



# VISTAS

For Independent Baptist Churches in the  
Mountain West United States

APRIL 2021

## GREAT RESURRECTION SUNDAY

Attendance

In the January/February "Vistas" we encouraged the churches of the IMBF to set an attendance goal for "Resurrection Sunday". We are happy to report that 12 fellowship churches reported a total of 1,327 in attendance on Sunday April 4th. An additional 8 churches who are friends of the fellowship reported a total of 513 in attendance. We are thanking the Lord for those who were given the "good news" of salvation in the resurrected Christ. Let's continue to pray for God's people and the lost to return to "in person" attendance.



Evangelist C.T.L. Spear

## FIELD REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT

Pastor Paul D. Hoover (pauldhoover@icloud.com)

We had a wonderful Spring Preaching Conference. We were blessed with great attendance and several new delegates. We had over twenty pastors in attendance and Mrs. Hoover spoke to nine ladies in the ladies meeting. We are looking forward to Caleb's Kin week at Castle Rock Baptist Camp which we are calling "Olde Time Camp Meetin" and the preaching of CTL Spear.

## KOFG - "OLD FASHIONED GOSPEL" RADIO

Hear Pastor Paul Hoover on KOFG Radio 91.1 FM - Cody, Wyoming

On Sunday's at 1:00 PM and 1:00 AM tune in the "Winning Side" broadcast with Pastor Hoover.



IT IS OUR PRAYER THAT WE MIGHT RELAY TO OUR READERS THE VISTAS OF **THE GLORIES OF CHRIST AND HIS WORK**, ENJOY THE **SWEET FELLOWSHIP OF GOD'S PEOPLE**, AND SHARE OUR **BURDEN FOR THE GREAT AND NEEDY HARVEST FIELDS OF THE IMBF.**

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth! Isaiah 52:7

## CAMP EMPHASIS SUNDAY, MAY 16

Sunday May 16 is "Castle Rock Baptist Camp" Sunday. We are calling on all of the churches to set aside May 16 as a special day to emphasize our "60th" summer of camping at CRBC in the Gallatin Gateway of Montana. If another Sunday would be better for Camp Sunday for your church please plan to have a great day to encourage campers to attend this historic summer of camping at Castle Rock. If you need more camp brochures please call First Baptist Church of Laurel, Montana at 406-628-4366.



### DEDICATION OF THE "PASTOR JIM BARRICK PAVILION"

We are planning to dedicate the new pavilion at Castle Rock Baptist Camp to the memory of the long time pastor of First Baptist Church of Cody, Wyoming, Dr. Jim Barrick. The dedication service will be held during the Nehemiah Retreat on Thursday, June 10, at 7:00 PM. Please plan to attend and be part of this historic service as we dedicate the new pavilion.

### UPOOK CAMPAIGN CONTINUES

We are still raising funds to finish the new "Bob Frank Bathhouse." We also are raising funds to purchase a new zero turn lawn mower for camp. Please help camp with these important projects. We would like to have these funds on hand by July 1st. Please send your financial help payable to Inter-Mountain Baptist Fellowship Uplook Campaign. Please mail to the fellowship Secretary/Treasurer - Pastor Ken Evans at 20 N. Stacy Ave. Miles City, MT 59301.

### REPORTS FROM THE CHURCHES

#### VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH - KALISPELL, MONTANA

Pastor Kevin Turman reports that six people have received the Lord as Savior and two have been baptized so far this year.

#### TRIUMPH BAPTIST CHURCH - GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

Pastor Art Hernandez reports that they have planted a new church in Power, Montana which began services on Sunday March 7, 2021. He is pastoring the new Power Baptist Church as well as Triumph Baptist in Great Falls.

#### HERITAGE BAPTIST CHURCH - GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

Pastor Sheldon Shearer reports that an Air Force airman received Christ as Savior on Resurrection Sunday and then followed the Lord in baptism.

Pastors of fellowship member churches can send news articles from their churches to Pastor Paul D. Hoover to be included in future issues of this newsletter.

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