

Prayer Journal

Prayer requests will be listed in the prayer journal for three weeks. If desired, please let Shannon know that you would like items to remain on the list.

Our Nation & Local Community

- Our president, governor, federal and state representatives, mayor, city, and county representatives
- Firefighters and Emergency Medical Responders

Those Suffering Injury or Illness

- The people of Ukraine, Juniper Power, Bryan Fevold, Jennie Stutsman & Hugo Sanchez (Angela Smith's friends with cancer), Millie Peterson (Barb's great-niece), Kent Pedersen, Marie Schaner (Lindsay Teigen's mom), Patty Jenks (Linda Bundy's sister-in-law with cancer)

Our Partners in Mission & Ministry

- **Training Pastors & Missionaries** - *Lutheran Brethren Seminary*
– Dr. Allan Bjerkaas, Director of Distance Education
- **Across the World** - *Lutheran Brethren International Mission*
- **BEN & SARA Hosch**

Ben and Sara have been in Taiwan since fall of 2018. In late 2021 they moved to Taichung City to work alongside Taichung Victory Church. They plan to do ministry with students at a nearby university as well as outreach to grassroots families in their community. Please pray for Ben, Sara, and their five kids as they continue to transition to their new life and ministry in Taichung.



Close to Home - *North American Mission*– Church Plant in Lincoln, ND.
Pray for:

- Praise God for Carl Juhl answering the call to be the Church Planting Pastor, along with his wife Emily
- resources to embark on a building program and for Carl & Emily's ongoing support
- **Sister Congregations**
– Messiah Lutheran Brethren Church
Pastor Todd Anderson, Brown Mills, New Jersey
- **Our Living Faith Family**
– Ron & Barb Quale
– Matt Rich
– JoAnne Ross
– Rodney & Susan Sampsel, Fallon
- **Pray for more workers** “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.” (Luke 10:2 ESV)
- **The Persecuted Church** Following devastating rains and landslides in Mugu district, Nepal, the Christian family of one front-line worker faced additional hardship because of their faith. After villagers' houses and fields were destroyed by the landslides, they made temporary shelters from plastic tarps. While Hindu villagers were assigned small areas of land where they could set up their shelters, the family of the front-line worker were not permitted to stay there because the villagers believed the Christians would offend the local Hindu gods.



Order of Worship

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

January 29, 2023

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Gathering Song

All Around the World

Welcome

Call to Worship

Psalms 15

Prayer

Songs of Praise

As The Deer

More Like Jesus

Old Testament Reading

Micah 6:1-8

Epistle Reading

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

The Apostle's Creed

Children's Message

Prayers of the Church

Tithes & Offerings

Hymn

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5:1-12

Sermon *Foolish, Weak & Insignificant* 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Hymn

Facing a Task Unfinished

Benediction

Doxology

Next Week's Readings: Isaiah 58:3-9a, 1 Corinthians 2:1-16,
Matthew 5:13-20

This Week



Wednesday, February 1 God Uses Gideon

- 4:15 PM Catechism Class (Option 1)
- 5:15 PM Supper & Fellowship
- 6:00 PM Classes for all ages
- 7:15 PM Catechism Class (Option 2)

Thursday, February 2

6:00 PM Board of Christian Education Meeting

Sunday, February 5

- 9:30 AM Morning Prayer
- 10:00 AM Worship Service

GIVING HEARTS DAY

GOAL: \$200,000
MATCHING GIFTS AVAILABLE ON THE FIRST \$100,000

"Under the guidance of faithful professors, my love and respect for the Bible continues to grow."
Carl Juhl
Distance Ed. Student

Give on or before Feb. 9 www.CLBA.org/giving

Upcoming Birthdays

Jan 29	Kasen Teigen	Feb 1	Heston Jenks	Feb 1	Nathanael Ellis
Feb 3	Ethan Mitchell	Feb 3	Jens Mitchell	Feb 6	Jordyn Pedersen
Feb 7	Jeffrey Kindel	Feb 9	Pieter Buckle	Feb 10	Silas Kindel
Feb 15	Marlene Fridley	Feb 17	Evelina Jacobson	Feb 18	Kamre Boltz
Feb 21	Ethan Yoder	Feb 22	Anna Garcia	Feb 22	Henry Jellested
Feb 23	Luke Nottestad	Feb 24	Bridger Smith	Feb 26	Samuel Kindel
Feb 27	Naomi Hodnefield	Feb 27	Kenneth Warren		

BEDROCK YOUTH GROUP

SNOW DAY

FEBRUARY 10TH 4:30-7:00

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Seth Vander Ley's Installation

DIRECTOR OF YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

PIE FELLOWSHIP TO FOLLOW

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH

CONTACT MARCIA TO BRING PIE @ 701-770-0792

Young Adult Rendezvous

Join Seth for a meal & short briefing

Sunday, February 12th, 12 - 1 pm