

ANNOUNCEMENTS – December 25, 2016

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday St. Stephen, Martyr: 2 Chron. 24:17-22; Acts 6:8-15; 7:54-60;
Matt. 23:34-39
Tuesday: St. John, Apostle and Evangelist: Hos. 11:1-4; 1 Jn. 1:1-10;
Jn. 21:20-24
Wednesday: Holy Innocents, Martyrs: Jer. 31:15-17; Rev. 14:1-5; Matt. 2:13-18
No Confirmation or Choir
Thursday: 11:00AM Seminary Home Chapel
Friday: 10:30AM KWNG Recording Session
Saturday: New Year's Eve
Isa. 30:8-17; Rom. 8:31-39; Lk. 12:35-40
No Stampin' This Month
Next Sunday: First Sunday after Christmas
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK

Monday - Mary Jo Arndt, Katelyn Ballman, Brandon Schmitz, Tristan Von Bargaen
Tuesday - Caitlyn Von Bargaen, Chad Meyer, Neil & Karen Stemmann
Wednesday - Bob Langhans

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 the end of November, the "Ketch-Up" Campaign has successfully reduced the debt from \$25,000 to -\$7,600. Make your final donations for 2016 this morning! The mission fund is also \$6,600 behind. Thanks so much for all your generosity and your commitment to reducing the debt and helping our congregation move forward in mission and ministry!

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Second Commandment

What is God's name?

God, as He has revealed Himself to us, His essence and His attributes.

What does God forbid in the Second Commandment?

In the Second Commandment God forbids us to misuse His name.

How is God's name misused?

God's name is misused when people

A. speak God's name uselessly or carelessly;

B. curse, swear, use satanic arts, lie, or deceive by His name.

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, January 1, 2017

6:05AM on WCCO-AM (830), Minneapolis or 6:00PM on KDHL-AM (920), Faribault

"Right on Time, Just When We Need His Grace"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz

It's the right time to repent, turn to God, ask for His help, and trust in the risen Savior, Jesus Christ. (Galatians 4:4-7)