



THIEF RIVER FALLS FREE CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2010

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Prayer Requests

Call the church office at 218.681.3855 or email trfetc@wiktel.com with your prayer requests.

Address, Phone and Email Corrections

TRF Free Church maintains a database of all its members, regular attendees, and visitors. If you have had any changes to your address, phone number, etc. please contact the church office with your name, phone number and the changes that need to be made.

Check out the

Free Church Website!

Looking for calendar updates?
Miss a sermon?

Check out our website at www.trfetc.org.

You can find out what's happening at church by viewing the monthly newsletter or checking out the calendar. You can also listen to sermons online!

NEWSLETTER and BULLETIN DEADLINES

Items for the September Newsletter must be turned in by: **August 15**
The Weekly Bulletin Deadline is:
Noon on Wednesdays

If you have something that you would like to contribute either to the *Sunday Bulletin* or *Monthly Newsletter*, please contact the church secretary at 681-3855 or email her at trfetc@wiktel.com



KIDZ SPORTS CAMP

AUGUST 2-5
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

All kids entering Kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to join in on four fun nights of games, snacks, and prizes; Plus huddle time with Bible lessons and music. **A free will offering will be received each evening and given toward the missions project "Word 4 Life" which will provide Bibles for kids in the Congo.**

We hope to see you there!
At the Thief River Falls Free Church

IMAGINE YOURSELF DEBT FREE

Dave Ramsey's
Financial Peace UNIVERSITY

Financial Peace University is a biblically-based, video-driven small group study that teaches families to beat debt, build wealth and give like never before!

THIS PROGRAM IS FOR YOU IF ...

- Your credit cards ARE your emergency fund.
- Your dog responds to the name "Ebay".
- You're intrigued by the word "plasectomy."
- You want to know what God says about money.
- You have to sell your house to put your kids through college.
- Stocks, Bonds, and Mutual Funds are friends you haven't met yet.



13 - Week Small Group Series

Sundays 6 - 8 PM

TRF Free Church

August 22 - November 21

FREE PREVIEW SUNDAY AUGUST 8TH @ 6PM

(Cost is \$93.00 per couple) Registration Deadline August 15

Sign up located on table in Church Foyer

For more information about this life-changing program call the church office @ 681-3855.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS, and INFORMATION



Senior High Rebelution 3rd Annual Mud Volleyball & Corn Roast!

Wednesday, August 18

Meet at church at 6pm to ride out to Edwards' Farm in Viking and be back by 10pm.

Each student is responsible to bring: bug spray, change of clothes, towel, bag of chips or box of cookies and a friend!

Questions? Call Tiffany Edwards (218) 689-2348

Adopt-A-Missionary

For those who signed up to "Adopt-A-Missionary," please remember to keep praying for your adoptees! If you can send a letter or e-mail, that would be great, too!

Thank You

The Discipleship Commission would like to thank everyone who helped with the Getty-up Get Together Event on July 11th. From the people who planned it and carried it out, to the fabulous worship songs and solo by Earl Hanson. It was a lot of fun and provided good fellowship. Thank you all for attending as it made it worth the effort. The pie auction lead by "Dead Eye" Dan Trontvet raised \$674 which will help fund the four church members who will be traveling to Liberia this Fall for the Vision Trip. Thanks for donating pies too. The feedback was so positive that hopefully similar things can be done in the future using our great new picnic shelter!

Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for all of the prayers and support surrounding the birth of Curtis! We are so blessed to have you in our lives. Thank you also for a wonderful shower and all the cute and useful gifts!! We really appreciate it!

Love, Ryan, Karen & Curtis Griffin

MISSIONS



"TASTE OF THE NATIONS"

August 29

Enjoy the "Taste of the Nations" international food fair after worship on Aug. 29 to heighten awareness of our outreach endeavors. There will be something for everyone! *An offering will be received to support our vision team to Liberia.*

Couches Needed: The Discipleship Commission would like your help in making a more comfortable room for the Northland College students for Wednesday night Bible Study. Three or four gently used couches (neutral colors preferred) would be a blessing. Call Kim Rosendahl at 681-3424 if you would be able to donate.

Men's Ministry Pheasant Hunting

October 9-11

Do you enjoy the outdoors?

Do you enjoy upland bird hunting?

If you answered yes to either of these questions, then think about joining the Men's Ministry group for a pheasant hunt in the wild, wild west of northwest North Dakota. This is some of the best wild pheasant hunting in the world! Food, access to the land, and a few pointing yellow labs will be taken care of. All you need to do is **clear your calendar for October 9th - 11th**, find a place to stay, obtain a license (over the counter or internet), bring your shotgun, and remember lots of shells! Spots will be available to park a camper or RV. For more questions, please contact Jason Simoneau (681-6821).



WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

"What does the Lord your God ask of you but to fear the Lord your God, to walk in all his ways, to love him, to SERVE the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul." Deuteronomy 10:12

Monthly Women's Ministries Meeting

Thursday, August 5 at 7:00 pm

At Kathy Erickson's (310 Calumel Ave S)

All ladies are welcome to attend.

White Cross

Thursday, August 12 at 10:00 am

White Cross will meet as usual with a potluck noon meal.

We will work on clothes for the Congo, and cutting quilt squares.

Hope to see you there!

Tuesday, August 24, 2010

Time: start at church 5:30 PM

Women's Ministries

Progressive Meal

Join us for an evening of fun, food and fellowship. Catch up with women you haven't seen for the summer or possibly meet someone new! Free-will offering will be taken to help defray costs!

Please sign up in the foyer by

Sunday, August 15th

so that we will know how much food to prepare.

Things to bring:

coat, bug spray, lawn chair

Schedule of Events

- 5:30 pm- Appetizer at church**
- 6:15 pm- Meal at Peggy Hanson's (13727 Riverbend Road, 681-3467) Short program with report on WAGOH & Mini Meeting**
- 7:15 pm- Dessert at Geno Johnson's (16041 160th Street NE Johnson Drive 1 mile east past college on Hwy 1, 681-4566)**

Pontoon rides to follow dessert for \$1.00 weather permitting.



August Birthdays & Anniversaries

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Jacob Samuelson Courtney Skjerven	2 Morgan Espe Kayla Lorenson Karmon Trontvet Tommy Zaviska	3 Thane & Jenelle Espe Anniversary	4 Sam Twistol	5 Randi Hodny Kylie Lehrer	6 Annabelle Simoneau	7
8 Emma Halvorson	9 Zaymein Rud	10 Ted Leister	11 Jeff Fagerstrom Dennis McCullough Jonas Westerman	12 Corey Friesen Howard Nelson Jeff & Nancy Hendrickson Anniversary	13 Gloria Schulte Debbie Steenerson	14 Mike Clark Maria Helm Ava Marolt
15 Terry Blacklance Gladys Heinze <i>*Becky Kompelien</i> Kay Steiger Bill & Stacy Wightman Paul & Connie Wold Anniversary	16 Cilla Fischer Ryan & Jessica Eberhardt Jon & Tiffany Edwards Duane & Kathy Langness Rodney & Arlyce Twistol Anniversary	17 Pat Hetland <i>*Kevin Rosendahl</i> Coby Skjerven	18 Cory Helm Mandy Okeson Isaiah Phillips Gary Tveiten	19 Phyllis Lindland Heidi Nelson Jaclyn Penner Tom Schafer	20 Helen Hetland	21 Nancy Hendrickson Al Paggen Marijo Schafer
22 Owen Lorenson	23 Brendan Bushy Pastor Bruce & Cilla Fischer David & Nana Stromlund Anniversary	24 Jamie Gregor	25 Thane Espe Everett & Arlette Kompelien Anniversary	26 Matthew & Andrea Samuelson Anniversary	27 Kade Hanson Lily Helm Elizabeth Trontvet Mike & Melissa Lorenson Anniversary	28 Cortney Rud Andrea Samuelson
29 Jerry Schulte Julie Skjerven Gene & Loreen Hanson Anniversary	30 Mike & Dawn Phillips <i>*Darwin & Darlis Anderson</i> Anniversary	31	* Missionaries			
Attention: If your birthday or anniversary is not listed, or is incorrect, please notify the church office at 681-3855.						

SERVING in AUGUST

	1	8	15	22	29
Children's Church	Nate & Sarah Larson	Brian & Debbie Steenerson	Dave & Elise Row	TBA	Rod & Lisa Hinrichs
Sunday School Greeter	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
K-5 SS Teachers	Rod & Lisa Hinrichs	Greg & Cindy Bengtson	Thane & Jenelle Espe	Christine Bjornstad	Eric & Elisa Anderson
Worship Service Greeters	Bill & Connie Stock Roy & Lauretta Blomker Rob & Mary Almquist	David Trontvet Dan & Jan Trontvet Corey & Julie Skjerven	Terry & Tami Blacklance Ruth Austad Mary Anenson	Eric & Elisa Anderson Ehren & Ester Hanson Shon & Kristal Beito	Dan & Crystal Barth Doug & Gloria Barth Kevin & Bonnie Barth
10:30 Nursery	Jon & Tiffany Edwards	Kjell & Jessica Hanson Donna Harlow	Heidi Senum	Chris & Val Shulstad	Jeff & Roxanne Zerwas
Sound & Visual Techs	Bob Hultgren Jeff & Aaron Fagerstrom	Ehren Hanson Shane Zutz	Chris Shulstad Shane Heinle	Mark Trochmann Jeff Zerwas	Ehren Hanson Cory Helm
Ushers	Rob Almquist	Thane Espe	Thane Espe, Rob Almquist Lowell Trochmann	Lowell Trochmann, Rob Almquist	Lowell Trochmann