

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. THANK YOU** to everyone that donated gifts for the McLeod County Angel Tree project. We were able to deliver more than 75 gifts for kids in need in McLeod County!
- 2. NEEDED-**Ushers are needed to help with the 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.
- 3. THANK YOU** to the bible study group for the Christmas Gift of the Arrowwood gift certificate and the cash donation. It is greatly appreciated! -Pastor Nelson
- 4. POINSETTIAS-** If you donated a poinsettia, you're encouraged to take it home after Christmas. Extra bags are available in the lower narthex closet. Thank you!
- 5. ANNUAL REPORT-** Deadline for Annual Report is 4th. Please contact Amanda with any questions.
- 6. CAMP OMEGA-**The next door offering for the Camp Omega Building Project will be on Sunday, December 30th. Please see the display in the Upper Narthex for more information. A reminder, if you would like your donation to appear on your end of the year statement, please place it in an envelope marked "Camp Omega", with your envelope number on it.
- 7. OFFERING ENVELOPES-**If you have not already done so, please pick up your 2019 offering envelopes in the hallway by the East Entrance. If you see some for your neighbors or family, please help get them distributed as well. Do not use these envelopes until January 1, 2019. Thank you!.
- 8. THANK YOU** to everyone that came to support the Advent Soup Suppers.
- 9. SCHEDULE-** For December 30th: *Ushers*: 1st Service: Tom Feltmann, Kent Landin, Steven Dietel, Matthew Kutz; 2nd Service: Gregg Machemehl, Jeff Engen, James Bettcher, Leah Bettcher; *Acolytes*: 1st Service: B. Albers, A. Meyer; 2nd Service: G. Ross, B. Baumann; *Greeters*: 1st Service: Shadd & Julie Dial; 2nd Service; Joyce Miller; *Helping Hands*: April Lee; *Flowers*: Annette Feltmann/Carol Parpart; *Worship Bags*: Elaine Peterson

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- 10. NO SUNDAY SCHOOL OR ACT** December 23rd or 30th.

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- 11. COLLECTION-** LWML will be collecting items for Orphan Grain Train to assemble Hygiene Kits. Take a tag from the tree in the Upper Narthex and bring item (unwrapped) and place in bin under the table. Monetary donations can be placed in the can. This will be the last week to contribute to Hygiene Kits. Thank you for your support of this mission project. LWML Missions

12. RED STOCKING- It's Red Stocking time! We hope you've been filling your stockings with your dimes or any change you have. You may bring them back and empty them in the large red stocking hanging in the upper narthex. This money will help meet the mission project goal of \$265, 000 district and \$2.075 million national. There are 35 organizations that will be helped. Please keep your stocking and continue into 2019. If you don't have a stocking, you can take one from the basket below the red stocking. Thank you! LWML

Calendar of Events

Sun. Dec. 23rd	9:00 a.m.	WORSHIP (one service only)
Mon. Dec. 24th	5:00 p.m.	CHRISTMAS EVE CHORAL SERVICE
	7:00 p.m.	CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE
Tues. Dec. 25th	9:00 a.m.	CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE W/ COMM. Church Offices Closed
Wed. Dec. 26 th	Noon	Deadline for Bulletin
Sun. Dec. 30th	8:00 a.m.	WORSHIP
	9:15 a.m.	Adult Bible Study
	10:30 a.m.	WORSHIP

Memory Verse:

Luke 1:32 "He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David."

Upcoming Advent/Christmas Schedule

- December 24th:** 5:00 PM Choral Service
- December 24th:** 7:00 PM Traditional Service
- December 25th:** 9:00 AM Service with Communion
- December 31st:** 5:00 PM Service with Communion
- January 1st:** Church Offices Closed

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 _____