



Operation Christmas Child

Please join us in this mission. Shoeboxes are available along with brochures that help you with suggestions, etc. for the boxes. You are encouraged to use old shoe boxes or plastic containers. There will be extra brochures on the table to use in your own box. Turn in your boxes by November 12. Delivery of the boxes will be on Monday, November 13. Items and cash contributions may be brought to the church. On November 12, youth & adults will pack boxes with those items. Thank you for supporting this mission. Evangelism Committee

SEASONED CITIZENS: We will meet on Thursday, October 26 at 2:00 pm in Centennial Hall. Digmann Funeral Home will present the program. If you would be able to serve, please let Natalie know. Have you preplanned your funeral? Come join us for an opportunity to learn how you can protect your family by planning ahead and share your thoughts with the group. Sean Petermeier, Preplanning Specialist from Dingmann Funeral Home will be presenting information on the "Benefits of Preplanning". During this program, you will learn how you can protect your family, save money and avoid common pitfalls in the planning process. You will also have an opportunity to share your opinions and get answers to your questions about advance funeral planning. Your feedback will help us improve the level of service we provide to our community. Please RSVP today and plan to join us for this valuable information. Free informational brochures will be provided for those in attendance.

Note Card Fundraiser for Aiden Remme, a 5 yr. old from Brewster with brain cancer. Suggested donation of \$10 for a package of eight cards/envelopes. Contact Melonie Haberman at 842-5312 for more details.



Members: Cindy Glorvigen, Mary Kraft, John Vihlen, Dale Koob, Leanna Lundquist, Jerry Anderson, Craig Nienkerk, Dennis Selberg, Betty Nelson, Norma Radenbaugh, Dianne Sanderson, Diane Sletten, Edna Marsh, Sandra Marsh, Joan Tofteland

Members in Nursing Homes: Bea Mogen, Gene Wachter, June Boots, Nancy Zuehlke, Helen Beckman, Arlene Muse

Members in Care Facilities: Gloria Widboom, Bobbie Elvin, Eldon Good, Dorothy Hallstrom, Joan Doeden, Adeline Larson, Jean Bender

Family Members & Friends: Moses & Matilda Hofer (friends of Arnold), Nicole McKenna (Granddaughter of Lola), Brad Martens, Todd Bach, Vickie Bierman, Bill Dobson, Mary Elsing, Vivian Oakes, Pat Termunde, Donnie Wiff, Smokey Brandt, Julie Garvin

Our service men and women

Our Missionaries: Chuck & Sybil Rounds in Costa Rica and Love INC.

First Lutheran Church – ELCA

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Ministers: All baptized members; Jeanette McCormick, Pastor
October 15, 2017– 19th Sunday after Pentecost; 9:00 am Worship

*WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

*BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*GATHERING SONG

ELW 461, "All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly"

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

ANTHEM

Sanctuary Choir, "One Body In Christ"

FIRST LESSON: Proverbs 31:10-31 (p. 535-536)

SECOND LESSON: Colossians 3:12-14 (p. 958)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Pastor Jeanette

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

ELW 512, "Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil"

*GOSPEL: John 13:34-35 (p. 877)

SERMON

Pastor Jeanette

HYMN OF THE DAY

ELW 502, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

*APOSTLE'S CREED

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Let the Vineyards"

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

P: Hear us, O God. C: **Your mercy is great.**

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*PREFACE

*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

*THANKSGIVING

*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*LORD'S PRAYER

*BREAKING THE BREAD

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

ELW 496, "One Bread, One Body"

ELW 689, "Praise and Thanksgiving"

ELW 515, "Break Now the Bread of Life"

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

*BLESSING

*SENDING SONG

"Do Lord!:Psalm 27"

*DISMISSAL

SUNDAY SERVANTS
ACOLYTES: Gracyn Vacura/Aria Larson
USHER: Sophie Wietzema
NURSERY: Lynette & Natalie Demuth
LECTOR: Nancy Myrom
GREETERS: Lonnie & Nancy Myrom (N)
 Dusty & Tiffany Neugebauer Family (B)
SOUND: Doug Frisch
POWERPOINT: Pam Fleming
PIANIST: Cindy Anderson
ASSISTING MINISTER: Lisa Waldner
COFFEE: Jim & Paula Laffrenzen/Daren & Julie Bauman
VAN DRIVER: 10/15 – Midg White
 10/22 – Leroy Merkel
BUSY BAGS: October – Bonnie Bents
 November – Kathy Craun

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: N/A Attendance a year ago: 147
 Attendance Last Wednesday: N/A

Our General Fund Financial Information

General Fund Balance – July 31, 2017 – (\$31,250.33)

August Income - \$23,211.30

August Expense - \$20,256.91

General Fund Balance – August 31, 2017 – (\$28,295.94)

Lutefisk Committee will meet today in the lounge after worship.

Reformation Sunday is October 29. Remember to wear red.



Corn Maze has been rescheduled to Sunday, October 22. We will meet at the church at 1:00 pm and return around 6:00 pm. Sign up on the youth bulletin board. Cost is \$5.

Haunted House trip will be on Friday, October 27. We will leave the church at 6:30 pm. Cost is \$10. Sign up on the youth bulletin board.



FELC SCHEDULE FOR October 16 – October 22, 2017

	9:00AM	Bulletin Deadline
Monday 16		
Tuesday 17	2:00PM 5:00PM 6:00PM 6:00PM 7:00PM 7:00PM	Staff Meeting Bell Choir Boy Scouts Finance Team Church Council Day Care Association Meeting
Wednesday 18	6:00PM 6:30PM	Worship/Communion Sanctuary Choir
Thursday 19	9:15AM 9:30AM	Coffee Time Bible Study (Ladies) Hannah Circle – Dorothy Bauman Hostess
Friday 20		Pastor's Day Off
Saturday 21	9:30AM	Worship & Music Team Rehearsal
Sunday 22	9:00AM	Worship - 20 th Sunday after Pentecost

Radio Broadcast Sponsor:

In memory of Tegan Murray by Jeff, Evelyn & John Murray.

Servant Sign Up sheets are on the tables in Centennial Hall. Please stop by and sign up for ministry servant opportunities. If you are currently serving, please sign up also as this gives us a current list of volunteers. Thank you!

Are you a high schooler and want to know what it is like to worship with 30,000 other people your age? Join us for the Tri-annual National Gathering June 26-July 3, 2018. Sign-up closes today.

Youth Pancake Breakfast will be on Sunday, November 5.