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Colossians 3:23

Work willingly at whatever you do, as though you were working for the Lord rather than for people.

FALL 2025

2000–2025, 25 years at LLBC

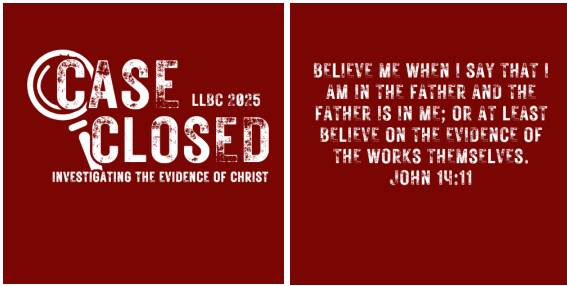
It is hard to believe that we are completing our 25th year at Lake Lundgren in just a few weeks. When Doug was hired in 2000 he came on as the Project Specialist who was in charge of new building projects. He worked in that role for roughly 15 years. About 10 years ago he stepped into the Maintenance Director role when the previous one left for a different job. Over the last couple years there has been questions of how long Doug would continue working, who would take over the department leadership when he stepped away, and what would he do when that day finally came??

At the beginning of this year we had decided that Doug would work until 67, (he just turned 64). Last fall camp hired an architect firm from Colorado to help develop a master plan. At that time he was already working with county and state officials for permits and building plans, architects planning for the new cabins, and monitoring the septic system, so it was a natural transition for him moving into his new position as FACILITIES DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR. In the beginning of June it was decided that he would transition to his new role by the end of the summer camp season. Over the last several weeks he has been working on mapping camp info, drawings/plans for some temporary housing, and preparing for several meetings. The maintenance department will be co-led by Marcus and Dan. The transition has been one with mixed feelings. He has spent 25 years in the maintenance department, training, planning, building, and working with hundreds of volunteers. It is hard to step away from something that was for so many years his dream job. Working with his hands, his mind, and serving our guests at camp. He is looking forward to the challenge of working with staff, architects and engineers to bring together ideas and information needed to fill in details on the master plan.



This spring Tamarack cabin was taken down. There will be an information kiosk in that area when it is completed. There was also some upgrades to our camp roads to improve drainage and ease in walking. A canopy was built on lower camp in our picnic area to have a covering over the grill and fire pit area for our summer picnics. The new cabins were able to be used for summer campers, but there are still a few details to finish before they are completely done.

A note from Lisa:



Whew! Another 9 weeks of summer camps in the books. We had a total of 1718 campers this year! 137 of those attended one of our discipleship camps and another 39 went on an adventure trip. We still had over 150 on waitlists for various weeks. I had an AMAZING group of ladies who came each week to help with registration. We have become quite a team over the years. I have a very special place in my heart for each and every one of them.

My job is a year round job, with my busiest time being the summer months. So here's what's next for me... In the next few weeks I will get our 2026 Retreat season programmed and ready to go live. I am going to attend our Fall Crafters retreats with friends, program the Summer 2026 camps (which open in January), and before you know it Winterfest (jr/sr high retreat) happens between Christmas and New Years.

In addition to my registrar role I also process the support that comes in for our staff. By staff salaries coming from donations instead of camper fees, we are able to offer camps at lower costs, so families of varying incomes can come to LLBC to experience the Gospel!



Here is our family when we arrived at LLBC. Amanda was 8 1/2 and Jacob was almost 10. Still one of my FAVORITE family pictures!

Prayer Requests & Praise Reports

- This spring we shared that we had lost \$700.00 in monthly support. We are fully trusting God for his provision to meet our needs. Over the summer months we have received about \$325.00 in new monthly support. We are going to trust him for an additional \$350-400.00. What does that look like? It can be 4—\$100.00, 8—\$50.00, or even 16—\$25.00 monthly donations. Ultimately we are thankful for however He provides the funds. If you would like to be a part of our work at camp, you can give 2 different ways.

You can give online <https://llbc.org/staff/doug-lisa-browning/> click the blue box that says DONATE TO DOUG AND LISA BROWNING. We accept credit cards or you can set up your donation from your bank account. If you prefer you can mail a check to camp. You will receive a tax deductible receipt no matter which way you chose to support us.

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- Pray for us as we navigate through the recent position changes at camp. That we can spend these next 3 years leaving a legacy to be proud of.
- Lisa's mom is doing really well after a rough last year. Thank you to many who still ask about her and her health. She is thankful to so many who prayed for her through her different situations.
- Thank you for your friendships, prayers, and faithful financial support over the last 25 years! We did not know in 2000 what full time ministry looked like or that we would still be doing it all these years later. We just trusted a very loving and gracious God!



25 years later!

Thank you for being a blessing to us!

Love, Doug and Lisa