## **ANNOUNCEMENTS – AUGUST 24, 2014**

#### DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Pastor on vacation until August 30th

Friday: Martyrdom of St. John, the Baptist: Rev. 6:9-11, Rom. 6:1-5; Mk. 6:14-29

6:30PM Church Golfing

Saturday: 9AM-5PM Stampin' with the Spirit Next Sunday: 12th Sunday after Pentecost

9:30AM Outdoor Worship (weather permitting)

## HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Dale Dicke, Ryan Kassen, Doug & Nita Callstrom, Myron & Ruth Alms

Tuesday - Jim & Sue Dicke

Wednesday - Walter Banitt, Tally Stehr, Bruce & Jenny Carlson

Thursday - Neil Stemmann, Nick & Katie Kurtti

Friday - Zach Laffey

- Kevin Augustin, Jacob Diercks, Cheyenne Meyer, Dan & Pat Banitt, Kevin & Barb Augustin

## IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Ken Buth, Richard Diercks, Catherine Smith, Bill Langhans, Hermann von Knobelsdorff, Leonard Dicke, Neil Stemmann (recovering from surgery), and Dolores Cedar (Donna Meyer's mother, entering hospice care).

#### RETIREMENT OF DEBT CELEBRATION

Please mark your calendars for Sunday, September 14, 2014. The President of the Minneota South District of The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, the Rev. Dr. Dean Nadasdy, will be with us to celebrate the retirement of all debt on our building project. Dr. Nadasdy will preach God's Word for the service and Pastor Sorenson will serve as the liturgist. The service will be at 10:00 AM and a special meal and time of fellowship will follow after the service.

# REVIEW: THE DOCTRINAL POSITION OF THE LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOD Of The Holy Scriptures

We furthermore teach regarding the Holy Scriptures that they are given by God to the Christian Church for the foundation of faith, Eph. 2:20. Hence the Holy Scriptures are the sole source from which all doctrines proclaimed in the Christian Church must be taken and therefore, too, the sole rule and norm by which all teachers and doctrines must be examined and judged. — With the Confessions of our Church we teach also that the "rule of faith" (analogia fidei) according to which the Holy Scriptures are to be understood are the clear passages of the Scriptures themselves which set forth the individual doctrines. (Apology. Triglot, p. 441, Paragraph 60; Mueller, p. 684). The rule of faith is not the man-made so-called "totality of Scripture" ("Ganzes der Schrift").

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, August 31, 2014 8:30AM on KCUE-AM; 6:00PM on KDHL-Faribault (920) "God's Plan"

Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Ken Klaus

Life seldom goes as planned. However, by God's grace things can turn out better than we deserve.

(Matthew 16:21-23)