

August 8-9, 2015



Ridge Lines: CONNECTING TO
THE AUTUMN RIDGE COMMUNITY

LAKE BAPTISM

AUGUST 9 @ 6PM

at the home of
Lowell and Sharon Penz
1442 Salem Lane SW



Welcome, Guests!

If you are a first-time guest, stop by the **NEWCOMER CONNECTION** in the lobby by Christos Bookcenter to meet some friendly people. The staff at the Newcomer Connection would like to welcome you and answer any questions you may have. Please take a gift bag that includes information about our church and our ministries. The bag also includes a coupon good for a free **SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER** for your entire family, a coupon for the Sunday morning **CENTER CAFÉ**, and a 10% off coupon for **CHRISTOS BOOKCENTER**.

Please know that children are always welcome in our services. If your child gets fussy, we have a **PARENTS' ROOM**, located opposite the Christos Bookcenter that will allow you to see and hear what's happening in the sanctuary. An usher would be happy to assist you, if needed.

CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

The Elders and Pastors would like to come to your home this summer and pray for you and your family. If this would be helpful to you please write, "Come and pray for me," on your Welcome Card along with your name, address, phone number, and email and drop it in the offering bucket. Please don't clean the house. There is no need to feed us. Two of your spiritual leaders will stop by one evening for 30 minutes to ask our gracious God to meet your needs and pour out his grace upon you.

CONNECT WITH US - ONGOING & UPCOMING MINISTRY EVENTS

For more details about what's happening at Autumn Ridge Church, download the **AUTUMN RIDGE APP** from iTunes or Google Play.

CHILDREN

Year-round: programs for Infants-5th Grade during the services.
School year: Kids' Club (*K16-5th Grade*) Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 pm.

STUDENTS

Noah's Ark at Wisconsin Dells: August 13, \$40/student.
6th Grade on Sundays at 4:30 pm during the summer.
Mosaic (6th-12th Grade) on Sundays from 5:30-7:00 pm.
High School Girls' Bible Study on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm.

COLLEGE-AGED

Sundays at 7:00 pm in the Lighthouse. Fridays open gym at 7:30 pm.

YOUNG MARRIEDS

Our next dinner is **Sunday, August 23**, after the 10:30 service, at **Hunan Garden** (1120 7th St NW). Meet in the lobby or at the restaurant.

MEN

Year-round: Friday morning Bible Study 6:00-7:30 am.
School year: Wednesday studies from 6:30-8:00 pm.

WOMEN

Women's Bible Study (WBS) Wednesdays from 9:30-11:00 am AND 6:30-8:00 pm during the school year.

SENIORS

(OASIS) Resumes Sept. 15. Meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

SERVING

This week's ministry focus: **Care Ministry**
Would you like to serve in new programs through the Care Ministry that would help comfort those who are grieving? Contact Marty Gruher at 288-8880 or Gruher.Marty@AutumnRidgeChurch.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 18 & 19, 2015
the wholehearted marriage seminar
with Dr. Greg & Erin Smalley
AutumnRidgeChurch.org/smalley

Healing Hearts MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL presents *Walking Together*
Mother & Teen Daughter Conference
OCT. 3rd, 2015 Rochester, MN
9:00am - 5:00pm
Adults only \$29
Youth (13-19) only \$15 before September 12
*Walking in Faith, not Fear
Walking in Peace, not Anger
Walking in Grace, not Perfection*
AutumnRidgeChurch.org/walking-together

women of faith 2015
loved
THE FAREWELL TOUR
Oct 16-17, Exel Energy Center, St. Paul
AutumnRidgeChurch.org/wof for details

Autumn Ridge Church
Blood Drive
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19
7:30am - 3:00pm
In the Common Grounds
Sign up in the lobby beginning August 1

THIS WEEK: CLASSES & EVENTS FOR AUG 1 - AUG 9

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8

5:30 pm

5:30 pm

6:40 pm

Emmaus Service

Classes for infant to K16 - Children's Wing

Saturday Night Dinner - Common Grounds Cafe

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

9:00 am

9:00 am

10:30 am

10:30 am

10:30 am

Adoration Service

Classes for infant to 5th Grade - Children's Wing

Celebration Service

Classes for infant to 5th Grade - Children's Wing

Anita Clevery - Common Grounds Cafe

Anita Clevery teaches on the subject of developing an authentic prayer life. She serves, with her husband, Charlie, in the leadership at St. Aldates Church. Prior to moving to Oxford she and Charlie led a French-speaking church in inner city Paris for ten years. Anita is a lover of the word of God, which she longs to see securely transmitted from generation to generation.

We encourage you to attend this special class with a very special speaker. The Genesis class will resume next week.

4:30 pm

6:00 pm

8:00 pm

NO STUDENT MINISTRIES activities

Lake Baptism Service - Penz residence (Please park at ARC)

College Ministries - Mehring residence

MONDAY, AUGUST 10

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

6:30 pm

Volleyball - CENTER Gym

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

6:30 pm

High School Girls' Study - Lighthouse

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

7:00 am

Student Ministries: bus leaves for Noah's Ark @ the Dells

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

6:00 am

7:00 pm

7:30 pm

Men's Ministry Bible Study - Upper Room

Celebrate Recovery - Upper Room

College-Aged Ministry Open Gym - CENTER gym

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

5:30 pm

5:30 pm

6:40 pm

Emmaus Service

Classes for infant to K16 - Children's Wing

Saturday Night Dinner - Common Grounds Cafe

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

9:00 am

9:00 am

9:00 am

10:30 am

10:30 am

10:30 am

10:30 am

4:30 pm

5:30 pm

7:00 pm

Adoration Service

Classes for infant to 5th Grade- Children's Wing

Explore the Ridge - Living Room (main lobby)

Celebration Service

Classes for infant to 5th Grade- Children's Wing

Explore the Ridge - Living Room (main lobby)

Adult Bible Class: Genesis - Common Grounds Cafe

6th Grade - Lighthouse

Mosaic Student Night (grades 6-12) - Lighthouse

College Ministries with Pat Wester - Lighthouse

Congregational News

We extend our **SYMPATHY** to Lance Gabrielson and his family whose father died on July 30.

I want to **THANK** everyone for their prayers during my surgery and recovery. -Cheryl Shoop

THANK YOU for all your prayers, cards and visits during my time in the hospital and Samaritan Bethany. Your encouragement was so appreciated. -Bob Dahlstrom

The family of Kathy Washburn would like to **THANK** everyone at Autumn Ridge for the outpouring of prayers and love as Kathy dealt with end of life health issues related to her cancer. She is now home with the Lord and for that we are so grateful to our Savior.

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$ 67,620

MISSIONS THIS WEEK

NEXT CHAPTER MINISTRIES is holding their annual BBQ Cook-Off! This will include a ribs and chicken competition, pie baking competition, open house tours and live music with the Sawtooth Brothers. **Make plans to be there between 3:00-6:00 pm on August 22!**

Missionary (noun): Someone who leaves their family for a short while so that others can be with their family for eternity.

CHRISTOS BOOKCENTER

AUTUMNRIDGECHURCH.ORG/CHRISTOS

MON - THURS: 10AM-6PM, SAT: 5-7PM, SUN: 8:30AM - 12:30 PM

507-252-9090

A Different Dream for My Child: Meditations for Parents of Critically or Chronically Ill Children ~by Jolene Philo

Parent support networks for critically or chronically ill children mostly provide for urgent physical needs. The author addresses parent needs for comfort and biblical counsel while caring for sick children.



Devotions from the Garden: Finding Peace and Rest from Your Hurried Life ~by Miriam Drennan

Ninety devotions connect the parallels of life with the wondrous, inexplicable realms of the garden to lead you into His presence and soothe your soul. For anyone who loves gardening.



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RidgeLines or ARC Magazine:

Publicity@AutumnRidgeChurch.org

DEADLINES: ARC Magazine-1 month prior to date

RidgeLines-1 week prior to date

Saturday
5:30 pm

Band

Sunday
9:00 am

Choir & Orchestra

Sunday
10:30 am

Band

Contact Us

Call the church office at 507-288-8880

You may contact our staff via email at:

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Senior Pastor

C. John Steer

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Woody Roland

Serving

Karen Foster

Small Groups

Paul McDonald

Students

Jason Motte

James Allen

Worship

Allen Hightower

April Rowe

For a complete listing of our leadership team please visit the church website at:

www.AutumnRidgeChurch.org/leadership