

LWML

LWML will meet on Tuesday, January 8th, at 1:00 pm at the church. It's a good time to review where we are and resolve where we want to go as a society. We look forward to seeing you.

THURSDAY PRAYER TIME CONTINUES

We continue to have the sanctuary open on Thursdays from 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. for those who wish to join us for this time of both private and corporate prayer.

NO CONFIRMATION CLASSES THIS WEEK

Please note that we will not have Confirmation Class this week. We will resume our classes next week at our regular times on Wednesday, January 16th, from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. or Thursday, January 17th, from 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW FOR THE NEXT NEW MEMBER WELCOME

We praise and thank God for all our new members to the First family. Our new members will be introduced at a special reception during the fellowship time preceding Bible study on Sunday, January 27th, at 9:30 a.m. Plan now to join in this special time of fellowship to welcome our newest members!

LOOKING FOR CLASSROOM WORKERS FOR OUR SCHOOL

First Lutheran Classical School is seeking workers for our classroom. Ideally we would like a full time, certified teacher to work with our K-2 students, but we will also consider a full or part time aide or teacher. The most important qualifications are love for the Lord and the children, lots of energy, and willingness to learn about the classical method.

Please submit a resume to the church or school office or e-mailing it to eberhard.sue@gmail.com. If you have any questions, please contact Sue Eberhard by stopping by the school, e-mailing (eberhard.sue@gmail.com), or calling (406) 207-1128.

DO YOU HAVE ANY LITTLE CONTAINERS?

We're collecting little gift boxes, zip bags, large Altoid containers, anything you can fit a needle and thread in to make sewing kits for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. The collection box is in the narthex. Thank you!!

SHARE THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS WITH CALLING CARDS!

In years past when you would visit with someone, you would leave your calling card with them. This showed you cared, and wanted to leave them with a reminder of your visit. Good News, we have Invitations/Calling Cards for you to share with people. They are wallet-sized and have an invitation to join us in church. The inside has our service times along with our address. There are several different styles, for adults and children to use. These cards are located in the Narthex. So grab some cards today and start sharing!

WOULD YOU LEND US A HAND?

We are looking for volunteers to help take down the Christmas decorations immediately following the 11:00 service today.

GRACENOTE NEWS

GraceNotes thank you for your support through this Christmas Season. Care and maintenance is important when you have quality instruments. The time has come for our bells to be refurbished. To accomplish this and keep the warranty intact they have been sent back to the Schulmerich factory. The bell fund, with the help of the Thrivent Choice Dollars, have been able to fund the down payment. We are hoping in the next couple of weeks with your help we will be able to make the final payment and have the bells returned. Your donation to this effort can be made by a gift to the First Lutheran – Special Fund Handbell account.

EYE CARE GRANTS AVAILABLE

A generous gift given to our congregation will allow you to receive a free eye exam and pair of glasses at Gunter Vision Care/Bulls Eye Wear here in Missoula. For more information, please speak with one of our Pastors or our Deaconess.

THANK YOU!

Dear Church Family,

Thanks so much for all your prayers, phone calls, cards and well wishes during Joe's knee replacement surgery and recuperation. All are appreciated! Thank you, too, for the many prayers for our 56-year-old cousin, Bill Curtis, who suffered a massive stroke in September. He is slowly improving.

–In Christ's love, The Heucherts

A Measure of Our Stewardship

Last Sunday

8:30 a.m - 86

11:00 a.m. - 104

Adult Bible Class - 78

Middle School/High School Class - No Class

Sunday School - No Class

Offerings for the month

Monthly Need: \$37,236.75

Contributions for December: \$52,508.41

Offerings Needed for 2018-19 Fiscal Year: \$446,841.03

Received to date: \$230,210.90

WEEK OF

January 6, 2019

Today-	8:30 a.m.-	Worship Service - Communion
	9:45 a.m.-	Sunday School & Bible Class
	11:00 a.m.-	Blended Worship Service – Communion
	12:00 p.m.-	“Undecorating” Christmas Decorations
Monday-	5:30 p.m.-	GraceNotes
	6:00 p.m.-	Praise Team
	7:00 p.m.-	Choir
Tuesday-	6:30 a.m.-	Women’s Bible Study at Paul’s Pancakes
	9:00 a.m.-	Chapel
	9:30 a.m.-	Office Devotions
	1:00 p.m.-	LWML Meeting
Wednesday-	7:00 a.m.-	Men’s Bible Breakfast – Paradise Falls
	8:00 a.m.-	Miller Boys – Paradise Falls
	9:00 a.m.-	Preschool Chapel
Thursday-	6:30 a.m.-	Walking in the Word
	9:00 a.m.-	Preschool Chapel
	9:30 a.m.-	Women in the Word
	11:00 a.m.-	Women’s Study - Stevensville
	11:30 a.m.-	Prayer Time
	6:00 p.m.-	Praise Team
Friday-	10:00 a.m.-	Brookdale Bible Study
Saturday-		
Next Sunday-	8:30 a.m.-	Worship Service
	9:45 a.m.-	Sunday School & Bible Class
	11:00 a.m.-	Blended Worship Service