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**October**

**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

1 Bennie Johnson

5 Harley Lindus

7 John Bosak

7 Raylynn Mae Burkhardt

8 Sarah Imme

9 Janelle & Corey Smestad (Anniv)

10 Jean Benedict

11 Amy Nelson

12 Roger Corty

13 Shirley Mariette

14 Kallie Thoreson

15 Anthony & Julie Dalsveen (Anniv)

18 Conner Hanson

18 Darryn Mott

18 David Lee

18 Deb & Mike Thoreson (Anniv)

19 Christy Moore

20 Ron Wilhelm

20 Tanner Hanson

21 Kay Thorsbakken

21 Julie Dalsveen

25 Greg & Cindy Peer (Anniv)

27 Priscilla Hill

27 Naila Sanderson

27 Chris Ryan

28 George Eng

28 Archer Hale

30 Brian Smith

30 Micheal Huff

31 James Brown

31 Emmanuel Rios

**Pastor Appreciation Day**

Today We Celebrate Our Pastor!

Every year, October is observed as the Pastor's Appreciation Month and the second Sunday of October is celebrated as Pastor's Appreciation Day.

**“**Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching.” 1 Timothy 5:17 (ESV).

**Noah’s Park**

The fall session of Noah’s Park has started. Once again they are looking for snacks.

**Noah’s Park** can use Goldfish Crackers, Rice Crispy Bars - 2 pans, Fruit Snacks, Cheese, Ritz or Club Crackers, Cookies.

**Youth Group** can use Bottled Water, Individual bags of chips, Individual wrapped snacks like Brownies, Cookies, Donuts, etc.

We will continue to make sure your gifts are brought out to Calvary for this very special ministry for our youth. We will continue to collect goodies thru the ongoing winter/school months. Items can be left at Church and someone will pick them up. Any questions contact Linda Swenson: 715-689-2839.

**Council Need**

New Hope Lutheran Church Council is looking to fill 4 positions for the new term beginning November 3rd, 2024. Two of these positions are on the Board of Worship, one on the Board of Trustees and one on the audit committee. Please prayerfully consider joining us as we come together doing the work of our congregation! This is a very rewarding opportunity. Please contact any member of our church council, Pastor Johnson or Debi Smith if you are interested or have any questions. We need to have a list of people who are willing to be considered by October 6th so we can include them with our packets for the November 3rd, 2024 annual meeting. Thank you.

**Wisconsin Ambassadors of Music to Europe**

Hannah Hillman is a senior this year at Siren High School. She is fundraising for her 2025 trip with Wisconsin Ambassadors of Music to Europe. If you are interested in helping her with this fundraiser, please see the signup sheet on the bulletin board in the fellowship room.

**Lord’s Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name,

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory

forever and ever. Amen.