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“Making Jesus Known By Sharing Our Gifts”

October 3, 2021

1004 E. Highland Acres Road
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Faith and Care: Kay Koch, Barb & Bob Wilson

Altar Guild: Jean Kraft, Kim Humann, Ruth Jensen, Sharon Narum

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please contact Connie in the church office 223.1001, if you have a prayer request, or if you will be entering the hospital and would like a pastoral visit.

(We encourage you to take this list home and pray for these people.)

For those struggling with health issues: Maxine Hill, Reece Fischer, Tracy Martinson, Ann Hillesland, Roger Bakke, Erwin and Linda Marson, Quinton and Arlene Wolff, Bonnie Spies, Lois Dolan, Lori Dvorak, Mary Weinberg, Al Samuelson, JoRae Sarsten; Bernice Walton, Nancy Dockter, Dale Heaton, Kim Schultz, Jean Schafer, Gary and LaVonne Hultin, John Behan, Bob Roesler, Cheryl Moore, Josey Hanson, Virginia Smith, LeRoy Tiffany, Cordella Thompson, Janis Sloka III, Kerry Carpenter, Christie Zainhofsky, Emilee Burns, Dora Strand, Kris Wood, Brandon Heaton, Diane Stotz, Earl and Marlene Larson, Betty Fetzer, Todd Wood, Parker Sagsveen, Joyce Wahl, Lisa Robinson

For those dealing with the death of a loved one—the families and friends of: Donna Dohrmann, Matt Hefter

Military deployments: MN 851 VEC deployed to Kuwait

Dates to Remember:

10/4,11,18, 25 Needlework Group 9:30am

October 8,15, 22, 29 Wired Word 1:30

October 5 Gather Bible Study 1:15pm

October 7, 14, 21, 28 Quilter's Group 1:00pm

OCTOBER 10 & 13 STEWARDSHIP FAIR

October 13 Book Club 1:30 "The Wonder of Lost Causes" by Nick Trout

October 25 Knitting 1pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Lutheran Church of the Cross's Worship Service! If you are visiting with us today via livestreaming or in person, we welcome you.

Stewardship Reflection for Sunday, October 3, 2021 ~ 19th Sunday of Pentecost. Mark 10:2-16 He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. 15 Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it." The little children represent those among us who are vulnerable, without power or status. They receive the bounty from God spontaneously, like a gift. Are we this receptive? **SOURCE,** *Faith Simonieg-Assistant to the Bishop.*

The fourth quarter **Christ in our Home** is available. Take home your copy. There are large print booklets and regular. Copies can be mailed out if needed.

Spartan Nash's Direct Your Dollars We are up to \$88,000! \$62,000 to go. Keep turning in the slips please! The slips can be turned into the box in the narthex or placed in the clear plastic bin next to the secretary's door.

Calling all Military Veterans!!

This year at Church of the Cross we would like to recognize the veterans in our congregation with a small gift. First, we must know who you are. If you have ever served our country or know someone that has served, please let us know. You can call the office and let Connie know. There will also be a sign-up sheet at the church. I know we have some members that can't physically make it to church anymore. Please let us know who they are also. We will deliver the gift to them.