

The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

Week of May 8, 2017

"A thief comes only to rob, kill, and destroy. I came so that everyone would have life, and have it in its fullest." JOHN 10:10 (CEV)

May the Lord be your Good Shepherd. May God lead you without fear and restore your soul. May God's goodness and mercy follow you all the days of your life.

Last week — In review

Thursday morning Women's Bible Study will not meet during the summer months. Study will resume in the fall with a study of the gospel of John.

May 7, 2017: We gathered for worship at 9am & 11am this Sunday, and celebrated communion at both services. Pastor Doug preached on 1 Peter 2: 19-25, *The GO-CHRIST Challenge*. To read a full copy of the sermon, visit www.federatedff.org. Sunday School, Adult Sunday School, and coffee hour gathered between services, and the parish nurses offered blood pressure checks in the library.

May 14, 2017: Happy Mother's Day! We will gather for worship at 9am & 11am this Sunday, with Sunday School, Adult Sunday School, and coffee hour between services. This will be the last day of regular Sunday School for the school year (next Sunday, May 21, will be one service at 10am, followed by the Ice Cream Social at 11am!) Pastor Doug will be preaching on John 14, a sermon called *Travel Plans*.

This week — Looking ahead

Two free tickets to the Twins Game: Donna Solin has won tickets for the Twins Game on May 27th at 1:10pm in the cities. She has two extras for someone willing to drive her and Matt to the game. Interested? Contact Donna at 218-731-1731.

Community Clean-up Day: Saturday, May 20 // 9am - 4pm
The City of Fergus Falls is having a Community Clean-up Day. Work crew needed! Clean-up volunteers are invited to Union Pizza from 4pm - 6pm that day for a free slice of pizza and a root beer.

Happy 100th Birthday! Join family & friends in celebrating Winnie Clambey's 100th birthday by showering Winnie with cards on May 17th. Send cards to Park Gardens Senior Living, 215 Skogmo Blvd, #214, Fergus Falls, MN 56537. **We will also be celebrating Winnie on May 21st during the 10am worship service, and with ice cream sundaes following worship.**

Bike to Church Sunday: May 21 // all participants will receive a bike light! The city will be providing additional bike racks for our use that morning.

Ice Cream Social: May 21 // Worship, 10am // Ice Cream sundaes, 11am
Celebrate both the end of a great Sunday School year AND Winnie Clambey's 100th birthday with ice cream sundaes following worship!

Prayer requests

Please remember the people on our prayer list. If you have a prayer request, please notify the church office.

Weekly Calendar

MONDAY (5/8)

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

TUESDAY (5/9)

9:00am Parish Nurse
9:00am Staff Meeting
5:30pm Community Engagement
Team Meeting
6:30pm Ministry Night

WEDNESDAY (5/10)

3:30pm Jr. High Youth Group
6:00pm Praise Band
7:30pm Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm Sr. High Youth Group

SUNDAY (5/14)

MOTHER'S DAY

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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