

**MOVING PEOPLE TOWARD CHRIST: EMPOWERED
DAN LEEPER**

The Lord's Day | September 3, 2017

WELCOME/CALL TO WORSHIP

SONGS OF WORSHIP

Sovereign Over Us
Grace Alone

OFFERING

Be Thou My Vision

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

COMMUNION

Behold The Lamb
Nothing But The Blood

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

PREACHING OF GOD'S WORD Moving People Toward Christ: Empowered

SONG OF RESPONSE

Mighty To Save

BENEDICTION

An offering is taken for our Love In Action/Benevolent Fund on every communion Sunday. This fund is used by the deacons to assist those in need. All of the loose cash given in the offering today will go toward this fund or you may designate a contribution on your check memo or on an offering envelope.

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

If you are visiting, please fill out a Connect Card which is located in the chair pocket in front of you. After the service, stop by the Information Desk in the foyer to pick up a visitor packet.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

The nursery and classes for children 2 years old through 5th grade are available during both the 9:00 AM and 10:45 AM services.

MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

The Middle School class will begin again on **September 10** and will meet during the 9:00 service in room 171.

OFFICE CLOSED

The church office will be closed tomorrow for the Labor Day holiday.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Weekly Budget Need \$18,520
August 27 General Giving: \$17,705
YTD Budget Need: \$648,200
YTD General Giving: \$668,208

THIS WEEK AT NCBC

Monday, September 4

Labor Day/Office Closed
8:00 PM - Men's Basketball

Tuesday, September 5

9:00 AM - Women's Prayer Hour
6:30 PM - WBS Kickoff

Wednesday, September 6

6:30 PM - AWANA
6:45 PM - Youth Group
6:45 PM - Prayer Meeting

Friday, September 8

6:15 AM - Men's Bible Study @
Big Apple Bagel in Elgin
7:30 PM - The Rock

SUNDAY AM CLASSES FOR ADULTS AND MS/HS STUDENTS

9:00 AM- Exploring Christian Theology

Begins September 10. Taught by Justin Taylor & Joe Jones. Sign up at the table in the foyer.

10:45 AM - Study of Isaiah 52:13-53:12
Meeting weekly in Room 140. Taught by Jeff Miller.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING

The Wednesday evening weekly prayer meeting will begin again this week, **September 6**, at 6:45 PM.

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING EVENT

One-to-One Bible Reading is a half day course on how to read the Bible with another person or with a small group. The course includes teaching, practice, and practical ideas on how to get started. This training course will be offered twice so you may choose to attend on either Saturday, **September 23** or Saturday, **October 7** from 8:00 – 11:30 AM at NCBC. You may register and purchase an optional book (\$6) in the foyer.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Our third quarter membership meeting will be held Sunday, **September 24**, immediately following the 5:00 PM evening service. A vote will be taken to affirm John Bailey as a new deacon and to reaffirm Frank Chihowski as elder.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Adam & Marie Merry on the birth of their son, Clark William, on August 19! At birth he weighed 8 lbs. and was 21 inches long.

AWANA

Our AWANA program will begin Wednesday, **September 6** at 6:30 PM! For more information or to register for our clubs (age 3 through 5th grade) stop by the table in the foyer.

WEDDING INVITATION

Rocky & Chris Hitt invite the church family to share in the wedding celebration of their daughter, Lindsey, to Kyle Scheppman this afternoon at 4:00 PM here at New Covenant.

LAZARUS HOUSE DINNER/OVERNIGHT

Thank you for helping us minister to the needs at the Lazarus House Homeless Shelter by providing one of six dishes for dinner or spending the night on Monday, **September 4**. Info and signup sheets are at a table in the foyer or you may contact Linda Jezek at 630.945.8397.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEEDS

We have a number of openings for teachers and assistants in our Sunday morning children's classes, and for the nursery on Sunday mornings. There's also an opportunity for you to serve in our AWANA program on Wednesday nights beginning **September 6**. If you're a member, stop by the table in the foyer for more information or to sign up.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Join the Women's Bible Study on the book of John. Stop by the table in the foyer to register or for more information about either the Tuesday morning or Tuesday evening group. A kickoff event for all participants will be held Tuesday, **September 5** from 6:30-8:00 PM.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY NEED

Needed: A loving caregiver for our nursery, weekly or twice-monthly from 9:30-11:30 on Tuesday mornings. This is a paid position. Caregiver must be a member and over 18 years of age. For more information, call or text Michelle Freidel at [630-362-4604](tel:630-362-4604).

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Pastor

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Dennis Freidel
Patrick Havens
Tim Holloway
Joe Kulesza
Dan Leeper
David Sunday
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