

ANNOUNCEMENTS – OCTOBER 21, 2018

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Tuesday: St. James, Brother of Jesus and Martyr: Acts 15:12-22a;
James 1:1-12; Matt. 13:54-58

Wednesday: 4:30PM 5th/6th Grade Confirmation
5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation
7:30PM Choir

Thursday: 7:00PM Women's Bible Class

Saturday: 9AM-5PM Hay Creek Crafters
3:00-7:00PM Mentorship Event: Pumpkin Carving and Bonfire

Next Sunday: Reformation Day (Observed)
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Marshall Kitzmann, Jady Stumpf

Monday - Paul & Lori Reding, Diane Holst

Tuesday - Alan Dicke, Kaden Dicke, Lori Reding

Thursday - Jamie Kohn

Saturday - Andrew Juergens

IN OUR PRAYERS

Jeanette Falkner, Melissa Barbey, Pat Banitt (struggling with Disembarkment Syndrome), Bob Langhans, Walter Banitt, and Paul Cordes (recovering from complications of West Nile Virus).

QUARTERLY VOTERS' MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the voters will be held on October 30th at 7:30 PM. Come to hear financial updates, receive information about the progress being made in paying for the new classrooms, some needed painting at the parsonage, and more! All confirmed adults (18+) are welcome to join the voters' assembly.

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, October 28, 2018

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

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

"Stranger Than Fiction"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

God is the Author Who becomes part of the story--our story. The Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler presents his first message as Lutheran Hour Speaker.

(Romans 3:19-28)

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Lord's Prayer

The Conclusion

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

What does this mean?

This means that I should be certain that these petitions are pleasing to our Father in heaven, and are heard by Him; for He Himself has commanded us to pray in this way and has promised to hear us. Amen, amen means "yes, yes, it shall be so."

CHURCH HISTORY

Regarding Thompson's Burial Place

Joseph Soule Reno Thompson was born in Plymouth, Massachusetts in 1823 or 1825. His wife, Melissa, was born in 1834 in New York. The 1878 History of Goodhue County states that they were married in Red Wing in 1854. It appears that after this they went to Illinois for the winter and returned to this area the following year. They began "opening" a farm at the site of a spring on Wells Creek in Belvidere Township. Claus Holst and several other German families were early settlers of the area also. The town of Belvidere was organized in 1858 and J.S. Thompson was appointed by the county board to be the tax collector of the town. Later he held other offices. J.S. Thompson and wife, Melissa, had four children. Ida was born in 1856 and died in 1858. Thereafter, Mr. Thompson donated land for a cemetery. The Thompson Cemetery is located in the area behind Peper's Tavern. But there's more...stay tuned...

LIFE QUOTE

October 21 "So, let us say yes to the opportunities before us that God has prepared for us to do! To say 'Here We Stand' ... in defense and protection of the precious and vulnerable human lives that are the handiwork of God from the moment of conception to natural death." *Lynette Auch, president of Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life* • www.lutheransforlife.org