ANNOUNCEMENTS - OCTOBER 22, 2017

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: St. James, Brother of Jesus and Martyr: Acts 15:12-22a;

James 1:1-12; Matt. 13:54-58

Tuesday: 7:30PM Quarterly Voters' Meeting Wednesday: 4:30PM 5th/6th Grade Confirmation

5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation

7:30PM Choir

Thursday: See the Luther play at CSP Friday: 10:30AM KWNG Recording Session Saturday: 9AM-5PM Stampin' with the Spirit

3:00PM-7:00PM Pumpkin Carving/Bonfire at the Arndt's (Mentorship Activity)

Next Sunday: Reformation Sunday (Observed)

9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class

9:45AM Fellowship Time

10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion1:00PM Choir Rehearsals at CSP

4:00PM Reformation Festival Service at Concordia University, St. Paul

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Diane Holst, Paul & Lori Reding

Monday - Alan Dicke, Kaden Dicke, Lori Reding

Wednesday - Jamie Kohn

Friday - Andrew Juergens

Saturday - Andrew & Miranda McNamara

IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Melissa Barbey, Pat Banitt (struggling with Disembarkment Syndrome), Bob Langhans, Jack Vold, Gloria Stehr (recovering from a dislocated shoulder), former member Kelli Boles/Schmitz (facing terminal cancer), Roy and Jane Krueger (recovering from auto accident injuries), the family and friends of Vernon Kohn, Jerry Kohn's father (as they mourn his passing), the victims of hurricanes and earthquake and all those struggling in the aftermath of the Las Vegas shootings.

FUND SUMMARIES

The ending balance of the home fund as of September 30, 2017 is a deficit of \$3,733.11. The ending balance of the mission fund is a deficit of \$2,869.73. Working together, we can erase these relatively small deficits by the end of the year!

NOVEMBER 12 - GERMANY TRIP PRESENTATION/GERMAN POTLUCK

Mark your calendars! Following the worship service on November 12th, we will have a presentation by the members of Hay Creek who went to Germany during July. In conjunction with the presentation, we will also have a German potluck. So pull out your favorite German recipes to share! If you need ideas for what to bring, Pastor Sorenson is willing to offer some suggestions for you!

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Second Article: Redemption

What two natures are united in the one person of Jesus Christ"?

The divine and the human natures are united in Jesus Christ. This personal union began when He became man (incarnation) and continues forever.

LUTHER PLAY

The Concordia University Department of Music, Theatre, and Dance will present "Luther," a play by John Osborne and directed by Mark Rosenwinkel. The play will be featured at the E. M. Pearson Theatre building of Concordia University at 7:30 p.m. on October 26th through the 29th. Adults are \$10; students, seniors, and children under 12 are \$5; church groups of 10 or more receive \$5 tickets. Tickets are available at Ticketworks.com, csp.edu/tickets or 612-343-3390. The E. M. Pearson Theatre is located at 312 North Hamline Avenue in St. Paul. John Osborne's Luther is an epic retelling of one of the great epochs in Western civilization. This play is an exploration of the larger-than-life personality of the great reformer himself: passionate, fiery, and earthy. In writing that is often raw, direct and emotional - much like the legacy of the historical Luther himself - the play presents a vivid portrait of a man whose many contradictions and personal struggles nevertheless led to one of the great spiritual and political revolutions in human history. If you would like to attend as a church group, see Pastor Sorenson for arranging such an event.

QUARTERLY VOTERS' MEETING

The Quarterly Meeting of the Voters' Assembly will be held this Tuesday (October 24th) at 7:30 PM. All voters are encouraged to attend. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

Call to Order **Opening Devotion** Attendace Acceptance of Minutes Reception of New Voting Members Reports

- * Pastor/Elders
- * Treasurer
- * Trustees
- * Scrip Report
- * Cemetery Board
- * Properties Committee
- * Other

Old Business

New Business:

- * Election of Dale Dicke as delegate to the Minnesota South District Convention and Jim Dicke as the alternate delegate
 - * Election of Dale Dicke as Circuit Elector for the next Circuit Forum
 - * Nomination of Pr. Scott Fiege for Circuit Visitor
 - * Allocation of Advent Midweek Offerings for LCMS Disaster Relief

Adjournment

Prayer

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" - Sunday, October 29, 2017 6:05AM on WCCO-AM (830), Minneapolis 6:00PM on KDHL-AM (920), Faribault "A Reformation Invitation – the Just Live by Faith"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz

500 years ago, Martin Luther rediscovered a truth that turned the world upside down: the just shall live by faith. Can this message transform you today? (Romans 1:16-17)