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The Lord's Day – September 10, 2017

8:45 a.m. – Coffee & fellowship time in small gym
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School & Small Group Studies – classes for all ages

Theme: Compassionate God
I Peter 5:7 – “Casting all your care on him; for he careth for you.”

MORNING WORSHIP
10:45 a.m.

Prelude
Choir Opener: “What the World Needs Is Jesus”
Hymn: “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” #126
Welcome & Prayer Pastor Grotzke
Announcements
Lake Region Christian School Teacher Recognition
Special Music: Anne Kephart
Hymn: “No One Ever Cared for Me Like Jesus” #95
Offertory: Jonathan Larson
Choir: “Ascribe to the Lord”
Hymn: “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus” Screen/#639
Special Music: Kathy Schack
Message: Missionary Doug Combs
Closing Prayer: Nate Grotzke

4:30 p.m. – Choir practice
5:30 p.m. – Orchestra practice

EVENING SERVICE
6:00 p.m.

Offertory: Christina McMahan
Special Music: Jackson Family
-Brief business meeting-

THIS EVENING:

7:00 p.m. – Teens ‘n Treats at Steve & Tatum Ogren’s

THIS WEEK:

Monday, 7:00 p.m. – Ladies Bible Study in the fireside room

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. – Ruth Circle in the fireside room

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Praise & Prayer meeting: Adult studies,
Youth Group; AWANA Club begins with an AWANA
Kick-off party on the church soccer field.

LRCS NEWS:

Monday, September 11 – (H) 4:00 p.m. , Soccer and Volleyball
Friday, September 15 – Paul Bunyan Soccer and Volleyball
Tournament (H)

NEXT SUNDAY:

-Sunday School Teacher Recognition in the morning service
-The Lord’s Table in the evening service

LOOKING AHEAD:

September 20, 7:30 p.m. – Deacons meeting
September 21, 12:30 p.m. – Senior Lunch
September 24 – Baptismal service in evening
September 26, 9:00 a.m. – Ladies Cabin Fever in fireside room
October 15 – Pastors’ Appreciation Sunday
October 29 – Youth Service in the evening

CRY OUT AMERICA PATRIOT DAY:

Today is “Cry Out America Patriot Day”. This event is sponsored by the National Day of Prayer Task Force. Their mission is to mobilize prayer in America and to encourage personal repentance and righteousness in our culture. If you would like to participate in Brainerd’s community prayer gathering, come to Gregory Park at 2 o’clock this afternoon.

FRIENDLY REMINDER:

The North and the West doors of the church are locked at 11 a.m. on Sunday mornings for the protection of the children in those wings.

SEPTEMBER GREETERS:

East: Steve & Tatum Ogren
West: Jennifer & Julie Kovacik

Middle: Ben & Nicole House
Far West: Jon Jackson

CHURCH FAMILY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Happy birthday to Sasha Schack today; Josie Cestnik on the 11th; Tatum Ogren on the 12th; Michael Ross on the 13th; Larry Ladd on the 14th; Bob Voss on the 15th; Katie Ellstrom, Beckett Erickson and Adam Gosiak on the 16th.

NURSERY SCHEDULE – for children up to age 3:

Sunday, September 10 – Tim and Amanda Miller, Whitlee and Carson Moore p.m. Katie, Cora and Christian Gunderson

Wednesday, September 13 – Julie and Jenn Kovacik

Sunday, September 17 a.m. John and Alyssa Blake, Philip Imdieke

p.m. Nate and Darla Grotzke

Wednesday, September 20 – Julie and Jennifer Kovacik

Last Week’s Offerings & Statistics:

Offerings:

General	\$11,318.14	Budget amount needed weekly:	\$8,486.77
Marnie Krause	50.00	Budget giving YTD:	\$11,318.77
Tom Latham	20.00	Budget needs YTD:	\$8,486.77
Cyril Syroteuk	50.00		
Butch Nelson Memorial/LRCS			
	125.00		
Landscaping Project	725.00		
2 nd Harvest	50.00		

Budget giving does not reflect special designations.

Attendance: Morning service – 231 Children’s Church – 34 Nursery – 8
No evening service last Sunday

WORDS OF WISDOM

I prayed for faith, and thought that someday faith would come down and strike me like lightning. But faith did not seem to come. One day I read in the tenth chapter of Romans, “Now faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the Word of God.” I had closed my Bible, and prayed for faith. I now opened my Bible and began to study, and faith has been growing ever since.

-D.L. Moody

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