

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. THANK YOU to the Bible Study group for the card and the enclosed cash gift. Also, thank you to the Stewardship Board for putting together the Appreciation Dinner.-Pastor Nelson

2. APPRECIATION THANK YOU- THANK YOU to all the congregation members for their support and encouragement during this past month. Your kind words, cards, and gifts were greatly appreciated! A special thank you to the Board of Stewardship for hosting the Staff Appreciation Potluck and to those that attended. It was an enjoyable afternoon! Pastor Nelson, DCE Katie & Admin. Assist. Amanda.

3. POINSETTIAS- If you would like to order a poinsettia for the upcoming Christmas season, please use the order forms found in the November Lamplighter or on the desk in the Upper Narthex. Orders are due Monday, November 19th.

4. PICTURE PICK-UP- If you had your picture taken for the upcoming Church Directory, your 8x10 may be available for pick-up at church. You can stop at the table in the Upper Narthex after services today to pick it up, or contact the church office during the week.

5. THANKSGIVING SERVICE SCHEDULE- Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, November 21st, 7:00 PM with Communion. Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 22nd, 9:00 am.

6. NEEDED-Ushers are needed to help with the upcoming Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas Services. Can you help? You do not need to be on the current Usher list to help, just sign up on the sheets in the Upper Narthex. Ushers are needed for: Thanksgiving Eve, Wed. Nov. 21st, 7:00 PM; Thanksgiving Day, Thurs. Nov. 22nd, 9:00 AM; Midweek Advent, Wed. Dec. 5th, 7:00 PM; Midweek Advent, Wed. Dec. 12th, 7:00 PM, Wed. Dec 19th, 7:00 PM; Christmas Eve, Mon. Dec. 24th, 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM; Christmas Day, Tues. Dec. 25th, 9:00 AM; New Year's Eve, Mon. Dec. 31st, 5:00 PM

7. SCHEDULE- For November 11th: *Ushers*: 1st Service: Derek Zebell, Jim Klaustermeier, Liam Meyer, Don Hoof; 2nd Service: Sheldon Ehrke, Cole Ehrke, Leighton Buhr, Jason Lyons; Schmidt; *Acolytes*: 1st Service: C. Catlin, G. Ross; 2nd Service: A. Ernst, J. Hecksel; *Greeters*: 1st Service: Maxine Almquist; 2nd Service: Duane & Angie Litzau; *Helping Hands*: LaJean Hoof; *Flowers*: LaJean Hoof; *Worship Bags*: Elaine Peterson

LWML

8 LWML-The November meeting of St. Paul's LWML will be held on Monday, November 5, at 7 p.m. Margie Herrmann will lead our devotions. Offerings for the month will be given to the McLeod Alliance for Victims of Domestic Violence. We invite all women of our congregation to join us in Christian service by joining the LWML!

YOUTH

9. **ACT** Youth Group will meet tonight at 6:30 pm in the Youth Room.

10. **TURKEY BOWLING-** All 5th-8th graders are invited to join us Sunday, November 18th from 11:30-1:00pm for some **TURKEY BOWLING!!** Lunch will be provided and friends are always welcome! **YOU MUST** Sign-up on the youth bulletin board or let Katie (DCE) know that you will be joining us!

11. **SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS-** BOTH Christmas services will be on SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9TH... Last Names of A-K—8:00 Service, Last Names of L-Z—10:30 Service.

MISC.

12. **BLOOD DRIVE-** The Lester Prairie High School Community Drive will take place on Wednesday, November 14th from 1:00 -7:00 pm at City Hall. See signs on the doors and bulletin board for more information.

MEMORY VERSE:

1 Chronicles 16:8: "Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!"

Debt Reduction Special Offering Update

Envelopes Received Last Week: 11

Amount Received Last Week: \$271.00

Additional envelopes are available on the desk in the Upper Narthex

Welcome! We are glad you have joined us in worship today. We want to share the hope that we have in our Savior Jesus Christ with you. If you are a visitor, please sign our guest book, which is located on the table in the upper narthex, and accept our invitation to worship with us again soon!

(Tear off and put in collection plate)

I am a visitor and I would like to join:

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____