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WELCOME PASTOR JOHN M. DREYER

New Senior Pastor Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer Installation 1-17-2021 at 2:00 PM



A WORD FROM WESS - STEWARDSHIP INITIATIVE

¹ Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor stands in the path of sinners, nor sits in the seat of the scornful; ² But his delight is in the law of the LORD, and in His law he meditates day and night. ³ He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that brings forth its fruit in its season, whose leaf also shall not wither; and whatever he does shall prosper. (Psalm 1:1-3 NKJV®)

I have attended a few conferences where Zig Ziglar was one of the speakers. He would mention that he starts each day by reading the Bible and the newspaper so he could know what each side was doing. I find similar feeling when I look at how the world around me is going and the assurance I find in the Word of God. There are conflicts and I have to make the choice of which one to follow, God's way or the world's way. Are you aware that the Bible talks more about how we manage our resources that about heaven and hell. Handling our resources following God's plan has been proven successful by millions.

This applies to our personal finances. The world has a way of trying to lead us to manage the resources God has given us (1 Corinthians 4:7) but God has a way that ready works. Stewardship will be offering free confidential personal coaching by a Dave Ramsey Certified Financial Coach. The plan was to start this offering at the beginning of this year. The coaching will be delayed due to the corona virus still

spreading since coaching involves personal contact. This is a proven system based on the guidance from God's Word. Again, millions have successfully achieved financial freedom through the materials used in this coaching.

One of the greatest resources we have is God's Word which contains the Good News in the Gospel of God's love for the world. We need to be good stewards (biblical for managers) of the knowledge of God's gift through the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus. The Good News is a resource we are given to spread not keep to ourselves.

I lift you up to our Father in Heaven that you may find joy and peace in the love of God and His many gift which He gives us (Psalm 24:1).

Wess Mechler - Chair, Stewardship Jesus is Alive!

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ONLINE CALENDAR:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JANUARY SENIORS



WESS MECHLER

January 7



PATRICIA MUNDELL

January 9



BETH SEAWELL

January 9



CONNIE MCINTOSH

January 10



BARBARA GIBSON

January 15

PICTURE NOT

AVAILABLE

KEN RAINEY

January 20



CINDY WHEELER

January 31

KOKOMO RESCUE MISSION JANUARY BIRTHDAYS Bobby, Debbie, Artemis, Kenleigh, Eleni, Juanita, Erica

| JANUARY 2021 SCHEDULES | | |
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| DATE | SAT. | SUN. |
| | 5:30 PM | 9:30 |
| DEACONS | Bob Hoch | Dan Dinkel |
| | Jerry Satterfield | Steve Gaunt |
| | | Bob Hoch |
| | | John Hubbert |
| TELLERS | | |
| 4 | Ellen Benziger, Nancy Trout, Ross Morkal | |
| 11 | Vivian Heronemus, Sharon Morkal, Connie Howard | |
| 18 | Teddi Heinzman, Jane Brubaker, Eva Glatt | |
| 25 | Marjie Sullivan, Cindy Galford, Jama Youngdale | |
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| SANC. STEW. | | COLOR |
| 3 | Cindy Sewell & Kitty Davis | White |
| 10 | Patti Stout & Anna Gaunt | White |
| 17 | Jane Sipe & Marie Harvath | Green |
| 24 | Susie Yeakley & Teddi Heinzman | White |
| 31 | Marietta Adelsen & Abby Hobbs | Green |