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“Timing is Everything”

By Phil Schmidt, Senior Pastor

One of the most common mistakes we make as Christians is to demand that God would act when we want Him to act. The old standard line is, “Oh Lord, give me patience... Right Now!!” This point of view can often ruin people’s faith. I have heard people say it all the time, “I really wanted something so bad. I prayed and prayed and God ignored me...” We need to understand that *our* timing may not be *God’s* timing. God may very well know that now is not the right time to do even great things.

As many of you know the leadership has been planning another Capital Campaign to begin within the year. The reason we needed to do another Capital Campaign was due to our budget, our debt, and it was a condition of our loan guarantee from the Annual Conference. Even though these are real reasons and real issues to face, the timing for a full blown Capital Campaign didn’t feel right – Right Now... We asked an expert, John Laster, to help us put this Capital Campaign together. A major part of John’s work was to do a feasibility study to find out if this was a good time to do a Capital Campaign and the best way to do it.

John has talked to some of you and sent surveys to many more of you. Through his conversations and our prayer, we have come to understand that this is not the time to forge ahead with a long three year Capital Campaign. In short, we do not believe that this is in God’s timing to go forward in this way. The truth is, all of the reasons for doing the Capital Campaign are still staring at us... So, we are looking at different and creative ways to fund the ministries we are all passionate about!!

It is that passion for worship, growing in our faith, and serving others in the name of Jesus that keeps us moving into the future of this church!! I still believe that God has great plans for this church. I sure wish that God would bring that great plan for us today, but that is my timing not God’s timing.

We need to continue to be the great church that we are!! We need to give God all the glory and praise through worship; we need to continue to Love God and Love each other with all of our hearts; and we need to reach out to those around us with the Love of Jesus!! We need to reach them by serving them; by finding their needs and helping. We need to see other people the way Jesus sees them, and to welcome them into the Love of our church.

The timing of our plan may have changed, but not the vision for who we are and where we are going. Please, my friends, pray for your church every day. Be here in worship with your church family because we are all better when we are together. Please give to the church consistently and not just when you worship. We are a great church and I am proud to be your pastor!! Let’s all pray that God will unleash us in our community to make an impact for Him!!

Your Brother in Christ,
Phil

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Are We Stealing?

By: Jackie Larson, Stephen Leader



“Will anyone rob God? Yet you are robbing me! But you say ‘How are we robbing you?’ In your tithes and offerings!” (Malachi 3:8)

Does it get any plainer than that? I thought I had a really good idea for my article this month. Turns out I thought it a good idea but apparently it was not a *God* idea. Instead, I have felt compelled to write about (are you ready for this?) **Tithing!** I have no reluctance to talk about money in the church, the lack of it or ways to bring in more. There was a time on my spiritual journey that I would do almost anything to avoid serving in the church in the area of (*shudder!*) stewardship. Then I found myself out canvassing the congregation begging them for their pledges! Asking people to give big when we weren't doing it ourselves! Tithing? That was for other people – we didn't have that kind of money! God does have a sense of irony. Talk about being out of your comfort zone! Talk about guilt! Lesson learned, but it took a long time before I heard this from my husband: “Did we meet our tithe this year?” This was something we had to grow into as we became more faith-filled. When we realized the joy of giving, we lamented that we hadn't known that joy when we had more to give. Giving became more joyful than keeping it all ourselves.

I'm not confessing this to pat myself on the back but rather to share what I know about how God provides when we obey his commands. I am truly ashamed it took so long to figure it all out and to make the leap to tithe. I recall a sermon in years gone by when the pastor said “some people spend more money on Christmas gifts than they put in the offering plate all year!” I thought “Good grief! That's us!” Humiliating to think on that now. The Scriptures are full of God's promises of blessings if we tithe and God does keep his promises. This is not just Old Testament prophet stuff. The New Testament is built on this foundation. God does not change.

We talk about money daily. Nobody has enough. We all want more. Our income is ours, right? We own our house, our car, and all else we have. In actuality, the

bank owns our house and cars and what we put on our credit cards. We have to pay them. We have to pay our taxes to the government. Those are honorable debts and must be paid. Others have the right to some of what is ours. What about God? *All* of it is his. We are temporary custodians. He is our landlord. He tells us: **“Indeed, the whole earth is mine.” (Exodus 19:5) “For the earth and its fullness are the Lord's” (I Corinthians 9:20) “Give to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's.” (Mark 12:17)**

I don't know how exactly they know this stuff but it is stated that less than 20% of church-goers are tithers. I'm sure more than 20% of us tip waiters, hairdressers, cab drivers, etc. and the recommended rate is 15-20%. How much should we “tip” our God? Our giving shows the level of our commitment and faithfulness to God's work on earth. Obeying his commands offers blessings (Matthew 6:33). Jesus talked more about money and possessions than about any other single topic except the Kingdom of God. It must have been important to him that we understand it.

I was a member of the finance committee for several years here at NBUMC. I can assure you that the folks managing the money show wonderful stewardship. There are no wasted dollars. It is our duty to provide the funds to keep the church moving forward. We have a vision for NBUMC in place and with faithful giving we can move it forward big time. It's not about fund raising, it's about funding ministry. We have to pay our bills so we can do ministry. It's up to us to give generously and cheerfully. God loves a cheerful giver. Let's praise God with our giving. What a celebration we can have when we meet our obligations, finish off the building, retire the debt, and spread the Gospel doing ministry.

“Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, so that there may be food in my house, and thus put me to the test, says the Lord of hosts; see if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you an overflowing

“The Pile Up”

By Pam Nyquist

Have you ever had a day, week, month, or year that it felt like everything was piled on you all at once? Sometimes it seems we just get hit with too much. Where do you go?

Since we have just gone through this season of lent and Easter, all we need to do is look at what Jesus went through to know who and where to go when things pile up. Jesus had everything piled on at once.

-Friends asleep as He was in agony at Gethsemane.

-Judas betrays Him. Ever have a friend, loved one, or someone you trust betray you? Think of how long it took to overcome your emotions. Jesus has been there.

-He is arrested and the rest of the disciples flee. Ever had all your friends & family desert you in your hour of need? Jesus has! He's been there.

-He was put in an unfair trial. Ever had unfair circumstances? Maybe you were overlooked for a promotion or overlooked for what you have done and the glory has gone to someone else? Jesus has been there.

-At the trial, Jesus was lied about. Ever been lied or gossiped about? Jesus has been there.

-He was flogged.

-He was put to death.

Jesus had all of that piled on Him in a very short time. There is no circumstance that you can go through that Jesus has not experienced. When I was pregnant with Joe, my second born, I was at a Bible Study led by our Pastor. He commented that Jesus has been through everything we have. I piped up (thinking I was unique and smart), “He hasn't been through childbirth.” The Pastor quietly replied, “He has, to birth a soul.”

My imagination can go in so many directions from that. Just think of Jesus telling the Father, Holy Spirit, Angels, “Yes, the labor pains for that one lasted 17 years.” And as a woman, length of labor is always a story. Jesus understands even that part of our life.

Knowing Jesus had a pile dumped on Him, let's remember to bring EVERY thing to Him in prayer. After all He's been there. He wants to hear from us, help us, and love us.

“So then, since we have a great High Priest who has entered heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to what we believe. This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testings we do, yet he did not sin. So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most.” Hebrews 4:14 – 16 NLT

Youth

www.nbumcyouth.blogspot.com

Joe Nyquist, Youth & Young Adult Minister

YOUTH CHURCH 3.0

The month of May means a lot of different things. The baseball season is in full swing, flowers are blooming, school is almost finished for the year, and our Youth Ministry calendar is winding down. We are finishing the year with a message series called "STOP." The goal of this message series is to help us all stop doing things that put barriers up in our relationship with God. We will be talking about what we need to stop and also what we need to start. This is going to be a great spring board into an amazing summer.



Our summer calendar will be released next month!



"Like" us on facebook! facebook.com/NBUMCYouth You'll find updates on what's happening, photos, and an online community for students in our youth ministry!

From the Heart

One of the best questions I was asked in college was when a professor asked my class, "Are you living to please God or to enjoy God?" This question has been rolling around in my head lately. I could write books on this question, but the answer is simple. God's love for us is complete and cannot be impacted by what we do. Our job is to enjoy God's love.



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CHILDREN'S ED

NURSERY

Sundays: 9:30 & 11am services

Wednesdays: 6:30p to 8:00p

Nursery is a weekly opportunity for children ages 0 thru 3 (*4 if not potty trained*) to be cared for while parents participate in weekly services, and classes.

- **Nursery Coordinator:** Bobbie Bazey
320-358-3299

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- **Coordinator:** Sarah Scarborough
651-674-7905

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

- **Coordinator:** _____

SUNDAY SCHOOL*

9:30 am every Sunday (*Sept-May*)

- **Coordinator:** Amy Sevigny
952-657-6833

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM

Wednesday night children's programming 6:30 pm for pre-k thru 5th grade. Nursery Provided: 6:30-8p (*Sept thru May*)

- **Coordinator:** Anne Ward
651-674-4949

SUMMER CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children's ministries is looking forward to providing "Children's Church" again this summer. The first Sunday for this would be June 10th and the last Sunday would be August 26th for a total of 12 Sundays. This would be for children ages pre-school - children going into 5th grade, (current 4th graders). There are already plans for a continuing program for 6th graders and up this summer also.



Childrens Church

We need two teachers per Sunday. Last year we had a few husbands and wives that helped out as well as others. The children stayed upstairs for the worship music and were dismissed to come downstairs before the offering. It would be great to be able to divide the kids into 2 groups (preschool-1st) & (2nd - 5th). Last year we didn't have a huge crowd of kids so we kept them all together. Regardless, it is best to have 2 people per Sunday.

There will be a sign-up sheet at the Info Center starting Sunday April 29th. Unfortunately, if we don't get the dates filled by the end of May, we will be unable to go forward with

this. We are trying to give our regular Sunday School teachers a break for the summer, as they work so hard providing and preparing wonderful lessons for the children for the other nine months of the year.

The lessons will be provided for you. There will be some preparation time at home and you may often need to gather supplies for a craft. If you can't find the materials you need at church, let me know and I will see that you get them.

Thank you so much for giving this prayerful consideration, Amy Sevigny
(*children's Sunday School Coordinator*)

ADULT ED

• ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

When: Sun., 9:30 am (*Sept-May*)

Where: Fireside Room

Facilitator: Dan Johnson

• ALPHA CLASS

Contact Pastor Phil for more information @ 651-674-4090

• NEW MEMBER CLASS

Contact Pastor Phil for more information @ 651-674-4090

MEN'S MINISTRY

wednesdays, 6 am

- **DENNY'S** (*breakfast*)
fridays, 8:30 am

- **OAK INN** (*breakfast*)
saturdays, 6:30 am

- **CHURCH** (*breakfast, downstairs*)
Book-Study: "How to Better Understand The Bible" Please use the alley door

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

mondays, 6-8p

- **New study starting in June!**

Contact Cathy Carchedi at 651-248-6897

thursdays, 10a - noon

- **Thursday Morning Study** - ending May 17th for the summer Contact: Jackie Larson 651-237-0115

family

May Birthdays

- 2. Jeremy Tidd
- 5. Emily Johnson, Lisa Oknich,
Beryl Semler
- 6. Peter Beckman
Lonny Ellingworth
- 8. Nadine Brooker
- 11. Noah Scarborough
- 12. Dan Berkman, Adam Tampe
- 16. Wally Heidelberger, Drew Stein
- 18. Brenda Stomberg, Mary Tidd
- 19. Elaine Schmidt, Grace
Lundgren, Carole Fry
- 21. Tami Grams
- 25. Don Erickson, James Tidd
- 27. Carol Peterson, Jami Tidd
- 29. John R. Olson, Sarah Scarborough
Sarah Byrne, Emily Byrne
- 30. Leon Johnson
Pat Nelson
- 31. Emily Ceroll

May Anniversaries

- 2 Randy & Dana Coe
- 4 Gary & Ellen Johnson
- 24 Jeff & Kris Greene

June Birthdays

- 3. Don Christy
- 7. Kelsey Coleman
- 9. Joe Carchedi
- 10. Lance Johnson
- 13. Steve Driscoll
- 14. Joel Johnson
- 15. Debra Cottrell
- 17. Jennie Still
- 18. Natali Steffenson, Clyde Ceroll
- 20. Gretel Trampe
Megen Johnson
Caleb Johnson
Abby Schmidt
- 21. Brandon & Christopher Tollberg
Akasha Lundgren
- 24. Cheri Lehman
- 26. Cindy Johnson
- 27. Jerda Klund, Patti Peterson

June Anniversaries

- 3 Dave & Pam Nyquist
- 4 James & Susan Swanson
- 10 Ralph & Nancy Ellefson, Bob & Mavis
Nelson, Ken & Gerianne Johnson
- 12 Mike & Christy Fluegel
- 20 Bob & Julianne Olsen
- 22 John & Jewel Peterson
- 23 Ron & Mary Johnson
- 24 Charles & Janet Anderson

If you don't have your birthday or anniversary listed Please.... Let the church office know so we can correct this... via email, phone call or one of the welcome cards on Sunday

shut-ins

Our elders can't get out and about like they used to. They sure would like to hear from you. A card or better yet, a visit!



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North Branch, MN 55056

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North Branch, MN 55056

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The Villages (Wild River)
5379 – 383rd Street - #192
North Branch, MN 55056

Harold Nelson 651-674-4532
6246 – 375th Street North
Branch, MN 55056

Lorraine Olson 651-277-3929
The Villages (Asst Living)
5379 – 383rd Street - #209
North Branch, MN 55056

Kathy Schmaltz 651-674-4638
The Villages (Sommer Haus)
5379 – 383rd Street - #304
North Branch, MN 55056

If you know of others and their location, please contact the church office to share that information.

Memorial Day reflection

We who are left, how shall we look again
Happily on the sun or feel the rain
Without remembering how they who
went

Ungrudgingly and spent
Their lives for us loved, too, the sun and
rain?

~Wilfred Wilson Gibson

The Ascension challenge

Ever wonder what it might have been like to be a disciple when Jesus ascended into heaven? He gave them the monumental task of making disciples of all the world. Plus, they'd have to do it without relying on Jesus' physical presence, as they had until then. Were the disciples overwhelmed, uncertain, afraid?

Maybe, yet they went on to spread the gospel throughout the world nonetheless. They rose to the challenge because they fixed their gaze above as they watched Jesus disappear into the clouds.

When we follow that example, offering ourselves as willing servants and keeping our eyes trained on Jesus instead of our circumstances, there's no limit to what God can accomplish through us.

Thanks, Mom

Dad came home to find toys all over the living room, dirty dishes stacked in the sink, clothes piled in the laundry room, beds unmade and kids still in their pajamas. The house was a wreck, like nothing he'd seen before.

Worried, Dad rushed upstairs to find Mom reading a book in bed.

"Are you okay?" he asked. "What happened?"

"You know how you always ask what I do all day?" Mom replied. "Well, today I decided not to do it."

Prayer lays hold of God's plan and becomes the link between his will and its accomplishment on earth. Amazing things happen, and we are given the privilege of being the channels of the Holy Spirit's prayer. ~Elisabeth Elliot



may 2012

PLEASE NOTE:

This is not a complete listing of outside groups that use our church building during the month. You must ALWAYS check with the office for your needs.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 6p Choir Practice 6:30p Praise Team Practice 	2 6a Men's Group - Denny's 5-7p Dinner at the Driscoll's 6:30p Kids Club 6:30 Youth	3 10a Women's Bible Study 7p AA & Al-Anon  NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER	4 8:30a Men's Group - Oak Inn 10a AA	5 6:30a Men's Breakfast
6 Worship 8, 9:30, 11 am 9:30a Sunday School	7 7p TOPS 7:30p AA	8 6p Choir Practice 6:30p Praise Team Practice	9 6a Men's Group - Denny's 5-7p Dinner at the Driscoll's 6:30p Kids Club 6:30 Youth	10 10a Women's Bible Study 3p RSVP for Craft Day 7p FINANCE 7p AA & Al-Anon	11 8:30a Men's Group - Oak Inn 10a AA	12 6:30a Men's Breakfast 9a-9p CraZy Craft Day 9a-2p Women's Ministry Plant & Bake Sale 
13 Worship 8, 9:30, 11 am 9:30a Sunday School 	14 7p Stephen Ministry 7p TOPS 7:30p AA	15 6p Choir Practice 6p Women's Ministry Meeting 6:30p Praise Team Practice	16 6a Men's Group - Denny's 5-7p Dinner at the Driscoll's 6:30p Kids Club 6:30 Youth	17 10a Women's Bible Study 7p SPRC 7p AA & Al-Anon	18 8:30a Men's Group - Oak Inn 10a AA 3p June Newsletter Deadline	19 6:30a Men's Breakfast
20 Worship 8, 9:30, 11 am 9:30a LAST Sunday School 9:30a Teacher Recognition.	21 6p Trustees 7p TOPS 7:30p AA	22 6p Choir Practice 7p Ad Council 6:30p Praise Team Practice	23 6a Men's Group - Denny's 5-7p Dinner at the Driscoll's 6:30p Kids Club 6:30 Youth	24 7p AA & Al-Anon	25 8:30a Men's Group - Oak Inn 10a AA	26 6:30a Men's Breakfast
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Worship, Spiritual growth, Service

Family Pathways Food Pantry

NBUMC Connection: Jeff Greene
651-674-7134

Summer Critical Food items:

juice boxes, Spaghetti's, Ravioli, peanut butter/jelly, macaroni and cheese, individual serving cereals, canned fruit, individually wrapped peanut butter/cheese filled cracker snacks.



Summer Lunch Program is ramping up!

Summer will be here before you know it. For most kids it's a time to look forward to. But for others, summer means a season of missed meals and hunger. These are kids that normally receive free or reduced cost breakfast and/or lunch during the school year. But once the school year ends, so do the meals.

So once again the North Branch Food Pantry is sponsoring **The Summer Lunch Program**. This program is designed to help replace the meals the kids would have received at school. These meals are in addition to the Food Pantry client monthly food pantry usage. Here is where you come in.

Consider bringing any of the following items to church with you on Sunday and the NBFP will provide summer lunch bags that contain approximately 10 meals for each child. The summer lunch bags will be distributed at the time of the usual client visits.

Here's what we need:

Juice boxes, Spaghetti's, Ravioli, peanut butter/jelly, mac and cheese, individual serving cereals, canned fruit, individually wrapped peanut butter/cheese filled cracker snacks.

These will be needed throughout the summer so bring any one or more of these items each week through August. Thank you for all you do as a Church for those in need in our community. You're an awesome Church...and don't you forget it!

"AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME, I AM SENDING YOU!"

JOHN 20:21, NIV

"Cleaning House" Stewardship Nuggets For Families

By Janet Zimmerman

"Then Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who were selling and buying in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who sold doves. He said to them, It is written,

'My house shall be called a house of prayer'; but you are making it a den of robbers"

— Matthew 21:12-13, NRSV

"Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you?"

— I Corinthians 3:16, NRSV

Ask the children to name chores that their parents expect them to do at home to help keep the house clean and well-organized. Ask them to consider what would happen if no one cleaned the house, washed the laundry, bought the groceries, or completed home repairs. The children will agree that things would be a mess! Point out that ignoring household projects will cause problems, just like ignoring a family pet or people

will result in many problems.

Just before his crucifixion, Jesus visited the Temple in Jerusalem and found that it was not being cared for appropriately. In those days, people had to bring animals to the Temple as sacrifices for their sins. Merchants set up booths near the Temple and sold animals as a convenience to people, especially those individuals who were traveling a considerable distance. However, while these booths began as a good service to people, they became a money-scheming business. The merchants took advantage of people who bought the animals by charging them more than the animals were worth. Jesus called the merchants "robbers," and he "cleaned house" by turning over the tables!

In I Corinthians, we are reminded that our bodies are God's temples. Encourage the children to examine their own lives to see if they need to "clean house" as a way to honor God. Are they engaging in activities

that are not pleasing to God? Are they praying and reading the Bible regularly? Are they obedient to their parents? Are they eating healthy food and exercising properly? Are they treating others with kindness and respect?

We honor God and express our love for God when we live our lives in ways that are pleasing to God. We need to clean the clutter out of our hearts so that we can be fitting temples for God's Spirit. Encourage the children to choose one area of their life that they would like to "clean." Share with the children something in your life that needs "cleaning." Then invite the children to share their decisions with you. Covenant to pray for one another.

Prayer

Dear God, help us to live our lives in ways that honor you. We ask for your help in "cleaning" our lives. Thank you for your great love and for never giving up on us! In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen



Jesus — the original child advocate

Register Now for Camp Minnesota Summer camps!

As you plan your family's summer calendar, be sure to include camp on the schedule. Camps are available for all ages. There are day camp opportunities at all our camps, 2 or 3 day overnight camps for younger campers and weeklong camps for youth and adults. And camp is not just for kids, there are camps for adults only, family camps, and even grandparent/grandchild camps. There are experiences for all! From tents to hotel-style camping, check out www.campminnesota.org for all the options. Camperships are available for all the Camp Minnesota camps. Call 612-230-CAMP for more information.

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for the KIDS and kids at heart!

What does God mean when he commands us to honor our fathers and mothers (Exodus 20:12)?

Complete this word search to discover words that mean the same as *honor*.

admire • adore • appreciate • cherish • esteem
look up to • praise • respect • revere • value

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Bible Quiz



Which of the following is an accurate mother-child match from Scripture?

- A. Lois and Eunice
- B. Rebekah and Joseph
- C. Eve and Isaac
- D. Hannah and Eli

Answer: A (See 2 Timothy 1:5)

We welcome you to worship with us.

SUNDAY MORNING

- 8:00a Classic Service
- 9:30a Modern Service
- 9:30a Sunday School for all ages (September thru May)
- 11:00a Modern Service

WEDNESDAY EVENING (September thru May)

- 6:00p Youth Great Hall Games
- 6:30p Children's program (September thru May) | Youth Celebration
- 7:00p Confirmation (grades 6-8) | Roots Bible Study (grades 9-12)
(September thru May)

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Sept. 5 - May 31st	June 1st—Sept 5
Monday thru Friday	Monday thru Friday
8:00 am to 4:00 pm	7:00 am to 3:00 pm



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