



**WORSHIP SUNDAY INCOME: June**  
**SCHOOL Total: \$10,089**  
**Offerings: \$9,926**  
 Work Trip: \$150

6/27 51  
 7/4 51  
 7/11 55  
 7/18 63  
 7/25 35

**EXPENSES: \$7,114**  
 Church Upkeep-\$716  
 Music Supply-\$257  
 Youth Activities-\$143  
 Worship Training-\$225  
 Pulpit-\$200  
 Office Supply-\$217

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A church alive is worth  
 the drive!

Address Correction Requested



**Worship: 9:00 AM**  
**Fellowship and Coffee: 10:20 am**

August Treat List:  
 Aug 1-Tammy & Judy  
 8-Christy & Denise  
 15-Bonita & Theresa  
 22-John & Gloria  
 29-RaeLee & Shirley



**VISION** "Where there is no vision, the people perish..."

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**Work Trip**



Shop Theisen's to earn money for up coming work trip. **Monday August 16 thru Sunday August 22** is the week.

During the above time period any member of this congregation who makes a purchase at any Theisen's store, and submits the **original receipt's** (Note: customer may request a duplicate receipt at the time of the transaction for his/her own tax purposes). The receipt must be to the church office by **Sunday September 5, 2010**. Theisen's will then donate 5% of the net total of each receipt after sales tax is deducted.

So call, email, or write to all your friends and relatives to shop at Theisen's and to give the receipt to you to turn in. You can find the complete list of locations of stores on the bulletin board.

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The mission of Bethel Grove Christian Church is:

To Know Christ

And to

Make Christ known to the world.

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Cynthia Moore, Pastor

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FROM  
YOUR  
ELDERS

## Covenant Membership Renewal Time

It is time again to consider your commitment to God and the members of Bethel Grove Church by signing or renewing your Covenant Membership.

There are four things we agree to do when we sign the Covenant:

1. Protect the unity of our church.
2. Share the responsibility of our church.
3. Serve the ministry of our church.
4. Support the testimony of our church.

How do I protect the unity of my church? By loving the other members; by avoiding gossip; by encouraging others in their faith, and by supporting the leadership of the church.

How do I share responsibility at Bethel Grove? By praying for growth of our congregation, inviting others to worship with us, warmly welcoming our visitors, and being a leader.

How do I serve the ministry of Bethel Grove? By exploring my gifts and talents; by growing in the use of those gifts as encouraged and guided by my pastor and leaders; and by developing a servant's heart.

How can I support the testimony of my church? By faithfully tithing, attending church, and by being the face and hands of Jesus to others.

Every year we have the opportunity to review these personal commitments and evaluate our own lives. We then can make the decision to keep working, striving, learning, praying and becoming the person God wants us to be. We are a body of believers at Bethel Grove Church and we are here for each other. Together, our service to God is more powerful and we can reach out farther into the world of unbelievers to bring them to God's family, one by one.

We encourage you to get a covenant form and study the items listed. Ask the elders or Pastor Moore if you have questions, then, if you are led by God; commit yourself to the body of fellowship known as Bethel Grove Church. The forms are due at the end of August, but may be signed anytime throughout the year.

Bethel Grove Elders  
By Gloria



## Sign-up Today

Bethel Grove has been asked to have another drive this summer. Friday August 20 from 3-7 pm here at the church. Sign-up at grand central or call Tammy. Before giving If you are 16 or 17 and you have never given you need to have your parents sign a permission form.

Get good night sleep. Eat regular meals. Day before no medicine with aspirin. If you have any questions with medicine contact the blood center. DO NOT donate on empty stomach. Refrain from drinking tea for 3 days before giving. Drink plenty of fluid water. When you donate blood, your body loses about 2 cups of fluid. After the blood donation your body replaces fluid almost immediately by drawing water into blood from the surrounding tissue.

1 pint of blood can help up to 3 different people. We need 2000 units of blood each week to maintain adequate blood supply in our community and only 4% eligible donate.

Plan to give that day to help others.



## Lundstroms are coming!!

Larry and Gloria Lundstrom of Sisseton, SD, have traveled the USA and Canada for over 40 years.

Together, they share a heart for families in crisis. As uncertainty and brokenness have reshaped the very framework of today's families, the ministry of Larry and Gloria Lundstrom brings an inspiring and transparent, yet life changing message.

Their unique style of music, humor and ministry, combined with a genuine presentation of the Gospel, transcends boundaries of age, status, culture and belief expressing a compelling voice of truth.

Plan now to attend and bring a friend with you so that their life might be touched as well.

**Where:** BCLUW High School Auditorium in Conrad, Iowa

**When:** August 17, 2010

**Time:** 7:00 PM

**Cost:** Admission is FREE

Volunteers are needed to serve as Prayer Counselors assisting those that make decisions for Christ that evening. Please be there by 6:15 PM, should you wish to serve.



Some of you may know the Siebring family who live near Bethel Grove. Their oldest child, Andrea and her husband, Paul are feeling God's call to a ministry among the Muslim world. They are recently married (9 months or so) and after a heartbreaking miscarriage are expecting a child in December. God willing, they will move to an unreached Muslim country in the year 2011 and hope to spend much of their lives making disciples among unreached Muslim

people. Recently the door has been opened for them to pursue 4 different opportunities. What can YOU do? You can PRAY! They are asking for prayers for the following:

1. that they will glorify God through their marriage, ministry, relationships and jobs in Iowa City
2. that many of their Muslim friends in will come into the kingdom soon
3. for the health and salvation of their baby
4. for wisdom and guidance as they pursue overseas opportunities

Be watching the newsletter for further updates about this ministry family.

## "Go Fish" Concert

Saturday October 16, 2010

7 PM

Soup supper available from 5-6:30 pm

MHS Community Auditorium

1602 S. 2nd Ave.

Marshalltown, IA

Sponsored by Marshalltown Christian School (641-753-8824)

More details and ticket sales start in August



It is the month of August so that means our graduates are getting things packed and ready to head off to college. Those going back to college are Samantha Hoy, Coy Hupfeld, Donnie, Box, III and Nina Hutchens. Those going to campus this Fall for the first time are Sarah Moore, Haddie Vawter, Jordan Hoy Kendall Hupfeld, Leisha Box, and Raychyl Bracy.



We do not have all of their addresses yet but when we do we will have the total list at Grand Central.

## CONGRATULATIONS The twins are finally here!



Our prayers are answered! The twins have safely arrived into this world.

Kellan Michael Hutchens 5 lbs 7.6 oz., 18.5 inches long and Everleigh Noel Hutchens 5 lbs 7 oz, 17 inches long came into the world just before midnight on Tuesday July 20.

The proud parents are Tyler and Kourtney Hutchens. Congratulations also go out to the proud grandparents, Eric and Tari Hutchens. All are doing as expected. We are sure if you ask, and maybe you won't even have to ask, they will have pictures to share.

Your Worship Host for August is:  
**Jim C.**  
 Leave any requests in the host mailbox



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Remember to call or email your prayer requests to the office each week.

## Serving Schedule: August

**Preparing:** Varies

**Greeters:**

- 1 Mike & Diane
- 8 Marella
- 15 Marilyn
- 22 John & Mary
- 29 Richard & Karen

**Door:**

- Tim & Julie
- Richard & Karen
- Tim & Bonita
- Mike & Sarah
- Jim & Tammy

**Visiting Elders:**


John and Gloria

**Elders:**

- 1 Richard & Karen
- 8 John & Gloria
- 15 Barry & Denise
- 22 Jack & Jim
- 29 Richard & Karen

**Serving:**

- 1 TEAM 1 **Audio:** Barry **Video:** Julie  
Mike H., Judy  
Collyn, Tim W.
- 8 TEAM 2 **Audio:** Eric **Video:** Tammy  
Jim & Tammy  
Blaine, Donnie, Jr.
- 15 TEAM 3 **Audio:** Gary **Video:** Sarah  
Tim R. & Julie  
Jerry, Reeba
- 22 TEAM 4 **Audio:** Jim **Video:** Theresa  
Kayla, Mike F.  
Jim & Tammy
- 29 TEAM 1 **Audio:** Barry **Video:** Julie  
Mike H., Judy  
Collyn, Tim W.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Mike & Sarah (A)	2 Drake (B)	3 Bessie (B)	4	5	6	7
8 <b>Executive Team</b>  Marilyn (B)	9 Craig & Chris (A)	10	11	12	13 Theresa T. (B)	14
15 Ben (B)	16 Jim C. (B) Craig (B)	17	18	19	20 <b>BLOOD DRIVE</b> <b>3-7 PM</b>	21 John (B) Janice (B) Joe (B)
22	23 <i>Back to School</i> 	24	25	26	27 Jim & Judy (A)	28
29	30	31 Jerry (B)				