

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:

Jill Berglund (Norm & Mary Berglund's Daughter)

Abigail Engle

Gwen May (Tammy Douglas' Mother)

Harriet Altman

Bernice Jacobs

Mike Harney (Earl Knutson's Nephew)

Gary Groen (Helen Groen's Son)

Peter Nelson

Jerry Tebben (Jeff Tebben's Father)

Arlen Sjerven

Merle Stiles (Sister of Connie Spartz)

Mary Pelkey (Carol Tatge's Sister)

Marilyn Goeddertz

Norm Tempel

Lori Peterson (Beci Eliason's Mother)

John Carver

Donna Anderson

Prayers for those Grieving:

The Family of Carlla Skaggs (Karen Skagg's Mother)

The Family of JoAnne Shannon (Shara Goldenstein and Katie Gluth's Grandmother)

The Family of Mari Johnson

The Family of Don Niece

Prayers for those Serving Elsewhere:

Noah Prout, (Barb Little's Nephew) Air Force, Afghanistan

Chandler D'Incau (Bob and Rita's Grandson) Air Force, Lackland, San Antonio, TX

Rob Grunwald, Coast Guard, Saugerties, New York;

Sam Husmann (Nephew of the Pastors) Navy, Everett, WA.

Peter Rampaart, SAMS, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Brandon Reshetar (nephew of Rob & Tammy Douglas) Air Force, Qatar

Robert Walquist (uncle of Shara Goldenstein & Katie Gluth) National Guard, Kuwait

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, February 3, 2019

8:45 AM	Adult Ed
9:00AM	Sunday School
10:00 AM	Worship
11:00 AM	Fellowship

Tuesday, February 5th	7:00AM 5:30 PM 6:30PM	Men's Bible Study Personnel Deacons
Wednesday, February 6th	7:00AM 6:00PM 6:00PM 7:30PM	Women's Bible Study Gospel Rock/Confirmation Explorers Youth Group
Thursday, February 7th	6:30 PM	Music Team
Friday, February 8th	11am-1:30pm	Habitat For Humanity Souper Bowl
Saturday, February 9th	10:00AM	Youth @ LuLu Beans
Sunday, February 10th	8:45AM 9:00AM 10:00 AM 11: 00 AM	Adult Ed Sunday School Worship Fellowship/Jan-Feb Birthday Celebration

Operating Statement Report:

Receipts through December \$ 239,613

Expenses through December \$ 237,368

Revenues in excess of expenses \$2,245

Building Fund Cash on Hand \$61,635 towards

Capital Heating Project of \$100,000

Per Capita for 2019 is \$42, please pay as you are able.

Special Offering: Today is the day of the "1st Sunday for Deacon Special Offering."
Please use the offering envelopes provided for you in the pews to support the coming
ministries the Deacon's provide.



Noisy Cups

Grab-a-cup and go! NOISY CUP month begins TODAY! Grab your decorated cup off of the table in the Narthex, bring your cup home and fill it with loose change, bills and checks throughout the month, and return it on Sunday, February 24th to be dedicated during the worship service. ALL 100% of

the money raised will help offset the cost of sending 3 of our church youth, and CEYM Director Jill Boeyink to the Presbyterian Youth Triennium event being held at Purdue University this coming July.

Each participant from First Presbyterian Church will be paying one-half of the \$600 registration fees to attend Triennium, so as you can see the funds raised through the NOISY CUP campaign will help the families tremendously.

Give what you can, knowing that it will be put to good use, to good kids, for a good cause!

Church Announcements:

Habitat for Humanity of West Central Minnesota is sponsoring the 7th Annual Souper Bowl Event on Friday, February 8th from 11:00-1:30 at the First Presbyterian Church in downtown Willmar. Taste a variety of soups from area restaurants as well as artisan bread, desserts and a beverage. Purchase a handcrafted pottery bowl. The event is funded in part by Thrivent Financial. All proceeds benefit Habitat for Humanity of West Central Minnesota allowing them to continue their mission of helping families thrive through home ownership.

Coffee Fellowship: We are in need of volunteers to sign up for coffee fellowship on Sunday mornings. Please sign up downstairs or call or email the church office to claim your Sunday. Thank you!!

Meals on Wheels: We are scheduled for the week of February 19th (MOW's closed on the 18th in honor of Presidents' Day) and week of February 25th. We really need your help. We will have a sign up list available. Thank you to everyone that helps to deliver meals. It does not take very much time. It is helpful to have a second person, one to drive and one to deliver. It is truly a local mission. People really appreciate you and this service!

Mission Trip: You are invited to lend a helping hand.....

How? The Louisiana United Methodist Conference (under the auspices of UMCOR) is desperately seeking volunteers to swing a hammer, a paintbrush or a broom to help rebuild homes that have been damaged by Hurricane Harvey, heavy rains and flooding. Many families have been waiting for two or more years (while new disasters hit the news). The Louisiana Disaster Response provides housing for volunteers in a local church, building materials, tools, and the opportunity to serve others.

Where and When? We will be heading to Baton Rouge, Louisiana on March 30, arriving March 31. We'll work Monday-Friday and return home April 7. We'll partner with volunteers from the Eden Prairie Methodist Church and plan to rent vans and drive. We'd love to build our team—please consider joining us.

Why? You'll have the opportunity to use your hands (and your hearts) to make a difference, connect with others, laugh a lot, learn new skills and so much more. Please give this invitation thoughtful prayer, and contact Tammy Douglas or Diann Anderson for more details.

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