

## ANNOUNCEMENTS – JUNE 7, 2015

### DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: 7:30PM Adult Softball vs. First Covenant, Field 1  
Tuesday: 5:30PM First Choice Clinic Meeting  
Thursday: 7:30PM St. Barnabas, Apostle: Isa. 42:5-12; Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3; Mk. 6:7-13  
7:30PM Women's Bible Study  
Friday: 10:30AM KWNG Recording Session  
2:00PM LCMS Plaza Service  
Next Sunday: Third Sunday after Pentecost  
9:30AM Worship  
10:30AM Brief Board of Education Meeting  
3:00PM Installation of Pastor John Augustine at Immanuel, Plainview

### HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Monday - Nick Kurtti, Jason Reding  
Tuesday - Melissa Budensiek, Owen Hattemer, Lyle & Shannon Dicke  
Thursday - Scott & Kristin Franks, Mike & Linda Rehder, Rick & Shelly Stemmann  
Friday - Lowell & Sara Sorenson  
Saturday - Connor Ballman

### IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Bill Langhans, Hermann von Knobelsdorff, Leonard Dicke, Kari Janssen, Melissa Barbey, DaWayne Wichern (diagnosed with lung cancer), and Christians suffering persecution and death in the Middle East, Africa, and around the world.

**"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, June 14, 2015**

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

**"God's Great Work of Faith"**

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Gregory Seltz

Faith is God's work, not ours. (Mark 4)

### **LUTHERAN YOUTH DAY AT VALLEY FAIR**

On Monday, June 29th, Pastor Sorenson will be taking the youth group to Valley Fair for the 34th Annual Lutheran Youth Day. The cost is \$30 per person, which is expensive, but is significantly reduced from the standard rate of \$47. You may choose to bring extra money for food in the park, or you may pack a couple bag lunches that we can eat together in the parking lot. Valley Fair no longer allows you to bring food with you into the park. If you would like to attend this special event - and the group last year had a wonderful time! - please sign up on the bulletin board as soon as possible so that Pastor is able to arrange appropriate transportation. This opportunity is open to people of all ages! If you would like to bring your whole family, that would be just fine! If the cost is prohibitive for you, please speak with Pastor Sorenson about it and he will make some arrangements.

### **INSTALLATION OF PASTOR JOHN AUGUSTINE**

On Sunday, June 14th, we welcome a new pastor to the circuit! Pastor John Augustine will be installed at Immanuel, Plainview at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. All are welcome to attend the service and the meal which will follow. Pastor Sorenson will be attending, so if you would like to go but don't want to drive, let him know; he is willing to give you a ride. We pray for blessings on Pastor Augustine as he begins in a new church home!

### **QUILTS FOR SALE**

The Ladies quilting group has several quilts on display in the social room. They are for sale at \$35.00 each and are approximately 60" x 80" (twin bed size).

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## THANK YOU

Thank you everyone for all your support and prayers. My last chemo treatment was June 3<sup>rd</sup>, and I am doing good and hopefully will continue doing good. God Bless.

Kari Janssen

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

### Of Redemption (From "The Brief Statement")

We teach that in the fullness of time the eternal Son of God was made man by assuming, from the Virgin Mary through the operation of the Holy Ghost, a human nature like unto ours, yet without sin, and receiving it unto His divine person. Jesus Christ is therefore "true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary," true God and true man in one undivided and indivisible person. The purpose of this miraculous incarnation of the Son of God was that He might become the Mediator between God and men, both fulfilling the divine Law and suffering and dying in the place of mankind. In this manner God reconciled the whole sinful world unto Himself, Gal. 4:4, 5; 3:13; 2 Cor. 5:18, 19.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We will again participate in a joint VBS program involving St. Peter's (Belvidere), Concordia (Red Wing), Bethany (Lake City), and our own congregation. Vacation Bible School will be held in the evenings from Sunday, August 16th to Thursday, August 20th at St. Peter's - Belvidere. More information will be available soon, but please mark your calendars if you would like your children to participate. Pastor is willing to give rides back and forth from Immanuel - Hay Creek if parents are concerned about the extra driving.

## LIFE QUOTES

**June 7** "[A]s a Christian worldview teaches, encouraging someone to break God's law is to engage in cruelty, not compassion. God defines love. Hanging the word 'love' on a counterfeit does not make it authentic." *Warren Cole Smith, vice president of WORLD News Group – A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life* • [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)