

*Moose Lake Evangelical  
Covenant Church*

Sunday, August 29th, 2010



Welcome

Call to Worship

Keep me, O Lord, from the hands of the wicked; protect me from men of violence who plan to trip my feet. Proud men have hidden a snare for me; they have spread out the cords of their net and have set traps for me along my path. Psalm 140:4-5

Songs of Praise

Congregation in Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Savannah Gentry & Steve Gerdes

Announcements

Message

“Boomerang”

Matthew 7:1-6

Pastor Todd

Hymn # 222

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Benediction

Prayer is available in the East Room after the service  
(East end of the hall past the offices)



Visitors and Newcomers!

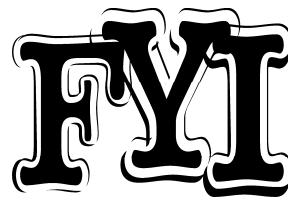
Welcome to Moose Lake Covenant Church!  
Please fill out the Friendship Register in  
your pew so we can get to know you!

Today, August 29th

- 8:30 am:     **Worship service**
- 9:45 am:     **Coffee fellowship in the gym**
- 10:30 am:    **Worship service**  
                  (Nursery care is available at this service)
- 10:30 am:    **“Behaviors Of Children” class**  
                  (downstairs)
- 6:00 pm:     **Senior High Youth**

- ◆ **September Covenant Express** is in your mailbox!
- ◆ **New “Our Daily Bread”** is in your mailbox!”

Don't forget to pick them up!!  
There are extras on the counter.  
(If you don't want to use the “Our Daily Bread”  
devotional please leave it on the counter by the  
offices, so others can enjoy them.)



• FOR YOUR INFORMATION •

**The mailboxes are temporarily hung on the wall  
between the offices and the East Room.  
Remember to check your mailbox  
before or after the service.**



## Gathering, Growing and Giving

### **New Times for Sunday Worship Services!**

**Starting on Sunday, September 12th**

**Worship Services will be held at**

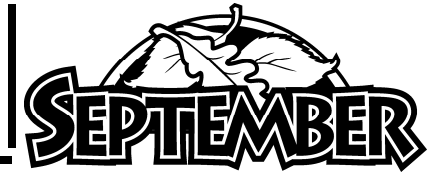
**9:00 am & 11:00 am**

**Sunday School for all ages will be at**

**9:00 am**



**Celebrate Recovery** "Picnic in the Park", potluck Tuesday, August 31st. Meet at the Moose Lake City Park "Legion" pavilion at 5:45 pm for dinner, worship, and fellowship!



It's upon us!! Check out the activities, events and classes available!

### **Children's Ministry Orientation**

Wednesday, September 8th at 6:30 pm.

The Children's Ministry Commission is having Orientation on September 8th for anyone working with children. This includes all those who work in nurseries, Sunday School, Awana, VBS, and other kid activities. This training is full of practical and helpful information. For all teenagers and adults who are interested in working with children.

**Sonshine Pantry Food Distribution**, Saturday, September 11th at 8:00 am.

### **Fall Sunday School for all ages**

begins  
Sunday,  
Sept. 12th  
at 9:00 am !



### **All Church Potluck Picnic**

Sunday, September 12th at 1:00 pm at Mark and Lucy Carlson's farm. Food, games, fellowship, fun!

All ages are invited! (Bring a lawn chair).



**Celebrate Recovery Open House**, Tuesday, September 14th. This is a Christ-based support group for adults 18 years and older who are challenged with the issues of life such as: loss and grief, divorce, depression, anger, food addiction, chemical addiction, emotional/physical/sexual abuse. Dinner and childcare are provided! Contact Linda at 485-4800 or 218-206-4376 or Gary at 485-4640.

**Junior and Senior High Youth Fall Kick-Off**, Sunday, Sept. 19th at 6:00 pm.

**Quilts For Haiti**, Saturday, Sept. 25th from 8:00am-5pm.

We want to make a BUNCH of quilts FAST and we need your help "assembly line" sewing a simple quilt. Anyone, sewers and quilters, non-sewers and non-quilters, can help! We need people to sew straight lines, cut, press, thread needles, and tie. We need monetary donations to purchase fabric and supplies. Call Glenda with questions or to register at 218-658-4593.



## **September Happenings at Covenant Bible Camp**

**Labor Day Family Camp**, September 3rd-6th, with guest speaker, Mark Stromberg of the Northwest Conference.

**Men's Motorcycle Rally**, September 10th-12th with a Friday night steak fry and a couple of great rides on Saturday and Sunday.

**Women's Retreat**, September 17th-19th.

Retreat this year has a very busy schedule with a lot of options, and a very special speaker, Lorraine Helgeson of Grand Forks, North Dakota. There is a brochure in your church mailbox with all the options and activities that will be available. Our church has no jobs this year, so you can enjoy the whole weekend. Extra brochures (registration forms) are available on the counter outside the church office. See more information in the September Covenant Express.

**Senior High Fall Retreat**, September 24th-26th.

## Youth Happenings

There is no Senior High Youth Group on Sept. 5th or 12th.

Junior High Youth Group, Wednesday, Sept. 1st at 6:30 pm.

There is no Junior High Youth Group on Sept. 8th or 15th.

Last **ULTIMATE!** For Junior & Senior High

At Twilight Field, 3- 4 PM on Monday, August 30th

Youth Ministry Parent Meetings on Sunday, September 12th and  
Wednesday, September 15th at 6:30 pm. Come

hear and learn what youth ministry at our



Bring a friend!

church is all about!



### **Attention all those who are sponsoring a child!**

The Compassion, Mercy and Justice Team would like to invite you to share the good news of sponsoring a child. If you are sponsoring a child through Compassion International, World Vision, Hosean International, Save the Children, Christian Children's Fund or another organization, then we are looking for your help.

We are asking you to provide a recent photo and a letter from your child. Please write on your photos and letters the child's name, age and country. We will scan these items and then create a beautiful and inspiring wall display in the church.

All photos and letters will be returned to you in your church mailbox. Please place your name on the items so they can be promptly returned to you.

Place photos and letters in Sarah Herrick's church mail box.

August 29, 2010

**Sermon Notes**  
Matthew 7:1-6

Pastor Todd

**Cake Pan Swap!**

I have a rather large Pyrex glass cake pan (Anchor 11" x 15") from a recent potluck, and I am missing a regular size 9" x 13" glass Pyrex cake pan. Want to swap???!!!

Pastor David

## *This Week's Calendar*

### Sunday, August 29

*Pray for Pastor Todd, Jayne & family*

- 8:30 & 10:30 AM** Worship Services in the sanctuary  
**10:30 AM** "Behaviors of Children" class  
**9:45 AM** Coffee Fellowship in the gym  
**6:00 PM** Senior High Youth Group

### Monday, August 30

*Pray for Chris & Linda Ripley & family*

- 9:00 AM** Gathering Grove (CE building)  
**3:00 PM** Ultimate Frisbee for Jr. & Sr. High (Twilight Field)  
**6:00 PM** Gambler's Anonymous (CE building)

### Tuesday, August 31

*Pray for Randy & Ramona Rice & family*

- 10:00 AM** M.O.M.S. at Moose Lake Elementary Playground  
**5:45 PM** Celebrate Recovery (CE building)

### Wednesday, September 1

*Pray for Bonnie Strauch*

- 3:30 PM** Leave for Twins game  
**6:30 PM** Junior High Youth

### Thursday, September 2

*Pray for Buzz & Colleen Swanson*

- 9:00 AM** Gathering Grove (CE building)  
**6:30 PM** Worship Team  
**6:30 PM** AA meeting (CE building)

### Friday, September 3

*Pray for: In the Service, Katelyn Goorhouse*

### Saturday, September 4

*Pray for Staff: Lucia Carlson*

### Sunday, September 5

*Pray for Pastor Todd, Jayne & family*

- 8:30 & 10:30 AM** Worship Services in sanctuary  
**9:45 AM** Coffee Fellowship in the gym  
**NO** Senior High Youth Group

Please pray this week for the Persecuted Christians in the country of:  
Laos

## **Community M.O.M.S.**

### **is in need of childcare providers for the 2010-2011 school year.**

M.O.M.S. meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month from 10:00-11:30am. If you are interested in helping out, and can do some days or all days, contact Ramona Rice at 485-8835.



## **Celebrate Recovery**

### **is in need of the following help for fall:**

- **Childcare providers** from 5:45-8:30pm. This is a once a month commitment, (unless you want to do more). Dinner is provided for you and the kids. Leads and assistants are needed.
- **Cooks** to provide simple meals for 15-25 people. Dinner is at 5:45pm.
- **Clean-up** person(s) for meals.
- **Computer** person(s) for worship time.

CR meets on Tuesday nights from 5:45-8:30 pm. It is a place for courageous people to face their hurts, habits or hang-ups in a safe, Christ-centered environment. **It takes many hands to make this support group continue** for those who are wounded by life's experiences. Will you consider stepping out and serving in one of the above capacities? If you can help in any way, please contact Linda at the office (485-4800) or at 218-206-4376.

## **There are still envelopes to choose from!**



The board on the wall in the hallway between the old & new buildings still has envelopes attached. Choose one or several with the dollar amounts, and place the money in the envelope(s) and in

the box in front of the board. The funds are going to support Pastor Caleb's school "College de la Grace" in Pignon, Haiti (meals for the students and wages

## **Financial Report for August 22, 2010**

General Fund	\$ 7062.56
Bible Camp Scholarship	10.00
CHIC Fund	25.00
Covenant Women Fund	50.00
Haiti Fund	50.00
<u>Upon This Hill</u>	<u>2445.00</u>
Total	\$9,642.56

Attendance on 8/22/10: 245

## Women Ministries

### Covenant Quilters

Day change starting in September.

**Tuesdays, Sept. 7th & 21st** from 4-8 pm.



### Community M.O.M.S.

Tuesday, August 31st at 10:00 am,  
at the Moose Lake Elementary  
School Playground.

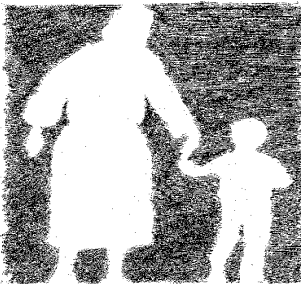


**Coffee Fellowship**  
**Tuesday, September 7th**  
at Kenwood at 2:00 pm.  
All ladies welcome!

**Women's Retreat**, September 17th-19th  
at Covenant Park Bible Camp. (see details  
elsewhere in bulletin)

**Quilts for Haiti**, September 25th  
(see details elsewhere in bulletin)

**WALK**  
with the  
**RISEN**  
**LORD**



## 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  
 Celebrate Recovery  
 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):  
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What would you like us to pray for?  
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Would you like a staff member to know of this request? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a Praise or Answer to a Prayer? \_\_\_\_\_  
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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 Monday morning Prayer Team and are kept confidential. *Please keep give us updates on your request.*

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**

**8:30 AM Ushers**  
Randy Smith, Ed Disterhaupt,  
Jerry & Robyn Spiess

**10:30 AM Ushers**  
Robin & Emma Mathews,  
Randy Juszczak, Lorraine Thompson

**10:30 AM Nursery Care:**  
Doreen & Ron Mossberg

**Children's Bulletins** and colored pencils,  
as well as plain paper and pencils, are  
located on the counter in hall going into the  
new building. Please return all the pencils  
after the service. Thank you!