

Softball Games

LMBC Softball teams will be playing their last regular season games this year on Tuesday, July 27th at the Bumpus Fields in Wasilla. Come out and cheer on our teams!

6:15 p.m. Extreme Tan @ **LMBC Blue** (Field #2)

7:15 p.m. **LMBC Green** @ **LMBC Blue** (Field #2)

Music and Arts

African Children's Choir

The "African Children's Choir" will be in Palmer on Sunday, August 29th through Tuesday, August 31st. We are seeking 8 host families for these children and their chaperones. If you and your family would like to be a part of this unique opportunity please contact Hannah Schulz by phone at (907) 982-5586 or via email at hannahschulz@hotmail.com. The children prefer to sleep together or at least in the same room. We need the following arrangements:

- 2 host homes for 1 adult and 2 boys
- 1 host home for 1 adult and 3 boys
- 4 host homes for 1 adult and 3 girls
- 1 host home for 1 adult and 2 girls

"Music & Arts Questionnaire"

In a couple of weeks you will be seeing a "Music & Arts Questionnaire" in the Communicator. Please begin to pray if and where the Lord would like for you to serve in the Music & Arts Department. Please note that not all areas of service in the department require musical or acting abilities. Like the song says, "God doesn't always call the equipped, but He will equip the called". Even if you do not feel you are to be a part of the Music & Arts department, I pray that the Lord will show you that you are called to serve somewhere in the body of Christ.

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Missions News



Dave & Anne Sheahan OMF International

The Sheahan family is in Wisconsin. In particular, they are thankful that all of the unsolved logistics that lingered as they prepared to leave Thailand were solved in Providential ways; more than one in the eleventh hour. They will be traveling to Anchorage August 13th, and are requesting prayer for:

- A house to rent in Anchorage
- Good integration into the Anchorage school system for their sons, Philip and Tom
- Their son, Mark's, transition to college in Michigan
- Opportunities to share a view of God's kingdom as it grows in Thailand, and His faithfulness to them as they served there for the past four years.

Perspectives on the World Christian Movement

This training opportunity, which will improve your perspective of God's plan to reach the world, will be held at Wasilla Bible Church (1651 W. Nicola Avenue) Thursdays, 6:30-9:30 p.m., August 26th -December 9th. Register early online at www.perspectives.org. Questions: contact Frank Emrick, 715-2217 or frankemrick@acmc.org.

July Newsletters are printed on blue paper.

Bible Reading Schedule

Week Beginning 07/25/10

Sunday: Ephesians 1

Monday: Ephesians 2

Tuesday: Ephesians 3

Wednesday: Ephesians 4

Thursday: Ephesians 5

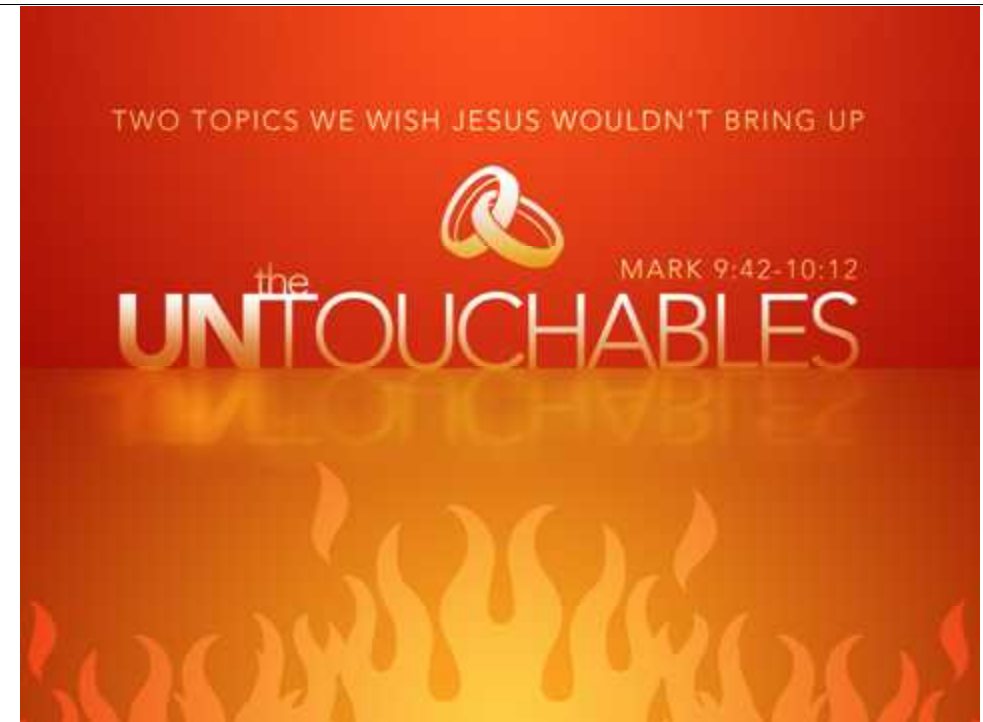
Friday: Ephesians 6

Saturday: Philippians 1

Lazy Mountain Bible Church

Communicator

"To Know Christ and To Make Him Known"



Pastor David Dahms

Services for Sunday, July 25, 2010

9:15 a.m. Worship Service
There will be nursery, Sunday School and
Children's Church for ages 0 through 5th grade

11:00 a.m. Worship Service
There will be nursery

We Welcome You to Lazy Mountain Bible Church!

We are very happy that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. In the next pages of this Communicator you will find many opportunities available to you at Lazy Mountain Bible Church—information about men's and women's Bible studies, small group, youth group events and more.

Inside you will also find a Friendship Card. If this is your first time visiting, take the completed card to the Mountain Side Room and receive a complimentary drink. If you would like to share comments, requests, prayer needs or praises, please slip the card into the offering bag when it is passed.

First time visitors, there are brochures at the Welcome Center that introduce the church; please stop by to receive one. Thank you.

Service Change

There will be only one church service
Sunday, August 8th
11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.



Family Camp

LMBC's Annual Family Camp at Eklutna Campground will be held on August 6th-9th. There are schedules and maps available at the Welcome Center.

Children's Ministries

Summer Schedule for Children's Ministries

During the 9:15 a.m. Sunday Service, there will be nursery, Sunday School classes, and Children's Church for ages 0 to 5th grade. The "Beginnings" nursery will be open. Children ages 3-4 will meet in Room #7. Children's Church for ages 5 through 5th grade will meet in Room #14. The theme for the Children's Church Program is "God's Got Stuff to Do and He Needs Your Help!"

During the 11:00 a.m. Sunday Service, Nursery is provided.

What is Late July For?

For most of us, late July is for all those great outside activities when we aren't working or sleeping. But it is also when we most need to take time to stop and pray about what ministry God would have us involved in come fall. *It is TIME to pray about teaching a Sunday School Class, helping in Pioneer Clubs, Youth Ministries, or in an area of Adult Ministries.* August is recruitment month...so please use these last weeks of July to pray about where God wants you to serve this fall!!

Christian Education Director

~Debbie Kenny~

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Puppet Ministry

The LMBC Puppet Ministry will practice on the following Wednesdays, August 4th and August 11th. Practices will be held at 10:45 a.m. in the Mountainside Room. There will be NO practice on July 21st or July 28th.

Staff Updates

Pastor Dave and Debbie Kenny will be out of the church office through August 2nd. The summer vacation office hours will be 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Tuesday through Friday.

Please note: Due to staff schedules through the month of July, all Communicator announcements will need to be in the office by Tuesday afternoon.

Youth Ministries

Generation Change

Taught on video by personal money management expert Dave Ramsey, *Generation Change* is an entertaining and informative Bible study for youth that shows today's students how money really works, how God views money, and how they can grow into financially responsible young adults. Andy Miller will be facilitating *Generation Change* for all youth 14 years and older. This class meets on Tuesdays through August 3rd, 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the church.

Senior High Youth

(Ages 14-19 as of 8/15/09)

The **Senior High Youth** will have Bridge Devos on Thursday, July 29th, 8:00-9:00 a.m. at the lower parking lot of the Matanuska River by the bridge. For those youth who attend the Devos, there will be an outdoor adventure beginning at 10:00 a.m. This week's adventure is rock climbing at Hatcher Pass, a level 2, on the scale of 1-5, 5 being difficult. For more information go to the Senior High Youth webpage or contact Andy Miller, 745-2611.

Junior High Youth

(Ages 11-13 as of 8/15/09)

The **Junior High Youth** will have Bridge Devotions on Tuesday, July 27th, 9:00-10:00 a.m. at the lower parking lot of the Matanuska River by the bridge. For teens who attend the bridge devotions, there will be an outdoor adventure held from 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.. This week it will be a bike trip on the Matanuska River Trail. This is a level 2 in the difficulty scale of 1-5, 5 being difficult. Bring your bike. For more information see the Junior High Youth webpage, or contact Andy Miller, 745-2611.

Youth Director

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Adult Ministries

Missing Link (College Age)

"Consumed" is an in-depth Bible study for the Fueling, Feeding, and Stoking of an already present Fire and Passion for God!! "Consumed" is for those seeking a deeper relationship with Christ coupled with challenging and exhorting fellowship. Be aware that it will require committed personal time to the Lord throughout the week. "Consumed" is held on Monday nights from 6:00-9:00 p.m.; the location changes weekly so contact Amber Grissom 760-717-3203 or Zack Lanphier 775-9160 for details or visit "LMBCs Missing Link" on Facebook!!

"Operation: Epic" is held every Thursday morning at 8:00 a.m. at the Matanuska River Bridge (Palmer side) for a time of Bible reading, discussion, and prayer. From there we will trek off into God's Epicatagious Creation!! Upon our return (5ish) we will also schedule evening social events for those who missed out, at the home of a volunteer. Bring your Bible, hiking gear, a lunch, and AWESOMENESS!! Contact Zack Lanphier 775-9160 with any questions or visit "LMBCs Missing Link" on Facebook for more details!!

Women's Ministry

Moms with Young Kids will meet on Thursday, July 29th, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at the Matanuska River Park. If the weather is not suitable to be outside, the group will meet at the church. Questions: contact Julie Miller, 745-7475.

Clothing Swap

The Mom's Playgroup invites you to participate in a "clothing swap" Thursday, August 5th, 4:00-8:00 p.m. in Room 11. We are looking for donations of clothing, shoes and winter gear for kids of all ages and sizes, with an emphasis on infant—age 12. To donate, please bag your items, clearly label them "Clothing Swap", and leave them in the Mountainside Room. For more information or questions, please contact Julie Miller, 745-7475 or Mariah Kerrone, 982-3891.



Adult Ministries

Boundaries Preview Class

The Boundaries Preview Class will not be meeting on Thursday, July 29th. The class will resume on Thursday, August 5th, with coffee and visiting, 8:30-8:55 a.m. Class will start at 9:00 a.m. sharp.

Women's Hike

In order to participate in this week's hike, you must have attended either the Fishhook Trail or Matanuska Peak Trail hikes. This week's OVERNIGHT hike will be Crow Pass OR Resurrection Pass, then Devil's Creek Pass Trail to Cooper Landing (25 miles), Friday-Sunday, July 30th, 31st & August 1st (3 days, 2 nights). For more information or to confirm hikes contact Diane Wilson, 746-3073, or Tasha Provo, 745-1624.

Thank You

"I would like to express a heartfelt thanks to the church staff and congregation for the kind words of appreciation



spoken and flowers given for my service to LMBC Women's Ministries recently. It was fun to serve these last five years with a capable team of women. I also want to give credit to my husband, Ben. He has been my number one supporter, advisor, and encourager, and without him I would not have been able to serve as well. Pray for Stephanie & Gina as they step up and coordinate ministry to women at LMBC. Thanks again." — Diana Whipple

Women's Ministry Team

If you would like to join the Women's Ministry Team, please contact Stephanie Wetherington, 746-0803.

Women's Ministry Leaders

~Gina Hartmann~746-5880~

~Stephanie Wetherington~746-0803~

Men's Ministry

Men's Prayer Meeting will be held at the church on Monday, July 26th at 7:00 a.m. The Men's Fellowship will meet on Thursday, July 29th at 6:00 a.m. at the Noisy Goose Café.

Men's Ministry Leader

~Doug Prins~841-0112~