Next Week's Scriptures

Numbers 21:4-9

Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22

Ephesians 2:1-10

John 3:14-21



Psalm 19: 1-9

The heavens are telling the glory of God,

and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

Day to day pours forth speech,

and night to night declares knowledge. There is no speech, nor are there words:

their voice is not heard;

yet their voice goes out through all the earth and their words to the end of the world.

In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun. which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy.

and like a strong man runs its course with joy.

Its rising is from the end of the heavens and its circuit to the end of them.

and nothing is hid from its heat.

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul;

the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple;

the precepts of the Lord are right. rejoicing the heart;

the commandment of the Lord is clear, enlightening the eyes;

> the fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever;

the ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

Thank You Helping Hands!

Saturday 6:00 p.m. Worship Team **Pastor Joel Remmers and Norma Rust** Lay Reader: Joel Remmers Acolyte: Hadley Doremus & Hailey Oeltjen **Usher: John Rust** Communion Assistant: Norma Rust

Sunday 8:25 a.m. Worship Team **Pastor Joel Remmers and Chad Power** Lay Reader: Holly Potts **Acolytes: Autumn & Jamison Peper** Greeters: Ann Auten Ushers: Dean Papenhagen, Steve Placke & **Deb and Dave Stuehrenberg** Communion Assistants: Joel Remmers, Chad Power, Ann Auten

Jerusalem Holy Lands Tour Wednesday, March 6th! Third Stop - Mount of Olives 6:00-6:45 p.m. Pre-Tour-Founders Hall 7:00 p.m. Lenten Service with Drama



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FIRST ST PAUL'S?

New Member Class will begin this Sunday, March 3rd. If you plan on attending meet in the Founders Hall after the 10:35 a.m. Worship Service. Dates of New Member classes are as follows: March 3rd, 10th, 17th, with a lunch provided. New members will be received into the church on March 24th. **Pre-Tour and Lenten Drama** - How much do you know about the history of the Passover in Jerusalem? Join Ann Auten on Wednesdays in Founders Hall at Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m. 6:00 PM to be in the know before the Lenten Drama presentation at 7:00 PM! Easter Candy: We are once again asking for individually wrapped pieces of candy to stuff eggs for the Easter Eggstravaganza. Please place them in the basket in the Friendship Gathering Area or bring them to the Church Office. Lenten Food Drive: During Lent, we will be collecting non-perishable food items as well as toiletry items for the Hastings Food Pantry. Starting February 11th, please bring your items to the shopping carts located in the Friendship Gathering Area or bring them to the Church Office.

Family Lenten Countdown Calendar - Have you started your calendar yet? The book Don't Forget to Remember by Ellie Holcomb is in the Gathering Area under the sign by the bookcase! (Day 8)

God Made Me Preschool will have an Open House on Thursday, March 7th from 5:00-6:30 p.m. in the Preschool Room, located in the Upper Education Wing of the church. Any family with a preschool age children are **WELCOME** to attend. If you have questions, please contact Jotie in the Church Office.

Judas Purse - Our Judas Purse offering during Lent goes to Tartu Academy of Theology in Estonia & Home of Hope. Funds need to be raised before November 15th, 2024, to pay off the mortgage and sustain ministries including: Bible School, Christian Youth Work, Pastoral Care, Educating Pastors, Christian Radio, and helping Ukraine Refugees.



Stephen Ministry Prayer Corner is now located in the Ruth Room. It will be available between services and also during the week for private prayer.

Given to the Glory of God:

Altar Flowers are sponsored in loving memory of Dr. Edwin & Donna Lebsack, and Clarence & Marjorie Timm, given by Dr. Tim & Barb Lebsack and family, Dr. Joel & Sue Lebsack and family and Dr. Jon and family. Radio Broadcast is given in loving memory of Vergale & Marguerite Jensen

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Our Hospitalized this week is Susan Kloke.

Thank you Helping Hands 10:35 a.m. Worship Team: Pastor Joel Remmers and John Boltz **Acolyte: Alex Augustin Ushers: Augustin Family Greeters: TBD**

Media: Pastor Chad Power and Braydon Power Praise Band: Kathy Schultz, Robin Schilling, Angie Buhr, Jeff Morris, John Bonham and Jordon Harms

SUNDAY, 3/3

Traditional Worship, 8:25 a.m. Education Hour, 9:30 a.m. Disaster Preparedness, 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship, 10:35 a.m. New Member Class, 11:45 a.m.

MONDAY, 3/4

Pitch, 1:30 p.m. Handbells, 6:30 p.m. Property, 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, 3/5

Ouilting, 1:00 p.m. Outreach, 4:30 p.m. Christian Ed, 5:30 p.m. Worship & Music, 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 3/6

Exec. Committee, 5:00 p.m. Ichthus Meal, 5:00 p.m. Children's Programming, 6:00 p.m. Holy Lands Pre-Tour, 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Studies, 6:00 p.m. Confirmation, 6:00 p.m. Lenten Worship, 7:00 p.m. Praise Band, 8:00 p.m. MOMs of Prayer, 8:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, 3/7

GriefShare, 9:30 a.m. Quilting, 1:00 p.m. God Made Me Preschool Open House, 5:00 p.m. Quilters Guild, 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, 3/9

Worship, 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, 3/10

Traditional Worship, 8:25 a.m. Education Hour, 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship, 10:35 a.m. New Member Class, 11:45 a.m.

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Ichthus Supper Wednesday, March 6th

Spaghetti Red or White Sauce Garlic Bread Salad & Veggies PB&Is and Dessert