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# **Parish Notes**

## **Welcome to Worship**

**January 14, 2024** 

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# Gathered and gifted to celebrate and share the love of Jesus

**SUNDAY** 9:30 am - Worship

(Children's Sunday School during worship)

10:30 am - Fellowship

11:00 am - Adult Bible Study

MONDAY 9:00 am - Friendly Ties Quilters (1st & 3rd Monday's)

**TUESDAY** 11:00am - Bible Study

**WEDNESDAY** 1:00 pm - Book Club

**THURSDAY** 1:00 pm - Shepherding Bible Study Group – (3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday)

6:30 pm - Church Council meeting – (2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday)

FRIDAY 8:00 pm - AA and Al Anon

Saturday 10:00am - WELCA Ladies (4<sup>th</sup> Saturday)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany John 1:43-51** 

An Attitude of Discipleship – *Inviting*Focus Question – *How do you personally invite and encourage others*to follow Christ?

### **January Birthdays**

<b>Carol Jordan</b>	5
Pam Gould	15
<b>Debra Larsen</b>	17
Anne Engelby	20
Pat Refsdal	22
<b>Chase Rhees</b>	24
<b>Edith Cryts</b>	31

Council Members Needed We will need four new church council members for this coming year. Please prayerfully consider sharing your gifts with our Ascension family by becoming a church council member. Meetings are on the second Thursday of the month beginning at 6:30 PM. If you have any questions or want additional information, please see Eric Engelby, Pat Refsdal, Linda Fallat or Patti Hall.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Jan 27 – WELCA @Golden Corral 10am

**Feb 4** – Annual Congregational Meeting

Feb 4 - VDC Ultreya @ Ascension 3-5pm

**Feb 14** – Ash Wednesday



Thank you to the Sharen Kamp and Carol Stafford for providing treats for coffee hour this morning.

## **New Sign-Up Sheets**

- We need families to sign up for Coffee Hour treats, the list is blank.
- The new Flower Chart for 2024 is available in the Narthex. Sign up - the two flower arrangements are \$30 total per Sunday.

**Synod Assembly Members Needed** We need two members to attend Synod Assembly 25-27 April. This is a very important time for our church as we will be electing our new bishop for the Rocky Mountain Synod. If you are interested or have questions, please speak to Pat Refsdal or Pastor Debra.

**The Shepherding Group** will meet this coming Thursday, January 18, at 1:00 pm, in the Ascension fellowship hall. After dessert, we will look at the fourth "Fruits of the Spirit", PATIENCE.

Hope to see you there!

The 2024 proposed budget is available now for you to review. If you have questions before our meeting, please see Sharen or a member of the council.

We do have a large expense that we will be voting on at our meeting that is not part of the budget. One of the HVAC units in the CLC has failed and needs to be replaced. The cost is almost \$40K. Thankfully, we do have the savings to cover it.

## Please Lift Up in Prayer:

- Bridgit Sloan, mother-in-law of Cindy and Alan's daughter
- Tracie Truitt, friend of Alyson's
- Cory, Nancy Gale's son
- Pam Burbank
- Jessica Stewart, Dick Graves's daughter
- Jefferson Barrett
- Maylan Chugg, Don & Dee's granddaughter
- Chris, friend of Alyson W.
- Judy Sherman
- Henry, Nancy G's grandson
- Sean Zeller, Pastor Gene's nephew
- Cheryl, friend of Alyson
- Mark Hughes and family
- Erik Thompson
- Heidi, Diane Shultz' sister-in-law
- Dick Graves
- Bob Peterson
- Dee Brown
- Toni, Pastor Debra's Sister-in-Law
- Lynn and Carol
- Roxannne, David's sister
- Cindy C.
- Carol Reopelle
- Kim, friend of Bob
- Jack, Pastor Debra's nephew
- Suzy and her family
- Bill, Linda's brother
- Scott Chapan, friend of Dick G.
- Alice, Anastasia, and all the people affected by the war
- Brian Washburn, Kamberlynne's dad
- Bob, friend of James
- Terry, Dee Brown's brother

- Charlie Tufts
- Jean Roberts
- Kim, Kelly's sister
- Carol, Sharen Kamp's cousin
- Judy, friend of Shellie
- Mary, Sharen's daughter-in-law
- Judy Sherman
- Bob Bezyack
- Ruth Dupee, friend of Maria
- Tanya, Friend of Pastor Debra's Daughter
- Dayle Young
- Lynn & Carol Benson
- Alan and Cindy Day
- Don Hughes
- Betsy Daley, friend of Nicole
- Sylvia Oliva, Nicole's Mom
- Carroll & Ken, Nicole's sister & BIL
- Pat Shane, Nicole's Brother-in-Law
- Diana Warkentin

# **†**Praying for Loved Ones in the Military or deployed:

- Steve Johnson
- Kaleb Tarr, Ethan Lee, Michael Connelly (deployed 13 July 17, 2021)
- Dariyan Edsinger
- Mason Bushey and his wife Ida, and family
- Brody Wilcock
- Renee Kiel
- Justin Kiel
- Kris Kiel
- Matt Malde
- Jason Chugg
- Alex Treadway

## <u>January</u> <u>Ascension Ministries</u>

SUN	WORSHIP ASST	ALTAR GUILD	Ushers	GREETERS	ANNOUNCE- MENTS	Stewardship For God's Gory  COUNTERS
Jan 7	Pat Refsdal	Kim Engelby	Todd & Renee Hart	John & Diana Warkentin	Kelly Martin	Renee Hart
Jan 14	Pat Refsdal	Kim Engelby	Patti Hall & Stef Rhees	Joanna Wolf	Kelly Martin	Mark Denniston
Jan 21	Kim Engelby	Kim Engelby	Sharen Kamp	Stefani Rhees	Kelly Martin	Paula DelCarlo
Jan 28	Cindy Dat	Kim Engelby	James Jimenez	CJ Jordan	Kelly Martin	CJ Jordan