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20/20 VISION

PRAYER, FASTING,
& PROPHETIC CONFERENCE

WITH
DR. LUKE
HOLTER
3-5 JANUARY

ABOUT

As we begin each new year, we desire to gain clarity concerning God's vision for us in the days ahead. Prayer, fasting, and the prophetic are three elements which enable us to discern the future from God's perspective.

I am confident that those who attend this conference will be positioned to have 20/20 vision as we progress into this brand new year!

- PASTOR RON ENGET, LEAD PASTOR



GUEST SPEAKER // DR. LUKE HOLTER

Luke Holter is the senior director of Prophetic Sheep Ministries and the founder of The Samuel Institute, which aims to establish a healthy prophetic voice in the church. He travels extensively for conferences, international missions, and leadership training.

SCHEDULE

BEULAH CAMPUS

Friday, January 3 // 6:30pm
Saturday, January 4 // 10am & 6:30pm
Sunday, January 5 // 6:30pm



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DETAILS

COST The 20/20 Vision Conference is FREE and open to the public. Free will offerings for the guest speaker will be received during the conference.

CHILDCARE Childcare for the conference varies by location. Please visit the webpage for more information.

WWW.NEWLIFEWEB.ORG/2020VISION



THIS JOLLY GUY ALSO GOES BY THE
NAME PELZNICKEL, KRIS KRINGLE
AND SAINT NICHOLAS.

ANSWER: SANTA CLAUS

What's the Difference?

There are four things different between Picture A
and Picture B. Can you find them all?

A



B



Answers: 1. Dog on floor 2. Extra ornament in
bowl 3. Missing hanging ball 4. Second glass
has liquid in it

THIS DAY IN...



HISTORY

- **1799:** HENRY LEE III
DELIVERS A STIRRING
EULOGY FOR GEORGE
WASHINGTON.
- **1966:** KWANZAA IS
CELEBRATED FOR THE
FIRST TIME.
- **2004:** A MAGNITUDE
9.0 EARTHQUAKE HITS
THE INDIAN OCEAN,
CAUSING A TSUNAMI.

**New
word**

DECK

decorate festively

*How they
say that in...*

ENGLISH: Joy

SPANISH: Júbilo

ITALIAN: Gioia

FRENCH: Joie

GERMAN: Freude

**Did you?
Know!**

CHRISTMAS IS ONE
OF THE TIMES DURING
THE YEAR WHEN
THERE ARE MANY
SALES AND BUSINESSES
MAKE A LOT OF MONEY.



**GET THE
PICTURE?**



Can you guess what
the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: CHRISTMAS WREATH

It is time for a new mythological figure

Santa, Tooth Fairy, Easter Bunny. When was the last time we came up with a new mythological figure? (For any children reading, that big word means the same as "real".) Come on, folks! We're getting stale. You'd think that "Deep State" crew, supposedly operating in the Nation's capital, would be able to generate something that requires only a skilled perfection in imagining things and lying. Is it true the Tooth Fairy may be in trouble over a phony dossier circulated by a big candy company?

I don't know about you, but I feel a need for something newly unbelievable to believe that doesn't have any crooks or politicians hanging off of it. I need it. The kids of the world need it. The economy wants it.

Face it. The world at large needs a facelift. We need more Christmas movies where villains get hit in the face with paint cans and get burned and branded rather than the "choke and pukes" with all the hugging and smooching and romance. That's not what Christmas is about! Who does that! Ask the lady who claims her husband added up the Christmas credit card bill five times and hasn't kissed her twice in the same place in years. I guess the last time was in the kitchen and before that the driveway. Hah!



TRACKS IN THE SAND KEN BEAUCHAMP

At times like this, I wish I had done a better job of recording my drunken hallucinations. Now I can't remember them. The scary part of that started when I couldn't tell what was real and what wasn't. Yep. No matter how drunk I got everything insisted on appearing as ordinary.

Personally, I think the whole mythological figure thing is a scheme of adults to control children and less intuitive adults. Kids, that semi big word means "dummies". The adults got together in a world conference and hired the Tooth Fairy to do the art of the deal and exchange a few coins for that rotten, wobbly tooth you just wouldn't let them yank out. Then along came Santa to make you be nice. And the Easter Bunny. I don't guess anyone really knows how that happened other than a magician reached into an egg and pulled out a rabbit.

Well, it is the one time of year when you don't have to worry about being rot-

ten and you can eat all the candy you have teeth left for after last year. Oh, I almost forgot Mother Nature. Let's just hope she never manages to have any little Natures. Nope. That gal has one too many unpredictable personalities. That woman runs so hot and cold she's scary! And, she breaks wind a lot.

So, here's your homework assignment for the New Year. Come up with an idea for a new mythological figure that we can adopt as a new part of our imaginary lives. Be reminded that some,

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TRACKS

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like "honest politician" and "dedicated, hard-working public servant" and "the one looking out for the little guy" are already debunked and no longer credible or believed by anyone, even small children, who have an App for that on their Smart Phones.

My submission is going to be simply "The Glitch". Unlike a Grinch, he steals nothing. He just shows up at the best and worst of times and screws everything you've got going on up, down and sideways. A Glitch never wrecks a home, he just arrives with the proper motivation and temptation which

will make stupid sound smart. The Glitch is not a taker and more often a giver. Let's say you're having marriage troubles. The Glitch doesn't come and take anything. Nope. He delivers a new playmate. You now have a Glitch in your situation, namely one or more extra people.

Maybe you're having money problems. So, you rob a gas station. You now have money, but you also have lots of cops which create a Glitch in your plans.

Or, you take that long-planned retirement. Then you go to the doctor to

make sure you're good to enjoy life and find out there's a small Glitch in your plans. You have some extra stuff growing inside you and you might not want to plan an extended trip that takes you more than a block from medical care.

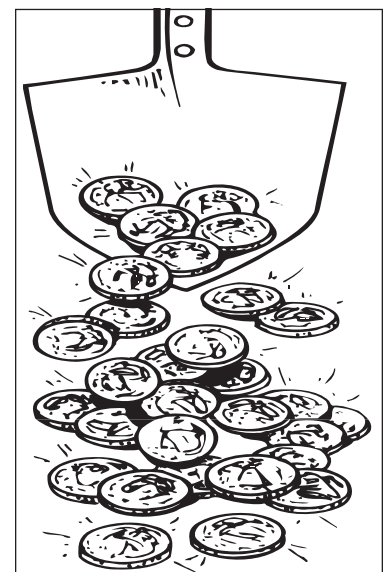
Okay, okay! My idea of a Glitch is bad. It scares people and horrifies children. Reminds me of my sixth-grade teacher.

Even if you don't like our President, you have to feel a little bad for a guy who has had the extended family of The Glitch show up. When your Glitches range from hookers to corrupt leaders of powerful counties, that's a heavy Glitch to bear. You might say that for President Trump every day is a real Glitch.

Myself, I'm going to vote for him to have another term in office. He has proven to be a great distraction and the Glitches have focused on him and are leaving me and maybe you alone for the time being.

I may be crazy, but it does seem time to give the Glitches of the world the attention and respect they deserve. If I can't get any support for that big idea, is that a Glitch? Oh, you'll wonder where the Glitch came from. Let's say it was a failed abortion found in a dumpster behind a clinic and raised by rats.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. May you celebrations proceed without a Glitch. Good luck with that but keep on trying.



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HEALTHY HAPPENINGS

CCCHC Clinics Closed

Coal Country Community Health Center—Beulah, Hazen, Center and Killdeer will close early on Tues, Dec. 31 at 3 pm in observance of New Year's Eve. CCCHC Clinics will be closed all day on Wed, Jan. 1 in observance of New Year's Day. Regular business hours resume Thurs, Jan. 2nd. We wish you a happy and healthy new year!

Tips for a Happy Healthy New Year

Find your motivation. Have a plan and set goals. Track what you eat every day. Eat a healthy nutritious breakfast. Fill up on vegetables. We wish you a very happy healthy new year!

Give The Gift of Life!

The holidays are the sweetest time of the year and life is the sweetest gift of all! Register to be an organ, eye, and tissue donor to give someone a greater chance of receiving that gift. Learn more about organ donation and transplantation on the organdonor.gov and donaciondeorganos.gov

Renaming of the Convenience Clinic

Effective January 1st, Sakakawea Medical Center will rename the weekend Convenience Clinic to Urgent Care. Urgent Care services will be available on Saturday's from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and can be accessed by reporting to the reception desk located in the SMC emergency entrance during scheduled hours. Services provided through Urgent Care are similar to the services obtained at the Convenience Clinic. In general, medical conditions that are not considered life threatening but can't wait for an appointment with your doctor can be treated at Urgent Care.


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BE PREPARED FOR SEVERE WINTER WEATHER



As road conditions worsen, and with the added truck traffic on area roads, please use extreme caution when traveling.

Survival Kit For Winter Driving:

Clip 'n' Save

- Coffee can or other empty and clean food can
- 60-inch length string (cut into 3 equal pieces - used to suspend can)
- 3 large safety pins (tie string to safety pins and pin to car roof interior to suspend can over candle)
- 1 candle 2" diameter (place on lid under suspended can for melting snow). Canned Sterno will also work to heat water.
- 1 pocket knife, reasonably sharp (or substitute with scissors)
- 3 pieces of bright cloth 2" wide x 36" long (tie to antenna or door handle)
- Several packets of soup, hot chocolate, tea, bouillon cubes, etc. (mixed into melted snow to provide

- warmth and nutrition)
- Plastic spoons
- Packages of easy to eat, high energy foods like peanuts and candy or canned, ready-to-eat soups or fruit
- 1 pair of socks and 1 pair of gloves or glove liners; cotton is not recommended because it provides no insulation when wet).
- Extra clothing and a blanket or sleeping bag
- 2 packages of book matches
- 1 sun shield blanket or 2 large green or black plastic leaf bags (to reflect body heat)
- 1 flash light and batteries (keep separate)
- First aid kit

- Toilet paper and sealable container for bathroom purposes
- Fire extinguisher
- Small tool kit
- Ice scraper/snowbrush
- Shovel
- Sand or other traction aid
- Tow rope or chain
- Jumper cables
- Road flares or warning lights
- Gas line antifreeze
- Large plastic garbage bag
- Pencil stub and paper
- Plastic whistle
- Cellular phone with a charger
- You may want to keep the survival kit in the passenger compartment in case you go into a ditch and can't get to or open the trunk.

The recent warm temperatures and sunny skies have been nice – but we all know what's waiting for us just around the corner – Winter! The cold and snowy season is almost here and the question is – are you ready for it?

You should ... Get a Kit ... Make a Plan ... and Be Informed. Keep a high level of situational awareness by listening to the forecast every day. When snow, sleet, or freezing rain is in the forecast expect that it will impact your day to day routine, and be ready when it does!

Mercer County Sheriff's Dept. Travel Advisories What they mean –

Use caution advisory – is issued by this office when visibility is reduced and driving conditions require that people reduce speed.

No travel advised – means that law enforcement and the highway department have determined that near zero visibility is occurring and/or that the driving surface of the road is blocked or covered with ice and driving is a deterrent

Road closed no travel allowed – (extreme conditions are present) is issued when roads are blocked and vehicles are stuck on the roadway. No travel will be allowed by any vehicle regardless of the situation. Barricades or officers will be blocking the roads leaving and entering the closed area. Drivers going around barricades will receive complaint and summons to district court. Schools, mines and power plants will be notified by phone.

All this information is given to the weather service and television and radio stations as it is occurring.

Winter Weather Terminology

Watch is issued when the risk of a hazardous winter weather event has increased, but its occurrence, location, and/or timing is still uncertain.

Warning or Advisory is issued when a hazardous winter weather event is occurring, is imminent, or has a high probability of occurrence. A warning is used when there is a threat to life or property. An advisory is for less serious conditions that cause inconvenience, and, if caution is not used, could lead to situations that may threaten life or property.

Snow criteria for a warning is 6 inches or more in 12 hours or less, OR, 8 inches or more in 24 hours or less. Snow criteria for an advisory is 3 to 5 inches.

Winter Storm Warnings and Winter Weather Advisories may be issued for a combination of elements like snow coupled with wind and blowing snow, or snow coupled with sleet and freezing rain.

• **Sleet** is pellets of ice. Sleet bounces when it hits the ground.

• **Freezing Rain** is rain that freezes when it hits the ground or objects on the ground. It forms a sheet or glaze of ice.

• **Ice Storm** is used to describe occasions when the ice from freezing rain is significant enough (1/4 inch thick or more) to cause damage

• **Blizzard** is a storm with winds of 35 mph or higher AND visibility frequently below 1/4 mile in snow and/or blowing snow AND these conditions last three (3) hours or longer. There is no set temperature requirement for a blizzard.

Wind Chill is that part of the cooling of a human body caused by moving air. Moving air accelerates the rate of heat transfer away from a human body.

• **Wind Chill Advisory** is issued for wind chills of 25 to 39 below zero with a wind speed of at least 5 mph.

• **Wind Chill Warning** is issued for wind chills of 40 below zero and colder with a wind speed of at least 5 mph.

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