



Dearly beloveds!

I love you and am gratefully writing from Northern Michigan. Thank you for the great encouragement to come minister to my Dad. It's a quality visit. He's recovering steadily and in recent days showing more enthusiasm, regaining strength and having a positive outlook. I am grateful to my Father and to you for enabling us to be here at, and for, this time.

Enjoying some reading times in the letter to the Thessalonians. Makes me appreciate the promise of the return of our Lord Jesus even more.

I miss you. Congratulations to Pastor Dan on the white shirt and red tie! Love it when we dress UP!

I wish for us all to tend deeply to prayer for this month of ministry. Pastor Dan has a huge assignment for leadership in Trinidad, Travis will be headed to Uganda for a stretchy time, others are involved in some short-term missions, Camp Rock will be in full swing, we'll be hosting our annual VBS, and we enter the planning stage for the next year of budget preparation and ministry decisions. And there will be the next siege of surgeries and issues of life. Let's give it our best!!!!

Looking forward to completing our completion of preaching through these last 3 1/2 chapters of Revelation.

Thought: Our future fully depends on the fulfillment of the Word of God and God's promises. Babylon (that political-economical-religious world system) will fall in judgment right on schedule. The Lion/Lamb of God will return and snatch His bride for the great coming Marriage. Our future is absolutely bright!!!!

Please be certain you have received Jesus Christ personally as your Savior! Then let's give ourselves to being nurture as an individual learner/follower of His (that's the definition of a disciple). Together as we unitedly serve Him let's do that which He promises to bless! Accomplishing far more for His kingdom together we ever could solely on our own. We look forward to witnessing many salvations, baptisms, discipling, and many being sent to serve...homes, jobs, government, mission fields of all sorts near and far.

Are you devoted and intent to serve Him wholeheartedly as He would lead? Your time, energy, finances, prayer ministry giftedness...all to His glory! Our entire best for Him.

I love you and look forward to ministering at your side soon, often, and for a very long time.

Pastor Jake

Monument Bible is signed up to provide the rice krispy treats at Camp Rock for the Jr. High girls on June 23rd. If you are able to help provide these treats, please contact Linda Schmucker at 436-5668. Thank you so much!



What: VBS – Rome: Paul and the Underground Church
When: June 15-19 from 8:45-11:45 am **Who:** Kids entering K-6th gr.



VBS is only a few weeks away and we need your help!!!

Would you prayerfully consider how you could get involved? We need actors and actresses, nursery workers, a games leader and workers, family leaders (2 leaders for every 10 kids) and people to work in the marketplace. Monetary donations, as well as items on our list of needed supplies would be greatly appreciated. (Feel free to pick up a supplies list from the VBS table on Sunday morning). We will be having a meeting for all workers, and will let you know soon the date and time. Please set aside Sunday afternoon, June 14, to help set up and make the transformation from MBC to Rome. Parents, please stop by the table before or after church to pre-register your kids. This really helps us to be better prepared and for Monday morning registration to go more quickly.

You may also register online: www.monumentbiblechurch.com.

Thank you greatly for your help and prayer support. All for the glory of God!

Giving Your Offerings & Tithes On-line... Be watching our website at www.monumentbiblechurch.com as we will soon have an on-line debit card giving option for those of you who do all of your banking on-line or who travel periodically during summer months or other times of the year and would like to keep consistent in your worship to God and in your service to our church family and community through your stewardship of giving

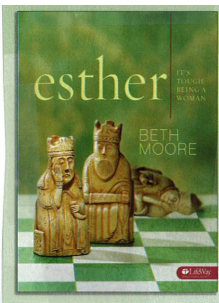
Leadership Summit—August 14-15... If we're interested in the Leadership Summit, don't forget to sign-up. The cost is \$79 per person while we have tickets available. You can do so @ www.monumentbiblechurch.com or by calling the church office. If you're still undecided or need more information check out the information and highlight video from last year at <http://www.ccn.tv/leadershipsummit/>.

Mothers of Preschoolers

It's not too late to purchase an Antiquities coupon from Mothers of Preschoolers for a free 10 x 13 black & white with a splash of color print. There is no obligation to purchase any other photos. Proceeds from this fund raiser are used for MOPS leadership training. To purchase a coupon, see any MOPS mom or call Jennifer Reisig at 635-6831. Mark your calendars for the MOPS summer park schedule & the start up date on September 15th!

Date	Time	Place
Tuesday, June 2	9:00 - 10:30 am	Pioneer Park by SHS Football Field
Tuesday, June 16	9:00 - 10:30 am	Westmoor Park by Westmoor Pool
Tuesday, July 7	9:00 - 10:30 am	Oregon Trail Park, Gering, 17th & M
Tuesday, July 21	10:30 am - noon	Scottsbluff McDonald's Play Place for Lunch
Tuesday, Aug 4	9:00 - 10:30 am	Gardener Park, Gering, 11th & S
Tuesday, Aug 18	9:00 - 10:30 am	Frank Park by SHS - Registration Day
Tuesday, Sept 15	8:45 - 11:30 am	Monument Bible Church

Esther: It's Tough Being a Woman begins Wed., Sept. 9th @ 9:00 am or 6:30 pm



The latest study by Beth Moore explores God's providence and the hope and encouragement He offers women facing challenges in our society. Esther includes 10 video sessions and nine weeks of personal study. Moore explains how God placed a young Jewish woman who fulfilled her destiny "for such a time as this: and saved the Jews living in a pagan culture from certain destruction. Participants will learn strong lessons of faith that will equip them to live a courageous life. Sign up on the foyer announcement stand. Books will be ordered on August 10th & cost is \$20.00 which includes the member book and cost of DVDs.

MBC Giving & Attendance Report

Date	Giving	Budgeted	Difference	YTD Giving	YTD Budgeted	Difference	1st	2nd	Attnd.
4/26/2009	5435.20	7460.05	-2024.85	231359.69	253641.70	-22282.01	109	238	347
5/3/2009	8852.55	7460.05	1392.5	240212.24	261101.75	-20889.51	98	196	294
5/10/2009	5071.50	7460.05	-2388.55	245283.74	268561.80	-23278.06	102	234	336
5/17/2009	8528.53	7460.05	1068.48	253812.27	276021.85	-22209.58	86	226	312
5/24/2009	4823.77	7460.05	-2636.28	258636.04	283481.90	-24845.86	88	216	304



Looking for a fun ministry to get involved with for the summer?

We are needing artists, musicians, chefs, actors, athletes, & scientists to teach workshops with our new program called the Rotation Model for the children's church God Squad. Please call Josh or Mindy Lively for more details 308-430-3132.



SUNDAY, JUNE 14TH @ Noonish!

For all MBC attendees! Those with last names A-L please bring a main dish & dessert
M-Z please bring a main dish & side dish.
Drinks & table service furnished.



One Another Bulletin Board - Have you ever had something that was in good condition that you would like to give away, but you didn't know of someone who could really use it? Well, hopefully we can help. Coming soon there will be a bulletin board for our church family to post items that you would like to give away. There will also be a section that you can post items that you are in need of. To help keep the board organized, cards will be available for posting items. A picture can be attached along with a brief description. Please do not bring your items to the church. Items posted will be removed after 45 days. Location of the bulletin board will be in the coat room above the lost & found table.

Community Christian School needs a part-time PE teacher (approx. 10 hrs/wk); and a part-time janitor/maintenance person (approx 15 hrs/wk). Wages are negotiable. Please call Emily at CCS for information at 632-2230.

MISSION OF THE MONTH ~ James & Lynne Adams, American Missionary Fellowship

Dear friends at Monument Bible Church,

Received April 2009

Since our "Christmas" letter has not yet been written I thought I'd send greetings along with this photo.

Ely, Nevada is still here and experiencing the same economic troubles as the rest of the country. We have had several visitors to our church who are looking for work. The school district is also having difficulty so I am expecting that my job description will be changing in the Fall.

Community Christian Fellowship will also be experiencing some changes. We have met in our home for the past three years. Easter Sunday we will be in a wonderful building on one of the main streets in town. We have felt the need to allow for expansion and also have room for a possible children's ministry. There are no church based children's clubs in this community so this is a great need.

James continues to work at the airport, teach two Bible studies, as well as lead our small fellowship and minister to their needs.

The whole family was here recently to celebrate my mother's 80th birthday.

James and Jesi have a precious little girl, Lillian Kate, who celebrates her first birthday this month. The littlest James enjoys a few days of pre-school. Since being here in Ely he has had a hard time deciding whether to play farmer or airplane fueler.

Charissa and Jason Johnson were married in October. They will be moving to South Carolina next month where Charissa will be attending chiropractic school. Their daughter, Aspy, is now six.

Bethany enjoyed a few healthy months and was able to go to China for several weeks with the local college. She had an amazing time.

Please pray for:

1. Expansion and possible children's ministry. There will be a huge need for workers.
2. Charissa and Jason's move to South Carolina
3. Bethany's health