**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Tuesday, September 12th Trustees 7pm

Wednesday, September 20th SWAT 7pm

Wednesday, September 27th Council 7pm

**PLEASE LEAVE 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. Even if you don’t use the attendance sheet, please leave it on the pew and the elders will collect them after the service. The blank sheets will be reused.

**BIBLE STUDY BEGINS TODAY**

 We’ve taken a summer break and now we return to regular Sunday Morning Bible Study and we will hold a Monday Bible Study. Today, we began Bible Study at 9:30am and continued with our examination of the Book of Revelation. We will start a new Monday Bible Study tomorrow September 11th at 4:00pm and 7:00pm where we will look at a study on the Book of Daniel. Please mark your calendar and join us for this time of study and fellowship.

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

 We are approaching the start of another school year both locally and for college bound students. The Endowment Board has money available for scholarships. Applications are on the ledge near the church entrance and online at the church website. Please pick up a scholarship application and return it to the Endowment Board by September 30th.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS TODAY**

 We started our fall Sunday School for ages 3-10 TODAYat 9:30am. Please let Renee Blackmore know if you can assist in the classroom as a helper even if it’s just for a few Sundays.

**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

Kathi McNeil Birthday Sept. 25th

**LPCC NEWS**

 What a wonderful summer it has been in Manistee! We hope you’ve all enjoyed the beautiful weather and had time to relax. The staff at Lighthouse Pregnancy Care Center have had the opportunity to spend time with lots of folks coming through our doors and have distributed many diapers, wipes, clothes, baby food, and furniture. Our shelves are now a little empty and if you are able to help it would be appreciated. We are in need of:

Diapers (size 4,5,6)

Wipes (packs of 50-70)

Clothes (especially sizes 3T and 4T)

Baby Food

High Chairs

 Sue Johnson will be happy to take the items you donate to the Center for you if you want to bring them to church on Sundays. We are open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00am-4:30pm and are located at 215 Maple Street in Manistee. Please give us a call at 398-7984 if you have any questions. Thanks for all of your support!

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Harlen & Kathleen Meister

**Altar Guild:** Rodney & Jerilyn Schimke

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 9/17/2023**

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

**Elder:** George Kahl **Elder:** Jim Poellet

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

**Acolyte:** Ashlyn Blackmore **Acolyte:** Leah Sherry

**Reader:** Diane Hanson **Reader:** Kathy Schoedel

**ATTENDANCE**: 9/3/2023

WORSHIP: 52 BIBLE STUDY: 0

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 9/3/2023

Offering Receipts: $2,915.00 YTD Budget Receipts: $ 97,823.25

Weekly Budget Needs: $2,954.57 YTD Budget Needs: $106,364.52



**Special Prayers**

Bill Bankstahl Pam Monroe Steve Schimke

Bill Erickson Jim Poellet Phyllis Schramski

Becky Kline Shirley Poellet Terri Vertalka

Lavonne Miller Bill Ralls

**Prayers for Our Military**

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

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

**Alyssa & Trevor Eisenlohr** siblings both with the U.S. Navy, friends of Janette & Fred May

**Jordan Fink**, grandson of Bill and Lila Fink

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

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack Nelson

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

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

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