

# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

Week of December 3, 2018

Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all day long. Psalm 25:5 (NRSV)

## Last week — In review

**December 2, 2018:** We gathered for Worship with Communion at 9:30am with Fellowship and Sunday School following at 10:30am. Blood pressure checks were available. Pastor Doug preached the sermon titled *God's Emoji*. To read a copy of this sermon, please visit our website at <http://www.federatedff.org/sermons/>.

**Christmas Cantata:** We enjoyed a wonderful concert on Saturday from our Federated Choir. Thank you to *everyone* who made the evening possible! Also, we say a big "THANK YOU" to our choir director, Karen Hauck and our accompanist, Gloria Ronning. Both are retiring from their positions at the end of the year. We appreciate their hard work and service to Federated Church!

## This week — Looking ahead

**Annual Reports:** Remember, church committees need to submit their annual reports to the church office by Dec 15th.

**Poinsettias** orders need to be in by Dec 7th. If you haven't donated a Poinsettia but would like to, please contact the church office this week.

**Doris Enderson:** This Sunday, during worship, we recognize and honor Doris Enderson as she retires from her position as Bell Director at Federated.

**New Member Class:** If you are interested in becoming a member or want to learn more about the ministry and mission of Federated, join us for an informational meeting, Dec 9th at 10:45am. We will meet in the Parlor.

**Snacks:** We have openings for December Snacks on Wednesday Nights. Both Kid's Club and Confirmation need snack Dec 12th. If you would like to bring snack for either group, please contact the church office (218)739-3227.

**It's a Wonderful Life:** On Dec 22nd at 2pm, the Center for the Arts will show the classic film *It's a Wonderful Life* in memory of Tim Rundquist. This event is free and open to the public.

**Congratulations to** Wayne and Gloria Ronning for recently celebrating their 57th Wedding Anniversary.

## Prayer requests

In addition to the people on our prayer list, please remember: Those in Alaska after the recent earthquake.

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

## Weekly Calendar

### TUESDAY (12/4)

10:00am Ladies Coffee Hour  
10:00am Men's Bible Study  
11:15am Women's Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY (12/5)

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

### FRIDAY (12/7)

10:00am Men's Coffee Hour

### SUNDAY (12/9)

9:30am Worship  
9:30am Recognizing Doris E.  
10:30am School  
10:30am Coffee Hour  
10:45am New Member Class

*Adult Sunday School will not meet Sunday Mornings during Advent.*



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