



today
8:30 & 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship Services
tuesday
6:30 a.m. Board Prayer
wednesday
7:00 p.m. Awana Leaders' Meeting
7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting
saturday
8:30 a.m. Primetimers' Breakfast

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August 29, 2010

Greeters and Ushers

September 2010

8:30 AM

11:00 AM

Ushers

N - R. Assink
C - N. Kalhovde
C - D. VanderYacht
S - B. Miller

N - J. VanderYacht
C - G. Hall
C - A. MacPhee
S - M. Demmer

Greeters

N - B. & T. Tadeyeske
S - P. Krienke

N - J. & D. Brockmeyer
S - D. & B. King

noah's childcare

In the Pre-K Today, August 29

8:30 Infants: R. Strid Family
8:30 Toddlers: P. & L. Kohrs
10:00 Infants: T. Tabert Family
10:00 Toddlers: A. Vandenberg
Children's Church: T. Postma Family

In the Pre-K next Sunday, September 5

8:30 Infants: L. Bright & M. Danielsen
8:30 Toddlers: N. VanLoo & C. Simmons
9:45 Infants: J. TenKley & TBA
9:45 Toddlers: R. Homan & L. Weme
11:00 Infant: D. Haggith Family
11:00 Toddlers: R. Visser Family
11:00 Pre-school Church: R. Doucet Family



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*Everyone Obeying God's Call
Everyone Sharing God's Heart*

Worship August 29, 2010 _____

Morning Worship 8:30 and 10:00 AM

Welcome to Grace! Many people have prayed, prepared and practiced so that your time with us this morning will draw you closer to our God and Savior. Please take advantage of all of the ministries available to you and your family today and throughout the week. If you don't have a church home, consider joining us on a regular basis. We hope you sense God's presence and leading as you worship with us today.

Worship Through Songs of Praise

Come, Now Is the time
Crown Him With Many Crowns
Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King
Awesome in This Place
A Mighty Fortress

Worship Through Giving

Worship Through Teaching

Pastor Delaine Bailey

Some Secrets to Effective Prayer
Colossians 4:2-4

**Extra sermon outlines and children's sermon outlines are available at your request. Please ask an usher for one.*

**A closed-circuit view of our morning services is available in Room E-113, across from the nursery.*

gold river report _____

Gold River Team Report: Next Sunday, September 5, 6:00 p.m.

The Gold River Teams will be sharing about their missions trips this summer.

church family news _____

Condolences

Our thoughts and prayers go to Brenda Weeda in the loss of her mother this past week.

Our Daily Bread

The new issue of the *Our Daily Bread* devotional is available at the Information Center for a suggested donation of \$1.

Baptismal Service

The date for the baptismal service has been set for Sunday, October 3, at 6:00 PM. If you are interested in being baptized, please mark the back of your registration card.

Thank you

We appreciate your prayers, cards and phone calls concerning Cameron's injury to his foot. His foot is on the mend and healing nicely.

Thank you for all your kind regards,
Ken, Jeannette and Cameron Partlow

Helpers Needed

Thank you to all who have helped with the cleanup of communion over the last couple of years. If you would like to continue helping or would like to sign up to help with clean up, please mark the back of your registration card or talk with Arv Hagen.

BIBLE EDUCATION COURSES _____

Sundays, 9:45-10:45 a.m., beginning next week.

- * "What in the World is Going On? 10 Prophetic Clues You Cannot Afford to Ignore," video series by David Jeremiah, taught by Paul Kohrs, Fellowship Hall.
- * "The Lord's Prayer & Related Passages," taught by Don Vanden Berg, E-115.
- * "Ten Mistakes Parents Make With Teenagers," by Jay Kesler, taught by Bill Cummins, E-114.
- * "Definitions of Love," taught by Delaine Bailey, E-112, Young Marries/Young Families.
- * "Old Testament Survey: Books of History" taught by Dave Dunkin, E-113. **Begins September 26.**

Men's Ministry

Men's Evening Bible Study

Beginning on Wednesday, September 15 at 7:00 p.m., Pastor Bill will be leading a Men's Bible Study on 1 and 2 Corinthians in room E-115. If you are interested in attending, please mark your registration card or contact Pastor Bill.

awana

Registration in the foyer today. First Club Night: Wednesday, September 8, 6:45-8:30 PM

Awana Leaders' Meeting: Wednesday, September 1, 7:00 p.m.

Awana leaders, are you ready for the new club year to begin? To help you get ready, our first Awana Leaders' Meeting is Wednesday, September 1 at 7:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. Please make every effort to attend this meeting. If you are unable to come, please contact your Director.

student ministries

August 29 - Ice Blocking, 6:00 p.m.

Bring \$1 and a hand towel for the COOLEst thing you will do this summer. Meet at the Lynden Middle School hill.

introducing SWEN

All the kids have finished high school and you're not retired yet? Then you qualify for SWEN (still working empty-nester) and are invited to our **KICK-OFF HOE-DOWN** at Jim and Chris Clay's "farm" on **Saturday evening, September 25**. Save the date. More details to follow.

Primetimers

PrimeTimers' Breakfast- Saturday, September 4, 8:30 AM.

It is time for our PrimeTimers No-host Breakfast again. See you there! Sign up at the Information Center.

PrimeTimer's Retreat at Cedar Springs - Tuesday & Wednesday, September 28-29. Contact Don VandenBerg for more information.

"Exporting Excellence"

Seniors' Missions Trip To Mexico

The purpose of our trip is to provide ministry exposure, assistance and encouragement. The team from our church will gain first-hand knowledge of the ministry of the Barnabas Churches in Mexico for which they have so faithfully prayed and financially supported. In addition, we will be a part of an evangelism outreach ministry to the poor of San Luis, Mexico. It is also our intention to be an encouragement to the people and pastors in the various Barnabas churches by visiting them and praying with them. We will go to church services and participate in them through music, testimonies and preaching.

- Who: Seniors (the older group) and others interested
- Dates: Tentatively November 3-10 (depending on flights)
- Cost: \$500 – 600
- Travel: The group will travel by plane
- Lodging: We'll stay in the US in a motel and make day trips into Mexico.
- Fundraising: We will not have a big fundraising push for this activity.
- Food: We are planning on eating with a church in Mexico each night for dinner.

If you are interested, please contact Bill Cummins at 354-4321 so that we can make the necessary arrangements. We will then have an orientation meeting for those who would like to know more.

Women of Grace Ministries

The Women of Grace meet practical needs of the church body.

Through Women of Grace's Care and Share Ministry, we meet practical needs by providing meals, flowers, cards and baked goods, as well as organizing showers. If you are interested in ministering to the church body in any of these ways, you can sign up at the table in the foyer. Brochures with more details will be available.

(Even if you are currently ministering in the Care & Share ministry, we ask you to sign up so we know what areas you want to be involved with this coming year.)

The Women of Grace meet the needs of our women through visitation.

The Women of Grace are offering a new opportunity to minister to women of our fellowship who find it difficult or impossible to attend church functions. An informational luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday, September 22. (Location and time to be announced. Please let us know if you are interesting in attending this meeting.) You can sign up at the table in the foyer and indicate if you want to learn more (no commitment at this time) or if you want to be a part of the visitation team. Contact person: Judy Merwald, 360-656-6663.

The Women of Grace meet the needs of our women through one-on-one relationships (mentoring).

Would you like a friend to bounce ideas off, to pray with and for you, and to share spiritual wisdom with? The Women of Grace are looking to build one-on-one relationships with each other. If you are looking for an "older" friend, contact Emily Bailey, 354-6742 or write "Mentor" on the back of your registration card.

The Women of Grace Bible Studies
beginning Thursday, September 16, at 9:30 AM.

***The Patriarchs* by Beth Moore**

"The Patriarchs" is a ten-lesson study, each lesson covering five days. The focus is on encountering God in the lives of the patriarchs of Genesis: Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. We will see God as the Covenant Keeping God, committed to His children even when His children don't always keep their side of the bargain. God uses people like Abraham, Isaac and Jacob with all their shortcomings to bring glory to Himself, just as He continues to use people like you and me with all our faults.

***The Power Of A Woman's Words* by Sharon Jaynes**

Have you ever opened your mouth and "stuck your foot in it" only to open it again to change feet? Our words have the power to change the course of a day . . . or even a life. In this study by Sharon Jaynes, you will see illustrations from people just like you and me who have had an impact on someone else's life--sometimes positively and sometimes negatively. In fact, you are sure to see yourself somewhere in this study. We will be looking at people in the Bible to see how their words impacted other lives and, hopefully, at the same time, we will be learning how to use our words in a Christ-honoring way. This is an amazing study and you will be both encouraged and challenged as a result.

***Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World* by Joanna Weaver**

The life of a woman today isn't really all that different from that of Mary and Martha in the New Testament. Like Mary, we all long to sit at the Lord's feet . . . but the daily demands of a busy world just won't leave us alone. Like Martha, we love Jesus and really want to serve him. . . yet we struggle with weariness, resentment, and feeling of inadequacy. With her fresh approach to the familiar Bible story, Joanna Weaver, the author, shows how all of us--Marys and Marthas alike--can deepen our devotion, strengthen our service, and do both with less stress and greater joy.

ADDITION: Evening Bible Study

We will be studying *The Power of a Woman's Words*, by Sharon Jaynes, beginning September 16, at 7:00 PM.