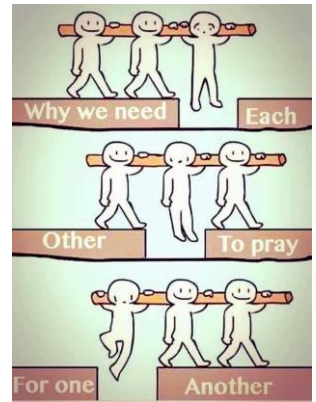


ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayers for Others Greg Akason, Jane Lobitz, Mabel Schneider, Kay and Jake Jacobson, Milt & Kathleen Wilkinson, Raymond Austin, Theresa Samuels, Laura Hagemann, Donald and Marion DeJong, Josh Peterson, Tom Williams, Dale & Sandy Gronhovd, Virginia Kolba family, Dolores Johnson family, Vern Bancroft family, Carley Farley Meade family.

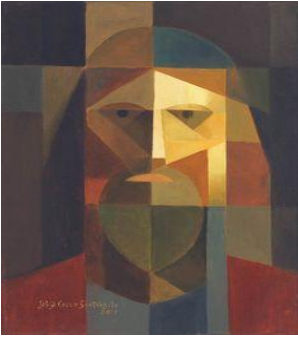


Centering Prayer Practice - 2 Opportunities

Sunday Mornings 9:30am at First Presbyterian Church, Jean Taylor leads a small group in various contemplative practices. We explore Ignatian Meditation, Embodiment, Loving Kindness meditation, for example, and every session ends with teaching and practice in Centering Prayer. Contemplation is an opportunity to go deeper than just the mind to realize that we are beings of Body, Mind and Spirit. God connects with us beyond words. Come cultivate stillness within, and learn to simply sit satisfied in the presence of God. Sunday school Room 3.

Sunday Evening at 7:00 pm, at the Meadowlark Building a community led by Preston Hall gathers to practice Centering Prayer. We begin with a brief introduction, followed by 20 minutes of practice. You are welcome to continue to sit in silence, or join the group in discussion, and feel free to leave when you are ready up until 8:30. The Meadowlark Building basement is at 503 7th Street North Fargo.





Lenten Meditations - through all of Lent please join us for Lenten Meditations, Wednesdays from 7:00-7:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary. This is a time of reflection as we prepare for Easter

******In keeping with hygienic practices, please limit your passing of the peace to elbow bumps or bows. Keep the flu virus at bay!******

One Great Hour of Sharing One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) is our denomination's (PC-USA) special offering that takes place during Lent each year. Donations to the OGHS special offering make a difference in the lives of people in need around the world through three highly developed, well-managed, impactful programs:

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) - works alongside communities around the globe as they recover and find hope after the devastation of natural or human-caused disasters: hurricanes, floods, tornadoes, fires, etc. PDA supports both immediate and long-term recovery efforts. website: presbyterianmission.org/pda

Presbyterian Hunger Program (PHP) - takes actions to alleviate hunger, care for creation, and the systemic causes of poverty so all may be fed. website: presbyterianmission.org/hunger

Self-Development of People (SDOP) - invests in communities responding to their experiences of oppression, poverty and injustice and educates Presbyterians about the impact of these issues. Over the years multiple SDOP grants and projects have been carried out in our local communities. web site: presbyterianmission.org/sdop

Gifts to this special offering are designed to go above our regular giving so that we can join with other Presbyterians to have a significant impact far beyond the doors of First Presbyterian of Moorhead. So please take some time during this Lenten season to consider what financial gifts you might offer to God's people in need.

Church Office Schedule Due to Robert and Lisa's upcoming vacations the church office will have revised coverage as follows: Week of March 16th - Wednesday, Thursday.

Pastor Robert's March Vacation - Pastor Robert will be on vacation from March 10 - March 29. For pastoral emergencies Pastor Cathy Bishop and Pastor Paul Campbell will be filling in according to the schedule below. For anything administrative or pertaining to worship please contact the appropriate committee or Lisa at the office.

March 10-21 - Cathie Bishop 712-490-8333; March 22-29 - Paul Campbell 712-490-0961 For prayer concerns and Deacon visitations contact Barb Worman at 701-367-9498.

Guest Preachers in March

Sunday, March 15 Jean Taylor; Sunday, March 22 Rev. Sue Koesterman;

Sunday, March 29 Dave Lanpher

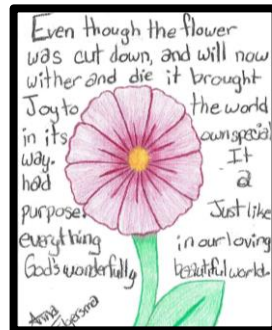
Action Committee Lenten Project In addition to our on-going food drive, the Action Committee is doing a "Special Needs" drive during lent. We are asking church members to donate paper products such as tissues, toilet paper, paper towels, and diapers. Diapers are especially needed. These items cannot be purchased with food stamps. We will stack the items in fellowship hall and they will be taken to Churches United for Homeless shelter after Easter. Let's see how big of a pile we can make.



Children's Worship

As we travel through Lent and look forward to Easter our Bible stories this month will focus on major events in the life of Jesus - stories of healing, feeding, teaching, loving. Children's Worship is an opportunity for young children to encounter and worship God. This includes biblical stories, prayers, and creative response activities that help children begin to understand scripture and experience God's presence. Following the children's sermon each week, children (ages 3 years through grade 2) gather in room 10 for this developmentally appropriate worship time.

Art in Worship If you're between the ages of 3rd grade - 12th grade, head over to the "Art in Worship" corner. Kids and youth are free to keep their hands busy while still participating in worship. Kids will read along during key moments of the service. Make sure to ask your kids what they made and what they heard during the service.



Calendar of Events

Sunday, March 15th

9:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
12:30-5:00 p.m.

Third Sunday of Lent

Sunday School
Worship
Korean Church

Monday, March 16th

9:00-5:00 p.m.

Craft Day

Tuesday, March 17th

11:00 a.m.

Silver Sneakers

Wednesday, March 18th

11:00 a.m.
6:00 p.m.
7:00-7:30 p.m.
7:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Church Calendar Deadline

Korean Bible Study
Chimes
Lenten Meditations (Sanctuary)
Choir
Korean Bible Study

Thursday, March 19th

11:00 a.m.

Silver Sneakers

Friday, March 20th

6:00-10:00 p.m.

Newsletter Deadline

orean Church Worship

Saturday, March 21st

5:30 p.m.

Card Club

Sunday, Marc 22nd

9:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
12:30-5:00 p.m.

4th Sunday of Lent

Sunday School
Worship
Korean Church

