# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Linda Beck
March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Linda Bolton
March 16 <sup>th</sup>	Tom Klomparens
March 21st	Cathy Aardema
March 25 <sup>th</sup>	Deb Mrozinsky

March 27<sup>th</sup> Patty Brus, Karen Samuels

March 28<sup>th</sup> Paula Dimler
March 30<sup>th</sup> Bonnie Capron
March 31<sup>st</sup> Michael McCarty

# **CODY CUPBOARD**

February Items needed below:

Corn Beef Hash

●Sugar

Syrup

•Ramen Noodles

Canned Refried Bean

Canned Soups

# SUNDAY SCHOOL

- Kiddo's : April 7<sup>th</sup> 10:45am in the Basement
- Middle & High School: 11:00am. Meet in Pat's Office.
- Youth Group: 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month. 5:00-6:30pm. Trinity Lutheran Church

# **Adult Education Class**

- What? Study of Daniel Chapter 10
- When? TODAY with Dave Jenkins! 11:00 to 12:00 after Worship Service
- Where? Church Parlor Sign up in the Narthex!
- **Bring?** Your Bible, your questions and your desire to learn more about Daniel

Presbyterian Women Circle Meetings
Wednesday, March 13 at 1:30 pm and 6:00 pm. in the parlor. Please read Lesson 7 in our study books.



Study books are now available in the church office for \$6.00

## Men's Breakfast:

April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00am at the Church. Book Study and good food! Questions? Contact Phil Farman or Pat Montgomery.

#### **PW SCHOLARSHIPS**

Presbyterian Women are now accepting applications from high school seniors and college students for our annual PW scholarship. Application forms are available in the church office.



# Youth Camp 2024 – Camp Story

Director Alicia Ford will be attending service on Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup> to provide information about Camp Story 2024! A table with brochures will be setup in the Narthex!



## CE & IMO - 2024 Pack Trip Events!

**YOUTH** – (12 years and up) Tuesday, June 18th – Friday, June 21st

**ADULT** – Tuesday June 25<sup>th</sup> - Friday June 28<sup>th</sup>

Registration Forms and information are located in the Church Office and on the bulletin board in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please reach out to Jacque Nielsen, Kathy Wormald or Pat Montgomery for more information!



# March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Lent

Please fill out attendance form and pass it along your row

#### **Praise Music**

"Put Your Hand In the Hand"
"Be the Centre"
"Just A Closer Walk With Thee"

#### **Prelude**

#### **Welcome & Announcements**

#### **Responsive Call to Worship**

God awakens us and calls us to this time of worship. Our ears are opened to hear God's Word of truth.

Speak to us, gracious God, and arouse our attention; teach us your way and excite our response.

God has given us the tongues of teachers, that our words may sustain and comfort the weary.

Open our lips, O God, to praise you; loosen our tongues to speak your Word of love.

God has come to us in Jesus Christ to open our minds; let us empty ourselves of pretense that we may learn.

Expand our minds and hearts. Sovereign God. Instruct us through the power of the cross.

Hymn "How Great Thou Art" Hymn #467

#### **Unison Prayer of Confession**

God, whose fullness is far beyond our tiny glimmers of understanding, we bring to you our pretensions, our doubts, our fears. We have lived as if we were the center of all things. We have doubted any reality beyond what we can see. We have cringed in fear before the forces that deny you. We find it easier to betray Christ than to witness to the power of love. We are quick to take up the sword rather than risk a reconciling word. Our actions condemn us. We can only look to you to save us from ourselves. Amen.

#### **Silent Prayers of Confession**

#### **Assurance of Pardon**

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel!

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen

**Gloria Patri** 

Offering

Doxology

**Prayer of Dedication** 

Hymn "Take My Life" Praise #391

#### **Scripture Unison Reading Exodus 20:1-17 (NIV)**

- <sup>1</sup> And God spoke all these words:
- <sup>2</sup> "I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery.
- <sup>3</sup> "You shall have no other gods before me.
- <sup>4</sup> "You shall not make for yourself an image in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below.
- <sup>5</sup> You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me.
- <sup>6</sup> but showing love to a thousand generations of those who love me and keep my commandments.
- <sup>7</sup> "You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not hold anyone guiltless who misuses his name.
- <sup>8</sup> "Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.
- <sup>9</sup> Six days you shall labor and do all your work,
- <sup>10</sup> but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, neither you, nor

your son or daughter, nor your male or female servant, nor your animals, nor any foreigner residing in your towns.

- <sup>11</sup> For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but he rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.
- <sup>12</sup> "Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you.
- <sup>13</sup> "You shall not murder.
- <sup>14</sup> "You shall not commit adultery.
- <sup>15</sup> "You shall not steal.
- <sup>16</sup> "You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.
- <sup>17</sup> "You shall not covet your neighbor's house. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male or female servant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor."

#### Children's Time

**Sermon** "Life Belongs To God " Supplemental Text: Exodus 20:13

Deuteronomy 32:35 Romans 12:17-21

#### Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn "Called As Partners In Christ's Service" Hymn #343

#### **Benediction and Blessing**

#### **Postlude**

Ushers: Greg & Paula Dimler Music Director: Wendy Corr Accompanist: Tim Schoessler Message: Pat Montgomery

## **Scriptures**

#### Romans 12:17-21 NIV

<sup>17</sup> Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everyone.

<sup>18</sup> If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.

<sup>19</sup> Do not take revenge, my dear friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the Lord.

<sup>20</sup> On the contrary:

"If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head."

<sup>21</sup> Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

#### **Deuteronomy 32:35 NIV**

In due time their foot will slip; their day of disaster is near and their doom rushes upon them."