

The Sheridans



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**Missionaries in
North Dakota to the
Chippewa Indians**

Planting Churches

*Ps 122:1...I was glad when
they said unto me, Let us go
into the house of the LORD.*

Winning Souls

*Pro 11:30 ...He that winneth
souls is wise*

Training Nationals

*2Ti 2:2 And the things that
thou hast heard of me among
many witnesses, the same
commit thou to faithful men,
who shall be able to teach
others also.*

Reaching the World

*Mark 16:15... Go ye into all the
world...*

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This winter has been a tough one. Much snow and cold weather. The Christmas musical we had planned had to be cancelled due to an ongoing blizzard that lasted for about a week. The roads and airports were shut down. The preacher and the singers that were coming couldn't get here. We were going to go ahead and have a scaled down version on the following Sunday, but the weather still wouldn't let us go ahead with it. We finally got to have a fellowship this past Sunday, but we only had a meal after church. It went well, and we had a great time of fellowship which was much needed after all the winter storms have kept everyone inside since Thanksgiving.

People are finally starting to come back to church after the covid thing. On Wednesday nights, we have started praying for all those who got out of church due to covid and some have slowly started coming back. We have switched our Thursday night visitation to Saturdays due to the cold, dark and icy streets and sidewalks. We got our livestreaming up and running but still have some occasional bugs to work out. It is a learning experience for me; so I order a piece of equipment, and as I am installing it, I learn that I need another piece of equipment to make it work. I have some more equipment coming in about 2 weeks, and then we should have it all worked out. Some of our folks are not getting out to come to church due to the weather and so much ice around, but they are watching on the internet. So that's something. I have just made a deal with a guy who has a stair lift for sale. I am going to Bismarck this week to get it, and we will install it soon. We had one, but it just wasn't going to work for us, but this one is what we need for a public building and will work great. We still are waiting to build the handicapped bathroom upstairs, but we have run into a couple of snags. The area we wanted to put it is not going to be big enough for the required clearances. We have another area with plenty of room, but the plumbing is going to be an issue. I think we are going to have to have someone with some building engineering knowledge to advise us. We can do the construction of it, but we are having a difficult time trying to figure out the codes, etc. We will eventually get it done though.

A man in the church and I were going visiting on Saturday, and when I started getting ready I discovered my water heater had given out. The man that was going visiting with me had the same problem. So we didn't get to visit as we were both working on putting in new water heaters. The weekend before that I had some water lines freeze and bust so I spent the day fixing that.

Easter is our next planned event for the church. However, the 1st weeks of April are usually the weeks we have flooding if we are going to have flooding. We did last year, and I was flooded, and this year we have already had more snow than last year. We are already making preparations for flooding. I just hope it doesn't coincide with our Easter plans. We will see.

We are looking forward to summer. We are planning on making a push to win people to the Lord and build the church this year. We don't have much time left as it seems that the coming of the Lord is just right around the corner. Thank you all for your support and prayers for us and the church here. God bless you all.

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