



KINDRED CONNECTIONS

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"This I call to mind and therefore I have hope: Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. I say to myself, "The Lord is my portion; therefore I will wait for him."

Lamentations 3:21-24

Hello Church,

Happy New Year! I sincerely pray that during this past holiday season you had a moment to look around and reflect on the blessings God has delivered to each of us. Perhaps you were surrounded by family or just sitting quietly alone watching the snow fall...great is His steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever (Psalm 117:2).

We've had a full and adventurous year at Kindred Lutheran Church, eh? Throughout all the changes we experienced in 2021, I have felt continued appreciation and care from all of my fellow Saints; especially from the Church Council and various committee members whom I support from this office. It is a joy to serve with you all!

On Sunday February 6th after the worship service, the Church Council will present the KLC Annual Report. This document is for you! It's an opportunity for us to summarize and comment on KLC activities from the past year. This meeting is also important to attend because members of KLC will be asked to vote on vital issues like next year's budgetary plan and the approval of new Church Council members. Please mark your calendars to participate in this important activity of our church life.

Peace to you all.

In Christ,

Bekki DuBord

Administrative Assistant



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sent to serve

THANK YOU!



Thank you to all who donated to the Kindred Kids project this past Christmas season. Pajamas and self-care items were donated to the families of the Jeremiah Program of Fargo-Moorhead. Together with other community organizations, we helped JP moms create a magical season for all their children.



Jeremiah Program, Fargo-Moorhead
December 17, 2021 at 10:54 AM · 🌐



Our office looks like Santa's workshop! Thank you to everyone who adopted a family this holiday season. You've helped JP moms create a magical season for all the JP kids. Special thanks to [Fargo Police Department](#), [The Vanity Bar](#), [Kindred Lutheran Church](#), [Golden Drive HomelessKids](#), and [Triumph Lutheran Brethren Church](#).
[#magicalseason](#) [#jeremiahprogramfargomoorhead](#)

JANUARY BAPTISMAL BIRTHDAYS

Karen Brayton 01/00
Bristol Swanson 01/00
Roger Johnson 01/03
Jay Olson 01/03
Karen Hertsgaard 01/05
Tenille Bakko 01/08
Dylan Brandt 01/09
Treyton Teberg 01/09
Nicholle Zurn 01/10
Gavin Rude 01/10
Bria Anderson 01/10
Darryl Olson 01/11
Masie Score 01/14
Tate Miller 01/14
Owen Hoyme 01/15
Taya Spelhaug 01/17
Daryl Brandt 01/19
Lori Pearson 01/20
Taeryn Teberg 01/20
William Engstrom 01/22
Riley Miller 01/25
Sue Overboe 01/26
Tyler Sahr 01/26
Cora Johnson 01/28
John Hertsgaard 01/29
Suzanne Boyer 01/29
Candace Mattson 01/29
Susan Johnson 01/30
Jack Ilvedson 01/30
David Roe 01/31
Jackie Miller 01/31

KINDRED KIDS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Kindred Kids Christmas program was held during worship on Sunday, Dec 19th. Thanks to Erin Kub, Tarrand Fiesel, the Sunday School teachers, and our guest musicians for creating this delightful performance! Sunday School re-starts Jan 9th @ 9am.



Financial Giving to the General Fund for 2021 will be finalized in the Annual Report (published February 6th):

**Annual Budget \$230,619
Received in 2021 \$162,617
Needed Each Month \$19,218
Given in December \$21,550**

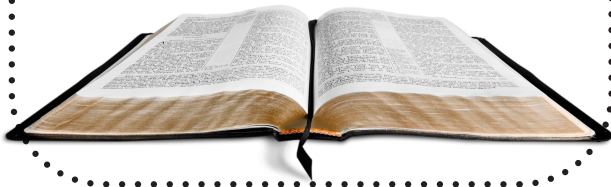


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Confirmation

Resumes

Jan 12 @ 4pm



Youth

Come Jan 12 @

5:45pm-7pm for Pizza

and Games

New Schedule to come.



DEADLINE APPROACHING

REGISTRATION OPEN UNTIL JAN 21, 2022

KLC Youth are joining with Davenport and Walcott Youth for this year's Gathering
8th-12th grade

\$390 Registration Fee

***Down payment of \$150 due during registration**

We'll be doing fundraising to help with the fees!

You can find Trish for a registration packet or check the mailbox outside her office to pick one up.

*Participants and Adult Leaders must be covid vaccinated **OR** provide proof of a negative Covid test 72 hrs prior to the event per Gathering requirements*



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council notes

Kindred Lutheran Church - Council Meeting November 22, 2021

Call to Order-Meeting called to order at 7:10pm by Lisa. Lloyd, Lori, Lisa, Gene and Kathryn present. Susie, Rich and Pastor Michael absent.

Our Purpose

Reflection Time

Additions / Approval of Agenda

Secretary's Report/Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve September meeting minutes by Lori, second by Lloyd. Motion to approve October meeting minutes by Kathryn, second by Lori.

Treasurer's Report / Approval of Report:

- Almost \$60,000 under budget for contributions. Motion to approve budget by Kathryn, second by Lori. Motion carried.

Updates from Directors:

Faith Formation & Growth

- Kindred kids-continuing to look for 1-2 more members. Will be looking for more teachers the second half of the year.
- Christmas program scheduled for December 19th.
- Youth Director-Trish organized a youth gathering to put together Thanksgiving baskets.
- National youth group registration will continue to be open until January. They will fundraise until 2022. Four are currently registered. Others will register at the regular price.
- Stewardship-poor response for time and talent surveys. Potential for meeting in January to discuss brainstorming ideas.

Management & Grounds

- Quotes for lighting for fellowship hall and kitchen. Will be discussing further with Rich.

Social Ministry & Outreach

- Bids for lights and carpet update

Old Business

- Call committee update-Four interviews in November, 3 have taken place and 1 scheduled later this month. One candidate has removed himself from the process. Call committee remains in constant communication with the Council and the Synod. Call committee continues to look for the candidate committed to KLC!
- Church usage form-Motion made to approve Facilities agreement with minor changes by Kathryn, second by Lori.

New Business

- Pulpit Supply (there is a baptism that Pastor had scheduled Dec 5)
- Council positions

Adjourn & Lord's Prayer

Next Meeting: Sunday, December 12, 2021

2 Months out: Sunday, January 16, 2022

3 Months out: Sunday, February 20, 2022



“THE PRAYER OF THE RIGHTEOUS IS POWERFUL AND EFFECTIVE!” JAMES 5.16

Please lift up the following in your prayers:

THANKFULNESS FOR:

The coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Blessing on the Call Committee that they would feel supported and directed by God's own hand as they continue the search for our next Pastor.

All of those who have been steadfastly serving others, whether in their personal or professional lives, during this unprecedented time of a global pandemic. Including, teachers and school administrators, the military, politicians, and community leaders.

HEALING FOR:

All victims of COVID-19
Skippy
Pastor Joel Russell
Westin Hage
Sandy Olsgard

COMFORT FOR:

The families of those who have passed into the loving arms of Jesus Christ our Savior

HOPE FOR:

An end to the global pandemic.

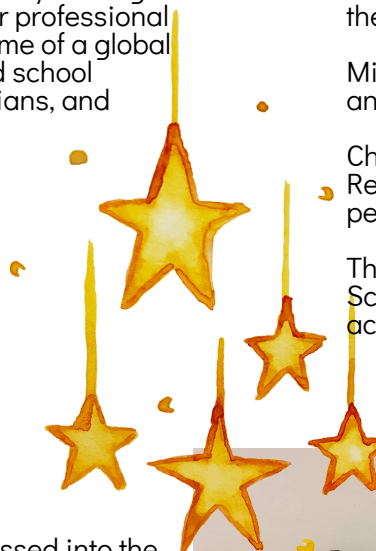
Our entire congregation that we would clothe ourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, patience, and unity during this time of transition.

Our local and national leaders that God would grant them wisdom.

Missionaries: Anne & Willie Langdji serving West Africa and the CAR

Christians in China, Egypt, Iraq, Central African Republic and throughout the world who face persecution.

The Gideon's ministry that doors would be opened and Scripture would be placed and God's Word would accomplish what God sets out to do!



If you, or anyone you know, would like to be added to this list of prayers for healing, please call or email the church office.





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Check the online calendar for any
changes in office hours

www.kindredlutheran.com/calendar/