# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

Show me your paths and teach me to follow; guide me by your truth and instruct me. You keep me safe, and I always trust you. PSALM 25: 4-5 (CEV)

Lord, change our hearts and our minds. Give us a desire for your will and the courage to actually do it. Amen.

### Last week — In review

**The Amazing Race:** On Saturday, Federated held The Amazing Race. Contestants embarked on a scavenger hunt around Fergus looking for assigned items. The winning team was able to find all items in a record 15 minutes! After the race, all participants came back to the church to enjoy pizza and fellowship.

**October 1, 2017:** We gathered together for worship at 9:30am with celebration of World Communion Sunday. Sunday School and Coffee Hour followed the service at 10:30am. The sermon for the morning was titled *Give Up Control*. To read a copy of the sermon, visit *www.federatedff.org*.

## This week — Looking ahead

**Confirmation Retreat:** The 7th-9th grade confirmation retreat is Friday, October 6th until Sunday, October 8th around 2:00pm. Please contact Karen at kmad@prtel.com for more information.

**Habitat for Humanity** is looking for volunteers. Federated has partnered with them on their next building project. Volunteers are needed to work on site and prepare food for workers. If you are able to help during the month of October, please contact Stan Carignan at 218-841-2657 for dates and details.

**Meetings:** The Stephen Ministers meeting will be Tuesday, October 3rd at 5:30pm. The Community Engagement team will meet Thursday, October 5th at 4:30pm.

Canceled: There will be no Jr/Sr High Bible Study this Sunday, October 8th.

## **Prayer requests**

In addition to the people on our prayer list, please remember:

Phyllis Behrends, Lois Lillemon and Jess Steinbrenner's Father Also remember victims of the Las Vegas Shooting

Week of October 2, 2017

## **Weekly Calendar**

#### MONDAY (10/2)

12:00pm Men's Bible Study

#### **TUESDAY (10/3)**

9:00am Parish Nurse9:00am Staff Meeting10:00am Ladies Coffee Hour6:30pm Stephen Ministers

#### WEDNESDAY (10/4)

3:30pm Kid's Club
4:20pm 7th-8th Confirmation
6:00pm Praise Band Practice
6:00pm Bell Rehearsal
6:30pm 9th Grade
Confirmation
7:30pm Choir Practice
7:30pm Sr. High Youth Group

#### THURSDAY (10/5)

10:30am Women's Bible Study4:30pm Community

**Engagement Meeting** 

#### FRIDAY (10/6)

Confirmation

Retreat at Clearwater Forest

#### **SUNDAY (10/8)**

9:30am Worship 10:30am Sunday School 10:30am Adult Bible Study 10:30am Coffee Hour



OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN ARMS.