

ANNOUNCEMENTS – November 13, 2016

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Later Today: Ronald McDonald House Mentorship Event
Monday: 1:00PM Ladies Mission Project
Tuesday: 7:00PM Board of Properties
Wednesday: 5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation
7:30PM Choir
Thursday: 7:00PM Women's Bible Class
Saturday: 9:00AM Goodhue County Christmas Project Sharing Day
Cancelled: Stampin' with the Spirit
Next Sunday: Last Sunday of the Church Year
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Today - Bobbi Langhans
Wednesday - Curt Augustin
Friday - Bob Augustin, Judy Kliewer
Saturday - Sue Dicke, Denise Holm

IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Bill Langhans, Melissa Barbey, Catherine Smith, Phillip Sorenson (dealing with chronic illness), Pat Banitt (struggling with Disembarkment Syndrome), Bob Langhans, Jack Vold (11 year-old being treated for leukemia), Ronald Johnson (diagnosed with leukemia).

2016 "KETCH-UP" CAMPAIGN

As of September, 2016, our home fund is currently running a deficit of \$25,000. We still have not caught up from the painting project in the summer of 2015. Don't worry! We've been in this spot before, but God is good and in thanksgiving for all his blessings we can "ketch-up." We will be having a special "Ketch-Up" (Catch-Up!) Campaign until the end of December, 2016. You will notice a poster in the narthex with a picture of a ketchup bottle. That bottle will be used to mark our progress in paying down the deficit. By December 31st, it would be great to see that bottle full! Please prayerfully consider what you can sacrificially give for the benefit of your congregation and its ministry in this place. As an additional part of this campaign, a blessing basket has been placed in the narthex under the poster. What special blessings are you celebrating this time of year? Take an envelope, record your blessing on the line, and put a special offering in the envelope and place it in the blessing basket. With all of us working together, we can "ketch-up" and begin January, 2017 with a positive balance.

STAMPIN' NEWS

Stampin' with the Spirit has been cancelled for the month of November.

LIFE QUOTE

November 13 "People do not like to face the fact that their soul will live on in eternity. We need time to be alone with God, to hear His Word, to read it every day, and to pray to Him. This is where we get food for our soul. We need to sit as a family and let God feed us with His Word, have our devotion, and pray together." *Rev. Homer Larsen, Christian Crusader radio program – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

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“THE LUTHERAN HOUR” – Sunday, November 20, 2016

8:30AM on KCUE-AM; 6:00PM on KDHL-Faribault (920)

“In Christ, Deliverance Is Sure”

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz

Jesus breaks through into our dark world to bring us light and hope from above.

(Colossians 1:13-20)

CATECHISM REVIEW

What are the Ten Commandments?

The Ten Commandments are the Law of God.

How did God give His Law?

When God created people, He wrote the Law on their hearts. Later He arranged the Law in Ten Commandments, wrote it on two tablets of stone, and made it known through Moses.

Note: There are three kinds of laws in the Old Testament: the moral law, which tells people their duty toward God and other people; the ceremonial law, which regulated the religious practices in the Old Testament; and the political law, which was the state law of the Israelites. Only the moral law was written into the human heart.

ADVENT MIDWEEK SERVICES

Advent midweek services will be held during the Wednesdays of Advent at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. The first service will be Wednesday, November 30th. Further details about the theme of these services will follow in next week's bulletin.