

Please help us keep our prayer list updated by informing us graciously when names need to be added and removed. If we have taken off names that you would like for us to continue to remember in prayer please graciously inform us. Thanks.



# JUST A REMINDER ABOUT ONLINE CONTRIBUTIONS!!!!

The church is now offering online contributions. If anyone is interested in contributing online please contact the secretary at the church, if you have any questions or if you are interested. We will have forms you can fill out at the church. Any amount can be contributed and on the day you specify. Contact church at 402-494-1847. Thank you.



The 2017 calendar for altar flowers is here. So if anyone would like to sign up for flowers, please sign your name and also what the flowers represent. Thank you.



Due to federal hospital regulations, HIPPA, hospitals and care centers can only contact the church if you or your family give them permission or directions to do so. There is no way that Pastor can contact all facilities on a regular basis unless he knows of someone is admitted. Please leave message on the answering machine at the church as well as Pastor does have voice mail on his cell phone. If you should be hospitalized and do not receive a visit within 24 hours after contacting the church, please do so again because for whatever reason possibly the message has not been received.

Church: 402-494-1847 or Pastor: 402-368-9929.



Terry Koebernick has graciously volunteered to update our email addresses, phone numbers and addresses. So, if we need to contact you, we will have your current information. We do not give out any information

because we respect your privacy. If your addresses should change please let us know. Please email Terry Koebernick at his email address, koeb@cableone.net. Thank you all for your cooperation.

Be Someone's Hero: AseraCare Hospice needs volunteers to help out in your area to provide support to our terminally ill patients and their families by visiting, reading to someone, or just sitting alongside them on their journey. Online and individualized training is provided. To sign up or find out more, please contact: Jean Hughes, Volunteer Coordinator, or the AseraCare Hospice office at 1-866-300-3479 or email at <a href="mailto:Jeanette.hughes@aseracare.com">Jeanette.hughes@aseracare.com</a>.



### February 2017

## February 5

## "Nothing But Jesus!"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz Amid life's commotion and clamor, what will give us peace? Nothing but Jesus! (1 Corinthians 2:1-16)

## February 12

#### "Here's to Life!"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz Even as the world becomes a meaner, angrier place, God calls us to share His life with others. (Deuteronomy 30:15-20)

## February 19

## "Love Your Enemies--Jesus Does!"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz God calls us to love and forgive our enemies the way He loves and forgives us. (Matthew 5:38-48)

### February 26

## "Guilt's Gone"

Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus

A guilty conscience accuses; a forgiving Savior brings peace to troubles hearts.

(1 Corinthians 6:9-11)



2017 Meeting Schedule Lamplighters 9:30 to 11:00AM First Wednesday of each month.

January 4, 2017----Redeemer (LSA Meeting)

February 1, 2017—Trinity

March 1, 2017—Calvary

April 5, 2017—Concordia (LSA Meeting)

May 3, 2017—Faith Lutheran

June 7, 2017—St. Paul Lutheran

July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017—Hope Lutheran (LSA Meeting)

August 2, 2017—Redeemer Lutheran

Sept 6, 2017—Trinity Lutheran

October 4, 2017—Calvary (LSA Meeting)

November 1, 2017—Concordia Lutheran

December 6, 2017—Faith Lutheran



Abraham Lincoln's Birthday is February 12<sup>th</sup>.



George Washington birthday is February 22<sup>nd</sup>.



A BIG THANK YOU to Deb Reed, John Hammer, Kathy Koch, Taylor Koch and Dawn Hauf for a great job done after the Children Christmas Program. Thank you for the homemade cinnamon rolls and all who helped in the kitchen. It was greatly appreciated.



A reminder to all members of Hope Lutheran that there is a Voter's Meeting held each 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month. Meetings begin at 7:00PM. We need everyone's input. Meetings are held in the Education Building.



Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>.



On Tuesday, February 2, 2017, we will discover if the groundhog will see his shadow. If Punxsutawney Phil sees his shadow there will be six more weeks of winter.



Our new website is www.hopelutheranssc.com



President's Day is February 20<sup>th</sup>.



## Gary W. Thies

Gary Thies, Mission Development Councilor for the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, will be coming to Hope Lutheran Church, South Sioux City, Ne, on Sunday morning February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at the regular scheduled service, at 9:15a.m. and 10:30a.m. Bible Class. Gary will be giving an exciting and interesting presentation on what is happening in the Mission Field of your church around the world. Don't miss this chance to invite a friend and you too can be a missionary.

There will be a potluck dinner at 11:00p.m. The Stewardship Board will be serving Scalloped Ham & Potatoes. We are asking the congregation to bring either salads or desserts. There will be a freewill offering taken, which will be given to Gary Thies.



Don & Rose Johnson would like to thank everyone who visited and sent cards. They would also like thank Pastor Awe for visiting Don at the hospital and at home. God Bless all of you.



Monday – 9am to 1pm Tuesday – 9am to 2pm Wednesday – 9am to 1pm Thursday – 9am to 2pm Friday – 9am to 3pm

Church phone – 402-494-1847 Pastor Awe – 402-368-9929



Many thanks to Pastor Awe for all the nice enjoyable visits, communion and prayer time. Thanks also for the bookmark. Hope Lutheran was mom's life for years and still is.

Love and prayers,
Geraldine Peterson and Lillie Gilster.