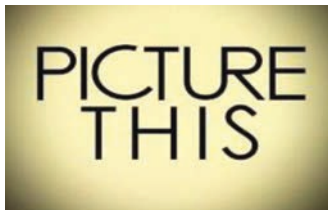


TLC CONNECT



WELCOME TO THE LOG CHURCH - JULY 10TH



What would your pictures of Jesus be? Each Sunday we will look at a different picture of Jesus from the gospel of John. This week: Defender of the Weak. John 8:3-11



The Men's Ministry is planning an event for everyone to attend North Central Speedway on Sat., July 16th.

If you are interested in going, please register with the church office. We will meet at 5:45 PM at the church and carpool to Brainerd. Tickets are \$12 and are to be purchase at the gate.

Booth seating is available from Troy Atwater. He needs to know by July 10th how many are coming to confirm there is enough seating for all.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for Camp Zoomerang

We are in need of 20 volunteers to help with camp. You may click [here](#) to view the time slots and sign-up on-line. Thank you in advance for your generous gift of time!

Service Times: 9:00 AM & 10:30 AM.
Nursery & Little Loggers (3-10 yrs old) available both services.

HEART OF THE CITY WORSHIP BAND
Sunday, July 24th



They will be leading both morning services. This band is led by Dan & Sandy Adler. We will also be looking for host families to house the band members the night of July 23rd ... more details to follow.

ANNUAL OUTDOOR BAPTISM

Baptism will be held on Sunday, August 21st following the 10:30 AM service. If you are interested in being baptized, please contact the church office at 218-692-4141.

Bible Study Fellowship

Bible Study Fellowship is coming to The Log Church this fall! We are excited to offer both men and women groups, same night so couples can come together, beginning Thursday Sept. 15th from 6:00-7:30 PM. Men and women will be in separate discussion groups and lectures but what a great way for couples to share in learning and growing together in God's word. It's not just for couples so if you personally want to attend we encourage you to sign up. The sign up sheets are in the Fellowship Hall.
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Wednesday Afternoon Day Camps
for kids ages 4-10

July 27th + August 17th
1:00 - 5:00 PM

REGISTER ON-LINE TODAY FOR
2 MORE FUN-FILLED CAMPS!!!

COST:
\$15/Child OR \$25/Family

Drop off the kids between 12:45-1:00 pm
Pick them up between 5:00-5:15 pm
* We will be indoors and outdoors so dress accordingly.

INVITE A FRIEND!

— REGISTER ONLINE TODAY —

The Log Church Mental Health Ministry & True North Ranch Ministries

WEEK SIX: Social Media & Riding (Ages 6-18)

TUES., JULY 13TH • 3:00-4:30 PM

True North Ranch, 12600 Pelican Beach Rd, Merrifield

It's easy for others to make assumptions about who we are based on what they see on the outside, or what we outwardly portray. Jesus sees every part of us and invites us to walk in grace and peace with him. Come ride horses or play with the kitties and bunnies this week! Please wear pants, tennis shoes or boots only. **This workshop is FREE.**

For more information, call Naomi Nelson at 218-692-5151 or email her at: naomi@crosslakeefc.org

TO REGISTER ONLINE [CLICK HERE.](#)



FELLOWSHIP DINNER AT TRUE NORTH RANCH 12600 Pelican Beach Rd, Merrifield Thurs., July 21st • 6-8 PM

Please let us know what you will contribute to the meal. In the case of rain will we retreat to the church.



DEVOTION - It's Okay to Rest

submitted by Kat Neumann

Luke 5:16 "But Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed."

Home Depot has the slogan "How does get more done" complete with inspiring music and shiny tools. There is nothing wrong with being busy and liking to be active, but it's also important to remember the flip side of that coin. God designed our bodies for rest, and our minds to need space to think and process. Have you done that lately?

Jesus, creator of the universe, set an excellent example to take time away from the crowds and from His to-do list. Jesus, who did His ministry in the span of 3 years, must have felt the pressure to get as much done as possible before he could say "it is finished." Yet He

still went away; to the wilderness or a boat and separated Himself even from the disciples to pray.

My first thoughts during prayer are usually what I must do or who's going to need me soon (looking at you, cute, tiny Neumanns!). But the discipline of letting those busy-seeking thoughts and distractions slip away as you step into the presence of God will make all the difference in the world. Not everyone has an extra room or closet to go into for prayer; but what about your car? It's cold 90% of the year in Minnesota, but can you go outside for a walk to meet Jesus? I encourage you to set a time in your calendar and keep your date. It will be worth it. Your mind will experience the rest and renewal it was designed for.

BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP

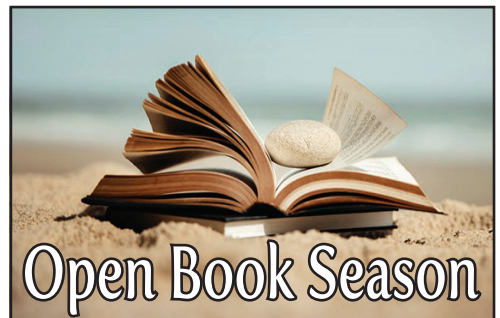
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If you are interested in co-leading, please attend the meeting after 1st service on July 17th, 10:15 AM in the Jerusalem Room. We need both men and women leaders. Questions...call Lee at 218-851-1937 or Dottie at 218-821-6912.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP Wed., July 13th - Water Game Day



Bring clothes to get wet in because we're going to be getting soaked as we play games that are water-themed. It will include, but not limited to, water kickball and a water balloon fight. Perfect for the middle of summer when it's going to be hot.



LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY JULY 31ST

Stop by The Log Church Library to catch some great reads or DVDs to enjoy this summer season. "Check-out" what the Library is all about at our upcoming Open House after each service.

FOOD SHELF DONATIONS ARE GREATLY NEEDED

THE FOOD SHELF IS OPEN ALL SUMMER

Items that are in demand include: peanut butter, jelly, canned fruit, macaroni & cheese, all forms of paper products. Please check expiration dates before donating items.