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Christ-centered - Living, Relating, Serving

January 28, 2018

Prelude	
Call to Worship	
Welcome	
Opening Prayer	
Gathering Hymns God of the Bible	STJ #27
Children's Story	
Offering/Prayer	
Worship Music - hymnal insert	How Great Thou Art
Scripture	Ephesians 4:1 (Pew Bible p. 618)
Sermon	Unity: Balancing the Scales
One is the Body	STJ #72
Sharing Time	
Pastoral Prayer	
Sending Hymn The Peace of the earth be with you	STJ #77
Benediction	
Musical Response	
Postlude	

PRAYER CONCERNS

Jr. High Winter Retreat at Swan Lake February 2-4
Additional Concerns

TODAY - January 28

Greeters: Donovan & Sherryl Friesen 9:45 am: Worship Service Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch Worship Music: Bruce & Monica Hofer Worship Leader, Children's Time & Message: Jack Scandrett Coffee Time: Eric & Michelle Neuharth 12:00-1:30pm: Soup meal followed by Bible Study - The Holy Spirit Shapes the Church

NEXT SUNDAY – February 4

Greeters: Steve Mendel and Moses Glanzer 9:45 am: Worship Service Accompanists: Charlene Friesen, Madeline Hofer, Claire Hofer Worship Leader: Todd Koerner Message & Children's time: Jack Scandrett Worship Music: Cameron & Rina Hofer Coffee Time: Cameron & Rina Hofer 11:10 am: Sunday School for all ages 12:00-1:30pm: Soup meal followed by Bible Study - How Do spiritual practices empower us to maintain the unity of the body?

JANUARY PROJECTS

Congregational Ministries: Blankets, sheets & towels for MCC. (See mailbox insert for details)

Children's S.S. Department: MCC Project

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, February 11: Soup meal followed by Bible Study, 12:30-1:30pm

A note from the Transitional Pastor: If you wish to meet with me, please sign up. Sign-up sheets in back of the church. It is my wish to complete the interviews by mid-February. Thanks

CONNECTING TO THE COMMUNITY & Beyond

Swan Lake Christian Camp is hosting a Valentine's Banquet on February 11, 2018 at 6:00 pm.

There will be music along with a home cooked meal. There is no cost for the event, but a free will donation will be taken. All proceeds will go towards support of our youth camping program. **Reservations are required by February 9** and can be made by calling 605-326-5690 or by email at campoffice@myslcc.com

Women of Central Plains: You are invited to "Sister Care: Equipping Women for Healing Ministries" at the Leadership Center in Aurora, Nebraska, on March 3-4, 2018. Sister Care seminars provide women with tools for ongoing personal healing, for recognizing and celebrating God's grace in their lives, and for responding more confidently to the needs of others. Sister Care is a ministry of Mennonite Women USA and will be led by Rhoda Keener, former director of Mennonite Women USA, and Carolyn Heggen, psychotherapist. For more information or to register online, visit: www.FMCLincoln.org/WomensRetreatSisterCare or contact First Mennonite Lincoln Church member Carol Knieriem at carolknieriem@hotmail.com or 402-366-6598.

SCHMECKFEST:

- Cottage cheese pocket making days: January 30, Feb. 20 & Feb 27 starting at 9 a.m., in the Pioneer Hall basement. Everyone is welcome to help-men and women. You don't have to know how to make them, we will teach you. If you have any questions, contact June Pullman or Boni Hofer.
- Noodle making days (for the Country Kitchen & meals): Saturday, February 10 & Tuesday, February 13, in the Pioneer Hall dining room starting at 9 a.m. In the event a "snow date" is needed, noodles also will be made on Saturday, February 17. Cancellations will be announced on the Courier and Freeman Academy websites. Volunteers to help with the noodle making project will be appreciated. Bring a friend and enjoy the fellowship!

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