

My decision today

- I prayed to receive Jesus Christ as my Savior
- I want to be baptized
- I want to grow as Christ's disciple
- Other

I'm interested in

- Knowing how to receive Christ as Savior
- Knowing how to grow as Christ's disciple
- Joining a small group
- Helping with the Music Ministry
- Helping with the Children & Youth Ministries
- Other

LYING OR LIVING?

Amos (*Minor Faith, Major Problems* #3)

- ◆ How do we sanctify the worship of wealth?

This is what the LORD says: "For three sins of Israel, even for four, I will not turn back (my wrath). They sell the righteous for silver, and the needy for a pair of sandals. They trample on the heads of the poor as upon the dust of the ground and deny justice to the oppressed. Father and son use the same girl and so profane my holy name. They lie down beside every altar on garments taken in pledge. In the house of their god they drink wine taken as fines." Amos 2:6-8 (cf. 7:9, 12-13; 4:4-5; 8:6)

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life. 1 Timothy 6:17-19 (cf. vss. 6-10)

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. . . No one can serve two masters . . . You cannot serve both God and Money." Matthew 6:21, 24

- ◆ Where do we sell out the weak?

If you really keep the royal law found in Scripture, "Love your neighbor as yourself," you are doing right. But if you show favoritism, you sin and are convicted by the law as lawbreakers. . . Speak and act as those who are going to be judged by the law that gives freedom, because judgment without mercy will be shown to anyone who has not been merciful. Mercy triumphs over judgment! James 2:8-9, 12-13

Let justice roll down like a river, righteousness like a never-failing steam! Amos 5:24 (cf. 3:14-4:1)

- ◆ When will we seek the Lord?

"Seek me and live," . . . Seek the LORD and live. . . Seek good, not evil, that you may live. Then the LORD God Almighty will be with you, just as you say he is. Amos 5:4b, 6, 14

"In that day I will restore David's fallen tent. I will repair its broken places, restore its ruins, and build it as it used to be, so that they may possess the remnant of Edom and all the nations that bear my name," declares the LORD, who will do these things. Amos 9:11-12 (cf. Acts 15:16-17)

NEXT STEPS: Respond to the three questions in the outline. Read through Amos in one sitting. What stands out? Now read through the book (a couple chapters each day) and respond to the questions again. What are your God-substitutes? How can you live out justice and righteousness where you live? Can we do this without seeking the Lord first? Pray for those whom God desires to *bear His name*.



Connecting with God & You

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 * Summer Worship 9:00 a.m. *
 * through August 24 *
 * NO S.S. Classes *

June 22, 2014
Lying or Living?

Dr. Randall Jaspers, Sr. Pastor
 Rev. Randy Brown, Associate Pastor of Students and Families

To **worship** God, help people **know** Jesus Christ personally, **grow** to be like Him, **show** His love and **go** where He leads... **together**.

today at *tbc*

Worship

Worship through Singing

Worship through Prayer

(Children, age 3-K, dismissed for Jr. Church)

Message: **LYING OR LIVING?**

Worship through Giving

Music Ministry: Karen Jaspers

Closing Prayer

Please fill out the Response Form and place it in the offering plate.

Supervised nursery provided during Small Groups and Worship.

Nursery Workers

TODAY: Ronda O., Mel H., MacKenzie J. (Worship)

June 29: Jennifer W./ Dan T./ Valerie W. (Worship)

this week

- Today 15 min. after the service -Q & A Time with Pastor Randy
2:30 pm Chapel - *Rock of Ages*
- Monday **Registrations due** for Sr. High Camp
- Monday–Saturday Jr. High Camp - *CSB Camp*
- Wednesday 6:00 pm Church Membership/Baptism Class
- Next Sun. **9:00 am** Worship – read *Obadiah*
10:30 am Q & A Time with Pastor Randy
10:45 am Church-Wide Parents’ Meeting (see below)

coming events

- June 29-July 2 Jr. Camp - *CSB Camp*
- June 30 **Registrations due** for Intermediate Camp
- July 3-6 Family I Camp - *CSB Camp*

CSB Camp Registrations: TBC pays half of the pre-registration cost for our children and Youth. Please contact the church office!

Church-Wide Parents’ Meeting - next Sunday, June 29, 10:45 am

All parents who have children in our Children’s Ministry are requested to attend! Your input is vital for this ministry; your involvement is the first step in revitalizing our ministry to your children!

praise & prayer

Around TBC

- ◆ Special health concerns: Margaret Elhard, Anne Friesen, Renata Kale, Jack Lynch, Florence Sletten, Stuart McWilliam, Carol Maessner, Gary Ryum
- ◆ David Craig-Afghanistan
- ◆ Jr. High Campers: Cris Dupre, Aaron Grounds, Abby Grounds, Gunnar Pfaff, Amber VanEpps, Pastor R2
- ◆ Parents’ Meeting next Sunday

Around the NAB Conference

Chris & Ingrid Kidd - Brazil



Chris and Ingrid oversee the operations at *Chain of Love* in Brazil, a rescue ministry providing a safe home, meals, education and the love of dedicated house parents to homeless children. **Praise God** for five children recently baptized. **Pray** for unity in making decisions about rebuilding the church that was destroyed by a storm. **Pray** for patience and strength for the housemothers. **Pray** that God would continue to deepen and broaden the NAB missionary work in Brazil.

New Leipzig Baptist Church - New Leipzig, ND
Pastor Lloyd & Sharon Veal

Around the World

***BURMA**– Buddhist 80.0%; Christian 9.0%

The Burmese government claims to support freedom of religion, but it banned independent house church activities in 2010. Religious groups face surveillance, imprisonment, discrimination, violence, destruction or desecration of property and censorship of religious materials. The military targets Christians for forced labor, rape, intimidation and destruction of religious sites.

***Ukraine, Syria, Egypt, Central African Republic, South Sudan, Iraq**

***NIGERIAN** girls being held as hostages

Church Membership/Baptism Class - Wednesday, June 25, 6 pm

If interested, please contact the church office or use the Response Form.

Mission Trip (Kenya/Uganda) - January 23-February 9, 2015

Information sheets are on the information table; Contact the church office for more info. (Applications will be available this week.)

Thank you to all who helped deliver *Meals on Wheels* this month!!

Church Directory Update: Please check all information on the sheets on the foyer table! Use a ✓ or write *OK* beside your name (or make needed corrections).

Thank you for your help!

GIVING REPORT

YTD Budget	\$200,395.92
YTD Building Fund	\$8,085.00
YTD General Fund	\$164,657.17
General Fund Total	\$172,742.17

***Automated giving forms are available in the church office.**

response form

Date _____ Your age group 18-23 24-29 30s 40s 50s 60s 70s 80+ _____

PLEASE PRINT _____ (If A Student) Your Current School Grade _____

Name _____ Are You: Single Married _____

Address _____ Names of children living at home & birth dates: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Home Phone (_____) _____

Cell Phone (_____) _____

Is this your... 1st time? 2nd time? 3rd time? _____

I am: Attendee Member Visitor

I came as a guest of: _____