# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor. LUKE 2:52(NRSV)

May the Lord give you wisdom and compassion as you grow in years in your relationship to God and all people.

### Last week — In review

**December 30, 2018:** We gathered for worship at 9:30am with fellowship following at 10:30am. Pastor Doug preached the sermon titled *Two Boys in Church* with the text from 1 Samuel 2:18-20, 26 and Luke 2:41-52. This sermon will not be available online. However, past sermons are available on our website at *www.federatedff.org*.

## This week — Looking ahead

Wishing you a happy and blessed New Year!

**Church Office:** It is going to be pretty quite around here this week. The church office will be closed tomorrow, Jan 1st. But we will be open for the rest of the week.

**Wednesday Activities:** Kids and Youth do not have activities this week Jan 2nd. However, we will have bell and choir practice this week. Kids Club, Youth Group and Confirmation will start again on Jan 9th.

**Confirmation Snack:** Confirmation parents and students, we are needing snack for confirmation on Wednesday nights. If you would like to bring snack, please contact the church office (218)739-3227 or church@federatedff.org.

**Meals By Wheels:** Federated's Meals by Wheels team needs one more driver for Monday, Jan 7th. If you would like to help, please contact the church office this week. Thank you!

**Chili Cook-Off:** Our annual Chili Cook-Off is Sunday, Jan 13th at 10:30am. If you would like to bring a chili to compete, please sign up on the sheet in the fellowship hall or contact the church office. May the best chili win!

**Mark Your Calendars:** The Annual Meeting of the congregation is Sunday, Jan 20th at 10:30am.

## **Prayer requests**

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

Week of December 31, 2018

## **Weekly Calendar**

**TUESDAY (1/1)** 

New Year's: Church Office Closed

#### WEDNESDAY (1/2)

6:00pm Bell Rehearsal 7:30pm Choir Practice

#### FRIDAY (1/4)

10:00am Men's Coffee Hour

#### **SUNDAY (1/6)**

9:30am Worship (Communion)

10:30am Sunday School10:30am Coffee Hour

10:45am Guatemala Meeting



OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN ARMS.