Happenings and Announcements:

<u>Summer Fun for Kids 2025: Moose Mania: Wednesday, August 6, 6-8:30pm:</u> Through this moose themed event, we will explore these majestic creatures as well as use the M.O.O.S.E. acronym to learn about looking for signs of our powerful God in His amazing creation! We will have kids friendly food, games, music, and more! For ages 5—12 years. Register at:



https://lakecitycrc.breezechms.com/form/766e29364970 or scan the QR Code.

Set-up for Moose Mania will be Monday, August 4, from 6—8pm! We could use your help!

<u>Church Picnic: Sunday, August 10, 2pm:</u> Mark you calendars and plan to join your church friends and family at the Missaukee County Park North Pavilion for the annual Church Picnic! Pulled pork will be provided; please bring a side dish or salad to share; dessert will be Tasty Treat ice cream and will be provided as well! If you like, bring a lawn game to enjoy or come early or stay late and use the beach area. NOTE: Be sure to mention you are with the Lake City CRC, and you will NOT need to pay the \$5 entrance fee.

<u>Abide: Wednesday, August 13, 6:30pm:</u> A multi-church gathering for a time of worship, prayer, testimony, and resting in the presence of God.

Entrusted Parenting Class: Begins Sunday, September 14: There is no better way to bring in the new school year than to sharpen your parenting skills and meet with other like-minded parents to encourage each other. Our church is offering an in-depth study lasting 16 weeks that focuses on you and your spouse talking through parenting concerns, seeing what the Bible says about parenting, memorizing scripture, and challenging us to be better parents. Please sign up at the Information Desk or online: https://lakecitycrc.breezechms.com/form/e73a6a and put the dates in your planner so you don't miss any meetings. We are asking attendees to only have 2 or less absences for the benefit of the group and to reserve spots for couples who want to put in the work of this study! Space may become limited because of the amount of childcare that is needed so sign up quickly. Time of class to be determined. Contact Justin Bartlett (231.920.6846), Krista Bartlett (231.878.5211), Steve VanderWeide (231.920.8757) or Deb VanderWeide (231.920.9868).

Starting Point Class: Sunday, September 21, and September 28, 4-6pm: Starting Point is a two-part class for those who are interested in becoming members of Lake City CRC, those making a profession of faith, or for those who just want more information about LCCRC. Led by Pastor Mical. Let us know you are coming! Sign-up at the Information Desk or online at: https://lakecitycrc.breezechms.com/form/498a659225364 Plan to join us!

White Envelope Offering: White Envelope Offering for August will be for Community Hope. White Envelopes for giving are available at the Information Desk or in the pew racks. Online giving is also available.

Attention Gardeners: Do you have more zucchini than you know what to do with? Are your tomatoes multiplying faster than you can eat them? This summer, consider sharing your harvest with neighbors in need by donating fresh produce to one of the pantries of the Missaukee Food Pantry Network! Your extra fruits and veggies can help feed families, seniors, veterans, and children who rely on our pantry network for support. Every cucumber, pepper, and bunch of greens makes a difference! To arrange a drop-off, please contact jen@communityhopemc.org or mekoe@communityhopemc.org

This Week: August 3, 2025	Next Week: August 10, 2025
Greeters	Greeters
Outside: John Holyfield, Gerard Winkle	Outside: Rick DeShano, John Pearson
Top (South doors): Mary Bowers	Top (South doors): Donna Maatman
Bottom (East doors): Roger & Janet Kolhagen	Bottom (East doors): Bill & Sandy Pearson
Safety Team	Safety Team
Rick Bradley	Dennis Ellens
Coffee Hosts	Coffee Hosts
John & Jackie Holyfield	Don & Sandy Bode
Ushers	Ushers
Casey Sigafoose, Carole Tacoma, Randy Tacoma	Jesse Granados, Ross Vrieze, Charlie Workman
Nursery Lead	Nursery Lead
Karen Anscomb	Kristina Rogers
Nursery	Nursery
Val Gravitt, Mersaides Hayes	Amy Vredevoogd, Holly DeBoer, Finnlie Klimp
Little Lambs: 2-1/2—3 years	Little Lambs: 2-1/2—3 years
Krista Winkle, Jane Winkle	Laura Powell, Penelope Bartlett
Story Hour	Story Hour
Marni Quist	Tori Oglesbee

<u>Communion Sunday: Sunday, August 10</u>: You are encouraged to spend some time this week in preparation of receiving the Sacrament of Communion. If you will be worshiping online, we ask that you prepare your own elements (bread and juice) or contact the church to arrange pick-up of pre-filled communion cups. Home communion is available upon request. Please contact the church office at 231.839.4978.