

June 10, 2009

Greetings in Christ!

Summer continues to be off to a slow start. Field crops have emerged, but until there are more growing days, the plants will remain static. Last weekend's snow in North Dakota was not repeated in Minnesota, but temps did dip to the low 30's. Grass growth has also slowed down and awaits some additional rain. In our human ignorance some of us are already questioning yields, impact on economy, and whether we will even have a summer. God is in control and we trust that He will bless us in one way or another through this wonderful gift of weather.

Creation and Life issues in the news: St. Paul, MN (LifeNews.com) -- A Minnesota pro-life group is calling on officials at the University of Minnesota to stop pursuing human cloning experiments. Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life says the college is violating state law by conducting research involving the destruction of human embryos, days-old unborn children. MCCL's comments come in response to a letter in which the university accuses the pro-life group of not telling the truth about its human cloning research.

The controversy began when MCCL applauded Gov. Tim Pawlenty for signing a bill into law that would ban taxpayer funding of the grisly practice. It accused the University of Minnesota's Stem Cell Institute of pursuing human cloning. To read the whole article: <http://www.lifenews.com/bio2862.html>.

Nature Watch: Goslings continue to grow at an amazing rate. Robins will be nesting for the second time in the next week. Birds continue to sing early in the morning. This is for marking territory as well as for mating. At the Island we're watching 4 fox kits and several fawns begin to grow. Most fish are wrapping up their spawning and the bite will continue to improve over the next couple of weeks before easing off during the heat of the summer. Wild flowers are really behind this year but will soon be coming out. A few warm days and some rain will really help. Jack in the pulpits, wild strawberries, bluebells, and water lilies will be showing up soon.

Program Information: We still have room for people to attend our "Teaching Creation Science" program this weekend. We'll offer a special \$50 rate for Saturday only. Brian Young will do an excellent job of providing quality information on how pastors, Sunday school teachers, parents, parochial school teachers and others can teach Creation Science." Call the camp to register.

We still have room for next week's Young Scientist program. This is a great program for 10-15 year olds. You can find more information about it at either http://islandcamp.org/content_71.php or http://www.christserveranch.org/content_29.php

You're invited:

What: Brian Young will be speaking at Lutheran Island Camp

Topic: What are some of the false teachings found in school textbooks (it will reveal inaccuracies in many of the mainline school textbooks). This year 2009 has been

designated as the year of Darwin (celebrating his 200th birthday). Brian, will also talk about the recent “supposed” missing link that was found within the past 2 months.

When: Wednesday, June 17th

Time: 7:00 -8:00 P.M.

Where: Lutheran Island Camp in the newly remodeled chapel.

Please call ahead to reserve a spot for that evening (218-583-2905). A free will offering will be taken to support the continued work of the Creation Science Environmental Learning Center

From the Task Force: Do you have an IRA? The development committee of the Task Force is going to be bringing together interested people who would be willing to invest their IRA into a real estate IRA to purchase Christ Serve Ranch. You would continue to own the IRA and receive all of the tax and investment benefits. Call Bill Schultz at 218-583-2905 if interested.

God's Word: "Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. Matt. 25:34

Prayer List: 1.) Please continue to pray for our Young Scientist programs this week and next. 2.) Please pray for the **Teaching Creation Science** . 3.) Please pray that we might find donors or investors to help us proceed with the purchase of Christ Serve Ranch. 4.) Please pray for those who are constantly being challenged in their faith by professors and others who hate creation and the God who created us.

Link of the week: www.nwcreation.net This website provides a rather complete list of news stories related to creation-science. It is a good resource to review legislation, trials, and pending lawsuits.

Resource of the week: In Search of the Genesis World: Debunking the Evolution Myth; by Erich von Fange. This is an excellent book by scholar and author von Fange. It answers many of the questions of how to deal with a secular world view that promotes evolution at every turn.

Question and Answer:

Question: I haven't been hearing the FLAG advertisements as much lately. Are they still doing them?

Answer: We've cut back on them for now. Phase one was to try and educate people as much as possible. We'll soon move into a second phase with different ads and some other things we'll be doing. Keep listening to AM 1100 the FLAG!

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