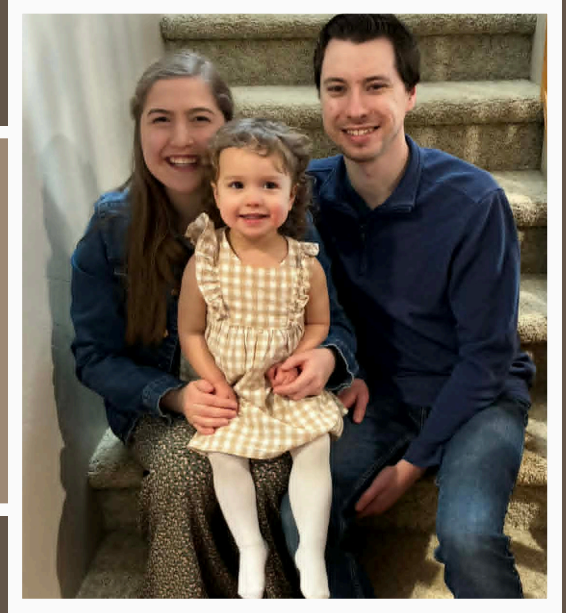


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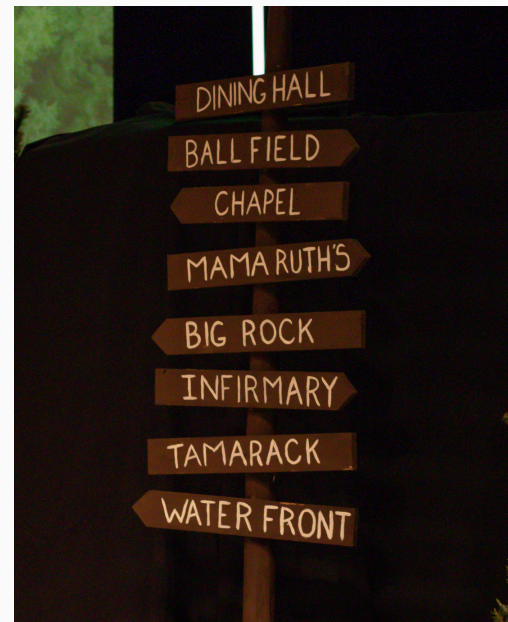
The newsletter of Josh, Natalie & Emersyn Grandaw as we serve at Lake Lundgren Bible Camp.



Camp Update

We had a great winter season at LLBC! We had lots of snow & cold temperatures in comparison to previous years, so that meant we were able to do a lot of our winter activities for a majority of our winter season. We hosted nearly 1500 campers, from family camp, couples retreat, men & women's retreats, our youth Winterfest camp, and a variety of guest groups. We also hosted a 90th year celebration at Spring Lake Church in Green Bay where we praised God for the 90 years of ministry that He has provided for LLBC! Over 400 people attended from all over- celebrating and sharing so many stories and memories. It was such an awesome event to be apart of! Regarding kitchen operations, it was a successful winter. We served lots of meals without running into any major issues. Clay, our kitchen intern, has continued spending more time in the kitchen and growing more comfortable in his role, and he has been doing an excellent job. It's been really encouraging to see the growth and desire to learn. We had many volunteers come through this winter to make what happened possible. We are so grateful for each and every one of them and thankful that we can connect and do ministry with them. I also had the opportunity to attend a conference in New Orleans and meet lots of people from other camps, attend sessions & seminars, and be encouraged by the work God is doing around the country through Christian camping, while also getting to explore a very unique city.

Looking forward, we have a couple weekend groups this spring, but the majority of time will be spent preparing for the summer. There will be a lot of meal planning, inventory, cleaning, and restocking of things to accomplish prior to summer starting. Once summer arrives, we get to joyfully serve a full summer of nearly 1800 kids!



This is the day that the LORD
has made; let us rejoice and
be glad in it.
Psalm 118:24

Family Update

It's been an eventful winter for our family, and we have some exciting news to share: we're expecting! We'll be welcoming another baby girl around Labor Day. We are so happy to grow our family, and Emersyn is already looking forward to becoming a big sister. We've continued to look for a home for our family, but unfortunately the housing market hasn't been ideal in Pembine lately. Emmy has gotten so big so fast over the past couple of months. She turned 2 in March and has been learning so much, which has been so much fun to watch as parents. She also started doing swim lessons once a week and she has been loving that a lot. Josh coached middle school girls basketball again this fall and had a great season with the girls. There was a lot of improvement throughout the season and it was fun to be a part of, but we've decided that this will be the last season coaching for now due to changes at home and work. Looking ahead, we are going on a vacation at the end of April to Florida for our 5 year anniversary and Emmy will be having a staycation here with Grandma. We're excited to get away and enjoy some time together before the summer starts and the baby comes in the fall.



Praises & Prayer Requests

- Praise that we are expecting our second child this fall! Prayer for healthy pregnancy.
- Prayer as we continue searching for a future home for our family.
- Prayer for preparations for camp as summer begins to approach.
- Praise for the past 90 years of God-honoring ministry. Prayer for the future of camp as we discuss the best ways to get more kids to camp to hear the Gospel.
- Prayer for a safe & fun vacation.
- Prayer for us as we experience the growing joys and hardships of parenthood

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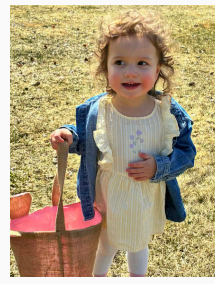
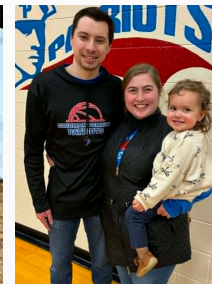
We are thankful to share that we met- and exceeded- our financial goal this past year! We are truly grateful for God's provision for us through so many of you that have supported us this past year! As we look toward 2026, we've decided to increase our annual goal by \$6,000. This adjustment helps us account for rising costs, our ongoing search for a home, and the exciting addition of a new baby to our family.

If you feel led to support our ministry financially and join our team, you may do so via staff profile page (<https://llbc.org/staff/josh-natalie-grandaw/>) or by mail to camp's address below.

Most importantly, we ask for your continued prayers-for the ministry here at camp, our devotion to spreading God's Word, and the specific requests we've shared. Please feel free to reach out anytime; we would love to connect and pray with you.

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Love,
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