

## **WANT TO LEARN ABOUT QUILTING?**

LWML will be working on lap quilts this Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, at 1:00 pm at church. We hope to complete six quilts for a special project. We will be cutting, piecing, tying, pinning, and hemming the quilts. No special skills are needed; this is a great opportunity to participate in the quilting process from start to finish.

## **CAN YOU LEND A HAND?**

I am searching for people to help the week before VBS (June 12-14) with decorations. If you could volunteer a couple hours of your time that would be huge help. Thank you!  
--Deaconess Sonja

## **VBS REGISTRATION**

You can now register online for this year's VBS! Simply go to our church's website ([flcmissoula.org](http://flcmissoula.org)) and click on the VBS link on the homepage. You have the option to sign up your child/children, or sign up to be a volunteer. We would love to have you as part of the VBS team this year! The dates are June 17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

## **SPRING CLEANING OF OUR STORAGE SHED**

We're cleaning out the storage unit! To help us with this project we need groups and/or committees to positively check your stuff in the storage unit with a note taped on it stating what committee or group it belongs to. Alternatively you can tell Suzanne Rhoades or Tammy Fegley what you want kept. We're not necessarily going to sell things not claimed in the Youth Garage Sale May 17-18, but that is an option for stuff you no longer want. Thank you so much.

## **POTLUCK-FOR-8 – IT'S COMING AGAIN!**

What a great way to get together to share a meal in Christian fellowship with other members (and Lutherans love a good potluck!) The goal is to get to know each other better in a relaxed setting.

Members sign up to be "hosts" for the potluck in their home and others sign up to be "guests" or you can sign up to be either. The host plans the main entree, schedules the time for the meal, asks the guests to participate by bringing the side dishes for the meal, and plans a short devotion.

These potlucks have been a big hit for those who have participated. If you would like to be included for the next rotation, please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex. If you have questions/comments, please contact Bob or Lue Lehmann (543-8798) or Glenn or Char Klofstad (543-7345).

## **FIRST LUTHERAN FALL MISSION TRIP TO MEXICO**

First Lutheran is sponsoring a mission trip to Kid's Kingdom orphanage in Imuris, Sonora, Mexico from **October 3<sup>rd</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>**. The cost for this trip is \$625 and includes your airline tickets, travel insurance, food, lodging and transportation (does not include meals on travel days). To reserve your spot or for more information contact Rev. Mark Christensen at 406-239-7642 or [pastormarkchristensen@gmail.com](mailto:pastormarkchristensen@gmail.com). You can also get in touch with Deaconess Reeves @ 549-3311 or 542-8838. Space is limited and a \$250 deposit (to purchase plane tickets) needs to be received by Deaconess Reeves by July 1<sup>st</sup> in order to reserve your spot.

## **TIME TO SIGN UP FOR CAMP!**

Our congregation offers 50% off to those who wish to attend Trinity Camp in Bigfork this summer. When you register online, use the coupon code FIRSTLUTH to receive this discount.

## **FLCS TEACHING POSITION OPENINGS**

First Lutheran Classical School is seeking two full time elementary teachers and a part time music teacher for next school year. If you, or anyone you may know, would be interested in teaching in a school where you have the opportunity to share the love of Christ with children everyday please get in touch so we can discuss that possibility. You may leave a message at the church or school office, 549-3311, or email Sue Eberhard, eberhard.sue@gmail.com, with any questions. Resumes may be emailed or dropped off at the church or school office as well.

## **FLCS ENROLLMENT OPEN**

First Lutheran Classical School is excited to announce that enrollment for new students in grades K - 9 is now open! Applications are available at the church or school office and on the school website, flcschool.org. Please contact the school office at 549-3311 or email Sue Eberhard at eberhard.sue@gmail.com if you would like to visit, have questions, or just want to hear more about the school.

## **LOST AND FOUND**

Please check the "Lost and Found" box in the Narthex for any of your missing items. Also, check the right end of the coat rack for coats you may have forgotten. Any unclaimed items will be donated to the next youth garage sale. Thank you.

## **THURSDAY PRAYER TIME CONTINUES**

We continue to have the sanctuary open on Thursdays from 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. for those who wish to join us for this time of both private and corporate prayer.

## **SURVEY FOR FUTURE VOLUNTEER FOR HOUSE OF GRACE MISSION PROJECT:**

The planning committee recently did a survey of the congregation on the future use of the House of Grace. The first choice was to use the house in conjunction with Community Hospital for temporary housing of families of patients, similar to what St. Pat's offers. The planning committee is currently doing a feasibility study and will be analyzing community needs, costs, etc. However, first we need to know from our congregation the answer to this question: "Will you contribute time to support this mission project?" The answer to this question will be critical for the feasibility study to continue. Please pray about this proposed mission. The job duties will be numerous including praying with the families, serving on the House of Grace committee, telephone calls, bookkeeping, cleaning, repairs, etc. We are asking for volunteers to commit to one hour every week, and are hoping for at least 15 volunteers to support this mission project. If you would be willing to help in the future and volunteer time for this project, please notify Mike Robinson, Long Term Planning Chair, in person or call him at 406-212-4350 or email him at [mrdoogiedawg@gmail.com](mailto:mrdoogiedawg@gmail.com). There will also be a signup sheet in the narthex.

## **NO CONFIRMATION THIS WEEK**

Just a reminder that there will be NO confirmation this week as Pastor is away at the Quad Circuit Pastors' Conference.



## First University Class!!

### Estate Planning for ALL Ages

(It's not just for seniors!)

May 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

7:00 – 8:30 pm

In the Fellowship Hall

It's not too late to sign up!

Shawn Rosscup, J.D., is offering a two-part information/discussion series on estate planning issues relevant to all persons 18 and older. These will be hands-on sessions full of valuable information PLUS participants will have the opportunity to prepare their own personalized documents. (Shawn is also a notary!) Come and find out why everyone should have a Durable Power of Attorney when they turn 18. Learn the truth about prenuptial agreements, leaving assets to minor children, Living Trusts, what happens when you don't have a Will, and much more. There will be plenty of time for questions and discussion.

Shawn is a 1977 graduate of the Valparaiso University School of Law. She moved to Montana in 1983 and has focused her practice on estate planning since the mid-1990's. She is currently semi-retired. Shawn is excited to share her expertise in these sessions and especially encourages younger people to attend.

There is no cost for this class. We would appreciate an RSVP to the church office by e-mail [flcmissoula@aol.com](mailto:flcmissoula@aol.com) so we can have enough materials prepared, but if you forget it's okay ... go ahead and come Wednesday evening! Child care will be available IF REQUESTED, so be sure to request it.

### **A Measure of Our Stewardship**

Last Sunday

8:30 a.m - 116

11:00 a.m. - 92

Adult Bible Class - 80

Middle School/High School Class - 7

Sunday School - 7

Offerings for the month

Monthly Need: \$37,236.75

Contributions for May: \$8,138.17

