**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Sunday, December 6th Annual Voters Meeting after Worship

**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. The elders will collect them after the service.

**ANNUAL VOTERS MEETING TODAY**

 Our regular Annual Voters Meeting for the election of officers and approval of the 2021 annual budget will be held TODAY in the sanctuary following worship. Please plan to attend.

**LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTIONS**

 It’s time again to renew or start your new subscription to the LCMS Lutheran Witness magazine. The cost is $11.60 for the year which will be 11 issues of the magazine. You may make the check out to the church and we will submit the renewals and any new subscriptions on your behalf. We need these TODAY to get the subscriptions in to the Michigan District Office this week.

**CHRISTMAS FAMILIES**

 The Board of Evangelism would like to thank everyone for their help in providing for our three Christmas families. We received $250 from Thrivent, $100 from Meijer and $120 in cash donations from members. Loree Sprawka graciously donated 36 knitted hats for all the members of our families. Onekama Public School came and gathered up the gifts for their family this past week and we need the remaining gifts at church by Sunday, December 13th for the two Bear Lake School families. Thank you for supporting these Christmas families and giving them a Merry Christmas!

**LIGHTHOUSE PREGNANCY CARE CENTER DIRECTOR**

 The Lighthouse Pregnancy Care Center is seeking an actively practicing Christian woman to be the Center’s new director. The most important trait you need is a passion for pregnant women and their children. If you’re interested, please visit their website, [www.lighthousepcc.org](http://www.lighthousepcc.org).

**THANK YOU**

 Thank you so much for all the cards you sent me. That means so much to me. Thank you and God Bless! Rosie Hilliard

**CONTACTING THELMA ZALUD**

 Thelma Zalud is recovering at an assisted living home in Mt. Pleasant. If you would like to drop her a card or note, please send them to the following address:

Thelma Zalud

Crestwood Village Assisted Living

2378 S. Lincoln Rd.

Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**2 Peter 3:11 – “Since all these things are thus to be dissolved, what sort of people ought you to be in lives of holiness and godliness …”** All the things of earth have an expiration date: “Good Until the Last Day.” On that Day, all these things will be dissolved. The things that seem so important now will simply cease to be. Peter issues this to us as a challenge. Since this is so, what kind of life should we be living? What should your priorities be? On things or on the things of God?

**BUILDING ADDITION UPDATE**

 The final drawings for the new addition are in our hands. The Trustees are in the process of seeking contractors to look over these plans and submit bids to do the work. Once we receive these bids, we will schedule a Voters Meeting to decide how to proceed with the building addition. If you would like to see the drawings for the addition, please stop by the office on Wednesday or Friday from 9am to noon.

**BIRTHDAYS**

Pam Monroe’s Birthday December 5th

Earl LeSarge’s Birthday December 23rd

***HOLIDAY & ADVENT WORSHIP SCHEDULE***

Sun., Dec. 6th Sunday Worship 10:30am

Wed., Dec. 9th Advent Service in Sanctuary 7pm

 *“A Child is Born – Isaac is Here”*

Sun., Dec. 13th Sunday Worship w/Communion 10:30am

Wed., Dec. 16th Advent Service in Sanctuary 7pm

 *“A Child is Born – Solomon is Here”*

Sun., Dec. 20th Sunday Worship 10:30am

Thur., Dec. 24th Christmas Eve Service 7pm

 *“A Child is Born – Jesus is Here”*

Sun., Dec. 27th Sunday Worship w/Communion 10:30am

**Annual Voters’ Meeting**

**2021 Church Budget and Election of Officers**

Sunday, December 6th following worship

Please join us for this important meeting!