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March 1, 2020

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- A phone call from the Pastor.
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This Week's Events

Sunday, March 1

9:00am Sunday School (All Ages)
10:00am Coffee & Fellowship
10:30am Worship Service

Monday, March 2

6:00pm Men's Pickleball & Prayer
6:30pm Women's Bibles Study @ JoAnn Nelson's Home

Tuesday, March 3

10:00am Mission Links
6:00pm Tuesday's Table @ Our Lady of the Lakes

Wednesday, March 4

6:30am Men's Fellowship Breakfast
9:30am Women's Bible Study @ church
5:30pm Supper
6:00pm Awana & Jr High Youth Group
6:45pm Sr High Youth Group

Next Sunday, March 8

9:00am Sunday School (All Ages)
10:00am Coffee & Fellowship
10:30am Worship Service
11:45am Annual LBBC Grant Fundraiser Brunch

For a complete list of events with descriptions, visit our website or subscribe to our weekly email update at nlcovchurch.org/upcoming-events.

Prayer Calendar

Today Arlene Nelson
Monday Duaine & Rose Nelson
Tuesday Jed & Lindsey Nelson & family
Wednesday Josh & Jennifer Nelson & family
Thursday Lyle & JoAnn Nelson
Friday Robert & Karen Nelson
Saturday Tanor & Janet Nelson & family

Missionary Ministry Assignment Bethany & Erick Abramson
Evangelism & Outreach
Sweden, 2016-Present

Looking Ahead

Wednesday, March 11, 6-8pm

Combined Jr & Sr High for Lake Beauty Promo Night

Thursday, March 12, 7:00pm

Council Meeting

Sunday, March 15, 3-5pm

All Church Family "Open Skate" at Willmar Civic Center

Sunday, April 5, 11:45am

Ecuador Mission Team Fundraiser
Palm Sunday Brunch

Sunday, April 5, 6:30pm

"Messiah in the Passover" event

Friday, April 10, 7am-8am & 7pm-8pm

Good Friday Prayer Services

Sunday, April 12, 10:30am

Easter Sunday Worship Service

June 1-5, 2020, 5:30-8:30pm,

Vacation Bible School - Save the date! More details to come!



Hearing Assistance Available

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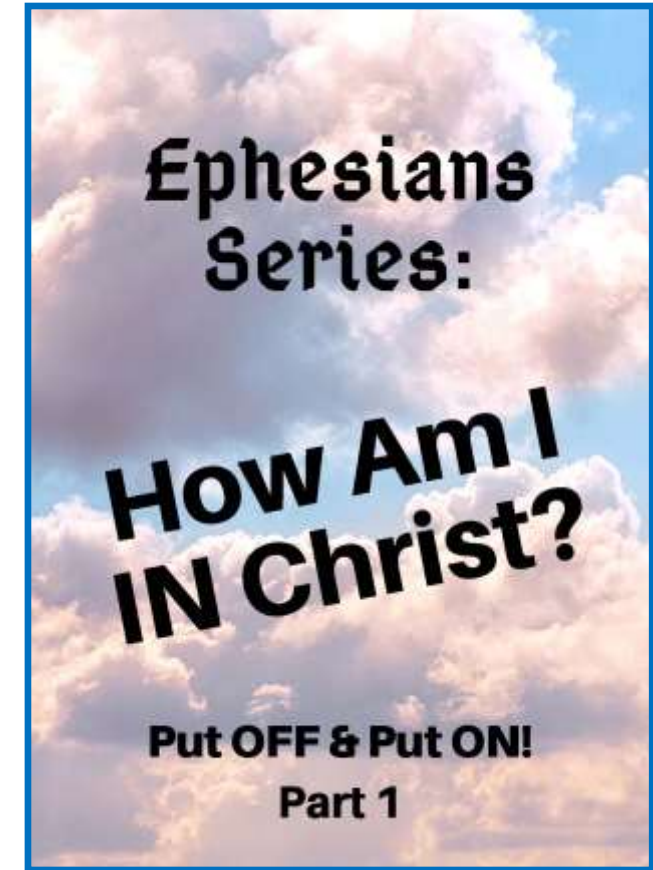
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Sunday, March 1, 2020

 Evangelical
Covenant Church

Welcome

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Our nursery is available for children up to age 2. Seedlings (ages 3-1st grade) will be dismissed during worship.



"As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received."
Ephesians 4:1 (NIV)

Today, March 1st is our Communion Sunday. We will take our Galatians 6:2 offering, which is used to encourage those within our fellowship with financial needs. The Communion Bread today is all gluten, dairy, wheat, nut, and soy FREE!

Current Adult Sunday School Class Offerings:



Today was Lesson 6 for our class that is doing the 9-week series of **Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University**. This class is being facilitated by Mitch and Sara Barber. For more info, please visit our website at nlcovchurch.org/upcomingevents.html. If you would like more info or have questions, contact Sara Barber at saralindquist4@gmail.com.



Spiritual Gifts study facilitated by Deidre Lynch. This study will cover the following points: how spiritual gifts fit into the whole bible, understanding motivational gifts and the charisma gifts, finding your gifts, and how to use your gifts to build the Kingdom of God.

Relational Covenant

Our Relational Covenant is contained as an insert. It was put together by a task force as part of our Vitality Pathway. Then our Elders and Church Council did some additions and edits to it. Finally our congregation had an open forum during SS in December and adopted it at our recent Annual Congregational Meeting. This covenant is not a law to live up to, but a reality to live in to! We hold one another to this standard that is in step with scripture and Christ's spirit.



A huge **THANK You to Kathy Graham, Paula Holmen and Melissa Christiansen** for planning the wonderful Women's Retreat. We appreciate all the hours you put into making it a success and to the others that helped them make it such a wonderful relaxing, refreshing time. Those that missed it missed a great time of fellowship and sharing. We are surely blessed to have such an awesome church family. Praise the Lord!

Upcoming Events

For more details, go to: nlcovchurch.org/upcoming-events



Join us after worship service (about 11:45am) **next Sunday, March 8th for our Annual LBBC Grant Fundraiser Brunch.** The donations from the brunch help fund the grant fund which provides financial assistance to attend summer camp to each kid who regularly participates in activities here at ECC (1st grade-12th grade) when they sign up to attend Lake Beauty Bible Camp with the church. Our goal for the brunch is to raise \$3,000 to help families

with camp expenses, which is added to the amount budgeted for this great ministry. This year, our church will help with approximately \$200 (\$120 for youngest) for each kid who attends summer camp at LBBC (this is just over 1/2 of the \$375 camp registration fee). We sent 40 kids to LBBC summer camp in 2018, 44 kids last year in 2019 and hope to raise that number even higher in 2020! Thanks! ~ Paula Holmen, Camp Coordinator

Brunch Menu will include: French Toast w/toppings bar, sausage, fruit, juice, milk & coffee.



On **Sunday, March 15th**, families and folks of all ages are invited to a New London Covenant Church "open skate" at the Willmar Civic Center from **3-5pm**. We have the arena rented for our group. Cost is \$3 per person, with a family cap of \$15. Skate rental is included, if skates are needed. *Meet at the arena and invite a friend to join you!



On **Sunday, April 5th at 6:30pm**, Chosen People Ministries will present "**Messiah in the Passover**" here at ECC. This presentation is a powerful visual message not only of Israel's freedom from slavery in Egypt, but of the redemption of individuals from the bondage of sin through the atoning work of Jesus. The program is designed to give participants a deeper understanding both of Passover and of the Communion table. All are welcome!



We encourage full participation in the "Messiah in the Passover" event on Palm Sunday, April 5th (see above). Though this is our emphasis this year, we also encourage your recognition of Good Friday by attending a **prayer service either at 7am to 8am OR 7pm to 8pm on Good Friday, April 10th.**

Prayer Request

March 1, 2020

We desire to pray for you and rejoice with you. Please share any prayer needs or praise reports you may have.

All (unless marked below) prayers and praises are shared on our email prayer list.

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