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Praise the Lord for Our Freedom!

2 Corinthians 3: 17-18 ¹⁷Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, *there is freedom.* ¹⁸But we all, with unveiled faces, looking as in a mirror at the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit.

As we celebrate our independence as a nation this month, let us give praise to our God who makes this possible; who has blessed us abundantly so we might live as a free people. Let us also give thanks for the American soldiers who defend our freedom and serve with great courage and selflessness. We thank You Lord for the soldiers who give their all to keep us safe and able to follow our dreams. Watch over them and their families Lord. Keep them in Your loving care.

Let us also give thanks to our Savior who offers us eternal freedom against sin having dominion over us.

There is no greater freedom we'll know then to be free in Christ!

We are free from the bondage and penalty of sin! We are free from condemnation, shame and guilt for our sins! We are free from generational sins being handed down and the vicious cycles that continue in families. When we place the cross between us and those sins, they cannot pass by or have a hold over us any longer. Bondage halts at the cross. Freedom flows from the cross to those who believe. We find life and peace as we walk by the Spirit.

Whom the Son sets free is free indeed! Thank You Jesus for our freedom! Thank You God for Your favor over this nation. Thank You Holy Spirit for teaching us how to truly live free in Christ. We ask You Lord to transform each of us from glory to glory, that we emulate You in every way! Let us offer our lives back to You as living sacrifices in Your service so others may also experience the eternal freedom that is only found in You Jesus. Amen.



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**Dear Daughter of Mine Conference is Back!
Save the Date: Sat. October 2nd**

**Zephaniah 3:17 NASB The LORD your God is in your midst,
A victorious warrior. He will rejoice over you with joy, He will be
quiet in His love, He will rejoice over you with shouts of joy.**

We missed holding our annual conference in 2020 so much we decided we are going to hold our conference this fall! We don't want to wait until spring 2022 to come back together.

We as God's daughters are Chosen, Called, Sent Out and Celebrated!

Ladies please mark this Saturday in October on your calendars and plan on attending! We have a great line up of speakers, an amazing worship leader, always fabulous food, awesome raffle prizes and best of all, we're expecting the Holy Spirit to move in powerful ways and shower us in the love of our Father.

If you have not yet attended one of these conferences, please come! You will love it! As a reminder, all ladies connected to our church can attend for free. Just let Michelle Wilson or Pastor Karrie know you are coming.

Men- if you are able to help serve the lunch that day we welcome your service! You are such a gift and make this event so very special and different from other women's conferences. Please mark this date on your calendar too and we appreciate you so very much!

To all- we need your help in spreading the word. There is an event created on our public Facebook page-so please invite your contacts and friends who might want to join in. Let us not make assumptions about who would or would not come, let us simply ask and let the Spirit call them.

Here is a link to detailed information and registration:<https://event-24827-0260.pushpayevents.com/> Please feel free to share this!

We are running a special this year as it's our 5th event, so when 5 ladies register at one time, one registration will be FREE! So please help share that too.

Please join our committee in prayer for God to draw His daughters, for healing and breakthrough, for renewed hope and for a day that fills each daughter overflowing with His love and affirmation in the purposes for her to walk out.

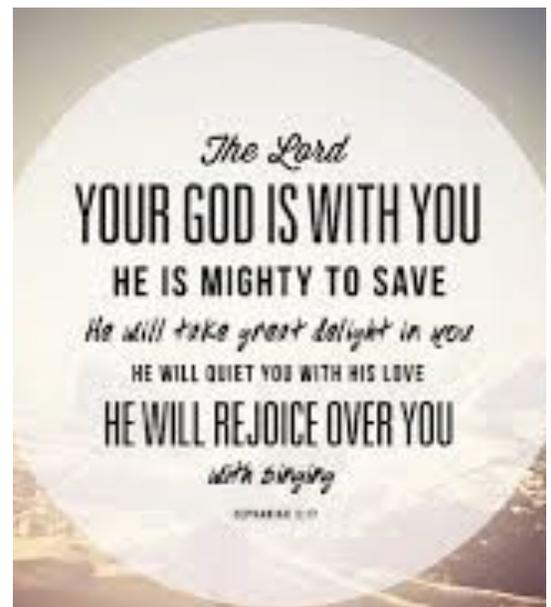
Thank you!

Celebrating July Birthdays

Brittany Sugden	July 3
Delbert Curtis	July 4
Lois Thurber	July 8
Jr Abela	July 10
Nick Keunzli	July 17
Tracy Davis	July 19
Riley Landsverk	July 19
Reese Landsverk	July 21
Lexi Piekarski	July 27

Wedding Anniversaries

Shari and Rick Kleist	July 14
Cindy and Gary Waterworth	July 23



Good News Club!

August 2-6th

FREE for kids ages 5-12!

We are so excited to offer a fun week for our younger children to discover Jesus!

This Good News Club is facilitated by CEF (Child Evangelism Fellowship) and will be held at our church.

There will be games, skits, Bible teaching, songs, snacks, prizes and more! Come one day or all 5 days- whatever fits your schedule. It runs 10 am-12 pm each day.

Who do you know in our surrounding community whose children/ grandchildren might be blessed by attending? Can you help spread the word?

Would you be willing to make a snack one of the days during this event?

Please let Pastor Karrie if you are able to help with snacks or have questions about this event.

Please RSVP to Pastor Karrie for all children attending.

Thank you!



Free to Serve. Free to Love.

Galatians 5:13 NIV ¹³ You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love.

Jesus states this promise to all Believers found in John 16:33 **“I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.”**

When we live by faith in who Jesus is and what He has done, we truly find the freedom He intends for us to walk in. We only experience this freedom from worry, anxiety, fear, addictions, bitterness and harmful thinking when we keep our eyes fixed on Him.

Jesus is our source of true freedom. He is our only lasting source of freedom from the things that weigh us down and keep us in bondage.

We in turn are called to use this freedom to serve others and share the love of Christ in the world around us.

This freedom is granted so we may set aside our differences and offenses and choose love for one another instead. When we live with this understanding, it's then we taste the sweetness of the freedom Christ speaks of. Freedom in Christ is not just for our personal gain, but for His glory as we reflect His love and grace to the world.

There is no greater joy we'll ever know than to live free in Christ.

Holy Spirit be our guide, teach us Your ways and help us to experience a greater freedom as we let Your love flow freely through us to all people.

Coming Events

Sunday, July 11th Missionaries Barbie and Tim Kusserow will be joining us for worship service and sharing about their ministry in Niger, Africa. Church picnic to follow service at Karen and Bob Breneman's. Please join us! N5953 Hwy G Rio.

Monday, July 19 Ladies Prayer Group. 9 am at church. Outside if it's nice!

Sunday, July 25th– Community Worship Service. Rio Firemen's Park. 10 am with a potluck picnic to follow. No worship at Living Gospel Church this Sunday.

Save the Date! August 2-6th Good News Club for kids ages 5-12. At church 10am–Noon each day.

Go Forth in My Spirit– Connect with a small group. Get involved over the summer and reap the blessings!

Real Moms. Real Jesus. Once per month. Talk with Britt Sugden for dates and online meeting space. Join in any time! *You are welcome!*

Wednesdays: 6:30 pm Adult Study and Fellowship–*Meeting in person again!* Join in the conversations and grow closer to God.

Zechariah 4:6 'Not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit,' says the Lord Almighty.

Let Us Encourage One Another

Let us purpose to encourage one another. Let us pray together. Let us build one another up in the faith. Let us be in the habit of coming together.
I am here for you.

Please call or message me as you want or need a friend.

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