

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

HARVEST HOME TOUR BAKE SALE - Please be thinking about what kinds of items you'd like to bring for the bake sale. We're featuring this with a harvest theme (think fall!) so apples, pumpkins, garden produce, things like that. Also, we're not having the cookie walk so a variety of cookies will add to our display. We will again be selling our own *lefse*, and the day set aside for all to help with that is Saturday, September 30th. Carol Turner will be putting up a sign up sheet for that. Here's hoping for the best home tour yet! Karen Rokser and Kathy Brown, co-coordinators for the bake sale.

STRETCH CD--You are invited to join in Stretch on Wednesdays at 9:00 am in the fellowship hall with Ron Iverson. Supplies needed, 2 weights, 2 lbs. or 2 soup cans, 1 stick 18" wide, use a broom handle or 1/2" PVC pipe. Any questions, contact Ron Iverson, 920-254-6105.

ELECTRONIC HEARING DEVICES—Are available to the congregation if needed. See John Stockinger for further information.

CLOVERTON CONCERT—ELCB is co-sponsoring this concert so your support is needed! Please remember to purchase your tickets for the Cloverton Concert at the Heyde Center on Mon, Sept 18th. Doors open to Heyde Center at 5:30 pm and concert area at 6:30 pm. 100% of ticket sales will be donated to Hope Village-Tiny Houses Project! We are now offering a 10% discount for groups of 10 or more. Please call the Heyde Center at 715-720-4961 directly to take advantage of it.

WELCA UPCOMING INCOMING DATES

September 17—Home Tour Meeting
September 24—Raffle Baskets displayed
September 30—Lefse Making Day
October 7—Harvest Home Tour & Bake Sale

IMPORTANT HOME TOUR UPDATES

We have three homes for the tour on October 7th. We are now in the planning phase for the tour. Soon we will need volunteers and creative bakers to help with the Bake Sale and the Harvest Home Tour. The Home Tour Meeting will follow worship on September 17, 2017.

LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY—Pastor Rick will be starting a Lectionary Bible Study on Thurs, Sept, 28th from 9:30-10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. This is for everyone no matter what your Bible background. You may bring your own Bible or one can be provided. We plan to look at the gospel lesson assigned for the upcoming Sunday. You can find the gospel lessons in the devotional book, "Christ in Our Home" or in the Evangelical Lutheran Worship hymnal. We are in the year of "A". We plan to meet weekly.

PAGE TURNERS—Meeting at Marj Bunce's home on Monday, September 18th at 2 pm (please note time change). The book being discussed this week is "The Reader's of Broken Wheel Recommend" by Katrina Bivald.

TO ALL VETERANS—Any Veteran's interested in the Freedom Honor Flight can call the Chippewa County Veterans Affairs office at 715-726-7990.

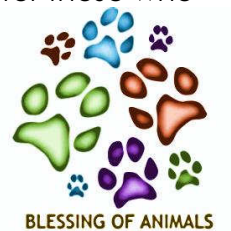
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—For the Cloverton Concert that ELCB is co-sponsoring on Mon, Sept. 18th. Part of the congregation's responsibility is to provide "some labor." The Band needs 5 persons who are over 18 and who can lift, at least 50 lbs., to help the band unload their gear and then, after the concert, to load their gear pack into the truck. The times on Monday are from 1:00 pm to around 4:00 pm and then from 8:30 pm to 10:00 pm. We have to close down the Heyde Center at 10:00 pm. If you can pitch in, please email Chris Stein at acstein@charter.net by Wed, Sept 13th. Any help would be greatly appreciated!

PASTOR VACATION—Pastor Rick will be on vacation from Thursday, Sept 21st to Monday, Sept 25th. The office will still be open normal hours.

7-12 GRADERS & PARENTS—There will be a meeting after confirmation on Wed, Sept 13th at 7 pm to discuss places and dates for a possible mission trip next year.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Pack a blanket and plan to bring your pet for our animal blessing- two weeks from today. The service will take place in our outdoor worship area with extra chairs at the top for those who prefer not to climb stairs. The service will be led by Linda Stockinger and Kay Scharn, our choir director. Please join us for this special service at the usual time of 8:30 am.



SUPPORTING WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP

September 10

Reader: Vivian Dahl
Comm. Asst: Carol Boettcher
Acolytes: **The Ushers, Please**
Greeters: The Boettchers
Ushers: Ian & Carol Turner
Counters: **Volunteers Needed**

September 17

Reader: Carol Dittmar
Comm. Asst: Ruth Ramseier
Acolytes: **The Ushers, Please**
Greeters: Ruth Ramseier
Ushers: Scott Bruhn & Angela Sieg-Bruhn
Counters: **Volunteers Needed**

September 24 (Blessing of the Animals—Outdoors)

Reader: Nancy Nerdrum
Greeters: Dorothy Bauman
Ushers: Jake & Dawn Barone
Counters: **Volunteers Needed**

ATTENDANCE

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PLEASE WEAR YOUR NAME BADGES DURING CHURCH

*If you have lost your badge or need a replacement,
please put a note in the church office door pocket.*

EVENTS CALENDAR

Sept. 10 8:30 am Backpack Blessing
Teacher Installation
Worship, Holy Communion
Sept. 11 6:00 pm EMT Meeting
7:00 pm Church Council
Sept. 13 9:00 am Stretch CD
5:30 pm Wed Nite Live
7:00 pm 7-12 Graders/Parents Meeting
Sept. 14 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal
Sept. 15 10:45 am Pantry Pals Delivery
Sept. 16 9:00 am Pantry Pals Set Up
10:00 am Food Pantry Distribution
Sept. 17 8:30 am Worship, Holy Communion
Home Tour Meeting follows
Page Turners- Marj Bunce's Home
Sept. 18 2:00 pm
Sept. 18 7:00 pm **CLOVERTON CONCERT at
the Heyde Center**
Sept. 20 9:00 am Stretch CD (fellowship hall)
Sept. 21 9:30 am Bible study starts Sept. 28
7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal
Sept. 23 7:00 am Men's Breakfast
Sept. 24 8:30 am Worship, Outdoor, Blessing of
the Animals; Choir Sings
Sept. 27 9:00 am Stretch CD (fellowship hall)
Sept. 27 5:30 pm Wed Nite Live
Sept. 28 9:30 am Bible study—New!
7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal

SUNDAY MORNING HOSPITALITY

The sign-up sheet for hospitality is located on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. Please sign up to bring 3 dozen cookies (or breads, etc.) and serve on a given Sunday morning. Two people / families are needed per Sunday.

**Volunteers are needed for many Sundays
morning hospitality coming up!**

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