

Let's Connect

September 8, 2019

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I'D LIKE MORE INFORMATION

- What it means to follow Jesus.
- How to become a Member.
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- Online Giving
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SIGN ME UP FOR...

- A phone call from the Pastor.
- Weekly email update
- Monthly Newsletter email list
- Prayer email list

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This Week's Events

Sunday, September 8

9:00am Sunday School Kick-Off
(All Ages)
9:55am Refreshment & Conversation
10:30am Worship Service
11:45am Feast & Family

Tuesday, September 10

Senior Adult Day at LBBC
9:00am MOPS
6:00pm Tuesday's Table @ ECC

Wednesday, September 11

5:30pm Supper
6:00pm Awana Registration Night
6:00pm Jr High Youth Group
6:30pm Sr High Youth Group

Thursday, September 12

8:00pm Council Meeting

Friday, September 13

8:45pm Youth 5th Quarter (from end of
football game until midnight)

Next Sunday, September 15

9:00am Sunday School
10:00am Coffee & Fellowship
10:30am Worship Service

You can visit our website, nlcovchurch.org,
at anytime for our full calendar and scroll
ahead to future months.

Prayer Calendar

Today Gwen Fredeen
Monday Waldo & Marlys Goodsen
Tuesday Kale & Anna Graham & family
Wednesday Les & Kathy Graham
Thursday Sam & Nancy Greene
Friday Adam & Amy Gronli
Saturday Kevin & Beth Gronli

Missionary Ministry Heather Caraway & Esau Vega
Mission Team Facilitation,
Merge

Assignment Nicaragua, 2016-Present

Looking Ahead

Friday, September 20, 8:45pm

Youth 5th Quarter (start after end
of football game until midnight)

Saturday, September 21, 12noon to 7:15pm

Men's Stuff 2 Retreat

Monday, September 23,

6:30pm, Women's Bible Study at
JoAnn Nelson's home

**Wednesday, September 25,
7:30am**, Youth - See You at the
Pole

**Wednesday, September 25,
9:30am**, Women's Bible Study at
church

Saturday, September 28, 8:30am-4pm

EPIC Workshop, Vitality Pathway


Sunday, October 6th, 2pm

Children's Ministry Fall Family
Event



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Sunday, September 8, 2019

 **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.



"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."
Acts 1:8 (NIV)

New Fall Sermon Series starting today—Although there is no perfect list that describes the perfect church, yet scriptures do give us some clues as to what is included in a healthy missional church. By "healthy" we mean *pursuing Christ*. By "missional" we mean *pursuing Christ's priorities in the world*. Our fall sermon series is entitled 'What Does 'Healthy' and 'Missional' Look Like?' We will search the scriptures to answer that question for the church of Christ!

Adult Sunday School Offerings that started today, September 8:

"Tour of Israel" - Here is your chance to tour Israel without going there! Guest teachers Merrill and Bev Kindall and Sam and Nancy Greene will be sharing from their experiences of touring this beloved country that will help the Bible come to life for you! Don't miss it!

"Intentional Parenting" - If you have children living at home, please consider joining this 5 week DVD based class called Intentional Parenting, which explores Godly, relational principles as we parent our children. Light breakfast items will be served. Mitch and Sara Barber will facilitate the class. We hope to see you there!



If you are a **young adult, young couple or a family with children at home** (babies-youth group age), come join us after the morning worship service today for lunch! We will be serving a main dish, fruit/veggie salads (kid-friendly), dessert, and beverages. There is a small cost of \$2 adults/\$1 kids to help with the expenses of the meal. We will be establishing a volunteer list at this September meal of those able/willing to help in the prep and

serving once throughout the year. When you volunteer, the meal is complimentary for your household. What a great time to linger a bit longer, visit together, and have lunch taken care for the day!

Save the Date! The **2019 Overflow Worship Conference** will be held at Living Hope Church in Willmar on **October 11-12th**. Overflow Worship Night will be Friday, 10/11 at 7pm. It is open to the public, tickets are \$10 each; purchase at door or at overflowworshipnight.com. The conference also runs on Saturday from 8am-5:30pm. For more information, visit overflowworshipconference.com.

Upcoming Events

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



Register now for a one-day men's retreat of Christian fellowship and fun coming Saturday, September 21, 12noon-7:15pm. Please invite a guest or two! The day will start with registration and welcome at NLECC. When you pre-register you can pick 1 afternoon activity from the following: Golf, Canoe/Kayak, Trap Shooting, Pickleball Tournament, Bicycle Tour Ride. The men's activities will be followed by an evening at Timber Frame Ranch to

include fellowship, games, picnic dinner, and guest speaker Dick Beardsley, World-Class Marathoner & Author of "Staying the Course". **Pre-registration will be required by Saturday, September 14th.** Registrations materials are available at the Information Desk and online at nlcovchurch.org.

THIS WEEK in Children's Ministries:

Children's Sunday School Starts Today! We will meet on Sunday mornings starting at 9am. Our time together begins with "Kids' Own Worship" and will also include lesson time and activity time.



AWANA! A new year with some brand new theme nights, music (with some of our favorites from VBS) and great games! Don't worry...we aren't forgetting about all of your old favorites! **Mark your Calendar for our Family Registration Night September 11th at 6pm.**

You are needed! The Lord has already blessed our Awana ministry with an increase from last year in enrollment numbers (and we haven't even started yet!). That means we are in need of additional help that involves "shepherding" a group of 3-4 young kids, helping them learn their memory work and just lovin' on them! Everything else is led by key leaders/teachers...that means no prep on your part! PLEASE pray about this and see if this is something that Lord wants you to do for His precious little ones! Contact Paula (320-894-7019) ASAP or complete the Let's Connect card if you want more information or want to serve in this area of ministry!

Seasonal Celebrations are coming throughout the year! Our events will include snacks, games, crafts, supper, movies and friends...who could ask for anything more? This year, the celebrations will begin in October with a bowling outing! Watch for the specific date and more details soon!

Women's Bible Study starting the week of September 23rd

The Amazing Life of Jesus Christ is our next Women's Bible Study and is a chronological study through Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John on the life of Christ journeying from His eternal preexistence to His return. This is a 24 week study that brings familiar stories to life and deepens your understanding of Jesus' life and purpose on earth. We will be starting on Monday, September 23rd at JoAnn Nelson's home at 6:30pm or Wednesday, September 25th at 9:30am at church. Please sign up at the information desk for your day of preference as soon as possible so workbooks can be ordered. Open to all women who have a desire to know our Savior more. Any questions, please see Sherry Olson or Kathy Graham.

Prayer Request

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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.

Name: _____

- Confidential (Staff & Elders only)
- Confidential (Pastor Only)

Our Mission: Loving Jesus, Loving Others Like Jesus and Sharing Jesus Wherever We Go

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