# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

The angel said to the women, "Don't be afraid! I know you are looking for Jesus, who was nailed to a cross. He isn't here! God has raised him to life, just as Jesus said he would." MATTHEW 28:5-6 (CEV)

May the risen Lord Jesus replace your fears with joy, and raise you to new life with him.

## Last week — In review

**Holy Week:** We gathered for worship at 7pm on Maundy Thursday and Good Friday. Pastor Doug preached at both services: *Holiness and Brokenness* (Maundy Thursday), and *Bad Friday* (Good Friday). Both sermons are available online at www.federatedff.org.

**April 16, 2017:** He is Risen! We celebrated the Resurrection of Jesus with worship at 10am, complete with children's sermon, much music (including trumpets!), and a full sanctuar! Pastor Doug preached on Colossians 3 - *A Grave Solution.* To read a copy of the sermon, visit www.federatedff.org. Coffee hour followed worship at 11am. We hope everyone had a joyous Easter celebration!

**April 23, 2017:** This Sunday, we will be celebrating our graduating seniors! There will be one worship service at 10am; following worship, all are invited to the fellowship hall for brunch in honor of the seven graduating seniors. Pastor Doug will be preaching during the worship service, a sermon called *No Memorial Needed*, based on the text in Matthew 28.

# This week — Looking ahead

**National Day of Prayer:** May 4, 2017 // Noon—12:30 // City Hall, 112 Washington Ave Meet at the flagpole to pray with others from the community (in Council Chambers in case of inclement weather).

**Women's Build Day with Habitat for Humanity:** Saturday, May 6th // 9am - Noon Women who are interested in helping with a Habitat house, meet at the Habitat office (421 W. Fir Ave). Call 736-2905 for more details.

Habitat is also looking for someone with building experience to train and teach the volunteers that day. If you are interested, please contact the church office.

**Social Dance Lessons:** Federated Gym // Mondays // 7pm // Teens & Adults Terry & Cheryl Harrington will be offering social dance lessons again! Come as a single or with a partner.

**Remind Text Alerts:** We are now sending schedule updates, reminders, cancellations, etc. via text. If you would like to receive text alerts from the Federated Church, text @ federated to 81010 or go to remind.com/join/federated to join.

## **Prayer requests**

In addition to the people on our prayer list, please remember: Cindy Spidahl's grandson

Congratulations to: Steve & Carri Thompson on the birth of their grandson; Tessa Vogel and Dave Nord who were married in South Dakota today!

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

Week of April 17, 2017

## **Weekly Calendar**

## MONDAY (4/17)

12:00pm Men's Bible Study 7:00pm Social Dance Lessons

#### **TUESDAY (4/18)**

9:00am Parish Nurse 10:00am Ladies Coffee Hour

### WEDNESDAY (4/19)

3:30pm Kid's Club

3:30pm Jr. High Youth Group 6:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal

6:00pm Bell Rehearsal 7:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7:30pm Sr. High Youth Group

### THURSDAY (4/20)

10:30am Women's Bible Study 6:30pm D&E Meeting

#### **SUNDAY (4/23)**

Senior Brunch
10:00am Worship
11:00am Senior Brunch



OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN ARMS.