



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Pastor Jeffrey Hubers
December 31, 2017

9:00 a.m.
Combined Service

Call to Worship

*Greet One Another

*Hymn of Praise

#133 "Hark the Herald Angels Sing"

Prayers of God's People

Mike Asmus, elder

Offering Our Gifts to God

Andy Mentele, deacon

We will receive the General fund offering first this morning, followed by a special 5th Sunday offering for the Abbott House.

Please sign the worship registry during offering time.

4 yr. olds - 2nd graders dismissed for Children & Worship

*Hymn

#345 "Blessed Assurance"

Scripture

Luke 15:1-7

Message

"The 99, and the 1" ~ Pastor Fred Wilgenburg

*Benediction

*Parting Song

#138 "Go, Tell It On the Mountain"

***To listen to the service on the phone, dial 990-6338 & put in 13201 as attendee number.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES:

Dec. 31: NEW YEAR'S EVE

Combined service ~ 9:00 a.m.

No fellowship time or Sunday School

5th Sunday offering for the Abbott House

January 1, 2018: NEW YEAR'S DAY - Church office will be closed

January 3: Hope Bible study meets ~ 6:15 p.m.

(Hope Bible study leader - Joann)

January 7: Sunday School classes resume

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE:

Pray for individuals & families dealing with serious health issues:

Steve Huber's aunt

Scott Appletoft's sister, Lori

Ryan, Shirley Baas' grandson,

Clarice Adema

Dale Houchin's cousin, Lynn,

Jeff Hoffman

Vicky Graves, brother-in-law, Bryan

Loren Menning

Jean Marie, Dan Moller's sister,

Gregg Hielema

Mike Ligtenberg's tests came back showing small spot on lungs - pray for discernment & treatment

Needing our prayers:

*Ray Bleeker was hospitalized on Tuesday, decisions need to be made

*Jared, Dana Hansen's brother, cancer is worsening, pray for peace & strength for his family

*Martha Weg has been hospitalized with an ulcer, returned home on the 24th, taking things easy with family there to care for her

*Bob Buchele's sister, Lois, will have heart surgery soon

*Pamela Davis, Doug & Jeanine Bleeker's daughter, will have surgery on January 3

*Jay Anderson needs 3-4 months of healing before proceeding with the next treatments he might need

*Dave Christenson's back surgery was successful, pray for pain management

*Norma & Gene Larsen's daughter, Amy, is doing well - cancer free!

*Doug Bleeker, Loren Menning & Donald Rueb to regain their strength

*Pray for the workers on the church's construction site for safety and timely progress in completing the building

*Continued prayers for all those struggling with cold/flu and other seasonal illness

*Pray for the tragedies going on around the world - terrorist attacks, suicide bombers, earthquakes, disease and famine, especially the Philippines after being struck by a typhoon this week

*Pray for the military and those fighting against the war on terrorism
*Pray for our president, his cabinet, our military, and leaders as they combat and discern actions against our enemies

*Safe traveling for all those over the next couple weeks - pray for good weather, good traveling conditions, safety and caution for all drivers, pilots, and emergency responders

Mission/Outreach

Continent of the month: Europe/Asia

Mission of the week: Abbott House

Classis Church of the week: Chancellor Reformed ~ Chancellor

Mitchell Church of the week: Resurrection Lutheran ~ John Hansen

FRC local mission of the week: Love Feast

Persecuted Church of Christ: Mexico

WELCOME TEAM: (for both 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. services)

Welcome Team	Date
Dale/Sharon Houchin	Dec. 31 (only 9:00 a.m. service)
John/Karla Koons	Jan. 7, 2018
LeRoy/Susan Punt	Jan. 14
Scott/Nicole Gerlach	Jan. 21 (only 8:30 service)

FELLOWSHIP TIME:

Dec. 31: No fellowship time
 Jan. 7, 2018: Judy VanderPol
 Jan. 14: Janet Klinger
 Jan. 21: Coffee only - congregational meeting

BASIC INFORMATION:

Attendance December 24: 171
 General offering received December 24: \$3,780.00
 Weekly offering needed: \$6,817.92

NURSERY

NURSERY for babies - 3 yr olds.

Today: 9:00 a.m. ~ Stevens family

No Sunday School

Jan. 7th: 8:30 a.m. ~ Schladweiler family
 9:45 a.m. ~ Kim K. & Kari H.
 11:00 a.m. ~ Kyle & Vicky Graves
 Jan. 10th: Verla V. & Shirley B.
 Jan. 14th: 8:30 a.m. ~ Mentele family
 9:45 a.m. ~ Teri R. & Amy A.
 11:00 a.m. ~ Vicki A. & Teri R.
 Jan. 17th: Amanda S. & Alicia W.

CHILDREN and WORSHIP for 4 yr. olds - 2nd grade

Today: "Christmas: Meeting the Christ Child"

1st Leader - Carolyn; Greeters - Mandy S.

Jan. 7, 2018: "Listening to God/Baptism"

1st Leader - Mandy; Greeters - Pam P.

2nd Leader - Mandy; Greeters - Kathy M.

Jan. 14, 2018: "Jesus Is Baptized"

1st Leader - Kari; Greeters - Jana O.

2nd Leader - April; Greeters - Alyssa & Anthony G.

Women's Special Event "Deep Roots in Hope", with Shar Grove, a former member of First, Tuesday, January 9th, at Northridge Baptist Church - 7 p.m.

No charge—free will offering only.

Sign up sheet in the lobby to indicate if you will attend so that appropriate plans can be made.

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Hope Bible Study will begin a new study on Wednesday, January 3, 2018. We will be studying "Dwelling in God's Peace" by Sarah Young.

If you'd like to be a part of this study please contact Joann Moller at 605-680-4207 or e-mail [djmoller@santel.net](mailto:djmoller@santel.net) so that books can be ordered in time.

Love Bible study will begin meeting on January 10th at 6:15 p.m. Our study will be "Let It Go" by Karen Ehman. "How to stop running the show and start walking in faith". Contact Mavis Anderson if you would like to join the study.

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Congregational Meeting
SUNDAY,
JANUARY 21st, 2018
immediately following the
8:30 a.m. worship service

Nominated for elder:

Curt Brands

Brian McDaniel

John Koons

Scot VanderPol

Nominated for deacon:

Dennis Butterfield

Kurt Menning

Laurie Kent

Dan Pranger

Terms fulfilled:

Elders:

Gregg Bleeker

Brad Zomer

Deacons:

Scott Gerlach

Leroy Punt



Greetings to all,

PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO WALK OVER TO THE FELLOWSHIP HALL TO SEE IF YOU HAVE MAIL!