

Serving at the Good Samaritan Center

Today

Ardis Fischer

January 13

Marlyn & Kathy Bunger

Serving as Greeters

Today

West Door: Ed & Mina Poppens

North Door: Jeff & Teresa Rippentrop

East door: Wendell & Karen Strasser

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West door: Bob & Jan Steadman

North Door: Randy & Linette Dump

East Door: Casey & Jennifer Slack family

Serving in the Nursery

Today

Brock & Nancy Rops & family

January 13

Ron & Deb Hanssen

Serving Fellowship Time

Today

Darryl & Joyce Williamson

January 13

Volunteer needed

This Week at LEPC

Sunday, January 6

9:25 am Morning worship with Lord's Supper
Coffee Fellowship following

10:50 am Sunday school for all ages

6:30 pm Evening service

Monday, January 7

2:00-3:30 The Exchange is open

7:00 pm Men's study group

Tuesday, January 8

1:00 pm Women's Connection

6:30 pm All Officer's meeting

7:00 pm Deacon's meeting & Session meeting

Wednesday, January 9

3:30-4:30 pm The Exchange is open

6:30 pm 1st through 6th grades

7:15 pm High school youth

7:45 pm Choir practice

Saturday, January 12

9:00-10:00 am The Exchange is open

Sunday, January 13

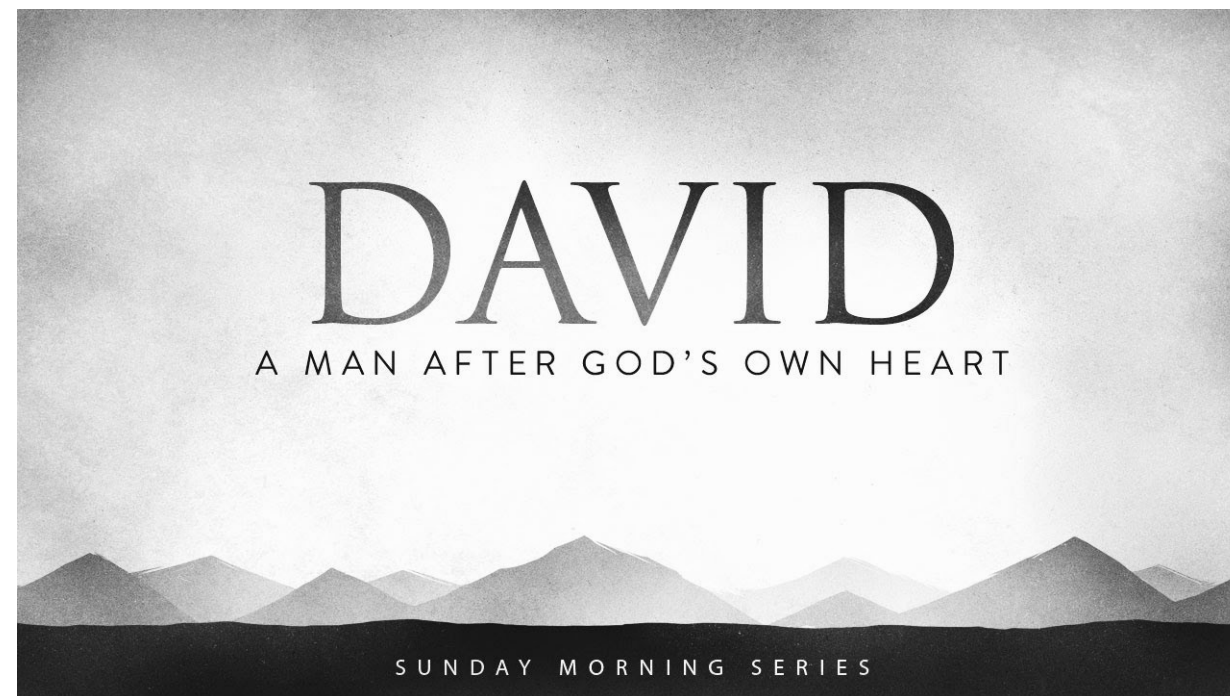
8:45 am Choir practice

9:25 am Morning worship

Coffee Fellowship following

Lesson # 65 for pre-K through 6th

6:30 pm Evening service



Lennox Ebenezer Presbyterian Church
Where we strive to grow daily in the grace
and knowledge of Jesus Christ

January 6, 2019

Lennox Ebenezer Presbyterian Church

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Office hours: Monday - Friday ~8:30 am - 3:30 pm

If you are unable to attend the morning service, you may watch it on cable 19 or 98
or you may LiveStream the service by going to the website and clicking the link.

lepc@iw.net (Church office)

Office Hours: 12:30-3:30 pm Tuesday-Friday

647-2659 ~ www.lennoxpca.org

MORNING WORSHIP

JANUARY 6, 2019 — 9:25 AM

Time of Preparation

“Be silent before the Lord God! For the day of the Lord is near the Lord has prepared a sacrifice and consecrated his guests.” Zephaniah 1:7

God Calls us to Worship

Call to Worship Psalm 95:1-3
* Hymn “Father, Long Before Creation” (Yellow Book)
* Prayer of Adoration

God Renews us In His Grace

Call to Confession Matthew 22:37-40
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon 1 Timothy 1:12-15
Hymn # 654 “Change My Heart, O God” CHANGE MY HEART
Passing the Peace

Giving Back to God

Offering Matthew 6:19-21
Congregational Prayer

God Gives us His Word

Children’s Message
Scripture 1 Samuel 16:1-13
Sermon “Looking On the Heart” Rev. Ethan D. Saylor
The Celebration of the Lord’s Supper
* Hymn “My Heart Your Home” (Yellow Book)

God Sends us out with His Blessing

* Charge and Benediction 1 Thessalonians 5:13-22
* Doxology “Benediction” (Yellow Book)

Visitors, we welcome you with open arms.

Please join us in the fellowship hall after the service for fellowship and refreshments.

Looking on the Heart

1 Samuel 16:1-13

I. David’s Anointing

II. Seeing David’s Heart

III. Knowing Your Heart

Food for Thought

When the Lord chose David, He wanted a man who sought “after God’s own heart.” The Lord found this man in David, who was the least of his brothers and a humble shepherd who did not otherwise aspire to greatness. David was a man after God’s own heart not because he was perfect, but because he was sensitive to the Holy Spirit and knew to repent when he had sinned. TableTalk Magazine

Prayers for Those Not Taking the Lord’s Supper

Lennox Ebenezer Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who are willing to forsake their sin and trust in Jesus Christ for their salvation, and who are communing members in good standing in churches that proclaim the Gospel, to receive the Lord’s Supper with us. If you are not able to receive Communion, please use this time to meditate on one of the following prayers.

Prayer for those Searching for the Truth. Lord Jesus, you claim to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent and convincing, and that leads to the life you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief. Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared to admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

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Praise & Prayer

Pray for our **President & Congress** and **State Legislature** as the 2019 sessions begin.
Pray for **Living Hope Community Church in Tea** and **Pastor Wayne Reed**.

Pray for **Jim Wipf** who is serving as pulpit supply at 1st Presbyterian Church in Parker.
at home: **Vera Steever**; ... our member residents at GSC: **Bernice Bultena, Ray Bunker, Bonnie Husman, & Don Kuper**; ...at Riverview Healthcare & Nursing Home, Flaudreau: **Mike Reed**; ...our member residents in Sioux Falls: **Harven Brass**, - Stoneybrook Suites, **Erma DeWilde** - Prairie Creek Memory Care, **LaVerne Miller** - Good Samaritan Village, **BJ Olson** - Dakotabilities, **Walter Otten** - Good Samaritan Center in Canisota ...those with cancer: **Arland Abbas** ... in the military: **Ben Miller** – South Korea

Announcements

Last week's 5th Sunday offering... was \$4,063.00..

1st quarter S.S. mission project... is meals for the Union Gospel Mission. They are currently serving three meals per day for a total of 250. Each meal costs \$2.65.

Sermon bookmarks... If you did not get a bookmark for the current sermon series last week, there are some on the information desk.

January newsletters... are in your mail boxes. If you do not have a mail box and would like a copy, there are some on the bulletin board west of the boxes.

Love gift for the Union Gospel Mission... for January is coffee. Please bring your gifts by January 15th.

Men's study group... is beginning six-session video based study tomorrow evening at the church.

TableTalk devotionals... for January are on the information center.

New newsletters/updates.. from Bill & Susan Carr, PCA Disaster Response, and the Union Gospel Mission are on the mission bulletin board.

Thank you

Thanks to the Deacons for the goodie bag that was delivered before Christmas. Your thoughtfulness is much appreciated.

Lisa Berens

Thank you for your prayers for Marissa. The tissues in her eye are adhering and looking good. We are so blessed to have God's hand at work in her life.

Thank you all, Marla and Marissa.

Community announcements

All women are... invited to a special guest evening of REFRESH at Second Reformed Church in Lennox on Monday, January 14, at 7:00 p.m. Susanne Harmon will refresh our souls with praise music and speak on what the Bible says about our identity as women of faith and how that applies to our day-to-day life. Coffee and fellowship will follow.

The Lennox Area Minister's Association... is hosting the GriefShare Ministry beginning on Thursday, January 10, from 6:30 PM-8:00PM at the Dindot-Klusman Funeral Home in Lennox. GriefShare is a video seminar series that features some of the nation's foremost Christian experts on grief and recovery topics as seen from a biblical perspective. The 13 seminar sessions will start January 10th and run weekly until April 4th. Each night will include a video segment followed by a time of sharing or discussing the video. The way that the sessions have been planned, you do not have to attend all of the sessions to benefit from this ministry. There is a suggested \$10 registration fee to cover the cost of the book. If you are interested in attending, please email Pastor Gary of Delaware Reformed Church at garyhegstad@gmail.com or call him at (605) 647-5868.

Information meetings... at Bethany Christian Services on adoption and Safe Families are being held in January, February, & March. See the flyer on the bulletin board for times and more information.