

****Fridge Reminder****
June 14, 2020

VISITATION SERVICES FOR JUANITA HANSEN was last Tuesday, June 9th here at Living Word Lutheran Church with the service to follow. A private interment was held at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery. Juanita had passed Sunday, May 31st at home. She now joins her loving husband Bill with our Lord. Please join me in keeping her family in our prayers.

WORSHIP SERVICES started fully WE ARE CHANGING THE START TIME FOR WORSHIP SERVICE TO 10:00 AM. ADULT BIBLE STUDY CLASS TIME WILL CHANGE TO 9:00 AM. We will keep to the social distancing rules of 6' apart and will seat everyone accordingly. We will also practice social distancing after worship service. We ask that you wear a face mask for your own safety as well as for the safety of your fellow members. We all need to be masked. However, Pastor Lee will not be wearing his face mask as he needs to lead the service, but will maintain social distancing and not be able to greet anyone. We leave it to your own discretion as to when you feel safe and comfortable enough to come back to worship at Living Word. As originally stated, we started taking communion last Sunday, the 7th and will be more coordinated for it on the next communion Sunday, June 21st. We will have the pre-packaged single serve communion cups of wine with the wafer for everyone. Even though we all have been anxiously waiting to be able to worship together and have communion together, your safety and health are of the utmost importance to us. If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to call or email me, and we will do everything we can to take care of your concerns. Please note that the Adult Bible Study location will be moved to the sanctuary so everyone can be seated apart from one another.

FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR can be provided in memory of a special event, a person or in thankfulness to God. Choose your date and place your order. Hearts & Flowers 708-532-2772 will supply a standard low, long arrangement (about \$25) and do other arrangements as well. You can also make and bring your own arrangement. Hearts & Flowers also delivers.

TAX STATEMENTS for last year 2019 are still available and they are on the welcome desk, please see me on Sunday to pick up yours. Also the first quarter statements for 2020 are now available as well. Please call or email the office if there are any discrepancies in your statements.

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Stewardship Snapshot

June 7, 2020

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Financial Support

\$2,304.00 General Fund

CARE GIVER NEEDED If you or you know of anyone who would be interested and is qualified to be a live-in care giver, please contact Cathy Baidt at 708-710-1141 as she is looking for someone to be with her mom.

DEVOTIONAL PRAYER FOR THE WEEK *We worked night and day, laboring and toiling so that we would not be a burden to any of you. We did this, not because we do not have the right to help, but in order to offer ourselves as a model for you to imitate.* – 2 Thessalonians 3:8b-9 (NIV)

God has plans for all of our life, including the work we do to meet our physical needs. Ask yourself "What is God's vision for me in all this? What are the goals God wants me to start moving on? What are the ways I need to change to be faithful in all areas of my life?" God is faithful, and He will not only reveal His will to you, but empower you by His Holy Spirit to act in obedience. May God bless you as you live into your identity in Christ.

WE NEED MORE USHERS AND GREETERS! If you are not currently serving and would like to serve as you worship, please inform Bev at church. The schedule usually only requires a person to serve once a month, or less if we can get enough people. Thank you for your service, it is greatly appreciated.

CELEBRATION DINNER Now that we have started to gather for worship on a more regular basis, with all of us in attendance, we will want to start looking forward to fellowship events and summertime fun. The idea is already being kicked around slightly. Of course our main goal is everyone's safety, but we just thought that it would be really nice to have something to get excited about and to be able to have plenty of time to start planning. We will, of course want to have some type of dedication ceremony for our brand new floor and we will honor Ruth Grebik for her very generous bequest at that time as well. In order to make it easy on everybody and to keep everyone safe, we most likely will have it catered. We will send more information out about what type of donations we should have or be able to accept, you know how hungry we all must be for not being able to have a grand spread all this while. LOL.