

Concordia Lutheran Church

"Learning, Living, Sharing the Gospel"
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Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Your Sunday morning Adult Bible Study is not to be missed! We are discussing our way through 1 Corinthians, currently working on chapters 5 & 6. Very appropriate for our day and age. Last Sunday, we pondered the connection between these chapters and the #MeToo movement with good discussion and focused application.

I want to encourage you in your own study, reflection and application of God's Word!

Psalm 119 highlights six (6) unique and important ways to approach God's Word. These include *hearing* God's Word being read, *reading* God's Word aloud, *studying* God's Word by asking questions and seeking answers, *memorizing* God's Word, *meditating* upon God's Word, and *applying* God's Word to the various situations of daily life.

These specific activities summarize the work we do every Sunday morning, beginning at 9:15am in our Fellowship Hall downstairs. Again, I want to encourage you in your own study, reflection and application of God's Word. Might you join with us?

I really enjoy ... okay, I love it ... digging into the Scripture with the intent of better knowing the LORD our Creator/Redeemer and better understanding the "how" and "way" we live in His Kingdom.

And, I affirm the observation that says, "We need to put God back into all those places where we've asked Him to leave: schools, businesses, courts, government, culture, media, entertainment, etc." What do you think?

I'm convinced that this world needs more Christians who are humbly Christian, not less. That is why I encourage you in your own study, reflection and application of God's Word.

Questions: Are there more ways that I can help your study, reflection and application of God's Word? What would help you grow in seeing the world as Jesus sees the world? What ways would you take advantage of and get involved in a thoughtful application of God's Word for your life?

Let me know what you think.

Luv ya'!

Pastor Craig

Happy November Birthdays

Happy November Anniversary

11-1 Bob Knapp 11-19 Laura Bradfield 11-1 Chris Duryea 11-21 Suzanne Holm

11-3 Joanne Boomgarden 11-22 Jack Taylor

11-5 Jack Craig

11-11 Bob & Linda Knapp



Check out the new website!!



STEAMBOAT SK8CHURCH

On Monday nights Sk8 Church hosts middle school kids, where they feed about 25-30 students a donated meal. On Thursday nights they host the high school/college youth where they feed about 30-35 students a donated meal. They are looking to cover dates in Nov. and Dec. with meals for these programs, and would love to have some specific donors cover one specific Monday or Thursday of the month (or every other month) into the new year. Please email Amber @ Sk8 Church if you are interested: amber@steamboatsk8church.com

Thanks!

COOKIE CAPER 2018

Baking Dates are...

- * Friday, Nov. 2nd
- * Monday, Nov. 5th
- * Tuesday, Nov. 6th
- * Friday, Nov. 9th
- * Monday, Nov. 12th

From 10:30am-2pm - Bring a lunch





Collection Week: Nov. 11-Nov 18

Only a few more weeks to Pack Your Christmas Shoe Boxes! Start now collecting material for your children's Christmas box. Pick up information and a box at the Operation Christmas Child display in the church lobby. All boxes must be returned to the church no later than Sunday, November 18th.

Concordia serves as a Routt & Jackson County Collection Center for Operation Christmas Child. We receive the boxes, pack them in large shipping boxes and deliver them to the regional collection center. A few volunteers might be needed. Let the church office know if you can help.

SAVE THE DATES!!

Men's Bible Breakfast: November 13th at 7am @ the Egg & I.

<u>Christmas Bazaar:</u> Saturday, November 17th from 9am-12pm Crafters, Cookie Bakers, Specialty Item Makers... we need you!

<u>Thanksgiving Eve Service Soup & Pie Dinner:</u> Wednesday, November 21st Please bring a soup, pie or dessert to share.

1st Advent Soup Supper & Worship Service: Wednesday, November 28th

CONCORDIA'S FINANCIAL SUMMARY YTD Through September 2018

P&L SUMMARY	YTD ACT	YTD BUD	Over/(Under) Budget
CONTRIBUTIONS	\$202,483	\$202,200	\$ 283
EXPENSES	\$213,237	\$215,792	(\$2,555)
NET SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) (Contrib. over Expenses)	(\$10,754)	(\$13,592)	\$2,838

CASH AVAILABLE at September 30, 2018:

YVB CHECKING \$29,244

LCEF MMF BALANCE \$168,802 LESS SPECIFIED PORTION (\$120,409)

LCEF AVAILABLE \$ 48,393 TOTAL CASH AVAILABLE \$ 77,637

MORTGAGE BALANCE (3.875%) \$176,770