**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Wednesday, January 5th Elders 7pm

Sunday, January 9th Christian Ed. 12:15pm

Tuesday, January 11th Trustees 7pm

**ATTENDANCE SHEETS**

 Please remember to fill out the attendance sheet you will find in your bulletin and leave it on the pew when you leave today. The elders will collect them after the service.

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**Luke 2:40 – “And the child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom. And the favor of God was upon him.”** At Christmas, God became man. And as a man, Jesus grew up and increased in strength and wisdom. We are called to follow in the footsteps of Jesus, to grow in His image. The power for this growth comes from receiving the grace of Jesus in His Word and Sacraments. How is the Lord calling you to grow this year?

**LAST CALL FOR OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2022**

 You will find the new offering envelopes for 2022 on the table in the narthex. Those of you who are new members will find envelopes there as well. If you find the address wrong, please let Scott know so he can get it corrected. Also, if you want envelopes but don’t see any in your name, please contact Scott so we can get some to you. Please pick them up before you leave today.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES NEXT WEEK**

 The Sunday School children spent December practicing for their Christmas Program. They will begin meeting again next Sunday, January 9th. Hope to see everyone there!

**PORTALS OF PRAYER**

 You will find the newest quarterly Portals of Prayer devotions for January through March of 2022 on the ledge near the church doors. Please take the size copy you desire.

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Becky Kline

**Altar Guild:** Bev LeSarge

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 1/2/2022**

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry **Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry

**Elder:** Ted Bromley **Elder:**

**Accomp:** William Bankstahl **Accomp:** William Bankstahl

**Acolyte:** **Acolyte:**

**Reader:** Pastor **Reader:** Pastor

**ATTENDANCE**: 12/19/2021

WORSHIP: 65 BIBLE STUDY: 00

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 12/19/2021

Offering Receipts: $4,855.00 YTD Budget Receipts: $152,463.51

Weekly Budget Needs: $2,766.27 YTD Budget Needs: $141,079.77



**Special Prayers**

Nellie Blakley Jim Poellet Steve Schimke

Steve Fredericks Shirley Poellet Phyllis Schramski

Joan Malmgren Barbara Potter Cecil Somsel

Lynda Byrd Meister Marge Reckow Rev. Jeff Walsh (Cancer)

Candi Moerdyk Jim Reeves Steve Zupin

Pam Monroe

**Prayers for Our Military**

**Andrew Burch**, **Jr**., grandson of John & Loree Sprawka.

**Mark Granzotto** with U.S. Navy in Bahrain, grandson of Rita Merkey

**Army Major Riley Morgan Kennedy, s**tationed in Washington, DC, George & Margaret Punches’ grand-niece

**Carol Sprawka,** daughter-in-law of John & Loree Sprawka

**Derek Sprawka,** grandson of John & Loree Sprawka

**Alyssa Eisenlohr** with the U.S. Navy in Japan, friend of Janette & Fred May

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Tyge Nelson & family,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Capt. Tim Brandt** at Madigan Medical Center, Fort Lewis, WA, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

***If you wish to add someone’s name, please call or e-mail the church office.***