

THE MONDAY MEMO

The Federated Church, 224 N. Union Avenue, Fergus Falls, MN

Week of July 17, 2016

THE WORD

"The Lord answered, "Martha, Martha! You are worried and upset about so many things, but only one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen what is best, and it will not be taken away from her."

Luke 10:41-42 (CEV)

Lord Jesus, teach us to look to you for everything we need. Amen.

THE WEEK IN REVIEW

We continue to make necessary improvements to our building grounds. Last week, a new security alarm system was put in place. If you have a north door key to the building, please contact the church office to get a code so you don't set the alarm off when entering the building. Thank you!

We had a great time during VBS last week! Three counselors (Aidan, Scott, and Crystal) from Clearwater Forest Presbyterian Camp joined us for the week and lead the kids in music, games, adventure Bible time, crafts, and learning more about the theme of community. Thank you to all the volunteers who provided snacks and lunches, hosted counselors, assisted with small groups, led crafts, and helped with whatever else needed to be done to make the week run smoothly!! It could not have happened without your help!

THE WEEK AHEAD

Benefit for Avery Peterson: Judy Friedrich's 5-year-old granddaughter, Avery, has Idiopathic Pulmonary Hypertension and a long road to recovery ahead of her. There is a donation drop off at Bank of the West (both locations) under the name "The Avery Peterson Benefit" for anyone wishing to help out financially. Donations and prayers are appreciated!

Karen and Jordan will be at the Presbyterian Youth Triennium in West Layfayette, Indiana this week. Please keep them and all the youth attending in your prayers.

Sign-up now for a Life Line screening, coming to The Federated Church this Friday, July 22nd. The 6 for Life Health Assessment measures your risk of developing 6 chronic diseases, including heart disease, congestive heart failure, stroke, diabetes, COPD and lung cancer. A customized report will determine which risk factors contribute most to your disease risk and are within your control to change. Finger-stick blood tests, along with biometric measurements are included with this assessment. Protect your health by registering today for the 6 for Life Health Assessment for \$79. Call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners to schedule your appointment.

PRAYER REQUESTS

In addition to the people on our prayer list, please remember: Terry & Cheryl Harrington's granddaughter; Pastor Darin Seaman; Sarah Bowman; Paul Shol

If you have a prayer request, please notify the church office.

CALENDAR

Tues. 7/19
9AM – Parish Nurse
10AM—Ladies' Coffee Hour
6:30PM—D&E meeting
Wed. 7/20

Noon—Inspiring and Dynamic Worship team meeting

Thurs. 7/21

6:30PM—Concert in the Park at Roosevelt—The Fancy & The Functional

Fri. 7/22

Life Line Screening

11AM - Coffee Hour

Sun. 7/24 10AM—Worship

Sunday Worship

July 17, 2016

Pastor Doug preached on Galatians 4:4-7 and Romans 8:14-17, speaking on adoption into the family of God, through Jesus Christ. Visit www.federatedff.org to read the sermon.

Karen Anderson Dent and Jordan Schiefert were commissioned and sent off to Go! Do! as they head to the Presbyterian Youth Triennium in West Layfayette, IN this week.

July 24, 2016

Worship will be at 10AM, with coffee hour following at 11AM.

Pastor Doug will be at Luther Seminary Sunday, July 24th—Friday, July 29th. Pastor Ed will be preaching this Sunday on Isaiah 43:16-21 and John 12:1-8 - A New Thing – Did you Notice?



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Week of July 10, 2016



VBS

July 11th —15th



