

Home Missions Congregations 2019

Abiding Word Free Lutheran, Felch, MI

Pastor's Name: Earl Langness - Interim Lay Pastor

Location: Felch Community Center; W4243 State Highway M69; Felch, MI 49831

Phone: (906) 246-3122

Butte Gathering

Pastor's Name: Pastor Joel & Penny Walde

Location: The Springs Community Room, 3000 Mount Highland Drive, Butte, MT 59701

Phone: (406) 925-9192

Email: whereswalde@live.com

Waikiki Beach Gathering

Parish Builder: Brady Arneson

Location: 2709 Kalakaua Ave, Honolulu, HI 96815 [it's behind lifeguard stand 2f]

Church Contact: Brady Arneson 218-431-0144

Email: bradybradybrady19@yahoo.com

Meeting Times: Worship service on Sundays at 4:00pm

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/waikikibeachgathering/>

Calvary Free Lutheran, Mesa, AZ

Pastor's Name: Vacant (Pastor Dan Giles filling in during interim)

Location: 590 North 96th Street, Mesa, AZ 85207

Website: www.calvaryfreelutheran.org

Email: calvaryfreelutheran@gmail.com

Phone: (480) 981-3993

Parish Builders: Eli & Liz Neufeld

Christ Community Church, Hagerstown, MD

Pastor's Name: Rev. Kris and Paula Nyman

Location: 8916 Mapleville Road, Boonsboro, MD 21713 (meeting at Seventh Day Adventist facility)

Mailing Address: 1016 Spruce Street, Hagerstown, MD 21740

Website: www.christcommunityonline.net

Email: frelse@icloud.com

Phone: (240) 329-4920

Parish Builders: Jessica Nikunen and Moriah Graham

Gateway Gathering/The Source; Mesa, AZ

Pastor's Name: Vacant (Lay Pastor Eric Johnson filling in during interim)

Location: 7205 E. Southern Ave #105, Mesa, AZ 85209

Mailing Address/Office: 590 N. 96th St., Mesa, AZ 85207

Website: www.gatewaygathering.org

Email: office@gatewaygathering.org

Phone: (480) 866-2310

Good Shepherd Free Lutheran, Camarillo, CA

Pastor's Name: Pastor Chad and Christie Friestad

Location: 380 Arneill Road; Camarillo, CA 93012

Website: www.goodshepherd-church.net

Email: frontporch@goodshepherd-church.net

Phone: (805) 384-9243

Parish Builder: Sam Jagt

Good Shepherd Free Lutheran, Madison, SD

Pastors Name: Pastor James & Judy Lindgren

Location: 120 SW 2nd St.; Madison, SD 57042

Website: goodshepherdfreelutheran.com/

Email: goodshepherd@goodshepherdfreelutheran.com

Phone: (605) 427-9400

Hope Free Lutheran, Enderlin, ND

Pastor's Name: Vacant (Pastor Christian Andrews filling in during interim)

Location: 228 5th Ave; Enderlin; North Dakota 58207

Email: hoperlutheranenderlin@gmail.com

Phone: (701)- 437-3777

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Springfield, MO

Pastor's Name: Rev Rich and Kay Ramsbacher

Location: 2756 S Blackman Rd.; Springfield, MO 65809

Website: www.immanuelfreelutheran.org

Email: ramsbacher@gmail.com

Phone: (406) 480-9835

Parish Builders: Rachel Hoiland & Abby Dahl

Living Faith Lutheran, Boyertown, PA

Pastor's Name: Rev David and Vicki Johnson

Location: 1206 Montgomery Ave.; Boyertown, PA 19512

Website: www.livingfaithaflc.com

Email: pennrev@gmail.com

Phone: (484) 577-6280

Lutheran Church of Hope, Loveland, CO

Pastor's Name: Pastor Greg and Kim Schram

Location: 2595 Monroe Ave.; Loveland, CO 80538

Website: www.lutheranchurchofhopeaflc.com/

Email: pastorgreglchafcl@gmail.com

Phone: (970) 663-6500

Parish Builder: Hannah White & Erin Anderson

New Hope Free Lutheran - Jamestown, ND

Pastor's Name: Pastor Steve and Mary Berntson

Location: 407 4th St. SE; Jamestown, ND, 58401

Website: www.newhopefreelutheran.org

Email: newhopejamestown@gmail.com

Phone: 701-368-9586

Parish Builder: Bryce Timmerman & Josiah Fagerstrom

The Alaska Mission

Missionaries: Pastor Jeff & Jane Swanson (on loan to LMS)

Pastor Bob & Margaret Lee

Pastor Jeremy & Lacey Crowell

Location: PO Box 214, Naknek, AK 99633

Phone: 907-246-7492

Parish Builders 2018

Eli & Elizabeth Neufeld – Calvary Free, Mesa, AZ

Erin Anderson – Lutheran Church of Hope, Loveland, CO

Hannah White – Lutheran Church of Hope, Loveland, CO

Bryce Timmerman – New Hope, Jamestown, ND

Josiah Fagerstrom – New Hope, Jamestown, ND

Abby Dahl - Immanuel, Springfield, MO

Rachel Hoiland – Immanuel, Springfield, MO

Brady Arneson – Waikiki Beach Gathering, Honolulu, HI

Sam Jagt – Good Shepherd, Camarillo, CA

Jessica Nikunen – Christ Community Church, Hagerstown, MD

Moriah Graham – Christ Community Church, Hagerstown, MD

Home Missions Birthdates 2019

Updated 11/6/2018

January

18 Pastor Steve Berntson
22 Rachel Hoiland
26 Moriah Graham
26 Kay Ramsbacher

February

16 Pastor Joel Walde
19 Brady Arneson
19 Pastor Rich Ramsbacher

March

1 Hope Swanson
19 Bryce Timmerman
30 Pastor Kris Nyman

April

13 Kim Schram
26 Pastor Greg Schram
26 Malachi Crowell
28 Lacey Crowell

May

29 Sam Jagt

June

12 Hannah White
19 Vicki Johnson

July

10 Penny Walde

August

10 Paula Nyman
11 Margaret Lee
11 Connie Monson

September

8 Pastor Jeff Swanson
8 Eli Neufeld
20 Pastor David Johnson
22 Pastor Bob Lee (AK)
24 Erin Anderson

October

25 Mary Berntson

November

3 Abby Dahl
18 Josiah Fagerstrom
21 Pastor Jeremy Crowell

December

8 Jane Swanson
11 Elizabeth Neufeld
19 Jessica Nikunen



ALASKA GIFT REGISTRY



Our Alaska missionaries have limited access to stores, and their remote location often brings up needs for unique items. Similar to an online baby or wedding shower registry, Home Missions has set up an online **Alaska Hospitality Registry**. This allows them to keep an up-to-date list of needs, unnecessary duplications are avoided, and it is easy to use. Please go to the links below to see how you may serve our Alaska Missionaries.

- 1) Here is the website - <https://www.myregistry.com/visitors/?registryid=337412>
If you would like, there is also an option to print the registry off. The Alaska Gift Registry link is also available on the HOME MISSION website under the Ministries tab.
- 2) As you skim through the list, you'll notice a picture and the description and quantity of the requested item. When something catches your eye, click on the "View or Buy this Gift" option. That will take you directly to an online store, usually Amazon, where we've found the best prices.
- 3) There are 2 ways to purchase a gift:
 - If you decide to **purchase the gift directly** from the online store link and have it shipped to Alaska, proceed with an online purchase as normal, using the shipping address below.
 - If you prefer to **shop at a local store**, that works too. You will still need to view the gift item on the linked store website. When you click to close the store page, a screen will pop up on the myregistry.com site asking you if you have purchased the item. If you plan to purchase it locally, click "Yes", and the system will update the registry to show the item has been purchased.
- 4) **Use the USPS when shipping**; Priority mail works well. UPS shipping is not available in Naknek.
KAKN Radio
P.O. Box 214
Naknek, AK 99633
(907) 246-7492
If a P.O. Box is not accepted try using KAKN Radio, 214 KAKN WAY Naknek, AK 99633
- 5) Please don't hesitate to contact Home Missions if you have any questions or problems with the registry. Thank you!

AFLC Missionaries to Brazil

Paul and Becky Abel



Pastor Paul and Becky Abel serve AFLC World Missions in Curitiba, Parana, Brazil. Since 1985, the Paul Abels have established four churches. In 1992 they established the ARCA, a Brazil retreat center, the Abels renovated an old farm facility to host camps and retreats. They still call the ARCA home today. The efforts of Paul and Becky's ministry has been focused on church planting and the ARCA. They have worked tirelessly serving the people and churches, mentoring many. The family has been known for their welcoming hearts and lovingly opening their home to various guests over the years.

The Abels focus on training and building leaders in the local churches.

Birthdays:

Paul: October 18

Becky: October 6

Field Address:

Caixa Postal 1097
83.601-630 Campo Largo, PR
BRAZIL, South America

Website:

paulabelfamily.org

Email Address:

paulabelfamily@gmail.com

Phone:

763-390-6825

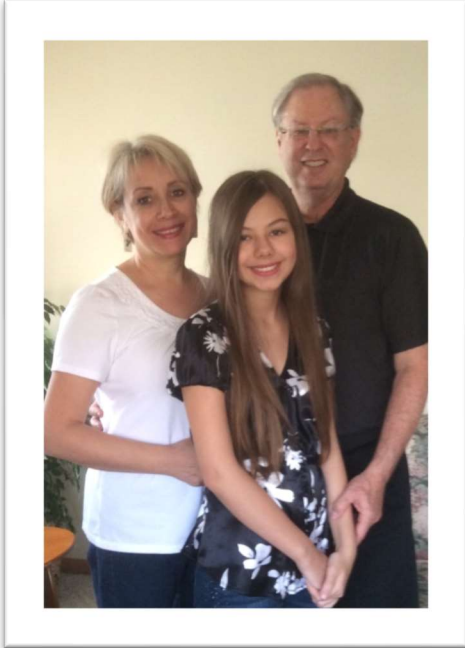
(Minneapolis number in Brazil)

Prayer concerns:

- For camps and retreats at the ARCA.
- For faithful commitment of church members and for their emotional and spiritual stability.
- For their children and their families; Joanna (Silvo), Christian (Daniel), Andrew (Alexi) and Matthew (Ednay).
- For Paul as he supervises the missionary work in Curitiba and reaches out to other Free Lutheran Congregations through special weekend courses.
- God's continued provision for the work in Brazil.
- For safety and health.

AFLC Missionaries to Brazil

Jonathan and Tamba Abel



Pastor Jonathan and Tamba began serving AFLC Word Missions in Brazil in April of 1982. Both Jonathan and Tamba grew up in Brazil, speak Portuguese, and have the necessary visas to live there. Although the Abel's have ministered in several ways over the years, they are presently working in the city of Maringa. Jonathan is pastoring a church there. Maringa is about an hour drive from our seminary and Bible School in Campo Mourao, where Jonathan also teaches on a regular basis. The church in Maringa previously met in the Abel's home, but in recent years the group was able to purchase a piece of property and build a new church on the site. Jonathan and Tamba are joined by their youngest child Michelle.

Birthdays:

Jonathan: March 11
Tamba: January 11
Michelle: July 18, 2002

Field Address

Caixa Postal 450
87001-970 Maringa, PR
BRAZIL, South America

Email Address

tjabel@terra.com.br

Prayer concerns:

- Wisdom as they expand the work in Maringa.
- Wisdom for them in working with the national people and leadership.
- Health and safety as they work and travel.
- For their children: April (Elijah) Neumann, Thomas and Michelle.

AFLC Missionary to Brazil

Jonni Sliver



Jonni began serving with AFLC World Missions in 2010. Jonni has been a longtime member of Emmaus Lutheran Church (AFLC) in Bloomington, MN. She is a graduate of Bethany Fellowship School of Missions and served in many places around the world including previously in Brazil from 1988-2004. Jonni began serving at the Miriam Home and our Bible School and Seminary in Campo Mourao, Brazil as of April 2011. With a passion for children, she pours her heart into the kids of the Miriam Home, loving them, and caring for their needs. Also, Jonni travels to the AFLC Brazil churches promoting the Miriam Home and Bible

School.

Birthday: July 20

Field Address:

Caixa Postal 641
87300-970 Campo Mourao, PR
BRAZIL, South America

Email Address:

sassi.jonni@gmail.com

Things to pray for:

- For the partnerships of the staff and students in Campo Mourao and the effectiveness of their leadership.
- For clear and creative communication and relationships between the AFLC family in Campo Mourao and in the U.S. for mutual support and encouragement.
- For safety and health.

Package Instructions: We love receiving packages from our amazing WMF ladies! Most needed items - children's clothes and shoes, as well as, towels – used items are best because of customs. Address packages to: Casa Lar Infantil Miria (using address below), and it is better if Jonni's name isn't on label, unless the package is specifically for her, so that any member of the Miriam Home team can pick them up. On the packing slip, make sure to do the following instructions: 1. Box described as "used" when they are, and 2. Check the little box that says, "humanitarian donation".

AFLC Missionary to Brazil

John and Hannah Lee



John and Hannah have accepted a call from AFLC World Missions. The World Missions Committee had a longtime goal of sending John and Hannah to India to help with our pastoral training there. After determining that it wasn't God's will for the Lees to serve in India the World Missions Committee investigated other options. Through prayer, consultation with the Lees, and an invitation by the Brazilian Field Conference to serve in Brazil the World Missions Committee decided to deploy the Lees to Brazil.

Birthdays:

John: July 23

Hannah: February 19

Bethany: April 10, 2016

Eliza: May 18, 2017

Ayda: August 28, 2018

Field Address:

Caixa Postal 1097

83.601-630 Campo Largo, PR

BRAZIL, South America

Email Address

jelee89@gmail.com

Things to pray for:

- For wisdom and grace as we settle in to a new culture and help in learning a new language.
- To be able to build relationships with the people we will be working with.
- Health and safety.

AFLC Missionaries to PARAGUAY

Matthew and Ednay Abel



Matthew and Ednay Abel have been serving in Brazil doing discipleship ministry. They were commissioned as AFLC missionaries in 2015. Matthew recently completed his seminary degree through distance learning and Ednay trained in physical therapy.

Matthew and Ednay have served in various capacities in their first term. They have gone wherever sent with servant spirits and whole hearted enthusiasm.



The World Missions Committee desired to have a long-term goal for the Abels' ministry. After much prayer and consultation with the Brazilian Field Conference, the World Missions Committee decided to step out and fulfill a long time dream of a tri-nation vision for South America. That vision was to have Free Lutheran Congregations in Brazil, Paraguay and Argentina. Therefore, the World Missions Committee resolved to expand our work with the AFLC of Brazil to include Paraguay by sending Matthew and Ednay Abel there to plant congregations.

Birthday:

Matthew: September 29

Ednay: September 30

Zoey: July 9, 2018

Field Address:

Caixa Postal 1097

83.601-630 Campo Largo, PR

BRAZIL, South America

Email Address:

mafuabel@gmail.com

Things to pray for:

- For their marriage and new baby.
- For vision and wisdom as they look to this new challenge in Paraguay.
- Guidance and health and safety.

AFLC Missionaries to MEXICO

Todd and Barb Schierkolk



Pastor Todd and Barb Schierkolk began serving as missionaries to Mexico in 1996. They started exciting ministries with kids and families, finding that to be one of the most successful ways to reach people. Alongside their congregation, Todd and Barb minister in the community. They have a special heart for the youth and look to mentor and train them to become active members of the congregation. Their daughters are now living in the U.S.

Birthdays:

Todd: May 25

Barb: February 15

Field Address:

Apartado Postal 439
Jerez, Zacatecas 99300
MEXICO

Email Address:

aguadevida5@gmail.com

Things to pray for:

- For spiritual growth of youth and their families.
- For God's wisdom and open doors regarding the purchase and construction of a church building.
- For their children: Rachel (Ben) Davis, Megan (Josh) Hedstrom and Kirstie.
- For health and safety.

AFLC Missionaries to UGANDA

Nate and Rhoda Jore



Nate and Rhoda Jore and their children, Elijah, Judah, Hannah, Jeremiah, Julia and Evie Mae are AFLC missionaries to Uganda. Nate and Rhoda arrived in Uganda to begin the work there in the fall of 2006. They have been able to study the language and culture and build close relationships with the Ugandan people. In addition to ministering to the people, they specifically work with the training of pastors and leaders of the church. Nate is involved with the Ambassador Institute team but is looking towards starting Free and Living congregations in the country of Uganda.

Birthdays:

Nate: Aug 1

Rhoda: Sept 29

Elijah: July 9, 2004

Judah: Nov 26, 2005

Hannah: April 24, 2008

Jeremiah: June 29, 2010

Julia: April 19, 2012

Evie Mae: Sept. 21, 2016

Field Address:

Nathan Jore
PO Box 304
Jinja, Uganda Africa

E-mail:

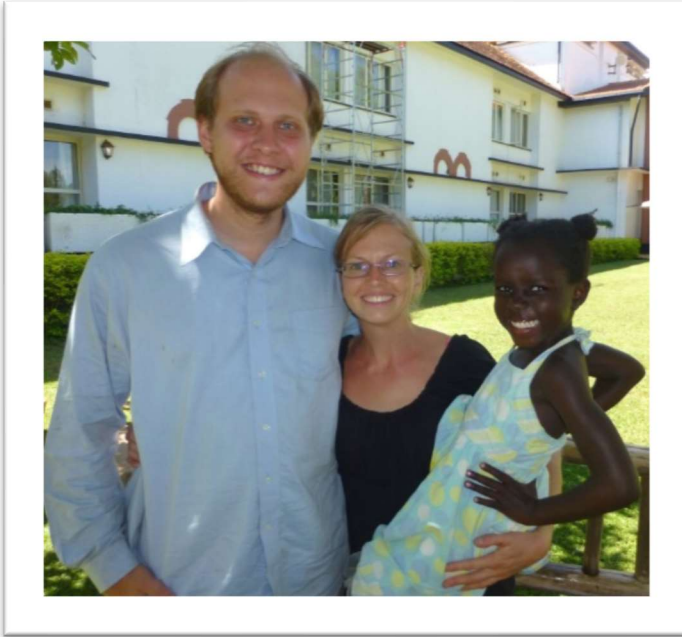
nrjore@gmail.com

Prayer Concerns:

- Wisdom in training and raising their children.
- For protection against attacks from the evil one.
- For each of their personal, daily walks with the Lord.
- For the relationship with the soccer boys and the Bible study with them.
- For the continued work of the AFLC in Uganda.
- Vision for making disciples in the village.
- For good health and safety.

AFLC Missionary to UGANDA

Micah and Famke Berger



Micah Berger began his ministry in Uganda in 2011 as a Short-Term Missionary under Nathan Jore. Micah was commissioned as a full-time Missionary in 2014 and began serving in Uganda. Micah's wife Famke is from the Netherlands and has been ministering to the children in Uganda for several years. Famke has an adopted Ugandan daughter, Naomi, who is eight years old. Micah and Famke established their training base in Karenga, located in the north-eastern corner of Uganda. His ministry focuses on Bible teaching and disciple making

through the Ambassador Institute of Uganda. Alongside the Ambassador Institute Leadership team, Micah brings the truth of God's Word throughout Uganda.

Birthdays

Micah April 14

Famke May 16

Naomi October 16, 2010

Field Address:

PO Box 304

Jinja, Uganda Africa

Email Address:

Hacim1@hotmail.com

Prayer Concerns:

- For God's hand of guidance upon the expansion of the Ambassador Institute in Uganda.
- For provision of continued prayer and financial support.
- Pray for God's grace and leading for Micah and Famke in their married life.
- Pray for language learning.
- For safety and health.

AFLC Missionaries to Uganda

Brent and Emily Raan



Brent and Emily Raan have been called as full time missionaries to Uganda. Their first year is spent helping Ambassador Institute and reaching out to the Ugandan nationals. Brent and Emily will also be praying over a strategic location to carry out the mission that they are called to. The Raan's are being sent with the vision of planting free and living Lutheran congregations.

Birthdays

Brent: March 13

Emily: June 21

Amaleah: July 30, 2014

Sarala: December 20, 2016

Isaiah: November 12, 2018

Field Address:

PO Box 824
Jinja, Uganda Africa

Email Address:

brentraan@gmail.com

Prayer Concerns:

- For guidance and open doors concerning the upcoming stages of their ministry.
- For wisdom in all they do.
- For their children.
- For health and safety for their family.

AFLC Seasonal Missionary to Uganda

Michael Rokenbrodt



Michael Rokenbrodt will be serving as a seasonal missionary, meaning he will be on the AFLC mission field for only part of each year. From January to May. Michael will be teaching pastors and church leaders with our other Ugandan missionaries. During the remaining part of the year, he will be employed at Luther Island Bible Camp and doing deputation. He has worked at this camp annually for 12 years and wishes to continue his involvement in their ministry.

Michael spent six years teaching English and theology full time while continuing camp ministry in the summers. Michael began his work in Uganda as a Short-Term Assistant in 2015. He worked alongside Micah Berger in northern Uganda and with the Ambassador Institute

curriculum. It is Michael's goal to resume what they had been accomplishing together during his time as an STA, except now as an AFLC Missionary. His gifts in writing, speaking and drama are qualities that will amplify the efforts of AFLC Missions in Uganda

Birthday August 9

Address:

918 West Summit Ave
Fergus Falls MN 56537

Email Address:

rekenbrm@csp.edu

Prayer Concerns:

- For provision for continued prayer and financial support.
- For language learning.
- For health and safety.

AFLC Missionaries on-loan to Wycliffe Bible Translators

Serving as IT Project Manager

Steve & Glenda Kvale



Steve and Glenda are currently with Wycliffe USA and have been members of Wycliffe since 2006. Steve serves as a business intelligence analyst from his home in MN, with the Information Technology team at the Wycliffe USA headquarters in Orlando, FL. Glenda support Steve's assignment however needed. They serve in family ministry sharing about missions with Wycliffe in churches and schools. We invite you to be a part of our prayer and financial

partnership team as we facilitate the translation of God's word around the world through information technology.

Birthdays:

Steve June 1

Glenda Nov 30

Anniversary: August 25, 1990

Field Address:

1539 County Road 5,
Balaton, MN 56115

507-734-2424 home
507-401-0023 Steve's cell
507-530-4077 Glenda's cell

EMAIL:

steven_kvale@wycliffe.org

glenda_kvale@sil.org

WEBSITE:

www.wycliffe.org

Prayer Concerns:

- That Bible-less people groups hear the Gospel.

PERSONAL NOTE:

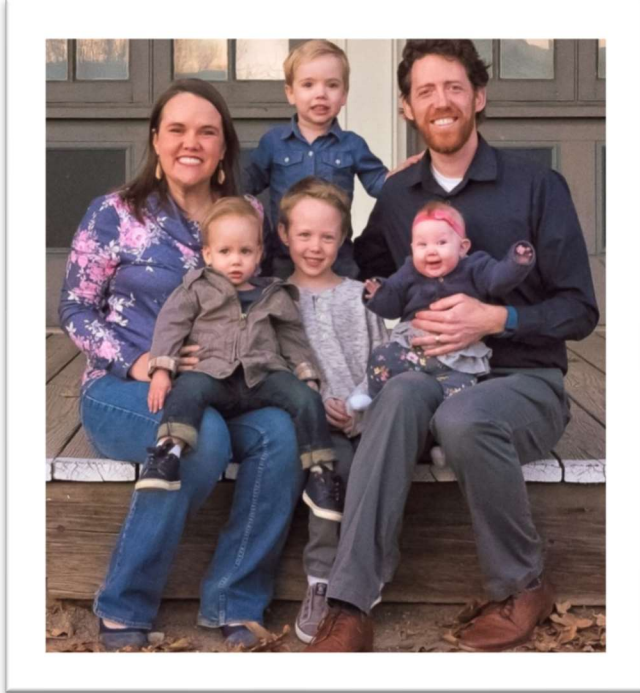
Gifts: (designated to Kvale's on loan to Wycliffe Bible Translators) and mailed to AFLC World Missions office.

(or)

(Designated to Steve & Glenda Kvale, ministry account #200316) and mailed to Wycliffe Bible Translators, PO Box 628200, Orlando, FL 32862

AFLC Missionaries on-loan to Lutheran Bible Translators Serving in Sierra Leone

Josh and Ruth Wagner



Missionaries **Josh and Ruthie Wagner** share a common heart and love for people, and for seeing God worshiped among the nations.

Josh and Ruthie met at a Bible translation meeting and married in 2009. Josh has been working as Scripture Engagement Advisor and Ruthie as Translation Advisor among the Themne people in Sierra Leone since fall 2013. They have four children: Elijah, Isaiah, Josiah and Elizabeth.

Please pray that God's Word would go forth and speak to the hearts of over two million Themne speakers!

Birthdays:

Josh – December 24
Ruthie – August 6
Elijah – June 21, 2012
Isaiah – July 9, 2014
Josiah – December 21, 2015
Elizabeth – October 9, 2017

Field Address:

Josh & Ruthie Wagner
Makeni Post Office
PO Box #15
Makeni, Sierra Leone

Email Address:

Josh-Ruthie.Wagner@LBT.org

Facebook Page:

<http://facebook.com/groups/wagnerupdates>

Google Voice Number: 612-208-7680 (Works in USA and Sierra Leone)

Prayer concerns: Pray for them as they work on translation projects to bring the gospel to people of Sierra Leone.

Package Mailing: *(Please write "non-profit" on the box/envelope and don't add insurance on the package to minimize the impression that we are importing items for resale and needing to pay tax on it.)*

AFLC Missionaries on-loan to Lutheran Bible Translators Serving Tanzania

Andrew and Alexis Olson



Rev. Andrew and Alexis Olson are excited and honored to serve the Lord their Savior through assisting with Bible translation work in Tanzania, East Africa.

Andrew and Alexis were married in 2015. They have two children, Mariah and Selah.

It's about Jesus

"God desires that all people everywhere come to know Him," says Andrew. "As each person uses their gifts and abilities to serve His kingdom, more and more people can come to know Christ as their Savior. 2 Corinthians 4:5 says, 'For what we preach is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake.' It's all about Jesus and declaring what He's done for people of every nation and tongue."

Departure Date! LBT has given us the target departure date of April 1st, 2019 for heading to Tanzania. However, we need to reach 100% of our funding goal before we can leave.

Birthdays:

Andrew – November 28

Alexis – January 22

Mariah – August 8, 2016

Selah – March 18, 2018

Field Address:

3026 Virginia Ave N
Crystal, MN 55427

Email Address:

emptypipe@gmail.com
andrew-alexis.olson@lbt.org

Facebook Page:

Prayer concerns: Pray for them as they work on translation projects to bring the gospel to people of Africa.

AFLC Missionaries on-Loan to Distant Shores Media

Ben and Adela Jore



Ben and Adela Jore are serving with Distant Shores Media continuing with the Unfolding Word project. Ben provides critical oversight and leadership to our technology projects.

Birthdays:

Ben – March 25

Adela – August 19

Stefan – May 9, 2011

Sabina – October 1, 2013

Mara – November 4, 2015

Field Address:

1663 Victoria Rd S, Mendota Heights MN 55118

Email Address:

ben@unfoldingword.org adela@unfoldingword.org

Package Suggestions:

Clothes for the Children (especially Target's) and Children's Books

Prayer concerns: Pray that Bible-less people groups hear the Gospel.

MISSIONARY BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES from World Missions

JANUARY

11–Tamba Abel
22–Alexis Olson

FEBRUARY

15–Barb Schierkolk
19–Hannah Lee

MARCH

11–Jonathan Abel
13–Brent Raan
18–Selah Olson (2018)
25–Ben Jore

APRIL

10–Bethany Lee (2016)
14–Micah Berger
19–Julia Jore (2012)
24–Hannah Jore (2008)

MAY

9–Stefan Jore (2011)
16–Famke Berger
18–Eliza Lee (2017)
25–Todd Schierkolk

JUNE

1–Steve Kvale
21–Emily Raan
21–Elijah Wagner (2012)
29–Jeremiah Jore (2010)

JULY

9–Elijah Jore (2004)
9–Isaiah Wagner (2014)
9–Zoey Abel (2018)
18–Michelle Abel (2002)
20–Jonni Sliver
23–John Lee
30–Amaleah Raan (2014)

AUGUST

1–Nate Jore
6–Ruth Wagner
8–Mariah Olson (2016)
9–Michael Rokenbrodt
19–Adela Jore
28–Ayda Lee (2018)

SEPTEMBER

21–Evie Mae Jore (2016)
29–Rhoda Jore
29–Matthew Abel
30–Ednay Abel

OCTOBER

1–Sabina Jore (2013)
6–Rebecca Abel
9–Elizabeth Wagner
(2017)
16–Naomi Berger (2010)
18–Paul Abel

NOVEMBER

4–Mara Jore (2015)
26–Judah Jore (2005)
28–Andrew Olson
30–Glenda Kvale

DECEMBER

20–Sarala Raan (2016)
21–Josiah Wagner (2015)
24 – Joshua Wagner

ANNIVERSARIES

May

23–Andrew & Alexis Olson
26–Paul & Becky Abel

June

1–Jonathan & Tamba Abel
4–Micah & Famke Berger
11–Brent & Emily Raan
15–John & Hannah Lee

July

28– Todd & Barb
Schierkolk

August

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November

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December

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Missionaries on loan

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1539 County Rd 5
Balaton MN 56115
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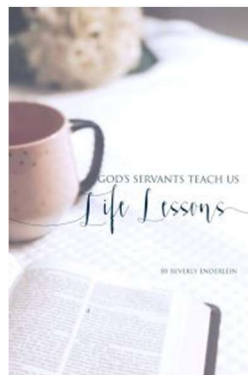
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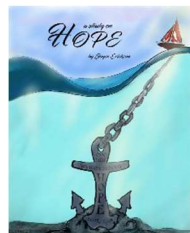


GOD'S SERVANTS TEACH US LIFE LESSONS

by Beverly Enderlein

I invite you to walk through the Bible together as we study, “God’s Servants Teach Us Life Lessons.” A study of the “old favorites” at first glance might be too familiar to be captivating. However, powerful lessons can be drawn from the real life events of God’s people through the ages. As we enjoy reading and discussing each one, we want to seek richer applications for ourselves. God’s Word is living and powerful. It is always current. Its lessons are given for our admonition and instruction. Let’s trust God to teach us as we journey together with God’s servants. *(This study is an updated study that the WMF presented from 1972. You will note that there are 12 Lessons in this study, with the 12th lesson being on Mary, the mother of Jesus.)*

Cost of the studies will be \$12 each. (This price includes the cost of shipping.)

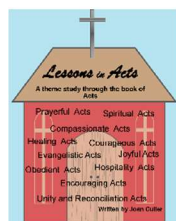


A Study on Hope

by Joyce Erickson

...on Him we have set our hope... 2 Corinthians 1:10b
Hope. It’s something everyone needs. As we look into God’s Word pray that our hope will be firmly established in God and His Word.

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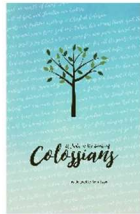


LESSONS IN ACTS – A theme study through the book of Acts

by Joan Culler

Instead of a chronological approach, this study will address a wide variety of themes and their applications for us. What can we learn from the early followers of Christ? How did they respond to and resolve the problems they encountered? Can we imitate the living examples of ministry described? Can we, too, “turn the world upside down?” (Acts 17:6 ESV)

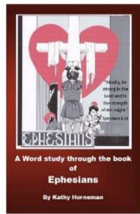
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A study in the book of COLOSSIANS

by Jeanette Berntson

This is a letter the apostle Paul wrote to the church in Colossae. When Paul's co-worker, Epaphras, visited Paul, he related both his joy and concern for the Colossian church. False teachings were threatening the believers' faith in Christ. The Colossians were being told to gain a secret knowledge of God, perform rituals, and refrain from certain activities to be complete Christians. Paul combats these false teachings by presenting Christ's person and work as completely sufficient for Christians' salvation and daily walk. Paul also describes the Christian life that flows from the complete salvation we continue to receive from Christ. No action of ours adds anything to our standing before God. Having been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection and having received faith through the hearing of the Gospel, we are complete Christians. [Lutheran Bible Companion. 2: 534-6, 551-560. Cost of the studies will be \$11 each.



A Word study through the book of EPHESIANS

by Kathy Horneman

Ephesians is an important book to me because it is a very concise and practical book on growing in Christ. It starts with knowing Jesus Christ and moves to practical living, interacting with others, and then, how to be victorious in our walk. It touches every area of our lives, as Christ should control every area of our lives. Cost of the studies will be \$11 each.



Following Christ - A Disciple's Walk of Faith

by Vicki Johnson

We are each called to journey with our Savior, a life-long walk that is uniquely suited to each believer's development and growth in Christ. Sometimes, we are tempted to compare our walk with another's, evaluating progression, perfection and punctuality. However, the evaluation lies within Jesus' jurisdiction, with the fruit of Spirit as evidence of our walk's success. But it isn't enough to begin the journey well. We must finish well, if we want to receive the reward. The Apostle Paul encourages us in Philippians 3:14, where he says, "I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." Let's walk this walk in truth and humility with our eyes on Jesus and our hands outstretched to help others cross the finish line of faith. Cost of these studies will be \$11 each.



Pearls for a Princess

by Faylin Myhre

This study is a topical study that as you can see deals with "P" words that are associated with a princess. God **PICKED** you to be His and He **PURCHASED** you with the precious blood of Jesus. He loves you! You are **PRECIOUS** to Him. He is your **PROTECTOR** and **PROVIDER**. He has a **PURPOSE** just for you and **PREPARES** you to fulfill that purpose. You have the **POWER** of the Holy Spirit and the **PROMISES** in His Word as you daily walk in His **PRESENCE** giving Him **PRAISE**. The cost of the studies will be \$6.50 each.



Joseph

An Ordinary Life in the Hands of an Extraordinary God

by Candice Johnson

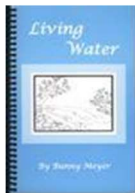
This study, Joseph, An Ordinary Life in the Hands of The Extraordinary God, examines what some may consider mundane details in the life of Joseph. Let me remind you that "all Scripture is inspired by God..." (I Timothy 3:15a). That means God is concerned with the seemingly mundane details or they would not have been included in the Scriptures. Though no lesson focuses on FAITH, two truths are evident: 1) Joseph was faithful to God 2) God was faithful to Joseph. The cost of the studies is \$6.50 each.



Sweet Freedom's Song

by Mary Christenson

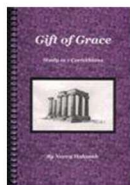
Sweet Freedom's Song will help us see how God, after preparing and giving us this land and having established this nation, has continued to be with us and work through His people throughout these decades in the United States. The biblical studies will be in the Psalms, which are the ballads, hymns and songs of the Israelites. These songs express all the emotions and experiences of God's people. Still today we, God's people, continue to learn from them. We will not look so much at the political US history, but rather, the social and cultural experiences in our society from 1870 through the first quarter of the 20th century. The life applications will be reflective of people, experiences, or inventions of these times. The other portion of the study will show the direction and influence of Christians during that decade. The US history will be based out of Chicago and the Midwest. He's God, our God, in charge of the whole earth. And he remembers, remembers his Covenant –for a thousand generations he's been as good as his word. Psalm 105 :7, 8. The cost of the studies is \$6.50 each.



Living Water

by Bunny Meyer

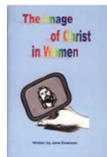
Water....the precious natural resource that is essential to life. In the Scriptures we can find God's grace connected with water starting with the opening verses of Genesis. Later in this book we read how He washed our sin-stained world with the Flood, while simultaneously saving godly Noah and his family. We are led beside the still waters in the Psalms, encouraged by the promises of rain to dry land, and refreshed by the verses which tell us that He satisfies the thirsty. Jesus went into the waters of the Jordan River to be baptized by John, to fulfill all righteousness for us. He chose some of His disciples as they were fishing and later provided a miraculous catch of fish for them. He meets the Samaritan woman at the well and offers her the living water. He stills the raging waves for His fearful friends and followers and washes their feet the night before His crucifixion. As believers we look forward to the eternal rest where we will see the River of Life flowing from the throne of God and the Lamb. **"Come, all of you who are thirsty, come to the waters..." Isaiah 55:1** The cost of the studies is \$5 each.



Gift of Grace - A Study in 1 Corinthians

by Nancy Holcomb

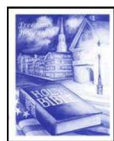
Our study of 1 Corinthians is centered on God's wonderful gift of grace which shines through in every situation that Paul addresses in this letter. We have lots to learn as we look at God's initial act of grace which secures all believers' salvation and how that grace is evident in a Christian's life. We will look into the historical background of the church in Corinth and see how Paul's teachings can be applied to that young church, our churches today and to each believer in a personal and practical way so that we may all grow in "grace and holiness." The cost of the studies is \$5 each.



The Image of Christ in Women

by Jane Emerson

Let's make it our prayer to radiate the "IMAGE OF CHRIST" daily in all that He has called us to do. "Let us go on, unto perfection" Hebrews 6:1. The cost of the studies is \$4 each.



Freedom's Holy Light

by Mary Christenson

The desire and intent of America's forefathers was to establish a country which would honor and serve God. And God, Who is faithful, sustained, guided and instructed them as they sought His Wisdom. Dedicated men and women chronicled for us God's continual leading and His provision. The evidence testifies that God has been and is...FREEDOM'S HOLY LIGHT. Psalm 78 :1 This Bible Study is a full-size 8.5" x 11" book and is \$3.00 each.

BIBLE STUDY- SEARCHING SCRIPTURE

By Jan Strand

The FBI-you have most likely heard those initials before. The Federal Bureau of Investigation is the domestic intelligence and security service of the United States. When exploring a different way to meet the needs of some of the women of our congregation, our WMF group used these initials but applied a different meaning to them. Although sometimes met with a giggle when announced, the "Female Bible Investigators" was founded.

Our WMF booklet describes it this way: "This Bible study group will meet the second and fourth Saturdays of the month at 8 a.m. Place, times and dates may be changed to accommodate needs. Lessons will be done as a group effort at the meeting. This is a casual group-just come as you are."

That's right. Come as you are. And we do. Our goal has been to present a flexible and low-pressure atmosphere. Some from other congregations who are unable to attend their own women's meetings have been invited and come. God has blessed this group. Lively and deep discussion comes from the Word and the WMF Bible study booklet. Although we are not always on the lesson of the month-we meet more than the monthly groups-we find that we take more time to complete a lesson. Coffee is allowed and encouraged.

This has worked for us. So many of our women are unable to attend the strong, well-established core groups that meet on a weekday once a month. We felt we needed to find a way to include women who are in that situation. Having a relatively early Saturday time also allows for unhurried prayer time. We established early on that confidentiality was important, so we can share one another's burdens without worry. Tears and laughter happen often, sometimes simultaneously.

Perhaps the definition of the real FBI might be closer than we initially realized. Perhaps we are developing a domestic and security service for the families of our women. We praise Him for providing for us.

An apt portion of Scripture comes from Hebrews 10:24-25, "And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another-and all the more as you see the day approaching."

Joseph – A Tender Portrait at Christmastime

By Amy Engwall

Have you ever felt like your life has been unremarkably ordinary and dotted with failure? Then take heart, dear one, for you are in good company. Scripture paints a beautiful portrait of an extraordinary man named Joseph who probably did not see himself as anything particularly special. He was born into a family in Israel at a time of spiritual drought; a virtual silence from God that had lasted four hundred years. Joseph would have the privilege of witnessing God shatter His silence. God was preparing to send His only begotten Son in the form of a helpless babe to be light in the darkness, the hope of salvation to a lost and dying world. In his wildest dreams Joseph would never have imagined himself in the epi-center of this fulfillment of prophecy. As God unfolded His will in His high and mysterious ways, He included Joseph, a simple laborer and crafter of wood. While at times uncontrollable circumstances must have made Joseph feel like a complete failure, God chose him because of something he did have control over - his faith and his character.

In Matthew 1:18-19 we see Joseph's humility.

“Now the birth of Jesus Christ was as follows. When His mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together she was found to be with child by the Holy Spirit. And Joseph her husband, being a righteous man, and not wanting to disgrace her, desired to put her away secretly.”

These verses tell us that Mary and Joseph were betrothed. In those days a betrothal was like an engagement period, but it was legally binding. A betrothal could be broken only by a legal transaction, much like a divorce. The betrothal lasted about twelve months and during that time the groom would busy himself preparing a home for his bride which was typically attached to his family's home. The bride and her family were busy preparing wedding clothing. When the father of the bridegroom determined the newlyweds' home was finished and the time was right, he would look at his son and say, “Go and get your bride.”

It was during this time of great anticipation, preparation, and hope for the future that Mary was found to be with child. Can you imagine how devastating this news would have been to Joseph? He knew he wasn't the father of the child. What an embarrassing and humiliating turn of events! Joseph surely would have initially felt betrayed. But Matthew tells us that Joseph was a righteous man. Matthew also indicates that Joseph was a very humble man. Humility is the grace to not think of ourselves more highly than we ought to, but to honor others above ourselves. A betrothal could be terminated on the grounds of adultery and the punishment was sometimes death by stoning. Matthew 1:19 gives us a glimpse into the tenderness of Joseph's heart when it reveals that he planned to send Mary away secretly. No revenge, no spite, just kind humility – a reflection of the character God looked for in the man who was to be the earthly father of Jesus.

While Joseph didn't initially embrace Mary's pregnancy claim that 'the Holy Spirit did it', God didn't leave Joseph to wonder for long if Mary was the most imaginative storyteller on the planet. God sent a special angelic messenger to Joseph to confirm Mary's outlandish explanation.

“But when he had considered this, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream saying, “Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife; for that which has been conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit. And she shall bear a Son; and you shall call His name Jesus, for it is He who will save His people from their sins.” Matthew 1:20 – 21

The angel was intentional in assuring Joseph’s upcoming role as Jesus’ earthly father by telling him that he would name the child, a distinct honor reserved for the father.

We get another confirmation of Joseph’s humility as the story continues in Matthew 1:24-25.

“And Joseph arose from his sleep, and did as the angel of the Lord commanded him, and took her as his wife, and kept her a virgin until she gave birth to a Son; and he called His name Jesus.”

Obedience, humility, and patience walk side by side. Joseph immediately followed through with what the angel of the Lord commanded. He took Mary as his wife. He didn’t demand his rights as a husband but protected Mary and kept her a virgin until she gave birth to Jesus.

If a mere human had written this story, it is at this point that the highly favored couple would become famous, pampered and protected from all earthly hardship. God, in His infinite wisdom, orchestrated a much different turn of events.

In Luke 2:4-7 we see the Joseph’s humanness.

“And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David, in order to register, along with Mary, who was engaged to him and was with child. And it came about that while they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her first-born son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.”

Joseph had no control over the political decisions of his day. He had no special authority, no world-wide clout. He was helpless to change the situation when Caesar Augustus decided to take a census of the whole inhabited world. He was forced to travel nearly eighty miles to Bethlehem with his very pregnant wife. If Joseph and Mary traveled with a caravan and Mary rode on a donkey (which the Bible never verifies) then the journey probably took four days. Ladies, can you imagine being almost nine months pregnant riding a donkey twenty miles a day for four days straight? We can expect that upon arrival Joseph hustled to the “Bethlehem Inn” to claim the room that God had surely mercifully and miraculously reserved for them. As Mary’s warning of “the contractions are coming harder and faster” rang in his ears, the cold, uncaring pronouncement of “NO VACANCY” from the innkeeper must have hit Joseph like a kick to the stomach. The Bible has already assured us of Joseph’s care and protection for Mary. How he must have agonized over not being able to find a suitable place to stay. It was obvious that the baby’s birth was imminent. So, they found shelter in what surely was the stable carved out of rock in the Bethlehem hillside housing the spotless, unblemished lambs that were to be taken to Jerusalem and sacrificed for the sins of the people. What must have been going through Joseph’s mind? Perhaps something like this, “God trusted me to take care of the woman who is carrying the Savior of the world and I have failed. Horribly! Completely! Epically!” Joseph was powerless to provide Mary with even basic essentials like a bed or even her mother. Instead, they were surrounded by smelly animals. How could he have known that this stable was the perfect place for the Lamb of God to be born? It must have hurt Joseph,

the skilled carpenter, to lay this precious newborn baby boy, the Son of God, not in a cradle lovingly made by his own hands, but in a dirty feeding trough. Nothing was going the way Joseph had hoped, yet all of heaven knew God's plan was playing out perfectly. While Joseph was berating himself for this "epic fail" God was writing a breathtakingly beautiful script that humanity would embrace and celebrate into all of eternity. Sometimes God uses us most remarkably when we feel like we are failing most miserably.

In Matthew 13:54-55a we see Joseph's honorability.

"And coming to His home town Jesus began teaching them in their synagogue, so that they became astonished, and said, "Where did this man get this wisdom, and these miraculous powers? Is not this the carpenter's son? Is not His mother called Mary....."

Joseph honored Jesus by raising Him as if He was his own. All of Nazareth recognized Jesus as the son of Joseph the carpenter, even years after Jesus was grown. Even though Jesus did not share one drop of blood with Joseph, it is Joseph's genealogy that is recorded in Matthew 1. Both Mary and Joseph descended from David but it is Joseph who descended from David's son Solomon while Mary was descended from David's son, Nathan. The right to royalty came through Solomon who was David's heir to the throne. So, it is through Joseph's adoption of Jesus that He was granted the legal right to be the King of the Jews. If Jesus had been the son of Mary without her being the legal wife of Joseph, His royal claim would have been rejected. As the virgin-born son of Mary, Jesus had no legal right to the throne. As the adopted son of Joseph He had every right. Joseph would be lost to history if his greatest accomplishment had not been that of stepdad to Jesus, our Messiah.

A look at the life of Joseph gives us hope that God treasures those who are obedient to Him, and He will use those who trust in Him even if circumstances seem to indicate differently. The few verses that give us insight into the character of Joseph reveal a man with a heart full of love, integrity, and tenderness. This Christmas season when you see a nativity scene, notice Mary's humble husband by the manger looking down in wonder and experience with him the miracle of being invited to embrace Emmanuel, God with us.

For a beautiful and poignant addition to this talk, you can play by audio or video "Joseph's Song" by Michael Card found on YouTube.

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Approved Special Projects for 2019

Brazil

AILLB (AFLC of Brazil)
National Leadership Conference \$3,000.00
Primavera Church Building Project (for 3 churches) each \$15,000.00

ARCA

New Roof \$12,000.00
Driveways \$6,000.00

SETELL (Bible School and Seminary)

Replacement of Chapel Roof \$7,000.00
Re-wiring and Air-conditioning for Chapel \$3,000.00
Books for Seminary Library \$1,000.00
Parking Lot \$3,000.00

Miriam Home

Emergency Medical Fund \$1,000.00
Follow Them Home - Project for churches to help those leaving the
Miriam Home \$3,000.00

Ongoing projects - Seminary Scholarships, Student Work Fund, ARCA including,
Camp Scholarships and Social Projects, Miriam Infant Home

Mexico

Principios Church Building Project \$32,000.00
Christmas Gift Boxes (100 @ \$5.00 per box) \$500.00
Help Me Hear God's Voice – Bibles \$500.00
Compassion Projects
Help Me Learn - Project to help purchase packs and other school supplies
..... \$300.00

India

Repair of School Roof \$5,700.00

WMF OFFICERS THROUGH THE YEARS

(10-2013)

Presidents

1963 – 1965 Alma Ose
1965 – 1969 Dorothy Presteng
1969 – 1973 Ida Walla
1973 – 1977 Carol Dietsche-Osceola, WI
1977 – 1981 Beverly Enderlein-Plymouth, MN
1981 – 1985 Grace Syverson-Tioga, ND
1985 – 1989 Laurel Johnson-Cambridge, MN
1989 – 1993 Linda Korhonen-Cokato, MN
1993 – 1997 Dee (Delores) Berkas-Bloomington, MN
1997 – 2001 Faith Nelson-Rockford, MN
2001 – 2006 Cheryl Skordahl-Pipestone, MN
2006 – 2012 Lorilee Mundfrom-Beresford, SD
2012 – 2018 Lynn Wellumson-Williston ND
2018 – 20__ Lavonne West-Columbia Falls MT

Spouse

Ole
Herbert
Melvin
Robert
Eugene
Roy
Wendell
Lyndon
Ted
Elden
David
John
Jon
Ken

1st Vice Presidents

1963 – 1965 Dorothy Presteng
1965 – 1966 Esther Farrier
1966 – 1968 Harriet Erickson-Alpena, MI
1968 – 1972 Maybelle Holt-
1972 – 1973 Lillian Bredholt-
1973 – 1976 Amy Haugen
1976 – 1980 Marie Kneeland-Wadena, MN
1980 – 1984 Millie Strand-Winter, Lynn Haven, FL
Summer, Remer, MN
1984 – 1988 Bethel Erickson-Wadena, MN
1988 – 1992 Loretta Grothe-Astoria, OR
1992 – 1996 Bonnie (West) Upton-Kalispell, MT
1996 – 2000 Lola Lindell-Ferndale, WA
2000 – 2002 Erma Jochum-Ruthfred, PA
2002 – 2004 Jan Galland-Shakopee, MN
2004 – 2006 Lorilee Mundfrom-Beresford, SD
2006 – 2013 Karen Pederson-Tioga, ND
2013 – 2019 Esther Hylden-Park River, ND

Herbert
William
Jay
Birdeen
Roy
Palmer
Arlo
John
Harold
Alvin
Robert
Duwayne
Les
John
Randy
Mark

2nd Vice Presidents

1968 – 1969	Eileen Johnson-Cloquet, MN	Clifford
1969 – 1973	Carol Dietsche-Osceola, WI	Robert
1973 – 1975	Barbara Moland-Kirkland, WA	Kenneth
1975 – 1979	Eloise (Ellie) Knutson-Kerkhoven, MN	Ronald
1979 – 1981	Grace Syverson-Tioga, ND	Roy
1981 – 1983	Lois Oscarson-	Ray
1983 – 1987	Mavis Lofthus	Robert
1987 – 1991	Harriet Rolf-McIntosh, MN	Kenneth
1991 – 1995	Helen Knapp-Willmar, MN	George
1995 – 1997	Lori Molstre-Lake Stevens, WA	Mark
1998 – 2001	Mary Pollestad-Andover, MN	Tonnes
2001 – 2005	Barbara Elmquist Gustafson-Mesa, AZ	Mark
2005 – 2011	Molly Weisen-Grafton, ND	Ken
2011 -- 2017	Lori Willard-Everett, WA	Calvin
2017 – 20__	Tami Demo-St. Michael, MN	Pat

Assistant Vice Presidents/ 3rd Vice President

2004 – 2005	Cheryl Aakre (appointed)-Argyle, MN	Leif
2005 – 2008	Sandra Weaver (elected)-Munich, ND	Ken
2009 – 2010	Arlys Jorenby-Brookings, SD (position dropped by convention vote)	Dennis

Secretary

1963 – 1965	Olive Jacobson-	Raymond
1965 – 1970	Sylvia Molstre-Fergus Falls, MN	Harry
1970 – 1975	Ovidie Dyrud-Crystal, MN	Amos
1975 – 1980	Inez Wee-	Reuben
1980 – 1983	Beatrice Anderson-Golden Valley, MN	Kenneth
1983 – 1984	Ida Walla-	Melvin
1984 – 1988	Esther Larson-Bruce, SD	Raymond
1988 – 1992	Carol Haugen-Fargo, ND	Albin
1992 – 1996	Cheryl Skordahl-Pipestone, MN	David
1996 – 1998	Rosalie (Paulson) Larson-Fosston, MN	Glen
1999 – 2001	Marilyn Thoreson-Sebring, FL	Ken
2001 – 2004	Elaine Kohl-Brookings, SD	Robert

(Elected as)Corresponding Secretary/(2005) Communication Secretary

2004 – 2009	Robin Jameson-Walnut, IL	David
2009 – 2012	Mary Ann Ward-Ottawa, IL	Peter
2012 – 2018	Barb Strand - Wahpeton ND	Ron
2018 – 20__	Deanna Larson- Ortonville MN	Richard

WMF Officers through the years (continued)

Assistant Secretary/(2005) Recording Secretary

2004 – 2005	Phyllis Nikunen (appointed)-Winger, MN	Jerome
2005 – 2008	Phyllis Nikunen (elected)-Winger, MN	Jerome
2008 – 2013	Phyllis Peterson-Portland, ND	Ralph
2013 – 2019	JoyAnn Dahl- Plummer, MN	Steve

Treasurer

1963 – 1965	Alvera (Moen) Vigness-Grand Forks, ND	
1965 – 1970	Alice Konsterlie-	R.M.
1970 – 1973	Alphild Eletson-	James
1973 – 1977	Evelyn Emberson-Silver Bay, MN	Reuben
1977 – 1981	Donna Hass-Valley City, ND	Emil, Jr
1981 – 1983	Betty Nelson-	Vernon
1983 – 1987	Margaret Mundfrom-Kenyon, MN	Gerald
1987 – 1991	Aini Myking-Cloquet, MN	Bernard
1991 – 1995	Jan Preitauer-Fergus Falls, MN	Ed
1995 – 2000	Jeannette Benson-Upsala, MN	John
2000 – 2003	Tammy Vukonich-Osceola, WI	Gene
2003 – 2008	Lynn Wellumson-Williston, SD	John
2008 – 2014	Lois Grothe-Astoria, OR	Kelly
2014 – 2020	Deb Benson-Morris, IL	Craig

Executive Secretary

1970 – 1987	Judith Wold-Thief River Falls, MN	
1987 – 1998	Karen Knudsvig-Buxton, ND	Gerald
1999 – 2003	Cheryl Aakre-Argyle, MN	Leif
2003 – 2004	Sharon Borg-Maple Grove, MN	Dave
2005 – 201_	Dawn Johnson-Wilson, WI	Leslie

Director/Women's Outreach Coordinator (WOC)

2001 – 2002	Faith Nelson-Rockford, MN	Elden
2004 – 2009	Faylin Myhre-Abercrombie, ND	Steve
2009 – 201_	Position filled by officers as needed	

**WOMEN'S MISSIONARY FEDERATION OF THE AFLC
CONFERENCE DATA**

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>BIBLE VERSE</u>	<u>THEME FOR THE CONFERENCE</u>
1962	Thief River Falls, MN	John 17:21, 22	Seeking His Will
1963	Fargo	II Peter 3:18	Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.
1964	Valley City, ND	Colossians 2:9	Christ Alone
1965	Minneapolis, MN	Colossians 1:18	Christ, the Head of the Church
1966	Thief River Falls	II Timothy 1:7	God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.
1967	Fargo, ND	Isaiah 54:2	Enlarge the place of thy tent
1968	Cloquet, MN	II Cor. 15:20, 21	Living for Jesus
1969	Minneapolis, MN	I Samuel 12:24	Serve the Lord in truth
1970	Valley City, ND	II Chron. 25:9	The Lord is able
1971	Cloquet, MN	I Cor. 3:9	Co-laborers with God
1972	Minneapolis, MN	John 8:31b, 32	His truth is marching on
1973	Ferndale, WA	Esther 4:14b	For such a time as this
1974	Thief River Falls, MN	Psalms 46:10	Be still and know that I am God
1975	Minneapolis, MN	I Cor. 15:58	Be ye – Steadfast – Unmovable – Abounding
1976	Chassell, MI	Matthew 6:33	The Christian's Priorities
1977	Fargo, ND	II Cor. 3:5b	Our sufficiency is of God
1978	Minneapolis, MN	Colossians 4:5	Redeeming the time
1979	Kalispell, MT	Joshua 24:24b	The Lord our God – Serve – Obey
1980	Valley City, ND	John 14:23	Love God – Obey His Word
1981	Minneapolis, MN	II Cor. 4:7	Christ: Our Treasure
1982	Dickinson, ND	II Peter 3:18b	To God be the Glory
1983	Osceola, WI	Isaiah 45:22	Look unto Me for I am God
1986	Warm Beach, WA	Colossians 4:2-4	Pray – Watch – Give Thanks
1987	Thief River Falls, MN	Isaiah 57:15	God will revive the lowly and contrite
1988	DeKalb, IL	Colossians 4:5, 6	Walk in Wisdom
1989	Minot, ND	Psalms 126:5-6	Go Labor On
1990	Bloomington, MN	Romans 12:4-5	Building Together in the Lord
1991	Osceola, WI	Hebrews 10:23	Hold Fast – God is Faithful
1992	Osceola, WI	II Cor. 4:5-7	A Vessel for His Glory
1993	DeKalb, IL	John 15:11	Serve with Joy
1994	Valley City, ND	Philippians 2:13	Life with a Purpose
1995	Osceola, WI	Proverbs 31:30b	Graceful Growth – Youth Through Maturity
1996	Warm Beach, WA	Galatians 5:1a	Let Freedom Ring
1997	Thief River Falls, MN	Matthew 5:16	Shine for Jesus
1998	Red Wing, MN	Hebrews 12:1, 2	Let Us Fix Our Eyes On Jesus
1999	Fergus Falls, MN	I Peter 1:3	Born Again to a Living Hope
2000	Osceola, WI	Psalms 62:1-2	God, and God Alone
2001	Williston, ND	II Cor. 3:18	Like Mirrors – Reflecting God's Glory
2002	El Campo, TX	Psalms 62:10	Raise a Banner for the Nations
2003	Brookings, SD	John 4:24	Worship Him in Spirit and Truth

2004	Osceola, WI	Malachi 4:2	Healing in His Wings
2005	Valley City, ND	II Samuel 22:32	Who Is God But The Lord? Who But Our God Is A Solid Rock?
2006	Warm Beach, WA	Isaiah 55:9	Seeking God's Perspective
2007	Sioux Falls, SD	Psalm 86:11	Give Me an Undivided Heart
2008	Oklahoma City, OK	Psalm 24:14-15a	My Times are in Your Hands
2009	Fergus Falls, MN	Romans 12:6a	WMF – Using our Gifts
2010	Minneapolis, MN	Hebrews 10:25b	Encourage one another - - - -
		Esther 4:14b	- - - - - for such a time as this
2011	Sioux Falls, SD	Psalm 37:3-5	Trust ~ Delight ~ Commit
2012	Thief River Falls, MN	I Samuel 7:12c	Thus far the Lord has helped us
2013	Osceola WI	Psalm 119:89-90	Forever O Lord, Your Settled Word, Your Enduring Faithfulness
2014	Valley City ND	Matthew 19:21	Come Follow Me
2015	Warm Beach WA	Ephesians 5:15-16	Redeeming the Time
2016	Osceola WI	Colossians 2:2-3	Knit together in Love through Christ
2017	Plymouth MN	Acts 1:8b	Yesterday...Today...Forever...You shall be my witnesses
2018	Dickenson ND	Romans 12:12-13	Rejoice in Hope
2019	Canadensis PA	Psalm 145:4	Faithful to all Generations

SUMMARY of WMF BIBLE STUDIES

- 1964 – The Christian Woman – Eula Mae Swenson
- 1965 – Profiles of Faith
- 1966 – Hymn Studies – Mrs. Hokenson
- 1967 – 1 Corinthians
- 1968 – Old Testament Bible History Questions (*Creation, Flood, Abraham, Joseph, Moses, Samuel, David, Elijah, Hezekiah, Daniel, Rebuilding of the Temple*) – Rev. Gerald Mundfrom
- 1969 – New Testament Bible History Questions (*Birth of John, Parables: The Sower; Prodigal Son; Miracles: Jesus Stills the Tempest, Raises the Daughter of Jairus from the Dead, Feeds the 5000, Jesus Teaches His Disciples to Pray, Jesus Transfigured; Latter Part of Jesus' Ministry: Zacchaeus, Raises Lazarus, Enemies of Jesus; Climax of Jesus' Ministry: Triumphal Entry in to Jerusalem, Institutes the Lord's Supper, In Gethsemane; Trials of Jesus: Before the Council, Peter's Denial, Before Pilate; On the Cross, Resurrection, and Pentecost*) – Rev. Gerald Mundfrom
- 1970 – A Divine Moment with the Master (*A Samaritan Women, The Woman in Simon's House, The Gadarene Demoniac, The transfiguration, The Boy with an Evil Spirit, The Man Born Blind, The Rich Young Ruler, Zacchaeus, Bartimaeus, John-the Apostle, Conversion of Saul, the Great Question*)
- 1971 – Study in Psalms (1, 84, 51, 22, 40, 34, 78, 139, 73, 103, 19) Mrs. Jay Erickson, Ferndale, WA
- 1972 – God Speaks to Me Through Personalities (*Lessons from a Poor Widow, Ruth, The Woman at the Well, The little Family of Bethany, Hannah, Adam and Eve, Joseph, Nehemiah, Esther, Stephen, Dorcas, Mary-Mother of Jesus*)
- 1973 – Studies in Acts
- 1974 – Jeremiah
- 1975 – Ephesians
- 1976 – Profiles of Faith – (*Eve, etc*) Eula Mae Swenson
- 1977 – Philippians
- 1978 – Various Topics
- 1979 – Colossians & Possibly some on the Gospel of John
- 1980 – Very likely more on the Gospel of John – Mrs. Harvey Carlson
- 1981 – I Enjoy Being a Woman – Mrs. Michael (Jeannie) Brandt
- 1982 – Book of Ruth – Mrs. Palmer Haugen, Portland, ND
- 1983 – Fruits of the Spirit – Mrs. Robert Dietsche
- 1984 – The “I Ams” of Jesus – Mrs. Gerald (Karen) Knudsvig
- 1985 – Closer Walk With Jesus – Mrs. Alvin Grothe
- 1986 – Key Words from God's Word – Mrs. Herbert Presteng
- 1987 – Studies in Romans – Dr. Mary Lindquist
- 1988 – The Higher Perspective – Mrs. Lyndon (Linda) Korhonen
- 1989 – Psalms in the Night – Magdalene Stolee
- 1990 – Living for Jesus (*This is based on commands and promised found in the Word of God...also the theme song is “Living for Jesus”*) Lois Oscarson
- 1991 – The Parables of Jesus – Mrs. John Strand
- 1992 – Women of Wisdom and the Word – Mrs. Steve Lombardo
- 1993 – Lord, Teach Us to Pray – Miss Rosalie Paulson
- 1994 – Sacrifices of the Bible – Mrs. Beryl Jalonen
- 1995 – I Enjoy Being a Woman (*Repeat of 1981*) – Mrs. Michael (Jeannie) Brandt
- 1996 – Freedom's Holy Light – Mrs. Mary Christenson

- 1997 – Come to Jesus, Share With Others – Mrs. Barb Hubner
- 1998 – Joy for the Journey (*A Study on the Book of Hebrews*) – Mrs. Lynn Wellumson
- 1999 – Our Hope is in Christ (*A Study of I Peter*) – Mrs. Barbara Moland
- 2000 – Spiritual Shape-Up (*An Exercise in the Word*) – Mrs. Kathie Klenner
- 2001 – Alpha and Omega (*Through the Bible in a Year*) – Mrs. Delores Berkas
- 2002 – A Wise Woman Builds Her House – Mrs. Rose Carlson
- 2003 – Forever Free! (*Freedom in the Spirit, Freedom in Our Nation, Freedom in Relationships*) – Mrs. Lori Crowell, Mrs. Mary Christenson, Mrs. Jeannie Brandt
- 2004 – Intimacy With God (Topic study) – Mrs. Debbie Giles
- 2005 – I & II Samuel (Book study) —Joanne Segerdahl & Mary Clark
- 2006 – The Higher Perspective (Topic study) —Linda Korhonen (Reprint from 1988)
- 2007 – The Image of Christ in Women (Topic study) —Jane Emerson
- 2008 – Gifts of Grace (1 Corinthians)—Nancy Holcomb
- 2009 – Living Water (Topical study) –Bunny Meyer
- 2010 – Sweet Freedom's Song (Topical study)--Mary Christenson
- 2011 – Joseph—Genesis—(Book study) Candice Johnson
- 2012 – Pearls for a Princess (Topic study)—Faylin Myhre
- 2013 – Genesis—(Book study) Sandra Weaver
- 2014 – Following Christ A Disciple's Walk of Faith (Topic study) -- Vicki Johnson
- 2015 – Ephesians—A Word study through the book of Ephesians (Book/Topic) --Kathy Horneman
- 2016 – Colossians –A study in the book of Colossians—(Book study)—Jeanette Berntson
- 2017 – Lessons in Acts (theme study)- Joan Culler
- 2018 – A study on Hope – (Topic) – Joyce Erickson
- 2019– God's Servants teach us Life Lessons – (redo of 1972 study) – Beverly Enderlein

