# ANNOUNCEMENTS – October 9, 2016

# **DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK**

Tuesday: 8:00AM Men's Bible Breakfast

7:30PM Board of Elders

Wednesday: 4:30PM 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation

5:30PM 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation

7:30PM Choir

Thursday: 11:00AM Seminary Home Chapel Service Friday: 10:30AM KWNG Recording Session

2:00PM Plaza Service

Next Sunday: The 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class

9:45AM Fellowship Time

10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

## HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Monday - Greg Germann, Brian Goranson, Gretel Meyer

Tuesday - Linda Diercks, Rick Stemmann

Wednesday - Bud Rehder & Janice Kassen-Rehder

Thursday - Jada Scheele

Friday - Stan & Carol Koesker

Saturday - Rebecca Good, Jessica Mattson, Roger & Shelley Pohlman

### 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), and thanksgiving for the birth of Dakota Rose DeLeon, baby of Megan and Ruben DeLeon and grandchild of Roger and Shelley Pohlman).

#### **CATECHISM REVIEW**

#### What does God teach and do in the Law?

In the Law God commands good works of thought, word, and deed and condemns and punishes sin.

# What does God teach and do in the Gospel?

In the Gospel, the good news of our salvation in Jesus Christ, God gives forgiveness, faith, life, and the power to please Him with good works.

#### LIFE QUOTE

**October 9** "Your witness can speak for the speechless. Your words can give value to people considered disposable. Remember that in heaven these disabled folks will be your equal in every way. What will they say to you when you meet there? God's stars see God's handiwork in all people." Rev. Mark Jeske, www.timeofgrace.org – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org

# "THE LUTHERAN HOUR" - Sunday, October 16, 2016

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

"Know This Word - Your Life Depends on It"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz

The Bible provides a strategy for survival in an uncertain world. It can break hearts of stone and replace them with living hearts open to God's truth. (2 Timothy 3:16)

# **LUTHER LANDS 500TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR**

How would you like to visit Germany and tour the sites of Luther's Reformation? NAWAS Travel, a Travel Agency specializing in Christian tours, is offering an incredibly low-rate nine day travel package that includes plane tickets from New York, hotels, transportation in Germany, and most of the food expenses. Prices start at just \$2689, and if our church group signs up by December 2, an additional \$3000 cash bonus will be deducted from our total group cost. Moreover, if six members sign up, the pastor travels free as a tour host! With the 500th anniversary of the Reformation coming up in 2017, how would you like to actually see the Castle Church where Luther nailed the 95 theses to the door in 1517? It would be awesome! If you are perhaps interested, please sign up on the bulletin board. Signing up does not commit you to the trip; it just gets you into the conversation about when we might be able to go. This is a great opportunity for a low cost visit to Europe. It's worth thinking about and praying about!