

ANNOUNCEMENTS – JULY 28, 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: 8:00AM-4:00PM Joint VBS at St. Peter's
6:00PM VBS at St. John's, Red Wing
Tuesday: 8:00AM-4:00PM Joint VBS at St. Peter's
6:00PM VBS at St. John's, Red Wing
7:30PM Quarterly Voters' Meeting
7:30PM Adult Softball – AP
8:30PM Adult Softball – AP
Wed. 8:00AM-4:00PM Joint VBS at St. Peter's
6:00PM VBS at St. John's, Red Wing
Thursday: 8:00AM-4:00PM Joint VBS at St. Peter's
6:00PM VBS at St. John's, Red Wing
7:00PM Women's Bible Class
Friday: 8:00AM-11:00AM Joint VBS at St. Peter's
10:00AM KWNG Recording Session
11:00AM VBS Closing Program and Potluck, St. Peter's
Next Sunday: The Eighth Sunday After Pentecost
9:30AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Dorraine Banitt, Camden Meyer, Denise Simanski, Bob & Mary Augustin
Tuesday - Ben & Kristin Wernberg
Thursday - Virgil Dicke, Brian & Sarah McCarthy, Jeff & Sandra Kitzmann
Saturday - Tyson Augustin, Ruth Dankers, Gail Dicke, Wayne & Kathy Voth

IN OUR PRAYERS

Jeanette Falkner, Melissa Barbey, Pat Banitt, Bob Langhans, Phillip Sorenson, Roy & Jane Krueger and Dustin Stumpf (electrical shock at work and anoxia).

QUARTERLY VOTERS' MEETING

The Voters' Assembly will gather this Tuesday, July 30th, for the Quarterly Voters' Meeting. The meeting will begin at 7:30 PM. All voters and those adults who would like to join the Assembly are encouraged to attend. In addition to reports, replacement of certain doors will be discussed, in addition to the appointing of a picture preservation committee.

CONGRATULATIONS, PASTOR SORENSON!

Pastor Sorenson has been asked to teach a college course this fall for Concordia University, St. Paul. With the support of the board of elders, Pastor has agreed to this opportunity. The class is taught through Blackboard on the computer, so Pastor will be able to do it from Hay Creek. The course is THL 200, "Scripture and Its Interpretation."

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL TUITION SUPPORT

Applications have been placed in the narthex for church families who would like to send their children to either St. John's Lutheran School of Red Wing or St. John's Lutheran School of Goodhue. Applicants must meet eligibility requirements as outlined on the form. Moreover, applications need to be approved by the Board of Education before tuition will be disbursed.

FOOD FOR THE POOR SUNDAY

Please join us on August 11, 2019 to hear the Rev. John Welge speak at our 9:30 AM service about Food for the Poor, a ministry providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Pastor Welge will share personal witness about Food for the Poor's mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out Jesus' mandate to love one another. Pastor Welge was born

and raised in Illinois and served as an LCMS pastor for almost forty-three years. He graduated from Concordia Senior College in 1968 with a B.A. in music. In 1972, he earned the M.Div. degree from Concordia Seminary, Springfield. Pastor Welge is married to Susan and has two married children. He has led and participated in many mission trips within Central America. He is now retired and speaks on behalf of the poor. Please join us in welcoming Pastor Welge to Hay Creek. Note: After the service, Pastor Welge will show a video in the fellowship hall for those able to stay a few extra minutes.

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Sacraments

What is a Sacrament?

A sacrament is a sacred act

A) instituted by God,

B) in which God Himself has joined His Word of promise to a visible element,

C) and by which He offers, gives, and seals the forgiveness of sins earned by Christ.

Note: The word *sacrament* comes to us from the Latin Bible, where it translates the Greek word *mystery*. At first this word described all the saving truths of the faith, such as the Trinity, the incarnation, the redemption, the church (see for instance 1 Corinthians 4:1; Ephesians 5:32; and 1 Timothy 3:16). Later it was narrowed down to our present sense.

CHURCH HISTORY

Notes from Myron Alms: On May 4, 1941 electric lights were installed in the church for a cost of \$725.29. On July 4, 1943 the congregation established an organ fund to replace the old organ which was installed in 1902. It took until 1946 (war years) before the congregation purchased the new organ. On May 5, 1946 our current organ was installed and dedicated. The organ is a Wicks Organ. Victor Hardt was the guest organist for the dedication service.

“THE LUTHERAN HOUR” – Sunday, August 4, 2019

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

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

"Live Life, Traveling Well"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz

August Archives - God's Word guides us along life's journey, where Christ is the Way and heaven our destination. We revisit a classic message from former Speaker, Dr. Gregory Seltz.

(1 Peter 1:17-25)