

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:

Muriel Carlson
Karen Skaggs
Doris Cogelow
Josh Juven (Tammy Douglas's Son)
JoAnne Shannon (Shara Goldenstein and Katie Gluth's Grandmother)
Lori Peterson (Becky Eliason's Mother)
Mary L. (friend of Brenda Arnold)
Brenda Arnold
Gloria Ludolph (Brenda Arnold's Mother)
John Carver
Carlla Skaggs (Mother of Karen)
Sean Carrigan (Great-Nephew of Barb Little)
Shirlet Moll (Becky Armstrong's Sister)
Donna Anderson
Doug Rolland

Prayers for those Grieving:

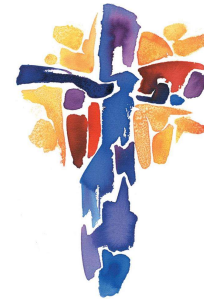
The Family of Carol Flaata (Bennett Goldenstein's Grandmother)
The Family of Mary Sharstrom

Prayers for those Serving Elsewhere:

Rob Grunwald, Coast Guard, Saugerties, New York;
Sam Husmann (Nephew of the Pastors) Navy, Everett, WA.
Peter Rampaart, SAMS, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

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, June 24th, 2018

8:45 AM	Adult Ed
10:00 AM	Worship
11:00 AM	Fellowship

Wednesday, June 27th 6:30 PM Youth Mission Trip Meeting

Thursday, June 28th 6:30 PM Session

Sunday, July 1st
8:45 AM Adult Ed
10:00 AM Worship/Communion
11:00 AM Fellowship

Operating Statement Report:

Receipts through May	\$ 96,223
Expenses through May	\$ 101,879
Expenses in excess of Receipts	\$ 5,656

Building Fund Balance as of May 31, 2018: \$30,769 of \$100,000
Per Capita is \$41, please pay as you are able.

Local Giving: Anyone who might need assistance with a yard or household task, or if you know someone who could use some help please fill out the card. Or if you want to be part of the work team, let us know. Write your name and contact info on the card. All hands on deck!

Women's Fellowship held on the second Thursday of each month will not be meeting in June, July, or August! Have a blessed summer!!

Adult Ed will meet for informal fellowship discussion though out the summer at 8:45am. The class focus on the second Sunday of each month will be a video series about the bible.

Red Cross Blood Drive: We are partnering with United Methodists in sponsoring a blood drive. The blood drive is July 5 1-7 P.M. At the Methodist church. One never knows when you, a family member or friend will need blood. Your blood is a gift that is needed. Please go on line to sign up or contact Doris Cogelow at 979-4967.



THE PENTECOST OFFERING

“BUILDING A LIFE OF FAITH”

The Pentecost Offering is our Mission for June. It is one of the four special offerings of the Presbyterian Church USA. It is about guiding the Christian formation of our young people.

1. Congregational Initiatives With Young People

40% of the Pentecost Offering remains with our congregation to use for youth programs in our church or the community. This year the Mission Committee has chosen to give the 40% to the youth in our church to use on their Mission trip to Rapid City in July.

2. Serving Communities

25% of the Offering goes to Young Adult Volunteer (YAV) experiences. It can provide training and equip volunteers to engage in mission at more than 20 sites in the USA and worldwide.

3. Guiding Youth

25% of the Offering supports ministries with youth, ages 12-18, and those called to accompany them. It can fund a new Christian Formation called “The Senior Project”. This project offers a path and plan for graduating seniors to explore their next steps in faith.

4. Child Advocacy

10% of the Offering supports the “Educate a Child, Transform The World” national initiative. The goal is to motivate and inspire Presbyterians to better the lives of one million children by 2020.

By giving to the Pentecost Offering, we are nurturing the faith of those who are the church to come-children, youth and young adults.

Church Announcements:

The Nurture and Fellowship Committee has taken up spotlighting Earth Care and would like to share tips, information, news, and resources, here is this weeks: Styrofoam is non-biodegradable and appears to last forever. It’s resistant to photolysis, or the breaking down of materials by photons originating from light. This, combined with the fact that Styrofoam floats, means that large amounts of polystyrene have accumulated along coastlines and waterways around the world. It is considered a main component of marine debris. From: <https://green-mom.com/styrofoam-bad-environment/#.Wx6TnlpKJIU>

Clearwater Forest: Clearwater Forest Friends and Neighbors Day - July 14, 2018

Join us on Saturday, July 14, 2018 for the annual Friends and Neighbors Day, our celebration of Clearwater Forest and the communities of supporters that make it great. On this day, we open the doors to showcase our beautiful, historic buildings, our exciting programming, and God’s amazing wilderness. You will have the opportunity to be part of the annual Lake 2 Lake bike ride to raise scholarship funds, tour the grounds and buildings, and participate in activities on land and on water. A picnic lunch, celebration program, and campfire singing will round out the day. Registration and more information are available at www.clearwaterforest.org or by calling 218-678-2325. This event is free and open to the public, but an RSVP is strongly encouraged to aid our planning.

Mission Happenings: Bdecan Presbyterian Church is having a fund raising event in July. They are hoping to raise \$10,000 to build a building for a clothes closet. Our Mission Committee will donate \$1,000 towards this project. Please prayerfully consider how you can be a part of giving to this wonderful project. Make your check to Presbytery of Northern Plains with “building project” on the memo line. Thank you.

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