

ANNIVERSARY WISHES THIS WEEK TO:

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, April 7

5:00 pm- Worship

5:00 pm Baptism Finley James Boothby

SUNDAY, April 8

9:00 am- Choir

9:30 am – Nursery open

9:30 am – Worship

10:00 am- Sunday School

10:45 am- Adult Forum

10:45 am- WELCA Exec. Board Mtg

10:45 am- Property Ctm.

TUESDAY, April 10

6:30 pm _ Lydia Circle- Hostess Dori England @ Church

WEDNESDAY, April 11

9:00 am- Anna Circle @ Bev. Drefitke

1:30 pm-Vashti @ Connie Mohan @ Church

1:30 pm- Esther Hostess Caryl Lee Cline @ Church

5:30 pm – Shine Meal

5:45 pm- Bells

6:00 pm- Confirmation

6:45 pm- Choir

&:00 pm- Sr. High Youth

THURSDAY, April 12

8:30 am- Shephard's Heart

6:30 pm- Church Council

SATURDAY, April 14

5:00 pm- Worship/ Holy Communion

5:00 pm –Baptism of Ellie Grace Ege

SUNDAY, April 15

9:00 am - Choir

9:30 am – Nursery Open

9:30 am- Worship/Holy Communion

10:00 am- Sunday School

10:45 am- Baptism Table

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

Reminder, Please sign the Welcome pads in the pews.

Newsletter Deadline is April 20th

Christian Ed is looking for a VBS director for this summer. Anyone interested please contact Karen Ferris or Heidi Skadeland.

Looking for : The Quilting ladies are looking for someone to take our Lutheran World Relief projects to Spencer on May 5, 2018.

The 2018 Lutheran World Relief is gathering the Lutheran World Relief Project for Northwest Iowa will be on Saturday May 5, 2018. Loading will start at 8:00 am till 11:00 am. The Loading place is at the Southpark Mall Parking Lot (near McDonalds) in South Spencer. The address is 901 11th Street, Spencer, Iowa. If interested to deliver the Projects please talk to Ruth Hanson. PLEASE JOIN US FOR A COME AND GO WEDDING SHOWER

Anna Circle would like to thank everyone for bringing in their Hy-Vee receipts. As of Feb. 28 the total of collected receipts is \$28,609.54. We are a little over one-fourth of the way to our first \$100,000. Please keep those receipts coming in and remember this is an on going fundraiser. For every \$100,000 turned into Hy-Vee, the church will receive \$1,000 back.

Care Kits: Deadline is April 8, 2018

Breakfast with the Masons Sunday, April 8 – 8:30 am – 1:00 pm
Your Choice of: Pancakes & Ham, Pancakes & Eggs or Biscuits & Gravy. Adults \$6.00
5 and under Free. 935 S 2nd St, Cherokee

**WASHTA UMC'S
ANNUAL BIRTHDAY SUPPER!
SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 2018
5:00 P.M.**

Menu:

**Roast Chicken
Seasoned Potatoes – Buttered Green Beans
Fruit Salad – Dinner Rolls
Four Layer Dessert & Beverage**

Entertainment:

**Mackenzie Roberts, pianist & harpist
(Grand-daughter of Jim & Judy Roberts)**

For \$8.00 tickets please call Sue Ritts at 712-447-6186 or 712-229-0075. Or Marty Warrender at 712-447-6335. Supper will be held at the Washta United Methodist Church which is handicapped accessible. Come worship with us for good fellowship, food and entertainment!

Youth & Family Announcements

- **120 Challenge** is hanging up in the Narthex as a two-fold project. This is a prayer challenge to be praying for our team over the next 120 days, and also as a fundraiser for Houston. To partake, decide upon an amount that you would be willing to donate, find an envelope(s) to correspond to that amount and take the envelope(s). Take the contents of a “trading card” photo of one specific youth to pray for, and also a list of things that can be on your heart for us. Then put the stated amount in the envelope and return to Heidi or the church office. Thanks for your help!
- **Need a Travel Mug?** Makes a great gift as it keeps things hot for 6 hours and cold for 12. It’s air tight and is one of the best brands of travel mugs on the market. We still have some on sale for \$25. Get yours today!