Thriving in God's Protection. Isaiah 43.2 is the verse we will use to focus on God's protection. We read, "When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you".

In Isaiah chapter 42, we see God reminding the Israelites they are his "chosen people in whom he delights" (v. 1) and in verse 6, he tells them he "will take you by the hand and keep you.." As chapter 42 continues, God also reminds Israel of their failure to hear and see what God is doing in their life. In chapter 43, God reminds Israel that in spite of their failure to hear and see, God has redeemed them and called them by name. He will not allow them to be overwhelmed or consumed by the waters and fires of life.

We see examples of God's people thriving in his protection. Exodus 14 tells of how, at the Red Sea, God parted the waters for his people to pass through and then let them fall upon the Egyptians, drowning them. In Joshua 3, God held the waters of the Jordan River back while the priests stood there with the Ark of the Covenant until all the people had passed through the river. We see God's protection of Daniel and his friends from the heat of the fiery furnace in Daniel 3. All throughout scripture, God is protecting his people.

I challenge you to ask yourself how you are thriving in God's protection this day, this week, this month. Are you feeling overwhelmed, consumed? If so, remember, God has called you and he is transforming you with the power of His redeeming grace.

Rest in his grace, Chaplain Val

Note from the Beauty Shop:

With rising prices of products the beauticians will be changing their prices to the following:

Haircuts
Women \$18.00
Men \$15.00

Perm with cut \$55.00

Color \$40.00

Shampoo and Set /Blowdry and Set \$17.00

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Save the Month!



When: Month of September (Sept. 1 - Sept. 30)

Where: Join us virtually from anywhere you decide to participate from.

"Moving for Miles" - A new initiative this year to get more people motivated and involved. Bike, run, jog, walk, swim, rollerblade or use anything that takes physical activity to move. Just get out, get involved, get active!

- Get your teams organized - more event and registration details will be coming soon to raise funds to support your Baruch Home!
- Join this event virtually.
- Post Event Celebration will be held Oct. 1 at Millennium Park in Grand Rapids.

