**fishAnnouncements**

**Meetings & Events**

**All Services and Meetings are postponed until Thursday, April 30th**

**due to the COVID-19 virus situation.**

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**1 Peter 1:3b-4 – “He has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you.”** We have waiting for us an inheritance – a treasure gathered where moth and rust do not destroy. That should change our perspective on the treasures of this earth. They are fleeting; they come and go. But we can use the treasures of this earth for the work of the Kingdom that will not fade away.

**BABY BOTTLE BLITZ RESULTS**

We held our Baby Bottle Blitz back in the month of February. Thanks to everyone who participated by taking a bottle and filling it with coins and/or cash. Our congregation raised a total of $378.00 for the Center. A thank you from the Center is posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

**BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

Hannah Stuck Birthday April 25th

**TRUSTEE UPDATE**

We are waiting to see what is going to happen with the Governor’s “Stay Home, Stay Safe” order. Our plan to do the membrane work and the drain lines at the beginning of May is dependent on contractors being permitted to be actively working again. Our conversations with the contractors indicate that we should probably be planning on work starting after the Fourth of July. Nordlund and Associates in Ludington is working on our design drawings for our building addition project, but we don’t expect to have those ready until probably the beginning of June. Our thanks to all of you who are providing continuing gifts to the Building Fund. We will keep you updated as we learn more about a start date for replacing the membrane.

**COVID 19 ISSUES – UPDATE OF WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2020**

We are still in a holding pattern with regards to worship services and meetings at the church. Governor Whitmer on Thursday, April 9th extended her “Stay Home. Stay Safe.” order until the end of April. We continue to listen and read the latest information from government offices, Synod and District regarding when we might resume activities.

The quarterly *Portals of Prayer* devotional booklets (April – June) are still available on the kitchen counter. We also have the *Happy Times* booklets for preschool children and the *My Devotions* devotional booklets for elementary age children. You may stop by and pick them up on Wednesday’s or Friday’s in the fellowship hall. We are also making hymnals available for you to take home if you don’t have one. Please feel free to take one from the fellowship hall and use it to follow the weekly service from your home.

The weekly bulletin and Pastor’s sermon are on our website for people to access the lessons and sermon for each Sunday service. There are links to various other online resources for worship there as well. We will continue with Pastor’s Weekly Emails to keep folks informed.

If you would like to receive communion, Pastor would be happy to commune individuals or families here in the fellowship hall. We don’t want to have groups of members coming together, but Pastor will schedule those who desire communion to receive it here. Please contact Pastor if you would like communion.

Messages can be sent to Pastor ([trinityonekama@gmail.com](mailto:trinityonekama@gmail.com)) or the church office ([trinityonekama@sbcglobal.net](mailto:trinityonekama@sbcglobal.net)) if you want information or have news to share. Pastor is still maintaining his office hours on Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:30am to noon if you want to speak directly with him.

People have asked about offering envelopes and giving. You can drop off your envelope at the office on Wednesday and Friday from 9:00am to noon or you can mail it to the church. A deposit was made at on Monday, April 13th of all the envelopes and memorials we’ve received since the end of March. We will continue to make deposits as the gifts are provided.

At this point, we pray for the Lord to keep everyone healthy and safe. We will keep you posted as the situation changes. Keep washing your hands, cover your mouth for coughs and sneezed and maintain your distance from others. If you do become ill from anything, please contact Pastor or the church office so we can get you on the prayer list.



**Special Prayers**

Morris Armbruster Jill Hoseler (Cancer) Marjorie Nelson

Kaydence Devenport Delbert Kelley Barbara Potter

Dylan Gladding Margaret Meachum Steve Schimke

Gayle Harthun (Cancer) Gerald Meister Rev. Jeff Walsh (Cancer)

Bob Hilliard (Heart) Rita Merkey Sandy Wing

**Prayers for Our Military**

**Andrew Burch**, **Jr**., grandson of John & Loree Sprawka.

**Mark Granzotto** with U.S. Navy in Bahrain, grandson of Rita Merkey

**Colonel Joel Briske** serving in Washington D.C. son of the late Bonnie Harnish

**Army Major Riley Morgan Kennedy, s**tationed in Washington, DC, George & Margaret Punches’ grand-niece

**Steve & Carol Sprawka,** son & daughter-in-law of John & Loree Sprawka

**Derek Sprawka,** grandson of John & Loree Sprawka

**Cody Stefanick,** nephew to Janette & Fred May

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Tyge Nelson & family,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Lt. Tim Brandt** at Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

***If you wish to add someone’s name, please call or e-mail the church office.***

***When someone’s name is placed on prayer lists,***

***his or her name will remain until instructed to remove it. Thank you!***

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**CHURCH INFORMATION**

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**Adult Bible Study**: Sunday @ 9:15 am (year round)

**Worship:** Sunday @ 10:30 am **The Lord’s Supper:**  Celebrated 2nd & 4th Sundays

**Pastoral Hours:** Wednesday and Friday 8:30am – Noon

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