

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:

Paul Pickrel (Sheila Sjerven's Brother)
Gwen Thayer
Jill Berglund (Norm & Mary Berglund's Daughter)
Harriet Altman
Bernice Jacobs
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 Carol Conley (Mother of Kari Rood)
The Family of Carlla Skaggs (Mother of Karen Skaggs)
The Family of Andrew Olson (Father of Rick Olson)

Prayers for those Serving Elsewhere:

Cameron Johnston (Bruce and Pam Quimby's Son-in-law) Army, Fort Riley, KS
Perry Bishop (Bruce and Pam Quimby's Grandson-in-law) Army, Syria
Matthew Sjerven (Grandson of Arlen and Sheila Sjerven) Fort Jackson, SC
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 Goldensten & 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, March 3rd, 2019

8:45 AM	Adult Ed
9:00AM	Sunday School
10:00 AM	Worship/Confirmation Sunday
11:00 AM	Fellowship
5:00-7:00PM	Interfaith Potluck

Tuesday, March 5th

7:00AM	Men's Bible Study
5:30PM	Personnel
6:30PM	Deacons

Wednesday, March 6th

6:00PM	Gospel Rock/Confirmation
6:00PM	Explorers
7:00PM	Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, March 7th

6:00 PM	Music Team
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Saturday, March 9th

10:00AM	Youth at Lulu Beans
7:30PM	University of Jamestown Concert Choir

Sunday, March 10th

8:30AM	Nurture and Fellowship
8:45AM	Adult Ed
9:00AM	Sunday School
9:00AM	Small Group Lenten Study
10:00 AM	Worship/Staff Appreciation
11: 00 AM	Fellowship

Operating Statement Report:

Receipts through January \$ 15,323

Expenses through December \$ 17,024

Expenses in excess of revenues \$1,721

Building Fund Cash on Hand \$62,710 towards

Capital Heating Project of \$100,000

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

Going Green: Decide what's for dinner. Do you ever find yourself in the supermarket randomly picking up things you would quite like to eat but with no real thought as to what you're going to cook? Planning each meal in advance makes it more likely to buy only what is needed.



One Great Hour of Sharing

When the forces of chaos and calamity rip the fabric of human life, your One Great Hour of Sharing gifts are there to sew it back together.

Your generosity fulfills a vision rooted in the biblical witness and beautifully stated

in Isaiah 58:12. The prophet writes: "You shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in."

Around the world, One Great Hour of Sharing ministries bridge the divides that tear apart the lives of individuals and communities.

- 32% goes to Restoring Hope (Presbyterian Disaster Assistance)
- 34% goes to Reducing Hunger (Presbyterian Hunger Program)
- 32% goes to Partnering in Progress (Self-Development of People)

Church Announcements:

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.

Mission Trip Silent Auction is from February 24th through March 10th. If you have any items to donate to this wonderful cause, please bring them to the church. On March 10th we will be having a live auction with lunch after worship. There will be some awesome items up for grabs!!

Mission Trip: We have 10-13 individuals going to Lake Charles, Louisiana from March 31st through April 7th.

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!!

March is Talent Month: Check out all the great talents that people have put up for display in the Choir Room. Haven't displayed your talent yet?? There is still time do so!!

New Study Has Begun: Perhaps you've heard these words before: everything happens for a reason; God won't give you more than you can handle; love the sinner, hate the sin. They are simple phrases. They sound Christian. They capture some element of the truth, yet they miss the point in important ways. Come to **Women's Bible Study** and join us with a new DVD based study: Half Truths: God Helps Those Who Help Themselves and Other Things the Bible Doesn't Say.

THE DISTINGUISHED UNIVERSITY OF JAMESTOWN CONCERT CHOIR IS COMING TO WILLMAR. The University of Jamestown Concert Choir, directed by J. Aaron McDermid, from Jamestown, North Dakota will present a concert of sacred choral music at First Presbyterian Church THIS COMING Saturday, March 9th at 7:30pm. Admission to this event is free. However, to off-set the costs of touring, a free-will donation will be offered during intermission.

Interfaith Potluck: The Willmar Area Interfaith Network wants to invite you to an evening of food, fun, and conversation at our first ever interfaith potluck TODAY from 5-7pm at the Willmar Community Center. We invite you to bring a dish that is meaningful to your family with the recipe, which we will add to an online cookbook.

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