

# Orphan Grain Train Convention 2009

Theme: “The Chariot of the Lord” *Ezekiel 1:15-19, 28*

## Schedule

### Friday evening, September 18

- 3:30 to 5:30 P.M.** Registration at Lutheran High School Northeast, and Self-guided walking tours of a model “Volunteer Village” as used on the U.S. Gulf Coast and Greensburg, Kansas (*Lutheran High School parking lot*)
- 5:30 P.M.** Evening meal prepared by “God’s Gumbo Gang” (*with music by Norfolk’s “Golden Combo”*). Free will offering for Orphan Grain Train shipping.
- 6:30 P.M.** Gary Thies, Mission Developer, Nebraska District and Iowa District West Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) will introduce Rev. Matt Heise, LCMS Missionary to Eastern Europe and Central Asia
- 7:15 P.M.** Rev. David Buss, President, Recovery Assistance (RAI) Ministries, New Orleans, Louisiana Where the Katrina Recovery effort continues.

### Saturday, September 19 (*Registration continues*)

- 8:00 A.M.** Continental breakfast
- 9:05 A.M.** Opening devotions, Rev. Ray S. Wilke, President, Orphan Grain Train
- 9:45 A.M.** Welcome from Mr. Paul Leckband, Executive Director, Lutheran High School N.E.
- 9:50 A.M.** Presentation by Mr. Matthew Schultz, Gloria Dei Lutheran and CORE Alliance recognizing Orphan Grain Train’s assistance in Texas after Hurricane Ike
- 9:55 A.M.** Break
- 10:15 A.M.** Quilt Auction (*Quilt donated by Grace Lutheran Quilters, Grace Lutheran Church, Norfolk*)
- 10:20 A.M.** Mr. Matt Deighton, volunteer coordinator, South Central Kansas Tornado Recovery Association—The Greensburg tornado story
- 11:15 A.M.** Sectional Breakout (*details on page two*)
- 12:10 P.M.** Lunch
- 1:00 P.M.** Sectional Breakout
- 1:50 P.M.** Sectional Breakout
- 2:35 P.M.** Break
- 2:50 P.M.** Second Quilt Auction
- 2:55 P.M.** Rev. Bob and Mrs. Sue Pfeil, LCMS missionaries to Kyrgyzstan, Central Asia. “The work in Kyrgyzstan and how we can help.”
- 3:40 P.M.** Rev. John Reehl with Dr. Vladimir and Mrs. Alla Golub of Saint Petersburg, Russia: Orphanage, prison, and hospital project updates.
- 5:00 P.M.** Rev. Ray S. Wilke, Closing devotions
- 5:45 P.M.** Banquet with entertainment by humorist Joan Burney