

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sun., Nov. 7

- 8:30 AM Traditional Worship with Holy Communion
- 9:35 Sunday School
- 10:30 AM Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion & Live Stream on YouTube
- 5:00 PM Just-for-Kix

Mon., Nov. 8

- 4:30 PM Just-for-Kix
- 7:00 PM Al-Anon (Library)
- 8:00 PM Monday Night Fellowship @ Brau Brothers

Tues., Nov. 9

- 1:30 PM Sarah Circle
- 4:30 PM Just-for-Kix
- 6:00 PM Adult Children of Alcoholics

Wed., Nov. 10

- 12:00 PM 12@12
- 5:30 PM Confirmation
- 7:30 PM CIA/Sr. Youth

Thurs., Nov. 11

- 9:00 AM Senior Coffee
- 10:00 AM Worship on Studio 1
- 4:30 PM Just-for-Kix
- 5:15 PM NHCC Board Meeting
- 5:30 PM Women's Recovery

Fri., Nov. 12

- 6:30 PM Alcoholics Anon.
- 7:00 PM Worship on Studio 1

Sat., Nov. 13

- 9:30 AM Karen 7th Day Adventist

Sun., Nov. 14

- 8:30 AM Traditional Worship with Holy Communion
- 9:35 Sunday School
- 10:30 AM Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion
- 10:30 AM Worship Live Stream on YouTube
- 1:00 PM Heartland Ephphatha Ministries

Proclaiming and Serving Jesus Christ



PRAYERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We remember in prayer these and all others we name in our hearts:

- David Roberts (brother of Val Breczinski, cancer)
- Delores Manke (hospice)
- Ellen Wischer (in hospice)
- Emmett Amundson (Newborn son of Sam & Alissa Amundson, born at 26.5 weeks, in NICU)
- Lilly Bursell (forthcoming Hip Surgery)
- Myles Schnoor (recovering from back surgery)
- Phil Green (nephew of Roger Green, has ALS)
- Rollie Winter (Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma)
- Family of Marvin Uhrich (grandfather of Emily Hoppe)
- Family of Norman Evers (grandfather of Shelby Vosberg)
- Family of Peter Mollenhouer (brother-in-law of Joseph Karanja)

Help Kaylee Juutilainen Find a Kidney!

A young St. Stephen member, Kaylee Juutilainen, is in need of a kidney. Please consider being a donor! Go to mhealth.donor.screen.org/register/now to begin the process!

Quilters

Reminder that the Quilters meet the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays during the school year. All are welcome.

**24th Sunday After Pentecost
November 7th, 2021**

† Worship with Holy Communion

Senior Coffee Fellowship
Thursdays, 9:30-10:30am in the Fellowship Hall. All welcome.

Baptism Today

Wesley Dean Kern, the son of Michael & Emily Kern is being baptized today. Wesley was born on August 1st, 2021. His sponsors are Josh and Heidi Chell.

Baptism Today

Ethan Dean Cordes, the son of Andrew & Heather Cordes is being baptized today. Ethan was born on August 20th, 2021. His sponsors are Matt & Alizabeth Cordes and Jessica Coil.

Sabbatical

Reminder that Pastor Lyle is on Sabbatical from Nov. 8th through Dec. 6th. Please contact Seth Boerboom for any pastoral needs during this time.

Cookie Walk

The annual cookie walk youth fundraiser will be Saturday, Dec. 4th from 9am-11am. Contact Stacy Schwartz for more details.

Beer Launch Party

Join us on Friday, Dec. 10th at 7pm at Brau Brothers in Marshall to celebrate the launch of our new beer "St. Stephen's German Sermon".



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Judy Hoeft.....Pianist
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Lisa Rosenboom.... Assist. Teacher
Melissa Doose..... Assist. Teacher
Michaela Abels.....Extended Care

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Lesson - 1st Kings 17:8-16

⁸The word of the LORD came to [Elijah,] saying, ⁹“Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you.” ¹⁰So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, “Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink.” ¹¹As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, “Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.” ¹²But she said, “As the LORD your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die.” ¹³Elijah said to her, “Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. ¹⁴For thus says the LORD the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the LORD sends rain on the earth.” ¹⁵She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. ¹⁶The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the LORD that he spoke by Elijah.

Second Lesson - Hebrews 9:24-28

²⁴Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. ²⁵Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; ²⁶for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of him-

self. ²⁷And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, ²⁸so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

Gospel Lesson - Mark 12:38-44

³⁸As [Jesus] taught, he said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, ³⁹and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! ⁴⁰They devour widows’ houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.” ⁴¹He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. ⁴²A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. ⁴³Then he called his disciples and said to them, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. ⁴⁴For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

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| Presiding | Lyle Snyder | Acolyte | Haylee Kirchner (8:30) Emily Rosenboom (10:30) |
| Assisting Minister | Paige Doose (8:30) Vance Marty (10:30) | Lector | Eric Wallen (8:30) Shanda Walker(10:30) |
| Musician | Judy DeCramer (8:30) Judy Hoeft (10:30) | Video | Troy Kepler (10:30) |
| Projector | Cannon Craigmile (8:30) Karson Miller (10:30) | Communion | Michelle Castor (8:30) Lyle Moseng (10:30) |
| Usher | Robert & Wanda Moline (8:30) Carey & Megan Mattison (10:30) | Altar Guild | Kari Loft |
| | | Bread | Sarah Kepler |