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The Lord's Day – June 25, 2017

8:45 a.m. – Coffee & fellowship time in small gym
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School & Small Group Studies – classes for all ages

Theme: "God's Love"

I John 4:16b – "God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him."

MORNING WORSHIP
10:45 a.m.

Prelude
Hymn: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #126
Welcome & Prayer Pastor Grotzke
Announcements
Special Music: Ava Erickson
Hymn: "The Love of God" #130
Offertory: Judy Witta
Hymn: "The Wonder of It All" #142/Screen
Special Music: Karen Wetterlund
Message: Pastor Grotzke
Closing Prayer: Keith Card

5:30 p.m. – Orchestra practice

EVENING SERVICE
6:00 p.m.

Offertory: Christian Gunderson
Special Music: Orchestra
-Teen Girls

THIS WEEK:

Monday, 6:30 p.m. – Baby shower in the fireside room for Karen Wetterlund. Rolund and Karen are expecting a baby boy and have decorated his nursery in a rustic woodland theme. They are registered at Target.

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Midweek service: Praise & Prayer meeting: Adult Studies, Youth Group, Kids' Bible Club (K3-6th grade)

Thursday & Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day – Youth rummage sale in the small gym. If you have anything you'd like to donate, you may leave it in the small gym. Please bring it by Wednesday. Questions? See Pastor Pete Erickson.

LRCS NEWS:

-LRCS Summer office hours – 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. weekdays
-New to First Baptist Church and Lake Region Christian School? Stop in the office and ask about the "New Student Scholarship"!

NEXT SUNDAY:

Special patriotic service in the morning; following the service we'll have a church picnic on the church grounds. The deacons will grill hamburgers and hot dogs for everyone; beverages and table service will be provided also. Each family please bring food as follows: A-M: a pan of bars; N-Y: a large salad. The July serving groups, Forrest McMahan's and Scott Imdieke's shepherding lists, will be serving. There will be no evening service on July 2.

LOOKING AHEAD:

July 9 – The Lord's Table in the evening service
July 17-22 – Teen Camp Week; grades 7-12
July 19, 7:30 p.m. – Deacon meeting
July 20, 12:30 p.m. – Senior Luncheon
July 23 – Missionary Ron Hemsworth here both morning and evening
– Brief quarterly business meeting in the evening service
July 24-27 – Vacation Bible School

MEMORIAL SERVICE:

Ron & Marlys Howard's son Danny passed away on Sunday, June 4th. His Memorial Service will be this Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. here at First Baptist.

ITEMS MISSING:

We are missing five of the vintage "Reserved" signs for the pews. They have a split velvet weight for placing on the pew back; also missing are six plastic "Reserved" pew clips. If you know of their whereabouts please call the church office.

DEVOTIONAL BOOKS:

The large-print "Daily Bread" devotional books for July, August and September are on the literature table near the Welcome Center. Please feel free to help yourselves.

NEW ADDRESS:

Nyla Skogland: 14180 Broadmoor Drive, Ap't. #303, Baxter. (Autumn Glen)

LAPS BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN:

Thank you so much for your generous response to the Lakes Area Pregnancy Support Baby Bottle Campaign. If you haven't yet turned in your bottle, please do so as soon as possible. We will get a letter informing us of how much we raised and the total campaign amount.

OPPORTUNITY TO HELP:

In preparation for the July Fourth parade in Brainerd, Community Action is looking for people to work with Teen Challenge as they park cars for parade goers. Teen Challenge will park the vehicles but they cannot handle the money, and that is where help is needed. If you are interested in helping, call Sue at Community Action, 829-5278.

JUNE GREETERS:

East: Greg & Joyce Ranweiler Middle: Earl & Gailene Norwood
West: Roger & Pat Bednar Far West: Joni Thomas

CHURCH FAMILY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Happy birthday to Gary Mathison, Scott Kirkvold, Todd Ellstrom and Diana Kampen today; Jim Stene on the 26th; Mary Cole & Henry Wulf on the 30th; Dave Wagner and Josiah & Jared Kampen on July 1st.

NURSERY SCHEDULE – for children up to age 3:

Sunday, June 25 – a.m. John & Heather Hagen p.m. Pete & Amy Erickson

Wednesday, June 28 – Marlee Moore and Faith Kampen

Sunday, July 2 - a.m. Tim and Amanda Miller & Whitlee Moore

Wednesday, July 5 – Tom and Jacki Kientzle

Last Week's Offerings & Statistics:

Offerings:			
General	\$6,301.70	Budget amount needed weekly:	\$8,301.38
Marni Krause	50.00	Budget giving YTD:	\$352,677.01
Seth Grotzke	20.00	Budget needs YTD:	\$348,657.96
Camp Scholarship	125.00		

Attendance: Morning service – 243 Children's Church – 45 Nursery – 21
No evening service last Sunday

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