

# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

Week of November 20, 2016

For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. COLOSSIANS 1:19-20 (NRSV)

Lord Jesus, King of kings, teach us to forgive as you forgive. Amen

## Last week — In review

**Social Dance lessons:** the final session of social dance lessons was last week. Thank you to Terry & Cheryl Harrington for teaching, and the fellowship committee for hosting! Stay tuned for information on a possible springtime class!

**November 20, 2016:** Sunday was Christ the King Sunday. Pastor Doug spoke on Luke 23:33-43, a sermon called *Their God is my God*. He posed the question: do we live and love other people in such a way that others see our lives and say, "their God is my God". Visit the website to read a copy of the sermon.

**November 27, 2016:** Sunday marks the first Sunday in Advent. This Sunday, as we enter this season of preparation and expectation, Pastor Doug will be preaching *The Terror of Advent*, focusing on Malachi 3:1-4 and Luke 1:68-79.

## This week — Looking ahead

**Happy Thanksgiving to everyone!**

**No Youth Activities this Wednesday** due to the Thanksgiving holiday. This includes kids club, confirmation classes, and youth groups.

**Advent Readers:** we need several families or individuals to be readers during the light of the Advent candles at worship services during this season. If you would like to be a reader, please contact the church office. There are many spots still available!

**Laurie Hansen memorial service** will be at Federated Church tomorrow, Nov. 22, at 11am, with visitation the hour before, and a luncheon following the service.

**Christmas Cantata:** Federated Church Christmas Cantata "Go Sing It on the Mountain" on Saturday, December 3 at 4:00 p.m. It is rooted in folk-tune type music by Pepper Choplin. The program runs about 45 minutes, is free and refreshments will be provided after the concert. The performance concludes with the singing of Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" and those in the audience will be invited to join the choir.

## Prayer requests

Please remember the people on our prayer list.:

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

## Weekly Calendar

### MONDAY (11/21)

12:00pm Men's Bible Study

### TUESDAY (11/22)

11:00am Laurie Hansen

Memorial Service

2:00pm United Way

Backpack program

### WEDNESDAY (11/23)

6:00pm Praise Band

6:00pm Bell Rehearsal

7:30pm Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY (11/24)

*Thanksgiving Day*

Church Office Closed

### FRIDAY (11/25)

Church Office Closed

### SUNDAY (11/27)

9:00am Contemporary Worship

9:45am Sunday School

10:00am Adult Sunday School

10:00am Coffee Hour

11:00am Traditional Worship



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