

PRAYER REQUEST

If you have a prayer request, please contact the church office or complete a request card and place in the offering plate. Requests are printed for one month unless otherwise requested.

Prayers for Healing & Comfort:

Ray Feldman (Jeff Tebben's Grandfather)
Carlla Skaggs (Mother of Karen)
Sean Carrigan (Great-Nephew of Barb Little)
Shirlet Moll (Becky Armstrong's Sister)
John Carver
Donna Anderson
Doug Rolland
Dave (Jeff and Sarah Sieck's friend)
Daisy Juven (Granddaughter of Rob and Tammy Douglas)
Dorothy Caine
Lori Green (Wife of Keith Green, Mother of Joanna Zuidema)
Richard Carver (John Carver's Brother)

Prayers for those Grieving:

Laura Feldman (Jeff Tebben's Cousin)
The Family of Bud Altman
The Family of Walda Anderson (Ashley Boeyink's Grandmother)
The Family of Dale Hagen (Julie and George Ruter's Nephew)

Prayers for those Serving Elsewhere:

Rob Grunwald, Coast Guard, Duluth, MN;
Sam Husmann (Nephew of the Pastors) Navy, Everett, WA.
Peter Rampaart, Army National Guard

Prayers for the Church Here and Abroad:

The People of Occidente Presbytery, Guatemala;
Minnesota Valleys Presbytery- Union Presbyterian Church, St. Peter, MN;
Bdecan Presbyterian Church, Spirit Lake Reservation, ND.



Announcements

Sunday, November 26, 2017

10:00 AM	Worship
11:00 AM	Fellowship

Tuesday, November 28th	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study
Wednesday, November 29th	7:00 AM 6:00PM 7:15PM	Women's Bible Study Gospel Rock/ Confirmation Youth Group
Thursday, November 30th	6:00PM 6:30PM	Music Team Session
Saturday, December 2nd	9:00AM 9:00AM	Hanging of the Greens Lefse Making in John Knox Hall
Sunday, December 3rd	8:45AM 9:00AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM	Adult Ed Sunday School/Program Practice Worship Fellowship

Operating Statement Report:

Receipts through October	\$ 192,619
Expenses through October	\$ 192,309
Receipts in excess of Expenses	\$ 310

Catch the Christmas Spirit with the Hanging of the Greens and Lefse Making! On Saturday, December 2nd from 9am-Noon you can help decorate the church and learn how to make lefse. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Narthex area for the lefse making. A lunch will be furnished for all who attend.

The Angel Giving Tree is up in the Narthex, please consider giving this year by taking a tag and bringing a gift or two back under the tree. Deadline is December 3rd.



Mission of the Month

crises and poverty through their Social Services programs. These include eviction prevention, utility assistance, annual coat drive, Thanksgiving and Christmas assistance and disaster assistance.

MOMS (Mobile Outreach Meals) is a summer feeding project aimed at nutritional and social development for at-risk youth in 7 of Willmar's poorest neighborhoods.

Pathways of Hope introduces you to both the Salvation Army and other services that are available in our community for support.

Getting Ahead is a program that connects community to families wanting to make the Journey Out of Poverty.

If you want more information on any program at the Salvation Army, you can call 320-235-2033 or go to www.willmarSA.org

Thank you for your support.
The Mission Committee

Red Cross Drive. First Presbyterian will be hosting a Red Cross Blood drive on Tuesday, December 26, 1-7 P.M. We will be starting a list for volunteers and donors soon.

Meals on Wheels. We are scheduled for two-four day weeks. Week of December 25 and the week of January 1, 2018. Besides nutrition, we can also bring warm greetings and cheer during these special weeks. We will have a sign up list.

Church Repairs/Changes: The Session has set up a taskforce at our church to dream about what we could do to our building, or what we need to do to improve things. If you have an idea about what needs attention, or what you would like to see changed, please jot down your thoughts and turn it into the church office, or feel free to contact

Salvation Army

Mission Giving for the month of November is the Salvation Army. It has been serving Kandiyohi County since 1897. Its ministry is motivated by the love of God. Church services and Youth programs are held throughout the week. They offer help and hope affected by

Gary Manzer at 320-491-7366 or gmanzer@willmarmn.gov. No idea is too big or too small!

Christmas Musical Practice Schedule: Practices are for all children who attend Sunday school and Gospel Rock. Even if your child is not signed up for Gospel Rock, they are still invited to come for practices on Wednesday evenings. Thank you!

Wednesday, November 29
6 – 7:15 p.m.
(Sanctuary)

Sunday, December 3
9 – 9:50 a.m.
(JKH Stage)

Wednesday, December 6
6 – 7:15 p.m.
(Sanctuary)

Sunday, December 10
9 – 9:50 a.m.
(JKH Stage)



“Snow Camp at Clearwater Forest” - Save the date Jr. and Sr. High Youth! We are looking forward to exploring Clearwater Forest in the deep winter with a retreat full of snow, playing on the lake, awesome worship, snowshoeing, broom ball and growing in our faith from January 19th thru January 21st, 2018. Pastor Leanne has offered to serve as the chaperone for our group. Once we have more information, we'll be sure to get the word out. Please contact Pastor Leanne or Jill Boeyink if you are interested in being a part of “Snow Camp”.

Explorer's Class: You're invited to join this small group bible study and fellowship group which meets Thursday nights at 6:30 in the Friendship Room. New members are welcome, and you can bring a friend! The class will be using the "Nooma" video series featuring Pastor Rob Bell as their curriculum this year. Please call or talk to Pastor Scott with questions.

Nurture and Fellowship: After the Christmas Program on December 17th come on down for Fellowship in John Knox Hall. Nurture and Fellowship will have Christmas cookies, coffee and punch provided!