

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.



If anyone has a change of address, email address or phone number, please let Terry Koebernick @ koeb@cableone.net. If we have your correct information, we will be able to contact if need be. We do not give out any information because we do respect everyone's privacy.



September 2017

September 3

"Finding Life in Jesus' Steps"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz Take joy in the gift of being a follower of Christ who is willing to take His lead and be ordered by His steps.

(Matthew 16:24-25)

September 10

"Who's the Greatest?"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz Jesus redefined greatness. He came, not to be served, but to serve and to give His life as a ransom for many.

(Matthew 18:1-20)

September 17

"Unleash the Power of Forgiveness in Your Life "

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz Life with God is not about keeping score; it's about living for others in the grace Jesus earned for us.

(Matthew 18:21-35)

September 24

"The Latest Polls"

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

Believing the latest public opinion poll is not the same thing as believing the truth.

(Matthew 21:8-11 and Luke 23:23-25)



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 5th, 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



Our new website is www.hopelutheranssc.com. Take the time to check it out.



2017

President: Darwyn Glover Vice-President: Robert Billiar Treasurer: Pat Glover Secretary: Sheila Floyd Financial Secretary: Bev Towne

(6) Elders:

- 1) Ed Stone-Chairman -2 year term
- 2) Terry Koebernick-1 year term
- 3) Dave Calvert-1 year term
- 4) Kevin Diediker-2 year term
- 5) Richard Quandt-3 year term
- 6) Ervin Messerschmidt-3 year term

(6) Stewardship:

- 1) Deb Reed-Chairman-2 year term
- 2) Clara Woten-1 year term
- 3) Tom Gesell-3 year term
- 4) Cindy Quandt-3 year term
- 5) Barbee Knecht-2 year term
- 6)

(6) Education:

- 1) Joyce Stone-Chairman-1year term
- 2) Mallory Calvert-1year term
- 3) Kathy Schable-1 year term
- 4) Vicki Gesell-1year term
- 5) Viola Pearce-1 year term
- 6) Katie Anderson-3 year term

(3) Trustees:

- 1) Daryl Daum-Chairman
- 2) Dave Schable
- 3) Matt Calvert

(6) Missions:

- 1) Sharon Weber
- 2) Wavne Westin
- 3) Mellissa Reed
- 4) Clarrene Leffler
- 5)
- 6)



Rally Sunday will be held on Sunday, September 10, 2017 at Hope Lutheran Church.



A reminder to all members of Hope Lutheran that there is a Voters Meetings held every 3rd Tuesday of each month. The meetings begin at 7:00pm in the Educational Building. We need everyone's input. All Chairpersons must attend.



Teachers Meeting—there is a mandatory teacher's meeting on Sunday, September 24, @ 12:30pm. All teachers please attend.



Senior Companions Needed

Would you like to make a difference for other adults in your community? If you are 55 or better, the Senior Companion Program would love to help you get started! Volunteer benefits are available. Senior Companion volunteers work with adults one-on-one to help them maintain their independence in their own homes through visiting and assistance. Be that friend and companion to someone who can use your support to improve their quality of life. For more information about being a volunteer or receiving Senior Companion services, please contact the nearest Senior Companion office at 712-476-2628 or 712-224-2610, or view their website

www.rvrseniorvolunteerprograms.



Grandparent's Day is September 10, 2017.



Church Office Hours

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

Church Office—402-494-1847 Pastor Michael Awe—402-386-9929

> Church email hopelutheran@yahoo.com

Pastor's Awe <u>email-</u> The1revma@gmail.com

Website—www.hopelutheranssc.com



Scholarship recipients for 2017 are as follows:

Paige Heinemann
Trey Peace
Korey Stolze
Kelley Stolze
Sierra Jacob
Brooke Heinemann
Jacob Mattoon

Congratulations!!



Labor Day is observed on Monday, September 4th, 2017. The church office will be closed.



The first day of autumn is Friday, September 22, 2017.



On Monday, September 11, 2017, commemorates the 16th anniversary of the terrorists attack on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon. Let's us remember all our fallen heroes.



We would like to thank Pastor Michael Wolfram and Pastor Russell Senstad for helping us out while Pastor Awe was gone in July to Germany and in August to Poland.



A **BIG** thank you for all our volunteers to helped with the ice cream social and everyone who donated pies.



On Saturday, September 9, 2017 from 2-4pm there will be a celebration at Hope Lutheran to celebrate Don Larson's 90th and Lois Larson's 85th birthday. Don and Lois's family invites everyone to come and help celebrate with them. No gifts please.



Her Health Women's Center DIAPER DASH

Walk and Run for Life
Mark your calendars for the 2017
Diaper Dash Walk/Run for Life
Saturday, September 23,
Crystal Cove Park,
South Sioux City, NE.

Check in begins at 9 AM. To celebrate our 30th year of ministry, our goal is to have participation from 30 teams of at least 10 people. We invite churches, small groups, youth groups, MOPS groups, senior groups, exercise groups, businesses, etc. to gather a team together to support LIFE. The whole family can get involved from stroller to wheelchairs. Let's make a difference for LIFE. Register yourself or team at herhealthdiaperdash.com. Opportunities for business sponsorship available for as little as \$100.00.



Call Susie at 712-276-0237.



Redeemer Lutheran Church is looking for vocalists and brass players to perform for the Reformation Celebration on Sunday, October 29, 2017. Rehearsal will begin August 23rd, at 7:15pm at Redeemer. Please contact Danna Hanna at Redeemer at 712-276-1125, or 515-351-1506, or email her at

diannahannaredeemer@gmail.com.



Stewardship Board will be having a meal with entertainment on Saturday, September 30, from 4-8pm at the Senior Center, 1501 W 29th St., South Sioux City, NE. The Senior Center will be serving a Roast Beef dinner with 4 live bands for the entertainment. The cost will be \$7.00 for the meal and entertainment. All proceeds will be donated to the Senior Center and the Thrivent money will be given to Meals-on-Wheels for gas cards. Come and enjoy good food and entertainment.



CAMP OKOBOJI FALL VOLUNTEER WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 28-30, 2017

Thursday, September 28 through Saturday, September 30 has been set aside as Fall Volunteer Weekend. On Sunday, October 1, we will also have a worship service at 9:45am and an Omelet Brunch from 9:30am until 1:00pm. A free will offering will be taken for camp projects and the annual fund.

Join your brothers and sisters in Christ for a fun filled weekend.
There is no fee for housing and meals. We do ask you to call us and let us know your housing and meals needs.

712-337-3325 or

Email: joy@campokoboji.org.

NOTE: Don't forget to RSVP for this year's Volunteer appreciation Dinner, Saturday, September 30, 2017.



Parent/Student Meeting
On Tuesday, September 5 at 8:00PM
there will be an informational meeting
and discussion in regards to
Confirmation classes. Any questions
contact Pastor Awe at 402-369-9929
Confirmation classes start on
Wednesday, September 13 at
4:00pm.



One-night Movie Event

Hosted by our Local LC-MS
Congregations
Sponsored by Thrivent Financial

Don't miss this special showing of the new Martin Luther film at

AMC Theaters Southern Hills Mall Wednesday, September 20th at 5:30pm and 7:30pm.

Join us for a special screening of this entertaining new film that follows the great adventure story of Luther's life, packed with political intrigue, kidnapping, and life-or-death showdowns. At the same time, it's a story about the most important questions of life, including, "Who am I?" What is my purpose" and "How do I get right with God?" This is the first time in more than 60 vears that Lutherans have made a feature-length film about Martin Luther and the Reformation. Filmed in historic locations across Europe, this movie brings Luther's story to life with exquisite attention to detail.

To get your tickets, contact your church office or 712-276-1125.

Tickets may be purchased in advance for \$3.00 or at the door for \$5.00.

Special Pricing on Refreshments \$3 (Free Refills) and Popcorn \$3.