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God's work. Our hands.

“Hope is called the anchor of the soul (Hebrews 6:19) because it gives stability to the Christian life. But hope is not simply a ‘wish’ (I wish that such-and-such would take place); rather, it is that which latches on to the certainty of the promises of the future that God has made.”

—RC Sproul



JANUARY 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<i>New Year's Day</i> 1 ●9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
<i>Communion</i> 2 ●9:30am One Service Sunday—Traditional Worship & Livestream	3 ●5pm Just-for-Kix ●8pm Monday Night Fellowship	4 ●10:30am Second Harvest Heartland ●1pm Quilting ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●7pm Adult Children of Alcoholics	5 ●12pm 12@12 ●6:30pm Confirmation Huddle Guide Meeting	6 ●9am Sr Coffee ●10am on Studio1 ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●5:30pm Women's Recovery	7 ●6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous ●7pm Worship on Studio1	8 ●9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
9 ●8:30am Traditional Worship ●9:35am Sunday School ●10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream ●1:00pm Heartland Ephphatha Ministries	10 ●5pm Just-for-Kix ●8pm Monday Night Fellowship	11 ●1:30pm Sarah Circle ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●7pm Adult Children of Alcoholics ●7pm Church Council	12 ●12pm 12@12 ●5:30pm Confirmation ●7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth	13 ●9am Red Cross ●9am Sr. Coffee ●9am Worship on Studio1 ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●5:15pm NHCC ●5:30pm Women's Recovery	14 ●6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous ●7pm Worship on Studio1	15 ●9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
<i>Communion</i> 16 ●8:30am Worship ●9:30am Annual Mtg ●9:35am Sunday School ●10:30am Worship & Livestream <i>ANNUAL MEETING</i>	17 ●5pm Just-for-Kix ●8pm Monday Night Fellowship	18 ●1pm Quilting ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●7pm Adult Children of Alcoholics	19 ●12pm 12@12 ●5:30pm Confirmation ●7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth	20 ●9am Sr. Coffee ●10am Worship on Studio1 ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●5:30pm Women's Recovery	21 ●6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous ●7pm Worship on Studio1	22 ●9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
23 ●8:30am Traditional Worship ●9:35am Sunday School ●10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream	24 ●5pm Just-for-Kix ●8pm Monday Night Fellowship	25 ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●7pm Adult Children of Alcoholics	26 ●12pm 12@12 ●5:30pm Confirmation Fellowship Event ●7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth	27 ●9am Sr. Coffee ●10am Worship on Studio1 ●4:30pm Just-for-Kix ●5:30pm Women's Recovery	28 ●5pm Dance Team ●6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous ●7pm Worship on Studio1	29 ●9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
30 ●8:30am Traditional Worship ●10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream ●1pm Piano Contest	31 ●5pm Just-for-Kix ●8pm Monday Night Fellowship <i>Pizza Ranch Youth Fundraiser</i>					

FEBRUARY 2022

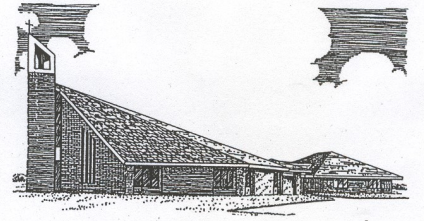
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:30am Second Harvest Heartland 1:00 Quilting 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 6pm Adult Children of Alcoholics 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12pm 12@12 5:30pm Confirmation 7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth 	3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9am Sr. Coffee 10am on Studio1 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 5:30pm Women's Recovery 	4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous 7pm Worship on Studio1 	5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
6 <i>Communion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:35am Sunday School 10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream 	7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5pm Just-for-Kix 8pm Monday Night Fellowship 	8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:30pm Sarah Circle 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 7pm Adult Children of Alcoholics 	9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12pm 12@12 5:30pm Confirmation 7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth 	10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9am Sr. Coffee 10am Worship on Studio1 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 5:15pm NHCC 5:30pm Women's Recovery 	11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous 7pm Worship on Studio1 	12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:35am Sunday School 10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream 1:00pm Heartland Ephphatha Ministries 	14 <i>Valentine's Day</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5pm Just-for-Kix 8pm Monday Night Fellowship 	15 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00pm Quilting 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 6pm Adult Children of Alcoholics 7pm Church Council 	16 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12pm 12@12 5:30pm Confirmation 7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth 	17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9am Area V Meeting 9am Sr. Coffee 10am Worship on Studio1 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 5:30pm Women's Recovery 	18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous 7pm Worship on Studio1 	19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service 11am Bridal Shower
20 <i>Communion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:35am Sunday School 10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream 	21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 7pm Alanon 8pm Monday Night Fellowship 	22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 6pm Adult Children of Alcoholics 	23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12pm 12@12 5:30pm Confirmation Fellowship Event 7:30pm CIA/SR High Youth 	24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9am Sr. Coffee 10am Worship on Studio1 4:30pm Just-for-Kix 5:30pm Women's Recovery 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous 7pm Worship on Studio1 	26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Karen 7th Day Adventist Service
27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:35am Milestone Sunday (K, 1st & 4th) 10:30am Contemporary Worship & Livestream 1pm Music SW 	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7pm Alanon 8pm Monday Night Fellowship 					

January 2022



St. Stephen
LUTHERAN CHURCH

proclaiming and serving Jesus Christ



Worship Calendar

Date	
1/2/22	1 Service at 9:30 *Communion
1/9/22	8:30am & 10:30am Worship
1/16/22	8:30am & 10:30am Worship *Communion ANNUAL MEETING at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall.
1/23/22	8:30am & 10:30am Worship
1/30/22	8:30am & 10:30am Worship



Beginning in
January
Communion
will be offered
the 1st and
3rd Sundays
for the time
being.

PLEASE JOIN US

ANNUAL MEETING

January 16th, 2022

9:30am

Fellowship Hall

Sunday School Calendar

January

Date	
1/2/22	No Sunday School
1/9/22	Service Sunday
1/16/22	VBS Sunday
1/23/22	Traditional Sunday
1/30/22	No Sunday School

February

Date	
2/6/22	Traditional Sunday
2/13/22	Service Sunday (email with details to come)
2/20/22	VBS Sunday
2/27/22	No Sunday School

Staff

- Katie Brockberg, Preschool Director
- Lauren Winn, Financial Assistant
- Wendy Towne, Office Assistant
- Judy DeCramer, Organist
- Gunvar Dombek, Organist
- Mary Hauschild, Organist
- Judy Hoeft, Pianist
- Lisa Rosenboom, Assistant Teacher
- Melissa Doose, Assistant Teacher
- Michaela Abels, Preschool Extended Care
- Emily Kern, Preschool Extended Care

Congregation Council

- Jasmine Steffen, President (term ends Jan. 2023)
- Erin Kuehl, Vice President (term ends Jan. 2023)
- Josh Allerson, Treasurer (term ends Jan. 2022)
- Carlton Johnson, Secretary (term ends Jan. 2023)
- Dalton Edens, Youth Member (term ends Jan. 2023)
- Gichia (Joseph) Karanja, Member at Large (term ends Jan. 2023)
- Bill Cowden, Member at Large (term ends Jan. 2022)
- Ryan Guse, Member at Large (term ends Jan. 2023)
- Cody Kesteloot, Young Adult Member (term ends Jan. 2023)

Readings for January 2022

Date	1st Lesson	2nd Lesson	Gospel
1/2/22	Jeremiah 31:7-14	Ephesians 1:3-14	John 1:10-18
1/9/22	Isaiah 43:1-7	Acts 8:14-17	Luke 3:15-17, 21-22
1/16/22	Isaiah 62:1-5	1 Corinthians 12:1-11	John 2:1-11
1/23/22	Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10	1 Corinthians 12:12-31a	Luke 4:14-21
1/30/22	Jeremiah 1:4-10	1 Corinthians 13:1-13	Luke 4:21-30

Ministry Team Schedules

Please join a ministry team—many hands make light work! We would love to fill all ministry teams so that you are scheduled to serve once a quarter.

Please contact Wendy (wendy.towne@ststephenmarshall.org) in the office to join one (or more!) of the ministry teams and include which service you prefer to serve at.

You can join a ministry team at any time!

8:30 Lectors

Date	Name
1/2/22 1 Service 9:30	Abbie Boelter
1/9/22	Paul Bridgland
1/16/22	John DeCramer
1/23/22	Bethany Janachovsky
1/30/22	Eric Wallen

10:30 Lectors

Date	Name
1/2/22	1 Service 9:30
1/9/22	Jolene Breczinski
1/16/22	Charlie Ehlers
1/23/22	Kirk Grannes
1/30/22	Billie Laleman

Altar Guild

Date	Name
1/2/22	Brenda Citrowske
1/9/22	Nicole Lewis
1/16/22	Kari Loft
1/23/22	Andy Headlin
1/30/22	Brenda Citrowske

Communion Bread

Date	Name
1/2/22	Gina Buss
1/9/22	N/A
1/16/22	Brenda Citrowske
1/23/22	N/A
1/30/22	N/A

8:30 Ushers

Date	Name
1/2/22	Eric Wallen
1/9/22	Mike Citrowske
1/16/22	Dale & Carol Howe
1/23/22	Bob & Wanda Moline
1/30/22	Matthew Stuewe

10:30 Ushers

Date	Name
1/2/22	1 Service 9:30
1/9/22	Jolane Allerson
1/16/22	Kevin Dubs
1/23/22	Charlie Ehlers
1/30/22	Josh Johnson

8:30 Communion Team

Date	Name
1/2/22 1 Service 9:30	Bethany Janachovsky
1/9/22	N/A
1/16/22	Hailey Brandt
1/23/22	N/A
1/30/22	N/A

10:30 Communion Team

Date	Name
1/2/22	1 Service 9:30
1/9/22	N/A
1/16/22	Karen Bielinski
1/23/22	N/A
1/30/22	N/A

10:30 Audio / Video

Date	Name
1/2/22 1 Service 9:30	Craig Holland
1/9/22	Troy Kepler
1/16/22	Cody Kesteloot
1/23/22	Blake Weedman
1/30/22	Craig Holland

Ministry Teams:

Lector— Read the lessons during service.

Usher— Greet, dismiss rows for communion, count attendance, collect offering at service.

Communion Team— Serve communion during service (bread, wine, cups).

Video / Sound— Operate sound system and livestream during service.

Altar Guild— Prepare the Sanctuary for worship.

Communion Bread— Provide 2 loaves of bread to the Sacristy for Communion services.

8:30 Acolyte

Date	Name
1/2/22 1 Service 9:30	TBD
1/9/22	Trenton Klenken
1/16/22	Brody Riess
1/23/22	Tattyana Rykhus
1/30/22	Keaton Rhea

10:30 Acolyte

Date	Name
1/2/22	1 Service 9:30
1/9/22	Mikaylee Gunderson
1/16/22	Teagen Kompelien
1/23/22	Haylee Kirchner
1/30/22	Oakley Schneekloth

8:30 Projector

Date	Name
1/2/22 1 Service 9:30	Jacob Allen
1/9/22	Cash Branstner
1/16/22	Owen Brewers
1/23/22	Emily Weedman
1/30/22	Grady Guetter

10:30 Projector

Date	Name
1/2/22	1 Service 9:30
1/9/22	Tori Bursell
1/16/22	Karson Miller
1/23/22	Ethan Mattison
1/30/22	Avery Schneekloth

8:30 Assistant

Date	Name
1/2/22	N/A
1/9/22	N/A
1/16/22	N/A
1/23/22	N/A
1/30/22	N/A

*There will not
be a worship
Assistant for
January.*

10:30 Assistant

Date	Name
1/2/22	N/A
1/9/22	N/A
1/16/22	N/A
1/23/22	N/A
1/30/22	N/A

Confirmation Youth Ministry Teams:

Acolyte (6th grade) – Light candles before service and extinguish at the end.

Projector (7th grade) – Advance the screen slides on the projector computer for services.

Assistant (8th grade) – Read the prayer of the day, the offering prayer & the dismissal.



Prairie Home Hospice & Community Care is proud to offer Home Care & Hospice Services!

We are committed to serving the community through the delivery of exceptional services and compassionate care, as a trusted leader in home care and hospice services. We are honored to offer these services wherever a client desires. Whether that be in a different facility, in one of our hospice homes, or at their own home, we are happy to assist however their wishes request.

To learn more about all of the services that Prairie Home Hospice & Community Care has to offer, please visit www.prairiehomehospice.org or call (507) 337-0080.

October & November 2021 Financials

Oct	Actual	Budget	B/(W) Budget	Nov	Actual	Budget	B/(W) Budget
Giving/Income	25,170.64	28,721.02	(3,550.38)	Giving/Income	29,259.73	28,043.66	1,216.07
Expenses	11,581.68	23,925.73	12,344.05	Expenses	24,780.35	23,234.19	(1,546.16)
Net Income	13,588.96	4,795.29	8,793.67	Net Income	4,479.38	4,809.47	(330.09)
Oct YTD				Nov YTD			
Giving/Income	294,924.89	286,348.60	8,576.29	Giving/Income	324,184.62	314,392.26	9,792.36
Expenses	200,334.08	240,763.30	40,429.22	Expenses	225,114.43	263,997.49	38,883.06
Net Income	94,590.81	45,585.30	49,005.51	Net Income	99,070.19	50,394.77	48,675.42
General Fund Checking Account			330,157.22	General Fund Checking Account			331,338.43
Prior Balance			325,717.80	Prior Balance			330,157.22
Mortgage			634,567.43	Mortgage			632,073.35

Help Kaylee find a kidney!

A young St. Stephen member, Kaylee Juutilainen, is in need of a kidney. You can go to the St. Stephen Facebook or YouTube pages to watch the video meeting Kaylee. Please consider being a donor. Go to mhealth.donorscreen.org/register/now to begin the process!

St. Stephen Happenings

St. Stephen's own Jason Anderson taught the Sunday School students about serving by telling about his time on deployment in the desert.



37 of our youth attended the Junior High youth gathering in Willmar the weekend of November 19th and 20th. We were well represented with the most youth of all congregations in attendance!



8 very brave adults battled sleep deprivation to make sure the experience was a great one. God was present, God was good, and many, many cups of coffee were consumed.



The Preschool wants to say THANK YOU to everyone who was involved in making our new playground possible. Several individuals put in many

hours to help build our playground and the landscape around it. The children have been enjoying playing on our new equipment; recently they have figured out how fast they can go down the slide if there is a little bit of snow on the slide.



The children enjoyed spreading some Christmas cheer at our Christmas Program on Wed. Dec. 15th. Thank You to the Senior Coffee members for coming and watching our program the week before, so we could practice singing in front of an audience before singing our hearts out to our parents, grandparents and everyone else who attended our program.

On Sunday, November 7th, Wesley Kern, the Son of Mike & Emily Kern, was baptized.

Welcome to the Lord's Family Wesley!



On Sunday, November 7th, Ethan Cordes, the son of Andrew & Heather Cordes, was baptized.

Welcome to the Lord's Family Ethan!



On Sunday, December 12th Hudson Sowden, son of Cody & Alex Sowden, was baptized.

Welcome to the Lord's Family Hudson!

