

ANNOUNCEMENTS – NOVEMBER 16, 2014

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: 1:00PM Ladies Mission Project
Tuesday: 10AM-2:30PM Adjustment to Blindness Class
Wednesday: 4:30PM 5th/6th Grade Confirmation
5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation
7:30PM Choir
Thursday: 2:00PM Ladies Aid with Topic/Election of Officers
7:30PM Women's Bible Class
Saturday: 9:00AM Goodhue County Christmas Project Sharing Day/Toys for Tots Pick-Up
Next Sunday: Last Sunday in the Church Year
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship
Acolyte Dylan Frazier
11:15AM-6:00PM Youth Event at Shoreview Water Park

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK

Today - Curt Augustin
Tuesday - Bob Augustin, Judy Kliewer
Wednesday - Sue Dicke, Denise Holm
Friday - Dawn Laffey, David & Avis Sucher
Saturday - Jan Langhans

IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Richard Diercks, Bill Langhans, Hermann von Knobelsdorff, Leonard Dicke, Dolores Cedar, Kari Janssen (cancer treatments), Melissa Barbey (brain tumor), and Evan Smith (as he serves our country amidst the ISIS threat).

BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

During the months of November and December, you are invited to participate in a Baby Bottle Fundraiser to help support women facing crisis pregnancies and families who need assistance obtaining supplies to care for their babies. What you do is to take a baby bottle home and fill it with coins at your convenience. When you come home with some spare change, drop it in! Then return the bottles to church at the end of December. If you would prefer, you may also write a check and place it in a bottle. The bottles are located in the narthex. Thank you!

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, November 23, 2014

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

"Clean – And Thankful"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Gregory Seltz

Thanksgiving is not just a made-up holiday; it's an attitude that is the key to life. (Luke 17:11-19)

COMPUTER AVAILABLE

Immanuel purchased a new computer for the church a few weeks ago and no longer has use for the old Dell computer and monitor. The computer has Windows XP as its operating system which is no longer supported by Microsoft. This computer was purchased in 2007, and rather than throwing it away, we thought we would check to see if someone would have need of it. If interested, you may contact Brad Kolberg.

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40TH ANNUAL HAMMOND CHURCH BAZAAR

You are welcome to attend the bazaar to be held at St. John's (LCMS) in Hammond on November 22nd between the hours of 9:00 AM and 2:00 PM. Lunch will be served from 11:00 AM to 1:30 PM. The bazaar will feature crafts, plants, produce, holiday items, and loads of great baked goods. Cookies, breads, jellies and jams will all be available for you to purchase for your holiday enjoyment!

THANKSGIVING DINNER

A Thanksgiving Dinner is being served at First United Methodist Church in Red Wing on Thanksgiving Day (November 27th) between 11:30 AM and 1:00 PM. The meal will be served in the fellowship hall, which is accessible to those with physical challenges. The dinner is for anyone who may not have a family gathering to attend and would like to get out among people. There is no charge, but a free-will offering will be taken. Call the church office at 388-3262 to make a reservation.

YOUTH EVENT: SHOREVIEW WATER PARK

Following worship next Sunday, Pastor is planning to take the youth on an adventure to the Shoreview Water Park. We will leave after the church service. Please pack a bag lunch to eat in the car on the way. Admission to the Water Park is \$8.75 for youth and \$9.75 for those over 18. A family rate is also available. Please bring extra money if you would like to purchase concessions at the snack bar. Dads and moms are welcome to bring the whole family to this event! Please sign up on the bulletin board before leaving church today!

Thanks!

REVIEW: THE DOCTRINAL POSITION OF THE LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOD

Of Justification

Holy Scripture sums up all its teachings regarding the love of God to the world of sinners, regarding the salvation wrought by Christ, and regarding faith in Christ as the only way to obtain salvation, in the article of justification. Scripture teaches that God has already declared the whole world to be righteous in Christ, Rom. 5:19; 2 Cor. 5:18-21; Rom. 4:25; that therefore not for the sake of their good works, but without the works of the Law, by grace, for Christ's sake, He justifies, that is, accounts as righteous, all those who believe, accept, and rely on, the fact that for Christ's sake their sins are forgiven. Thus the Holy Ghost testifies through St. Paul: "There is no difference; for all have sinned and come short of the glory of God, being justified freely by His grace, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus," Rom. 3:23, 24. And again: "Therefore we conclude that a man is justified by faith without the deeds of the Law," Rom. 3:28.

LIFE QUOTE

November 16 "Adopted children, like all children, are a blessing from God, and we are privileged indeed to be granted the honor of raising one of His precious kids." *Solid Answers/Bible Gateway* – A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org