

ANNOUNCEMENTS – JANUARY 13, 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Tuesday: 7:00PM Church Council Meeting
Wednesday: 4:30PM 5th/6th Grade Confirmation
5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation
7:30PM Choir
Thursday: 7:00PM Women's Bible Class
Friday: The Confession of St. Peter: Acts 4:8-13; 2 Pet. 1:1-15;
Mk. 8:27-9:1
Next Sunday: The Second Sunday after the Epiphany
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Today - Pam Dahl
Monday - Mark Dicke
Tuesday - Carol Schafer

IN OUR PRAYERS

Jeanette Falkner, Melissa Barbey, Pat Banitt, Bob Langhans, Walter Banitt, Phillip Sorenson, Roy & Jane Krueger, Raymond "Swede" Theobald, Doug Callstrom and Dan Kerns (recovering from surgery).

YOUTH SNOW TUBING EVENT

A youth snow tubing event to the Badland's-Snopark in Hudson has been scheduled for Saturday, January 26th. We will leave from church at 2:00 PM. A sign-up sheet has been posted on the bulletin board. Adult helpers are welcome! The cost is \$18 with extra money needed if you would like to purchase concessions.

MINNESOTA CITIZENS CONCERNED FOR LIFE MARCH

On January 22, the Anniversary of the pernicious Roe. v. Wade Supreme Court decision, concerned citizens will gather for a program at the State Capitol to march for life and show opposition to our nation's continued policy of abortion on demand. The March for Life begins at noon and a short program with legislators will be held. Anyone who would like to attend with Pastor is welcome to join him. This is also a good field trip event for middle school and high school youth.

PROJECTS WITH PAM!

Projects with Pam will be meeting at church on Saturday, January 26th at 9:00 AM. The group will be making a Valentine's Day table runner. This only takes minimal fabric, so Pam will provide it on that day. All you need to bring is your sewing machine and white and/or red thread. Pam has six people signed up right now and if you would like to join the group, please let her know at charlieinwi@hotmail.com so she has enough fabric with her on the 26th. Pam says her stash is plentiful, so no worries if you want to come and do this project.

COUNCIL AND VOTERS' MEETINGS

The council will convene this Tuesday night, January 15th, at 7:00 PM. We will prepare the agenda for the Annual Voters' Meeting to be held on January 22nd at 7:30 PM. A full agenda for the Annual Meeting will be offered in next week's bulletin. All voters are encouraged to attend the Annual Meeting.

CHURCH HISTORY

A folder of information compiled by Becky Kirtz is available for your review in the narthex. This material pertains to the various and unique causes of death in the history of the congregation, everything from carriage accidents to a condition known as Waterhead. If you would like to explore this fascinating material, please see the folder on the table with the Scrip.

MILITARY MEMBERS

Pastor Sorenson needs updated information concerning who is currently active in military service from the congregation. Pastor would like to continue the tradition of praying for our military members in worship; however, he needs updated information. Please let him know at your convenience. Thanks!

LIFE QUOTE

January 13 "If God places such high value on life—all life (John 3:16)—how can we possibly be less concerned? We do love others because He first loved us (1 John 4:19). We speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves (Proverbs 31:8) because when we had no voice, no standing, no defense, Jesus stepped in on our behalf. There is no way we can be less loving." *Christian Life Resources – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Lord's Prayer

The Second Petition: "Thy Kingdom Come."

What is the kingdom of God?

The kingdom of God is His ruling as king over the whole universe (kingdom of power), the church on earth (kingdom of grace), and the church and angels in heaven (kingdom of glory).

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, January 20, 2019

6:05AM on WCCO-AM (830), Minneapolis

6:00PM on KDHL-AM (920), Faribault

"My Delight is in Her"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Anthony (Tony) Cook

As a bridegroom rejoices over his bride, God rejoices over you. This week we explore our new name and identity as the bride of Christ. (Isaiah 62:1-5)