PASTOR'S LETTER FOR FEBRUARY 2022

Greetings Friends!

We are already in February and hopefully moving on to warmer temperatures! This a great month to celebrate all the fun holidays: Groundhog's Day, the Super Bowl, and Valentine's Day!

Our Zoom Bible Study is meeting on Tuesday nights at 7pm. It is great to be in fellow-ship and grow in our faith together. We will be studying the Gospel of Luke this month. Next month we will begin our Lenten Bible Study-Lent in Plain Sight: A Devotion Through Ten Objects.

Thanks to everyone who helps with our worship service. I am so very thankful for Ann Driver, Paul and Ann Riggs, Bob Tracy, Wayne Trom, Steve Willert, Steve Springsted, Howard Gransee, Jane and Don Heser, and Dan and Gayle Kaufeld. Thank you to our liturgists for the month of January: Ann Driver, Sue Alberts, Paulette Riedel, Rosalie Trom, and Deb Dodds. Thank you to everyone who set up coffee and brought food for fellowship at the beginning of the month.

My verse for us this month comes from Romans 12:9-10: Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. May we focus our energy on sharing Christ's love with the world this month.

I am so grateful to be your pastor.

Grace and Peace,

Pastor Amanda







February 1 Chris Holtz February 3 Howard Gransee February 11 **Judy Patterson** February 12 Aaron Patterson February 13 Thelma Givan February 14 Rebecca Stephans February 15 Alexander Fogal February17 Peter Carlsen February 24 Genevieve Frodermann Ella Holtz February25 Paul Pogalz



Pray for our servicemen in the military.

- *Todd Livingston with the U.S. Air Force
- *Peyton Wilke with the US Marines.
- *Carol Prenzlow continuing rehabilitation.
- *Donna Dutton for health and continued well being.
- *Grady Lundgren as he continues treatment. Also, his family for continued strength
- *Brevig Family for continued strength



February Session Meeting on February 3rd at 5:30 PM

Worship Committee Meeting on February 27th after church









Thank you to all committee chairs/ secretaries for getting your reports to me for the Annual Report.

Pastor Amanda Boss Rosalie Trom Randy Carlsen **Bob Gransee** Sheryl Scholer Ally Holtz

Amy Borgstrom Jennifer Mittelstadt

Amanda Frodermann, RN Tami Hanson Lisa Carlsen Gayle Kaufeld Thelma Givan Steve Willert

Dan Driver

I'm sure I missed someone, and if so I apologize. Our church is a family, it took everyone working together to get this prepared, corrected and prepared again.

Thank You, Ann Driver,

Your Church Secretary

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Secretary office hours

Wednesday & Friday 9am—noon

Sunday School 9:00 am Worship 10:00 am



PW CORNER

Happy Valentine's Day all PW,

The days continue to march on as 2022 gets its start. Mother nature has definitely let us know that winter is really here, so we just need to think of the beautiful spring weather to come. Since this is the month for Valentine's Day, we all hopefully have a bright spot to anticipate in the middle of the month. Surely we all like to read and think about Cupid and cute little valentines we have received in the past. It is definitely a good month for candy shops and florists!!!

Once again there is no special event planned this month for PW activities. We just need to think ahead to next year and consider the possibility of having a "Cabin Fever" event.

And guess what!!! – our church is scheduled to deliver Meals on Wheels February 14 - 18. That could be a real opportunity for the people delivering the meals that Monday to be creative by adding a little something

special to the meals – and it wouldn't need to be anything edible, use your imagination. As always, many thanks to all who deliver these meals and also to Sharon for all her hard work in obtaining all the people who do the delivering. Sometimes, when the weather is not so nice, it can become a challenge.

Our prayers and kind thoughts continue to be needed for Grady Lundgren and his family as he continues his battle with cancer. We also need to offer our prayers for Carol, and Ruth, as well as all who are in need of our loving kindness. Phone calls and visits are also most welcome, as are some freshly baked goodies.

VALENTINE GLOW

There is a day in February when hearts are so aglow
That little thoughts of springtime reach out to melt the snow.
'Tis love for one another that through cold and gray can shine;

'Tis love for one another that makes a valentine.

Carole Ann Johnston



MOTHER'S VALENTINE

The words don't go where they belong – They wander here and there.

The pasting's also less than neat – But does a mother care?

Indeed she cares not one small whit, For the words say, "I love you",

And the hug and kiss her child bestows with the message say it's true.

She would not trade a valentine – Designed with artist's taste

For this loving little masterpiece – Of sprawling words and paste.

Virginia Blanck Moore

Fond, caring wishes for a very warm and cozy Valentine's Day, and may you all be warm and healthy this month and beyond.

Blessings,

Paulette and Sue, PW co-moderators



Many thanks to all who participated in a special way during the Advent and Christmas Eve worship services.

- o Our ushers: Steve Springsted, Howard Gransee and Bob Tracy
- Our A/V operators: Wayne Trom, Ann & Paul Riggs, Pastor Amanda
- Our musicians: Dan Kaufeld, Quinita Kase, Kristy Johnson, Ann Driver, Rosalie Trom, Sue Alberts, Sheryl Scholer, Deb Dodds, Steve Johnson, Arlin Brigham and Paul Riggs.
- Student musicians: Olivia Willert and Cora Holtz
- o Cantata narrators: Ann Riggs and Paul Pogalz
- o Cantata actors: Carl, Carrie and Case Brevig, Delia Alberts, Jesse and Jared Johnson, Bob Tracy
- o Costume Coordinator: Amy Borgstrom
- o Liturgist coordinator: Rosalie Trom
- o Liturgists: Larry Peterson, Rosalie Trom, Deb Dodds, Sue Alberts
- o Advent Candle Lighting families: Helen Leque & Bob & Karen Tracy, The Dan & Catherine Gruhn Family, The Steve and Michelle Willert Family, The Nate & Heather Gransee Family, and Paul & Conner Pogalz
- All those who donated poinsettias as memorials to beautify the sanctuary
- Our devoted custodians: Jane and Don Heser

As you can see from the list above, it takes a congregation working together to fulfill the needs for sacred worship. It takes a church.



With deep appreciation, The Worship Committee

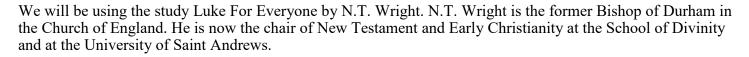


Bible Study

Zoom Bible Study February 2022

Zoom Bible Study will meet virtually on Zoom starting on Tuesday nights at 7pm

Here's what we are studying in February.



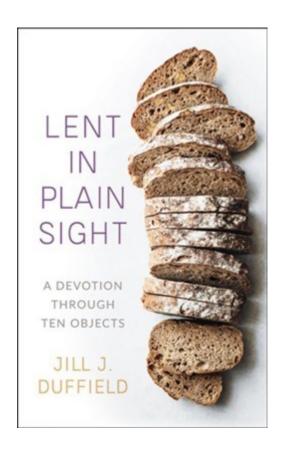
Tuesday February 1 at 7pm- Luke 4: Jesus' Ministry Begins: In Luke 4 Jesus' ministry begins in Galilee, he is rejected in Nazareth, performs several healings and preaches in the synagogues.

Tuesday February 8 No Bible Study

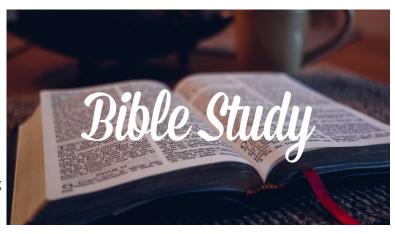
Tuesday February 15 at 7pm- Luke 6: True Obedience: In Luke 6 Jesus calls the twelve apostles, talks about love, judging others, and what true obedience looks like.

Tuesday February 22 at 7pm- Luke 7: True Faith: In Luke 7 Jesus heals a Centurion's servant, raises a widow's son from the dead, and forgives a sinful woman.

The Lent Zoom Bible Study will begin in March. More information to come!







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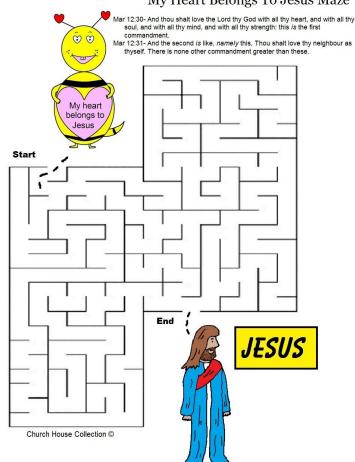




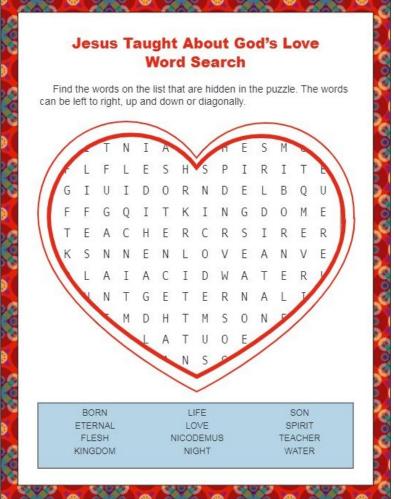
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength.

Deuteronomy 65

My Heart Belongs To Jesus Maze







February 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Zoom Bible Study - 7 PM	2 Choir Practice 6:30 PM	3 Session Mtg at church @ 5:30	4	5
6	7	8 NO Bible Study	9 Choir Practice 6:30 PM	10	11	12
13 Hymn Sing Sunday	14	15 Zoom Bible Study - 7 PM	16 Choir Practice 6:30 PM	17	18	19
	-	N	leals on Whee	s -		
20	21 Presidents' Day	22 Zoom Bible Study - 7 PM	23 Choir Practice 6:30 PM	24	25	26
			Deadline for Newsletter			
27	28					
*Worship Com Meeting after church						

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