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Welcome to The Log Church Sunday - March 23rd!

Fish Stories



#### THE SURROUNDINGS OF HUMILITY Jonah 2

What would you do if you were in the belly of a fish for 3 days? Scream? Try to fight your way out? Pray? Join us Sunday to see what Jonah did.

## PLEASE NOTE Wed., March 26th (Spring Break)

There will be no meal or children/youth programs.

# Anchor Youth Ministries Online Auction Fundraiser

Money goes to fund the Summer 2025 Disaster Relief Trip to Moore, Oklahoma AUCTION STARTS: Sunday, March 16 at Noon AUCTION ENDS: Sunday, March 23 at Noon

32auctions.com/anchorauction2025

### CHOIR REHEARSAL Join the choir...It's not too late!

We rehearse Sundays, after worship, in the Scantuary.

We will be singing on April 27th.

All who love to sing are invited.

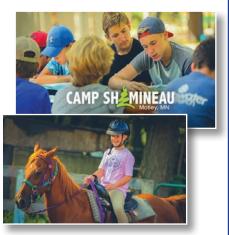


# THE LOG CHURCH IS GOING TO Camp Shamineau July 20-25!

- Trailblazer (Gr. 3-6) ..... \$545
- Voyager (Gr. 6-9) ..... \$545
- Ranch Hand Horse Camp (Gr. 6-9) ...... \$750
- Junior High Island (Gr. 6-9)......\$475
- 5-Night Tenderfoot (Gr. 1-3) ...... \$545
- Rock Ridge Trekkers (Gr.4-6) ...... \$395

**Early Bird Registration:** Pay in full by Aprl 1st and receive a \$20 discount.

Campers register according to the grade they are in for the 2024-25 school year.



REGISTER ONLINE AT: www.shamineau.org

# **DEVOTION - Are You Disconnected from God?**

submitted by: Savanah Gammon

Have you ever watched the light in someone's eyes die? The joy that God placed there seems to dim. Their excitement of life and serving God becomes a distant person that seeps with feelings that make you extremely uneasy. Has it been you? Have you gone from being joyful and content and connected with God to a depressed, desperate, wounded, angry, and hard on yourself and others person?

Deuteronomy 31:8. God seems to be distant despite reminding yourself that God promises never to leave you nor forsake you. "Do not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord will personally go ahead of you. He will be with you; He will neither fail you nor abandon you.

2 Corinthians 3:17 NLT. Emptiness isn't uncommon in today's world. But is God's plan to rob you of joy? NO! God gave you His spirit, one of peace and freedom. "For the Lord is the Spirit, and wherever the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom."

1 Thessalonians 5:11 NLT. But right now, you don't feel peace or freedom. In fact, you may be angry, discouraged, lost, lonely, and trapped. But I promise you if you trust God, ask the right questions to the right people on how to deal with the disconnection you feel with God, time has proven God will show up on the scene for you! But what about the brothers and sisters in Christ? What should we do for them? "So, encourage each other and build each other up, just as you are already doing."

We need to do these things! Because this is a whole world. some who know Jesus and some do not, that are hurting, bleeding out. But here's the thing, it starts with the next person you see. That one person that is hurting because you did or said or didn't say or do. They came to you and trusted you. Or they just needed a ear or a heart or a hand or a prayer or love or acceptance or validation or be told about the awesome love of God or whatever it may be. They laid their heart out. What are you going to do? What would Jesus do or would want you to do?

Experienced EPIC People in Christ

- Fri., April 4th 5:30 PM BUNCO NIGHT • Fellowship Hall Bring non-perishable food items for the food shelf. (April 6 is food shelf Sunday.) When you signup, please let us know if you will bring an appetizer or dessert item to share.
- Sat., April 26th · All Day 2025 Senior EXPO - TLC We will be assisting with parking. We're looking for 4 or 5 people to help between 7:15 and 11:00 AM. Contact Paul, 612-868-5289, of you can assist. We'll also be hosting a TLC table, featuring EPIC and other outreach ministries. Contact Ann, 612-220-7257, if you want to include info. on your ministry at the table and/or if you can assist with hosting the table on Saturday morning.

#### + THIS COMING WEEK +

SUNDAY - MARCH 23RD	
9:00 AM	Pre-service Prayer
9:30 AM	Worship Service
10:45 AM	Choir Practice
10:45 AM	MNTC Tea Planning
MONDAY	MARCH 24TH
6:00 PM	Mon. Night Encounter
TUESDAY	- MARCH 25TH
6:30 AM	Men's Bkfst Bible Stud
9:30 AM	Bone Builders
9:30 AM	Women's Bible Study
10:30 AM	Women's Bible Study
7:00 PM	AA Group
WEDNES	DAY - MARCH 26TH
— Sprir	ng Break Week —
9:30 AM	Sewcial Squares

**THURSDAY - MARCH 27TH** 6:00 PM Men & Women BSF

# SATURDAY - MARCH 29TH

7:00 AM Men Prayer & Pickleball



#### PIZZA WITH THE PASTOR **SUNDAY, APRIL 13TH** following worship service

Pastor Troy will be hosting a meal for approx. 12 people in the Fellowship Hall every 6-7 weeks. This is for people interested in getting to know more about the church and it's ministries.

If you are new to The Log Church, this is a great time to get plugged in.

Due to the 12 person limit you must RSVP to jaqlyn@ crosslakeefc.org or call the church office at 218-692-4141.