



NEWS & NOTES



Our Week with the Lord: December 29, 2013 — January 5, 2014

Sunday:	Worship with communion	8:00AM
	NO Family Bible Hour/Catechism/High School or Adult Bible Study	
	Worship with communion	10:45AM
Tuesday:	NO Early Morning Bible Study	
Thursday:	Midweek Worship	6:30PM
	NO Choir Practice.....	7:15PM
Sunday:	Worship	8:00AM
	Family Bible Hour/Catechism/High School & Adult Bible Study.....	9:20AM
	Worship	10:45AM
	Church Christmas "undecorating"	12:00PM



Please remember in prayer ... those who are missing loved ones they have lost, especially Jessica, Amanda, Jarret and Chantel, as they grieve the loss of their grandfather ... all who have been sick and struggling with health problems, including Mike Jones, as he continues to recover from a hospital stay, and many others ... the nation of South Sudan and Seme Enoka, who is working there, that the Lord will quell the violence there and keep Seme safe ... fellow Christians who are not with us to receive God's Word and Sacrament this weekend.



TODAY: Family Bible Hour, Catechism or other Bible Classes will not be held between services today. All classes will meet again next Sunday, January 5th.

TUESDAY: NO EARLY MORNING BIBLE STUDY this Tuesday. We will resume our morning Bible study on Tuesday, January 7th, at Hidden Peaks Roasters.

WEDNESDAY: NO BASIC CHRISTIANITY CLASS.

THURSDAY: MIDWEEK WORSHIP @ 6:30PM

THURSDAY: NO CHOIR PRACTICE. Choir practice will resume on Thursday, January 9th.

NEXT SUNDAY: "UNDECORATE" CHURCH @ 12PM. If you can remain after late service next week, we will be putting away the Christmas decorations and could use some extra hands.

2014 OFFERING ENVELOPES. New offering envelopes are now in the church mailboxes. Please stop by and pick them up. If you do not have any offering envelopes and would like to have some assigned to you, please speak with Keith Rigby.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: Our food pantry is running low—we are in need of the following items:

- canned fruits and vegetables
- boxed macaroni & cheese
- canned ravioli, soups, chili, stews
- peanut butter
- cloth shopping bags (ok if used)

You can drop off any donations of food in the kitchen anytime. Please speak with Donna Carter if you have questions.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12TH: FAMILY BIBLE HOUR TEACHER MEETING AFTER LATE WORSHIP. All those who have been, or may be interested in, teaching in our Family Bible Hour are asked to meet Sunday, January 12th after late service. This will be a brief meeting to see how the teaching is going with the new materials, to answer any questions and to schedule teachers for Winter/Spring Sundays.



Next Sunday ... A star. It's one of the most recognizable parts of Christmas. Do you know that the star that appeared over Bethlehem means something for you? for the mission of God's Church? It does. The star that led the wise men means that the Savior is for people of all nations, including

ours and every other nation, too. Celebrate the Epiphany ("revealing") of our Lord next Sunday and find joy in the Savior of the whole world.

DECEMBER & JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

- December 29 Priscilla DeVries
- December 30 Sonny Smith
- December 30 Alan Vollmer
- January 1 Sophia Micheel
- January 3 Jayden Rodriguez
- January 3 Alexis Tucker
- January 4 Glayde Lundgren
- January 4 Duane Waid
- January 5 Alaina Rodriguez
- January 5 Jessica Rodriguez
- January 5 Patricia Woller
- January 6 Gary Cain
- January 8 Christina Moos
- January 8 Madison Roth
- January 8 Anastasia Stump
- January 10 Kenny Carter
- January 10 Mariah Jones
- January 11 Darrell Koplin
- January 12 Tatiana Ah Chong
- January 12 Joddi Austin
- January 15 Quentin Beebe
- January 16 Ilazike Seme
- January 17 Meris Enter
- January 17 Edison Rust
- January 17 Sara Thurgood
- January 18 Pastor Bater
- January 19 Jean Beifuss
- January 19 Angie Hermanson
- January 20 Angie Lopez
- January 20 Michael MacDonald
- January 21 Alexys Hayes
- January 22 Don Stalcup
- January 23 Isabela Woller
- January 23 Lisa Werkhausen
- January 26 Cheryl Micheel
- January 28 Missy Bater
- January 28 Aydan Jeltema
- January 29 David Gordon
- January 29 Joyce Koplin

UPCOMING

Sunday, January 12—Open Forum 9:30AM

Tuesday, January 21— Girl Pioneers 6:30PM

Sunday, January 26—Annual Voter’s Meeting . 12:00PM

TRUSTEE SNOW REMOVAL

Dec. 30--Jan 5	Darrell Koplin & Kent Turnidge
Jan. 6—Jan 12	Smith, Frasch & Horigan

FAMILY BIBLE HOUR

Jan. 5	Jan. 12
Preschool: Anna Hayes	Preschool: ??
Grades 1-3: Nichol Rohrer	Grades 1-3: ??
Grades 4-5: Kris Gollon	Grades 4-5: ??

STEWARDSHIP SNAPSHOT

Gifts to our ministry through 12-15-13

December monthly budget: \$53,545.75

December offerings:..... \$18,521.73

December tuition: \$15,562.15

WELS Scholarship fund (YTD) \$ 542.00

Attendance Last Week:

Sunday Worship: Early: 81 Late: 95

Bible Study: 49 High School: 9 Catechism: 14 FBH: 16

Christmas Eve Worship: 202 Christmas Day Worship: 112

DECEMBER & JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

- December 31 Dan & Angie Hermanson
- January 9 Darrell & Joyce Koplin
- January 17 Justin & Hollie Pedockie
- January 19 Mike & Angie Fernandez



DECEMBER	3 1 John 2:28—3:10	11 Isa. 43:14-44:23	19 Isaiah 54
29 Isaiah 33, 34, 35	4 1 John 3:11—4:6	12 Isa. 44:24—45:25	20 Isaiah 55
30 Isaiah 36, 37	5 1 John 4:7—5:3	13 Isaiah 46, 47	21 Isaiah 56, 57
31 Isaiah 38, 39	6 1 John 5:4-21	14 Isaiah 48	22 Isaiah 58
JANUARY	7 1 John 2, 3	15 Isaiah 49:1—50:3	23 Isaiah 59
1 1 John 1:1—2:2	8 Isaiah 40	16 Isaiah 50:4-51:16	24 Isaiah 60
2 1 John 2:3-27	9 Isaiah 41	17 Isa. 51:17-52:12	25 Isaiah 61:1—63:6
	10 Isaiah 42:1—43:13	18 Isa. 52:13-53:12	26 Isaiah 63:7-64:12

DECEMBER/JANUARY 2013						
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