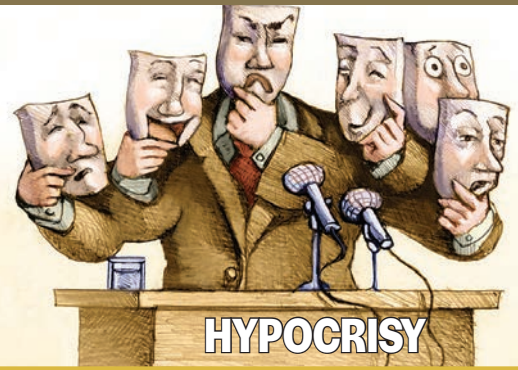
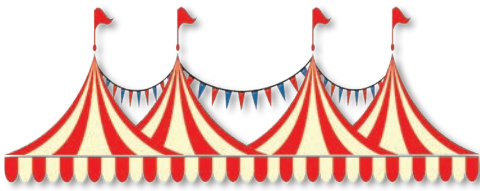


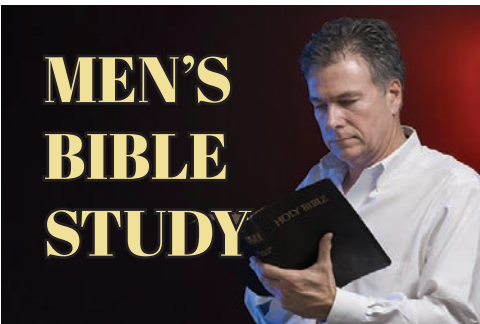
TLC CONNECT



CONNECT WITH US
Sunday, August 29th
through Worship



Welcome to The Log Church!
Isn't it nice to get a storm warning
with enough notice to protect
yourself? Jesus gives us warnings
in the Sermon on the Mount. Join us
Sunday to hear about them.



The Men's Tuesday Morning Bible Study will begin on Tuesday September 21 at 6:30am with a light breakfast followed by the lesson at 7:00-8:00am. The topic is "The New Testament You Never Knew" by N.T. Wright. This 8-week study will discover how God indeed keeps His Promises, even when the answers aren't what we expect! Study books will be provided. The class will be taught by David VanNingen. Call Sarah at 218-692-4141 with questions.

EVEN IF ...
2-Part Women's Video Conference
"There is a GOD who has a plan for YOU in the midst of this chaos."

PART ONE FRIDAY **SEPT 10** 6:00PM - 9:00PM
&
PART TWO SATURDAY **SEPT 11** 9:00AM - 3:00PM

AT THE LOG CHURCH

REGISTER ON-LINE AT WWW.CROSSLAKEEFC.ORG

\$10.00 BOX LUNCHES
will be available to purchase on Saturday.
(Payable by cash or check only.)
Sorry, no credit cards will be accepted.



— ATTENTION —
LADY SNOWBIRDS!
ZOOM Bible Study keeps us connected throughout the winter even if you're out-of-state.

Monday, Sept. 13th
9:00-10:30 am • Jungle Room
(Class will move to ZOOM on Oct. 4th)
Amazing Collection Book 8
New Testament Historical Books
Matthew, Mark, Luke & John
Contact: Sarah Dawdy 218-692-4141

Tuesday, Sept. 14th
9:30-11:30 am • Bethlehem Room
Amazing Collection Book II
Timothy-Philemon
Contact: Pauline Ketcher 218-820-5609

Tuesday, Sept. 14th
10:30am – Noon • Jerusalem Room
Sharing, Caring and Praying
Studying the Book of I John
Contact: Sue Lenzen 218-831-2608

Wednesday, Sept. 22nd
9:30-11:00 am • Bethlehem Room
Jenny Allen Study of the
Book of Ephesians
Contact: Amy Armbrust 612-904-9609
OR Karen van Rooyen

Wednesday, Sept. 22nd
6:30-8:00 pm • Location TBD
Study on the Book of Ephesians
Contact: Tiffani Ouradnik 406-690-4550

Stay CONNECTED through Devotions “Hypocrites”

from Inspiration Ministries *submitted by Mary Amiot*

It all began with Thespis. Known to have been the first actor in Greek drama, his first onstage appearance is said to have taken place in 534 BC. In his honor, actors today sometimes are referred to as “thespians.”

However, many others before Thespis engaged in “acting” — pretending to be one thing, while, in reality, they were quite different.

For example, the Bible describes how David “pretended to be insane” (1 Samuel 21:11-13 NLT). The strategy worked, and King Achish of Gath was convinced by David’s act.

Many people approach their spiritual lives like actors. The Bible calls such people “hypocrites.” In fact, the Greek word means an actor, someone who plays a role.

Jesus had harsh things to say about hypocrites. Instead of allowing their hearts to be changed, they merely were

seeking attention, without any concern for pleasing God. This is how they approached activities like prayer, fasting, and giving alms.

Hypocrites were more interested in testing Jesus than in finding truth (Matthew 22:18). Their focus was on legalism and rules rather than on helping people experience God’s blessings. They wanted to look holy, but weren’t concerned that “inside they are full of robbery and self-indulgence.” Jesus warned that hypocrites like this would never enter the Kingdom of God (Matthew 23:13-51).

Today, many people are hypocrites. Even people in the church, who may think they are Christians. They fail to realize that God looks at their hearts as well as their deeds. He’s looking for those who aren’t acting, but who are genuine.

Don’t be a hypocrite. Remember that God knows your heart. You can fool other people, but you never can fool Him. Let Him transform you!

HEY MEN!

This fall Wednesday nights are for you! Join **BetterMan** on Wednesdays at 6:30pm starting September 22nd.



Calling all Kids!

**KIDS CLUB
Starts
Sept. 22nd!**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Kids, ages four through fourth grade, are invited to this fun-filled and Christ-centered time!

Your child will have a great time learning songs, games, Bible verses, hearing Bible story, crafts, snack, gym time and so much more using this amazing curriculum that focuses on Christ’s life.

Join us each week, starting Wed., Sept. 22nd, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the TREEHOUSE at The Log Church.

Contact Laurie Atwater, Children’s Ministry Director at 320-980-8253 for more information.

FURNITURE NEEDED!

We are working on a few areas in the church. We are looking to add some bar stools, high top tables, wood tables, big comfy chairs, etc. We could even use a barn door or at least the hardware to mount one. If you can help please send a picture of what you would like to donate to troy@crosslakeefc.org.



3rd Annual Fundraiser



**Saturday, Sept. 11th
3-7:00 pm
12600 Pelican Beach Rd,
Merrifield**

CONCERT BY:
Kent Dudley & Bended Knee

Tickets available on-line at
www.truenorthranch.org

**WEDNESDAY
NIGHT
LIVE** **COMING
Sept. 22nd!**

- Evening Meal
- Kids Club (Ages 4-10)
- Anchor Youth (Gr 7-12)
- Young Adults
- BetterMan
- Women Bible Studies
- Lumberjacks (Grade 5 & 6)

Childcare will be available to parents for kids up to age 3.

Next week, we will include a detailed listing of all Wednesday evening programs.