

Wednesday, October 25, 2017  
Sunday, October 29, 2017  
Worship Service



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## Ghost Town:

## Part 4

Aaron Sturgis | #CLGHOSTTOWN

Greed is not only the \_\_\_\_\_ of money but it's the excessive \_\_\_\_\_ about it.

**Luke 12:13-15** Someone in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me." Jesus replied, "Man, who appointed me a judge or an arbiter between you?" Then he said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions."

Illusion 1: More money will give me more peace and \_\_\_\_\_.

**1 Timothy 6:17** Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.

Illusion 2: More money will make me more \_\_\_\_\_.

Generosity doesn't happen without \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

**Luke 14:12-14** "When you put on a luncheon or a banquet," he said, "don't invite your friends, brothers, relatives, and rich neighbors. For they will invite you back, and that will be your only reward. Instead, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind."

The \_\_\_\_\_ of religion will lead us to a \_\_\_\_\_.

Central Lutheran Church Women  
**Holiday Bake Sale**  
Saturday, November 11  
9 am - 12 Noon  
Homemade Lefse & Baked Goods  
also serving cinnamon rolls & coffee  
The CLCW is looking for donations of baked goods.  
Donations can be dropped off on Friday 11/10  
between 2-5 pm or Saturday 11/11 starting at 7 am.

mark your calendar  
New Partners Life Group

**OCTOBER DATES:**  
Wednesday 10/25 immediately following 6:30 pm worship  
Sunday 10/29 immediately following 10 am worship  
in the Skoien Chapel

**Lefse Making Time is Right Around the Corner**  
Men and women of Central, we need your help making Lefse on Thursday, November 9th. Potato peeling, cooking, and ricing will begin at 8 am and lefse making will start at 12 Noon. It takes a lot of hands to make this Norwegian Holiday tradition. Please don't be shy, come, learn, and help out. Please contact Jane Flug @ 715-563-2695 or Bonnie Dobbs @ 715-933-1553 if you have questions. would like to join in the fun please sign up on the "Say Yes" board.

# School Health Care Items



In October, Central is partnering with the Chippewa Falls Mission Coalition to collect health care items for our local schools. Listed below is a list of items that the schools have requested.

- Toothbrushes
  - Tooth paste
  - Hair Ties (Pony Tails)
  - Dental Floss
  - Soap
  - Shampoo
  - Body Wash
  - Deodrant
  - Chap Stick
  - Detangler Spray
  - Head Lice Kits
- (Nix or generic w/ Permethrin as active ingrediednt)

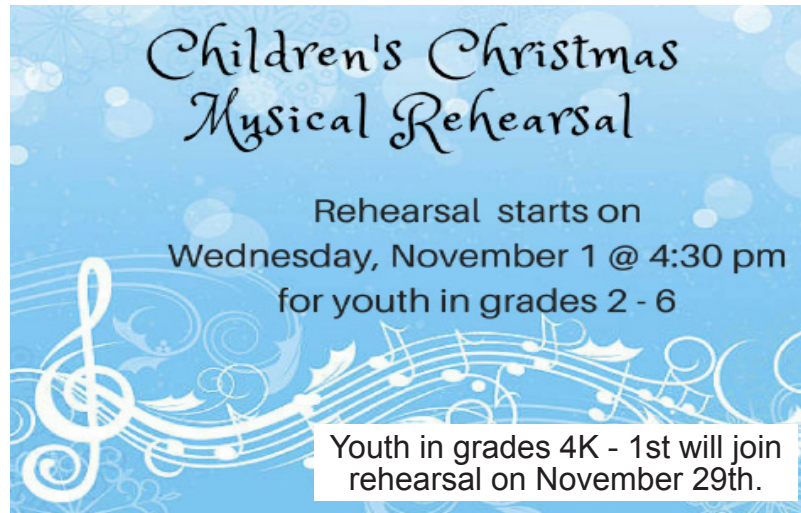
Also: Shoelaces, Shoes, Boots, Hats, Mittens & Coats

**The black bags pictured above will be available next week.**



Thank you to Ev and Sue Houkom for the wonderful display that they did on the anniversary of the Reformation. Please make sure to stop by and check out the bulletin board in the hallway.

Our communion wine this week is from Riverbend Winery. Our Vino In the Valley Life Group chose this wine at their first meeting. It is called Drink Pink. It is a semi-sweet rosé wine and is the first of their Collector's Edition bottles. Aside from being a tasty addition to their lineup, this special wine has another purpose. River Bend will be donating 15% of all sales of Drink Pink to a local cancer organization.



Youth in grades 4K - 1st will join rehearsal on November 29th.

## CATHOLIC-LUTHERAN PRAYER SERVICE

On October 31, 1517, Martin Luther proposed his 95 Theses in a desire to reform the Church. This year marks the 500th anniversary of that historic event. The last 500 years have seen both helpful reforms and sad divisions. We pray for unity while staying committed to the truth. Throughout the world, Lutherans and Catholics will be gathering to pray together and commit together to the things we share in common. Locally, a Prayer Service will be at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, 1712 Highland Ave., Eau Claire, on Sunday, 10/29, at 4:00PM. A choir of over 200 will lead the music. Food and fellowship will follow immediately at St John's Lutheran Church, right across the street. All Lutherans, Catholics, and others are welcome. The Prayer Service will be live streamed on both the Regis Catholic Schools website ([www.regiscatholicschools.com/live](http://www.regiscatholicschools.com/live)) and their Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/RegisCatholicSchools/](http://www.facebook.com/RegisCatholicSchools/)) and will be archived in both locations for future viewing.

### Reformation Learning Event:

#### “Lutherans and Catholics – 500 Years Later”

In conjunction with the “From Conflict to Communion” Lutheran and Catholic Prayer Service for the extended Chippewa Valley on October 29, Pastor Christine Emerson, Pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Eau Claire and Fr. Derek Sakowski, Pastor of St. Mary's Church, Altoona, and St. Raymond's Church, near Brackett, will present “Lutherans and Catholics – 500 Years Later” at St. John's Lutheran Church, 1804 Highland Ave., Eau Claire, on Thursday, October 26, at 6:30PM. The public is invited.