# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth Luke 16:13 (NRSV)

# Last week — In review

**September 22, 2019:** We worshiped at 9:30am with fellowship and Sunday school following the service at 10:30am. Adult Bible Study began at 10:45am. Pastor Doug delivered the sermon *FOCUS: Faithful Worship* with the text from John 4:7-26. To read a full copy of the sermon, visit www.federatedff.org.

## This week — Looking ahead

**Greeting and Serving:** We need 1-2 more greeters and servers this Sunday, Sept. 29th. Please contact the church if you can help. We appreciate our volunteers! Sunday mornings would not run a smoothly without you!

**Coffee:** Join us for coffee and fellowship at the Village Co-op on Tuesday, Sept. 24th. We will gather in the Community Room at 1pm.

**Confirmation Classes** start this Wednesday, Sept. 25th! 7th-8th grade confirmation is at 3:45pm and 9th grade confirmation is at 6:30pm.

**Habitat For Humanity:** Be part of building on faith! Thrivent and Habitat invite you to a garage build on Sept. 28th from 9am-4pm at 303 Moen Drive in Battle Lake. Together, we will make an immediate impact on local housing and community needs. Lunch is included! On Sept. 29th, the finished house will be open for a tour from 1pm-3pm! If you would like to help with the event, contact the church office for sign-up information.

**Welcome:** Are you interested in becoming a member at Federated? You are welcome to attend an informative meeting about membership on Monday, Sept. 30th at 7pm. We'd love for you to join our faith family!

**Records Reconciliation:** The Board of Deacons & Elders recently authorized a church-wide records reconciliation. In this digital age when contact information changes rapidly, we need to ensure that our information is correct. Over the next two months (September-October) you will receive either an email or a letter which indicates the information we currently have on file for you and your family. The first group of letters will go out this week.

## **Prayer requests**

In addition to the people on our prayer list, please remember: Yvette (Daughter of Yvonne Marts) If you have a prayer request, please notify the church office. Week of September 23, 2019

## **Weekly Calendar**

## **TUESDAY (9/24)**

10:00am Ladies' Coffee Hour10:00am Men's Bible Study1:00pm Coffee at the Village6:00pm Praise Team Practice

#### WEDNESDAY (9/25)

3:45pm Kid's Club

3:45pm 7th-8th Confirmation

6:00pm Bell Practice

6:30pm 9th Confirmation

7:30pm Choir Practice

7:30pm Sr. High Youth Group

### FRIDAY (9/27)

10:00am Men's Coffee Hour

12:30pm Food Shelf

#### SUNDAY (9/29)

9:30am Worship

10:30am Sunday School10:30am Coffee Hour

10:45am Adult Sunday School



OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN ARMS.