Getting wisdom is the wisest thing you can do!

And whatever else you do, develop good judgment.





WORSHIP SERVICE....

Songs of Worship

God, You Reign Wonderful, Merciful Savior Mighty to Save

Teaching Focus

Jason Nightingale

Special Offering for Jason Nightingale

TODAY

8:30 a.m. Worship Service Bible Education Hour 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Lunch with Jason Nightingale 12:30 p.m.

Special Speaker: 6:00 p.m.

Jason Nightingale

THIS WEEK

Tuesday

6:30 a.m. Board Prayer

Wednesday

6:45 p.m. AWANA 6:45 p.m. 180 Degrees Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Thursday

Men's Bible Study 6:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study 9:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m. WOG Kick-off Dinner

Saturday

8:30 a.m. PrimeTimers' Breakfast

(Sign-Up at the *Information* Center)

GRACE NEWS.....

Congratulations to Andy and Kara Eshuis on the arrival of their third son, Kasen Deryl, last Thursday. Kasen joins older brothers Haden and Baylen.



Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the prayers, cards and concerns during my September 14 gall bladder surgery. The plant is very beautiful. I love my church family. God is so good! Jane Fast

Christmas Celebration Choir will begin rehearsing on October 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the choir room (of all places)! If you enjoy singing and want to use your voice to honor the Lord, this is the ministry for you! No prior experience necessary. There will be a table in the fover on September 25 and October 2 where you can sign up and pick up a folder and listening CD.

MEN'S MINISTRY.....

Men's Breakfast is on Saturday, October 8 at 7:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. To reserve a spot, please write "Men's Breakfast" on the back of your registration card and indicate how many are attending. You may also contact Bob Bandarra at 778-1143 by Thursday, October 6, to sign-up or cancel.

Men, come and help the widows following the Men's Breakfast on Saturday, October 8. We will be assisting them with small repair items and odd jobs around their homes. If you are able to help, or would like more information please contact Dennis Tjoelker via text at 360-739-7009 or you may send an email to gbfwidowcare@gmail.com.

WOMEN OF GRACE...

Our Yearly Kick-Off Event is this Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Come for a full Italian dinner complete with dessert and stay for an evening of fun and fellowship, seeing old friends and making new ones. Don't miss this free event!! Sianups end today. All ladies are invited; college age and up! Call Susan Heckendorf at 201-4141 with questions.

CARE AND SHARE.....

Ladies of Grace, Ministry Sign-ups begin on Sunday, September 25. If you are interested in ministering to the church body in practical ways, you can sign up at the table in the fover beginning today. Brochures with more details will be available at the table as well. Even if you are currently ministering in the Care and Share ministry, we ask you to sign-up so we know what areas you want to be involved with in 2017.

OUTREACH MINISTRIES.....

Lynden Schools Christmas Giveaway

Project needs your help! Our supply of gifts is disappointingly low. We are facing the very real possibility of having to call the schools and back out for this



year. If you have purchased gifts for this project and are storing them at your home, please bring them now to Carol Hansen's home (337 South Park Street). She has graciously offered her garage to store our gifts. We need many, many more donations of gifts. If you have guestions, vou can call Cynthia Bateman at 603-8015.

COFFEE HOSTS.....Ron and Audrey Honcoop OCT. GREETERS..... 8:30 a.m. NorthMike and Vickie Ruble South......Bud and Kristy Strom 11:00 a.m. North David and Tina Haggith South......John and Cindy Alsum OCT. USHERS..... 8:30 a.m.

North	John Tippins
Center	Jerry Struiksma
Center	Darryl VanderYacht
South	Dennis Tjoelker

11:00 a.m.

North	Ken VanRooyer
Center	Wayne Godard
Center	Gary Hal
South	Jim Brockmeye

STUDENTS.....

the Element (H.S.) Sunday, 6:00-8:30 p.m.

- > Tonight: *the Element*
- October 2: the Flement

180 Degrees (Jr. High) Wednesday, 6:45 - 8:30 p.m.

- > September 28: 180 Degrees
- > October 5: Pirate Night

MINISTRY CONTACTS

PASTORAL STAFF

Senior Pastor	Delaine Bailey
Music and Media	Dave Dunkin
Adult Ministries	Bill Cummins
Student Ministries	Brian Stuart

ELDERS

David Bright	Member Care
Keith Gilmore	
Paul Kohrs	Missions
Don Vanden Berg	Seniors

DEACONS

Chris Bargen	Finance
Gary Hall	Finance
Ron Honcoop	Facilities
Tim Tabert	Welcome
Dennis Tjoelker	Facilities

PRE-K COORDINATOR

Dawn Demmer..... ..318-1679

Church office hours

Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Church office phone 354-4321

HURCH WEBSITE.....

If you are unable to attend on Sunday, you can join us "live" for our 2nd service. Click on the "Live Video Streaming" button on the home page.

You can also download the Sunday Streams app for your iPhone or Android device to watch live or view archived services. A link is listed under the Live Streaming article on the home page. Enter our church's ID "gbf98264" after you install the app.

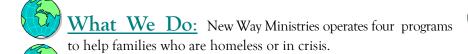
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TODAY, SEPTEMBER 25

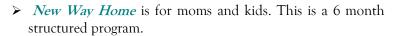
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8:30 Toddlers:Chelsea Berg and Alisia Jacobsen
9:45 Infants:Susan Heckendorf and Lois Weme
9:45 Toddlers:Ruthelen Homan and Rose Larsen
11:00 Infants:Dawn Demmer and Joan TenKley
11:00 Toddlers:Karl and Priscilla Bode
11:00 Children's ChurchBarb Spoelstra and Arianna Rader

NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2		
8:30 Infants:Jeannette Partlow and Roberta Morris		
8:30 Toddlers:Corey and Olivia King		
9:45 Infants:Taan Donoso and Marie Barnett		
9:45 Toddlers:Ruthelen Homan and Rose Larsen		
11:00 Infants:Bobbie and Rebekah Gilmore		
11:00 Toddlers:Debbie Brockmeyer Family		
11:00 Children's ChurchCynthia Bateman and Jessica York		

Transitional and Supportive Housing Programs for Homeless Women with Children and Expectant Mothers.









> Next Steps is a more independent apartment living program for graduates of our New Way Home.



➤ Our *Great Expectations* program is specifically designed to provide shelter and nurture for pregnant moms or moms with young infants.



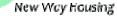
> Cottage Enterprises is a line of handcrafted products we sell to help our moms with extra expenses such as legal fees, driver



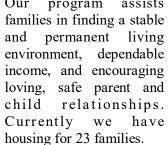




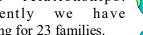




Our Goals: Our program assists



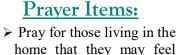






Praise Item:

> We are so thankful for the support we receive for this ministry and for reliable, helpful staff.



Christ's love for them.

