**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Wednesday, August 24th Council 7pm

**PLEASE LEAVE ATTENDANCE SHEETS**

 Please remember to fill out the attendance sheet you will find in your bulletin and leave it on the pew when you leave today. Even if you don’t use the attendance sheet, please leave it on the pew and the elders will collect them after the service. The blank sheets will be reused.

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**Luke 12:51 – “Do you think that I have come to give peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.”** Jesus has come to divide us out of the world – to carve out a people for Himself, redeemed by His Blood and trusting His Word. The world hates this Word, but for us it is life and salvation. We seek to follow Jesus' Word in all things because we know Him who gave us the Word: we know He always seeks to bless us.

**DONUTS FOR THE COUNTY FAIR**

The Manistee County Fair begins Tuesday this week. We know there will be 4H activities in the barns this year and grandstand events in the evening. We plan to have the donut wagon at the fairgrounds Tuesday through Saturday. Sign-up sheets are on the counter by the church entrance.

**FOOD PANTRY**

 A reminder to everyone that the St. Joseph Food Pantry is always thankful for our gifts of food. We take everything to their church at the end of each month. Thanks for any support you can provide.

**BIRTHDAYS IN AUGUST**

Helmi Schimke August 21st

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Bob & Jan Hilliard

**Altar Guild:** Joan Malmgren

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 8/21/2022**

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry **Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry

**Elder:** Dennis Wickstrom **Elder:** George Kahl

**Accomp:** William Bankstahl **Accomp:** William Bankstahl

**Acolyte:** Anna Bradford **Acolyte:** Aubry LeSarge

**Reader:** Diane Hanson **Reader:** Kathy Schoedel

**ATTENDANCE**: 8/7/2022

WORSHIP: 52 BIBLE STUDY: Summer Break

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 8/7/2022

Offering Receipts: $2,037.00 YTD Budget Receipts: $89,629.21

Weekly Budget Needs: $2,755.42 YTD Budget Needs: $88,173.44



**Special Prayers**

McAnn Bradford Joan Malmgren Barbara Potter

Mike Ennis Lynda Byrd Meister Steve Schimke

Jeanne Firman Rita Merkey Cecil Somsel

Steve Fredericks Pam Monroe Karen Voigt

Amelia Hosler Jim Poellet Sheldon Voigt

 Shirley Poellet

**Prayers for Our Military**

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

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

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

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

**Alyssa & Trevor Eisenlohr** siblings both with the U.S. Navy, friends of Janette & Fred May

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

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

**Capt. Tim Brandt** at Madigan Medical Center, Fort Lewis, WA, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

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