

September 26-27, 2015

Ridge Lines: CONNECTING TO
THE AUTUMN RIDGE COMMUNITY



The WORD



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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.

Quarter 1: Spiritual Development

September 26-27 & October 3-4

"But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever! Amen."

~2 Peter 3:18



✓ the ARC app

ONGOING MINISTRY OFFERINGS (check website or ARC App for specific details)

Children	Disciple Kids (weekend programs)	Infant-PreK	Sat., 5:30pm	Children's Wing
	Disciple Kids (weekend programs)	Infant-Grade 5	Sun., 9:00 & 10:30am	Children's Wing
	Barnabas Ministry (Special Needs)	5-18 years	Sun., 10:30am	LC102
	American Heritage Girls	Girls 5-18 years	1st & 3rd Mon., 6:15-7:45pm	Children's Wing
	Trail Life USA	Boys K-Grade 5	1st & 3rd Mon., 6:15-7:45pm	Upper Room
	Kids' Club (midweek programs)	PreK-Grade 5	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Children's Wing
Students	Mosaic/Middle School Small Groups	Grades 6-12	Sun., 5:30-7:00pm	Summit/Lighthouse
	High School Small Groups	Grades 9-12	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Lighthouse/off-site
	College-Aged	18-24 Years	Fri., 7:00-9:00pm	Lighthouse
Men	Morning Bible Study	Men	Fri., 6:00-7:30am	Upper Room
	Wednesday Night Small Groups	Men	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Upper Room
Women	MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)	Women	Thurs., (irregular - see website)	Summit Room
	Side By Side	Women	Fri., 9:15-11:30am	Summit Room
	Single Moms Bible Study	Women	Thurs., 6:30-8:00pm	Hyde Room
	Women's Bible Study (WBS)	Women	Wed., 9:30-11:00am	Sanctuary
	Women's Bible Study (WBS)	Women	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Common Grounds
General	Adoration Choir	All	Wed., 7:00-8:30pm	Sanctuary
	Adoration Orchestra	All	2 Sun/month, 8:00-10:00am	Sanctuary
	Celebrate Recovery	All	Fri., 6:30-9:00pm	Upper Room
	Financial Peace University	All	Sat., 7:00-9:00pm	Upper Room
	OASIS (senior adults)	All	3rd Tuesdays, lunchtime	Common Grounds
	Precept Upon Precept	All	Tues., 9:30-11:00am 7:00-8:30pm	Luther Room

CONNECT BY SERVING: Barnabas Special Needs Sunday school class for kids and teens is looking for people to volunteer once a month during the 10:30 Service. Share the love of Jesus with the kids and allow the rest of their family to attend the service. Training is provided. To help, please contact us at Children@AutumnRidgeChurch.org.

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

AutumnRidgeChurch.org/ministries/men



AutumnRidgeChurch.org/wof



AutumnRidgeChurch.org/walking-together



AutumnRidgeChurch.org/arts



THIS WEEK: CLASSES & EVENTS FOR SEPT 26 - SEPT 25

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

- 5:30 pm Emmaus Service
- 5:30 pm Classes for infant to K16 - Children's Wing
- 6:40 pm Saturday Night Dinner - Common Grounds Cafe
- 7:00 pm ArchWays Membership Class - LC101
- 7:00 pm Financial Peace University - Upper Room

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

- 9:00 am Adoration Service
- 9:00 am Classes for infant to Grade 5 - Children's Wing
- 9:00 am ArchWays Membership Class - LC101
- 9:00 am Rochester MN Chinese Church Sunday School - Timothy Chapel
- 10:30 am Rochester MN Chinese Church worship service - Timothy Chapel
- 10:30 am Celebration Service
- 10:30 am ArchWays Membership Class - LC101
- 10:30 am Classes for infant to Grade 5 - Children's Wing
- 10:30 am Adult Bible Class: Genesis - Common Grounds Cafe
- 5:30 pm High School Color Wars (Middle School students are on retreat) - CENTER

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

- 9:30 am Precept study: The Book of Luke - Luther Room
- 6:30 pm Volleyball - CENTER Gym
- 6:55 pm Men's Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) - Upper Room
- 7:00 pm Precept study: The Book of Luke - Luther Room

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

- 9:30 am Women's Bible Study (WBS) - Sanctuary
- 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study (WBS) - Common Grounds
- 6:30 pm Kids' Club (K16-Grade 5) **Theme Night: Careers** - Children's Wing
- 6:30 pm High School Small Groups - offsite
- 6:30 pm Men's Life Groups - Upper Room
- 7:00 pm Adoration Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2

- 6:00 am Men's Ministry Bible Study - Upper Room
- 9:15 am Side By Side (medical spouses) - Summit Room
- 7:00 pm Celebrate Recovery - Upper Room
- 7:00 pm College-Aged Ministry (ages 18-24) - Lighthouse
- 9:30 pm 5th Quarter: Student Ministries - CENTER

UPCOMING MINISTRY EVENTS

Ministry/Event	Date(s)	Details
High School Retreat	Oct 23-25	Camp Foster YMCA, Spirit Lake, IA
Promise Keepers Men's Conference	Oct 9-10	Grace Church Eden Prairie. PromiseKeepers.org
Woman2Woman Mentoring	Oct 1	Check women's website for details.

Congregational News

CONGRATULATIONS to Zach and Nicole Jones on the birth of a son, Eli James, born on September 7.

Our **SYMPATHY** goes to the family of Delores Dalton, who died on September 16.

THANK YOU to my Autumn Ridge family for the prayers, cards, and other expressions of kindness before and after my recent surgery. ~Teddy Moore

REQUEST FROM PASTOR STEER: While Gretchen and I are walking The Way of St. James in Spain, we would love to pray for you. Please send your prayer requests to us at CJohnCamino@gmail.com. With our love, John and Gretchen.
(You can follow their progress at their blog, www.cjohncamino.wordpress.com.)

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$ 67,660

MISSIONS THIS WEEK

WANTED: Autumn Ridge's oldest living military veteran. Send nominations by October 15 to missions@AutumnRidgeChurch.org.

CHRISTOS BOOKCENTER

AUTUMNRIDGECHURCH.ORG/CHRISTOS

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

507-252-9090

Grace for the Afflicted: A Clinical and Biblical Perspective on Mental Illness
~by Matthew S. Stanford, PhD

This book educates Christians about the biblical and scientific perspectives of mental illness while exploring both the physical and spiritual nature of illness, and the role of psychology and psychiatry.



When a Man You Love Was Abused: A Woman's Guide to Helping Him Overcome Childhood Sexual Molestation ~by Cecil Murphey

This powerful and compassionate tool offers the strength men need to confront the past—and the encouragement women need to help them recover and heal. Includes inspirational stories from survivors.



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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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Pat Wester

Missions

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Small Groups

Paul McDonald

Worship

Allen Hightower
April Rowe

For a complete listing of our leadership team please visit the church website at:
www.AutumnRidgeChurch.org/leadership