

ANNOUNCEMENTS – FEBRUARY 17, 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: 1:00PM Ladies Mission Project
No Chime Choir Today
Wednesday: 5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation
7:30PM Choir
Friday: 10:00AM KWNG Recording Session
10:30AM St. Crispin's Chapel
Saturday: 9AM-5PM Hay Creek Crafters
9:00AM Projects with Pam
10:00AM Funeral Visitation for David Sucher
11:00AM Funeral Service for David Sucher
12:00PM Funeral Luncheon
Next Sunday: The Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship with Installation of Church Officers

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Ethan Ballman
Monday - Brad Diercks, Anneliese von Knobelsdorff
Tuesday - Avis Sucher, Jay & Traci Turner
Wednesday - Clara Rortvedt, Alan & Hannah Dicke
Friday - Derek Banitt, Dean Holden
Saturday - Carson Callstrom

IN OUR PRAYERS

Jeanette Falkner, Melissa Barbey, Pat Banitt, Bob Langhans, Walter Banitt, Phillip Sorenson, Roy & Jane Krueger, Dan Kerns (recovering from surgery) and the family and friends of David Sucher (mourning his passing).

PROJECTS WITH PAM

If you would like to come to this crafting group, please contact Pam Holst at 923-4190. The group will be meeting in the church basement this Saturday at 9:00 AM.

NEW MEMBERS

It is with great joy that we welcome into our fellowship John (Jack), Kim, and Heather Baune! Jack is a handyman and Kim is retired from the United States Postal Service (she used to deliver our church mail!). Heather is their adult daughter who works at Pro-Act. Jack's religious background is Catholic and Kim and Heather were both confirmed as Methodists. Pastor Sorenson has shared the distinctive teachings of our Lutheran faith with the Baune family and they have completed their membership information and commitment forms. We are so glad to have them in our church family!

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, February 24, 2019

6:05AM on WCCO-AM (830), Minneapolis

6:00PM on KDHL-AM (920), Faribault

"Not by Bread Alone"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

There is a spiritual hunger beyond food that is expressed in food. Jesus provides for both.
(John 6:1-29)

INSTALLATION OF CHURCH OFFICERS

All new and returning church officers are encouraged to participate in the installation rite that will be held next Sunday, February 24, during the worship service. If you know you cannot attend, please let Pastor Sorenson know. Thanks!

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Lord's Prayer

The Third Petition: "Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

How is God's will done in our lives?

God will is done when

- A) He breaks and hinders the plans of the devil, the world, and our sinful nature, which try to destroy our faith in Christ Jesus;
- B) He strengthens and keeps us firm in His Word and faith and helps us lead God-pleasing lives;
- C) He supports us in all our troubles until we die.

CHURCH HISTORY - GIVING IN THE FIRST DECADE OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY

1900 – The offering from the First Christmas Festival Day went to Inner Missions.

1901 – Our college in St. Paul was supported with flour that was voluntarily collected and given.

1901 – The Thanksgiving Day Festival offering was given to seminary student, Wilhelm Arndt.

(Pastor notes: This student is the most famous person in the history of Immanuel, Hay Creek. He was the son of long-time Hay Creek teacher, C. F. Arndt. William went on to become a celebrated professor of New Testament at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis. He also became internationally recognized; arguably the best Greek/English lexicon, of which he served as co-author, is still used in English-speaking seminaries and universities throughout the world!!)

1901 – Our college in St. Paul was again supported with flour.

1902 – The Thanksgiving Festival Offering was given to student Arndt who preached at Hay Creek in the summer.

1904 – The offering at the Lord's Supper was sent to the congregation in Moorhead, Minnesota, which was building a new church.

1904 – A special collection was taken to help the Winona congregation that had damage from an August storm.

1905 – The congregation voted to have an offering for the synodical buildings that are to be built.

1906 – The Thanksgiving offering went to the Synodical building treasury.