

Moose Lake Covenant Church

Sunday, May 3

8:15, 9:35 & 11:00 AM Worship Service



Call to Worship

As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will make you fishers of men." At once they left their nets and followed him. *Matthew 4:18-20*

8:15 AM Service #23 "O Worship the King"
 #382 "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross"

9:35 & 11:00 AM Services Praise and Worship

Congregation in Prayer

Tithes and Offerings Randy Rice

Announcements & Welcome to TV Audience

Hymn # 429 "Lead On, O King Eternal"

Scripture Reading 1 John 2:3-14

Message "Keep It Simple: Obedience" Pastor Todd

The Lord's Supper

Hymn # 376 "When We Walk With the Lord"

Benediction

There will be a Benevolence offering taken at the door as you leave today's service. This will help those in need in our community.

Today, May 3

Worship Services are at 8:15, 9:35 & 11:00 AM



Visitors and Newcomers

Welcome to Moose Lake Covenant Church!
We would like to get to know you! Please fill out the information in the Friendship Register or stop by the counter in the foyer and fill out an information card and put in the box provided. Thank you!

9:35 AM Sunday School classes for all ages



◆ **Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall):**

Facilitated by Pastor David Nelson. Class includes looking at scriptural basis for understanding God's creative acts, DVD on several topics in current science, clear presentation of data on the growing realization that we live in a very wisely designed universe. The scriptures say: "We are created by God, and we are fearfully and wonderfully made."

◆ **Children and Youth (the last day is May 17th):**

◆ **There will be Sunday School classes for ages 2-5 through the summer starting on May 31st, during the 9:35 service.**

Nursery (infant and 1 year olds): Upstairs in East Room

2 year olds: Toddler Room (hall by offices)

3 year olds: Downstairs in Room 206

Grades 1-6: CE Building across the street

Junior High: (grades 7-8): CE Building across the street

Senior High (grades 9-12): Anderson House across the street.



5:30 PM CR Women's Step Study

6:00 PM CR Men's Step Study

6:00 PM Senior High Youth Group

Covenant Express Weekly

May 3rd

Gambler's Anonymous and Gam-Anon

meets on Mondays at 7:00 pm in the CE building.
Call Tom @ 273-0013 with any questions.

Celebrate Recovery

Tuesday, May 5th for men and women who struggle with life's hurts, habits and hang-ups. Dinner is at 5:45 pm. Worship and large group at 6:30pm and small group time from 7:30-8:30pm. Ginger Spiess will be speaking this week on boundaries. All are welcome!

Nursery Workers meeting

For all current nursery workers and soon-to-be nursery workers, Wednesday, May 6th. The meeting will focus on new procedures that will start the first Sunday in June.

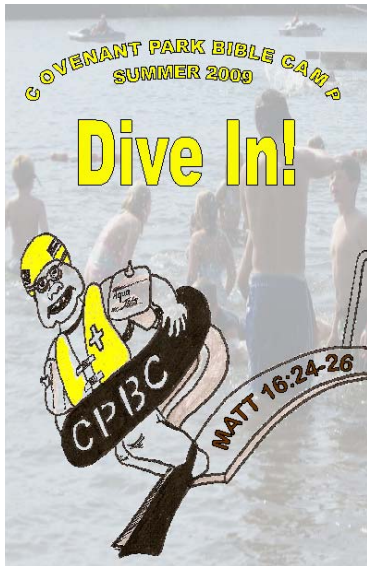
Baby Shower for Bekah and baby Ella

Saturday, May 9th at 6:00pm at Joe Jitter's.
Refreshments will be served (coffee, punch, cake, bars).
Bekah and baby Ella are registered at
Target and on-line at "Babies R Us".



Congregational Health Ministry (Parish Nursing)

Begins next Sunday, May 10th. Blood pressure clinics will be done between all services and after the last service in Pastor Wendy's office. Call Bill with questions at 658-4593.



Covenant Park Bible Camp info Summer, 2009

Pick up your camp brochures/registration forms at the information booth in the foyer.

- **Make checks payable to Moose Lake Covenant Church**
 - Please be sure to complete the camp registration forms **fully**
 - Put in Lana Newman's church box
- **Next Early Bird discount date is**
May 1st

(Discounts cannot be used together, or for those attending a second week of camp)

Call Lana, Camp Captain, with questions at 485-8758



Our Church Family Camp
weekend is Friday to Sunday,
July 24-26



Community Events: see bulletin board by Secretaries office for more info.

May 2nd—Family Worship Church Ladies Luncheon

May 5th—Understanding Epilepsy Workshop at Joe Jitter's.
See poster for registration. You can still register Monday, or just show up.

May 30th—1st Annual Minnesota Fishing Challenge

Youth

C.E. Building Phone: 485-4737

Sunday School (last one will be May 17th)

for Junior High, today at 9:35 am in CE Building

for Senior High, today at 9:35 am in Anderson House

Youth Group

for Senior High, Sundays, at 6:00 PM CE Building

(There will be no Senior High Youth Group on May 24th)

for Junior High, Wednesdays, from 6:30-8:00 PM CE Building

Cookies After School (last one will be May 26th)

For Junior and Senior High Youth,

meets Tuesdays from 3:30-5:30 PM in the CE Building

Sunday, May 17th Happenings...

Mark your calendars!

CTI Music Ministries at all 3 worship services

Prayer for Grads at the 11:00 am service

Pyrosis Worship Service at 6:00 PM for Junior & Senior High

This Week's Calendar

Sunday, May 3

Pray for Pastor Todd, Jayne & family

8:15, 9:35 & 11 AM

Worship Services

9:35 AM

Sunday School classes for all ages

5:30 PM

CR Step Study for women (Anderson House)

6:00 PM

CR Step Study for men

6:00 PM

Senior High Youth Group

Monday, May 4

Pray for Keith & Sharon Obst & family

2:00 PM

WM Coffee time at Kenwood

7:00 PM

Gambler's Anonymous & Gam-Anon in CE Building

Tuesday, May 5

Pray for David Olson

3:30 PM

Cookies After School for Junior & Senior High Youth

5:45 PM

Celebrate Recovery

6:30 PM

Truth Project at Sorvik's

Wednesday, May 6

Pray for Kit Olson

6:30 PM

Nursery Committee meeting

6:30 PM

Junior High Youth

Thursday, May 7

Pray for Todd & Loriann Olson & family

4:00 PM

Covenant Quilters

6:30 PM

AA in the CE Building

6:30 PM

Worship Team practice

Friday, May 8

Pray for: In the Service: Jesse Zerwas

6:00 PM

Precept Study

Saturday, May 9

Pray for: Staff: Lucia Carlson

6:30 PM

Sonshine Pantry at Holy Angels

Sunday, May 10

Pray for Pastor Todd, Jayne & family

Mother's Day

8:15, 9:35 & 11 AM

Worship Services

9:35 AM

Sunday School classes for all ages

5:30 PM

CR Step Study for women (Anderson House)

6:00 PM

Celebrate Recovery Step Study for men

6:00 PM

Senior High Youth Group



Sign Up Today!

Needed: Host families for five men for one night, May 16th

Carpenter's Tools will be with us on Sunday, May 17th for drama, singing, and information. We need one or more homes to host a total of five men for supper, a place to sleep on Saturday, May 16th, and to provide breakfast for them on Sunday morning. This is the music missions organization that took Robin Rice to Singapore last year.

Please contact Ramona Rice if interested at 380-2671 or 485-8835.



Nursery Volunteers needed

We are in need of nursery care providers! We all lead very busy lives and if we could get enough volunteers, you would not be needed that often. So please take the time and consider if you would like to help. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer.

Celebrate Recovery volunteers needed

Would you be interested in preparing just a salad or dessert for Celebrate Recovery on Tuesday nights? We are looking for a team so that the commitment would not be so great on any one person. Dinner is served at 5:45pm-6:30pm for 15-20 people. If you are interested, call Linda at the office or there is a sign-up sheet on the counter in the foyer.



Help needed on the building addition every night and weekends

To move the kitchen, hang doors and hardware and build the retaining wall. Contact Pete at 218-380-0518 to let him know you can help!



Volunteers needed for the July 4th Parade Float

People interested in helping design, decorate or ride on a Moose Lake Evangelical Covenant Church 4th of July float for the parade. Also wanted: any unique or unusual ideas to attract attention to the float.

Call Craig at 218-380-4958.

Sermon Notes

May 3rd, 2009
"Keep It Simple: Obedience"

1 John 2:3-14
Pastor Todd

**Videos of the sermons are now available online.
Our website is:
www.mooselakecovenant.com**



**Congratulations to our High School Graduates
2009**

**Daniel Anderson
Jessica Booker
Matt Driscoll
Katie Grave
Megan Gresczyk
Alex Hassett
Alex Hatanpaa**

**Kristin Lipponen
Emily Moody
Ryan Peterson
Robin Rice
Kayla Van Zee
Trent Wallman
Robin Zeatlow**

The Congregation is invited to the following

**Jessica Booker
Saturday, May 23rd, 2:00-5:00pm
at the Moose Lake City Park Pavilion.**

**Katie Grave
Saturday, May 23rd,
3:00-6:00pm at her home.
4933 Cty Rd 12, Moose Lake**

**Kayla Van Zee
Sunday, May 24th,
5:30pm-8:00pm at her home.
34447 Lords Drive, Sturgeon Lake**

**Robin Rice
Monday, May 25th,
1:00-5:00pm at his home.
93669 Viking Way, Sturgeon Lake**

**Alex Hatanpaa
Monday, May 25th,
at his home.
4890 Mirror Way, Moose Lake**

**Trent Wallman
Saturday, June 13th,
4:00-8:00pm at his home.
94105 Paulus Rd., Sturgeon Lake**

**Dan Anderson
Saturday, June 13th, at his home.
Time to be determined.
4630 Kasper Rd., Moose Lake**

**Emily Moody
Saturday, June 13th at her home.**





Many exciting things are happening in the new addition these days!

Take a look inside after the service!

| Financial Report | 4/19/09 |
|-------------------------|---------------------|
| General Fund | \$ 6,073.20 |
| Benevolence Fund | 100.00 |
| CHIC Fund | 445.68 |
| Haiti Fund | 821.00 |
| Upon This Hill | 3,705.00 |
| Total | \$ 11,144.88 |

| Financial Report | 4/26/09 |
|-------------------------|--------------------|
| General Fund | \$ 6,418.11 |
| Bible Camp Scholarship | 225.00 |
| Covenant Women Fund | 130.00 |
| CHIC Fund | 33.50 |
| Missions Fund | 25.00 |
| Upon This Hill | 2,125.00 |
| Total | \$ 8,956.61 |

Building Project Update April 30

Recent Accomplishments

- ◆ Electrical devicing & light fixtures
- ◆ Tape sheetrock in lobby
- ◆ Metal stud framing/sheetrock in basement
- ◆ Stucco application
- ◆ Tile flooring in bathrooms
- ◆ HVAC in kitchen area
- ◆ FRP wall panels in kitchen
- ◆ Gym & kitchen painted
- ◆ Grade west parking lot
- ◆ Concrete parking lot curbs & landings

Upcoming Activities

- ◆ Electrical devicing & light fixtures; exterior lighting
- ◆ Painting in lobby & basement
- ◆ Ceiling grid in kitchen
- ◆ Stucco application
- ◆ Tile flooring
- ◆ Sidewalks
- ◆ Retaining wall
- ◆ Doors & hardware
- ◆ Plumbing fixtures



Women Ministries

Ladies Coffee Fellowship

Monday, May 4th at 2:00 pm at Kenwood.
Monday, May 18th at 2:00 pm at Oakview.

This month's offerings go toward supporting "Congo Women".



QUILTING GROUP

Covenant Quilters

Thursdays, May 7 & 21.
4 - 8 PM in the Fellowship
Hall. All are welcome!

Community M.O.M.S.

Tuesdays, May 12 & 26 at 10:00 am
Childcare is provided.

The Church Council has asked

that a special offering be
taken for Pastor Todd and
his family to help defray
costs for his upcoming
sabbatical.

The offering will take place
on Sunday, May 17th.



For Sale: To Be Moved

Anderson House: 713 5th St.
(across from church, next to
The Christian Education
Building)

Questions, call Craig Berg at
218-380-1958



Information Request

We are excited to share
information about our church.
Fill out the form below...

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Street Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

I would like information on:

- _____ ALPHA
- _____ Adult Small Groups
- _____ Children Programs
- _____ Youth Programs
- _____ Joining this Church family
- _____ Opportunities to serve
- _____ Women's Ministries
- _____ Would like a Visit
- _____ Would like a Call
- _____ from the Pastor
- _____ Other _____
- _____
- _____

Please tear off at the perforation
and place your completed card in
the offering plate.

Thank you!

Prayer Request Card

Today's' date: _____

Your Name (optional):

What would you like us to pray
for? _____

Would you like a staff member to
know of this request? _____

Do you have a Praise or Answer
to a Prayer? _____

Please tear off at the perforation,
fold and place in offering plate or
in the Prayer Request box located
on the counter in the foyer. All
requests are prayed for by the
Tuesday morning Prayer Team and
are kept confidential.

*Please be sure to keep the Prayer
Team updated with answers or
changes to your request. Thank you.*

Moose Lake Covenant Church is about

Living to the Glory of God by

Gathering around Jesus

Growing in Faith, and

Giving of Ourselves.



Moose Lake Covenant Church

PO Box 445, 700 5th St., Moose Lake , MN 55767

Church Phone: 218-485-4800

Prayer Request Line: 218-485-8242

Sonshine Closet: 218-485-5758

C.E. Building: 218-485-4737

E-mail address: office@mooselakecovenant.com

Website: www.mooselakecovenant.com

Pastor Todd Van Zee

Those Serving Us Today

8:15 AM Worship Service:

Ushers: Ed & Delores Disterhaupt,
Jerry & Robyn Spiess

9:35 AM Worship Service:

Ushers: Randy & Mary Smith,
Chris Fetters

Nursery Care: Dawn & Tony Newman

11:00 AM Worship Service:

Ushers: Tom, Terry, Ross, Zhaobing,
Jesse Degerstrom

Nursery Care: Doreen & Ron Mossberg

**Children's Bulletins, plain paper, colored
pencils and regular pencils** are available on

the shelves in front of the counter in the foyer
for the children. Please return all pencils after
the service. Thank you