



# FIRST THINGS

First Lutheran Church of Brookings, SD

*...engaging life and the world, by and through God's grace.*

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## FROM THE PASTOR'S STUDY

Dear People of First Lutheran Church,

As our time together comes to a close, let me again express my deep appreciation for your invitation to serve as your pastor and live within your faith community. I have so enjoyed working with Jo, Diane, Madison, Kari, Pat, Rick, Judy, Jason, Dale, SueAnn, Phillip, Jayden, Jeanne, and Deb. Bob Bell and Keith Rounds have both been a joy to work with. The Church Council has done a remarkable job of leading during a very difficult time of transition. The Call Committee worked diligently and faithfully to bring forward two pastors to lead this congregation into its next chapter. The volunteers and contractors that I have had the privilege of working with have transformed the physical building and made it beautiful and made it ready to serve the mission and ministry of this community. Finally, to the musicians who serve so very faithfully and artfully, thank you. You have been a gift to me and to the community.

I pray God's richest blessings for each of you, for Pastor Jess and Pastor Trey and the Brookings community, as you proclaim and live out the Good News of Jesus Christ.

In Christ's Love,

Pastor David B Zellmer

*May God be with you until  
we meet again.*





# WELCOME PASTOR JESS AND PASTOR TREY!

*The FLC Council is pleased to announce that the congregation of First Lutheran Church, at a special meeting held at 9:30 am on Sunday, August 1, voted to call Pastor Jessica Daum as our Senior Pastor and Pastor Trey Daum as our Associate Pastor. They have accepted the call and moved into their offices on September 27th!*

*Many thanks* to our Call Committee members for their diligent work and prayerful consideration throughout this process: Ross Abraham, Nichole Berkenhoff, Kelly Deckert, Billy McMacken, Debbie Peterson, Mark Sandager, and Jacob York.

The Congregational Vote was called to order by Council President, Tiff Lewis at 9:30 following the 8:30 first service on August 1, 2021 to vote for Pastor Jess Daum for Senior Pastor and Pastor Trey Daum for Associate Pastor.

Four members and one council member were elected to form the Election Committee

- Beverly Chapmen
- Rhonda Vostad
- Kathy Dekraai
- Rick Ribstein
- Kris Seas, Council Member

Council President Tiff Lewis provided a short summary of how the Call Committee arrived at presenting Pastors Jess Daum and Trey Daum as Senior and Associate respectively to the Council and approved by the Council.

There were **171** voting members attending the Congregational Vote. A two-thirds majority is required to approve each of the candidate(s). Voting was conducted separately for each candidate. The tallying of the votes by the Election Committee took place following the vote for both candidates.

## **Voting Results:**

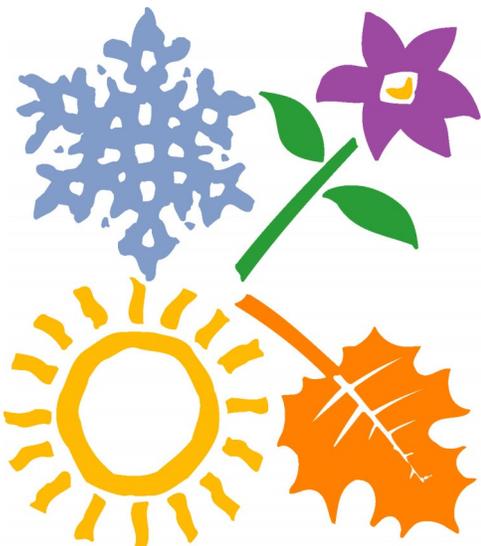
### Pastor Jess Daum

- ◇ 139 total votes counted
- ◇ **115 Yes**
- ◇ 24 No
- ◇ **83% Approved**

### Pastor Trey Daum

- ◇ 167 total votes counted
- ◇ **149 Yes**
- ◇ 18 No

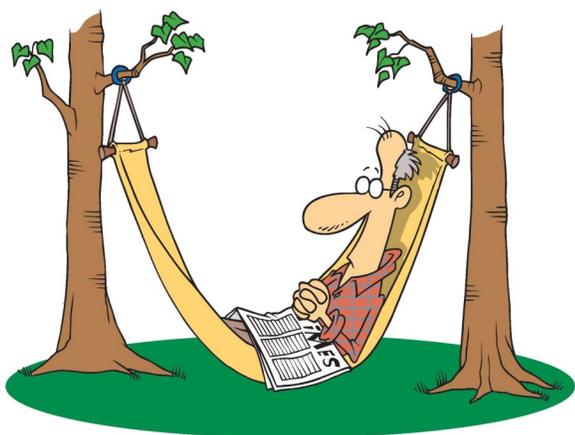
The votes for both candidates passed within the 2/3 majority.



## ANNUAL MEETING UPDATE

The FLC Annual Meeting was held on Sunday, September 26th between worship services.

The First Lutheran Church Council forwarded the proposal of the First Lutheran Church Property Task Force to sell the white parsonage located at 403 8th Street for removal, not including the land on which it sits. The congregation voted to sell the house for removal. The congregation granted the council permission to decide upon the process by which we will sell the house and the proceeds from the sale of the house will be used to level the land at 403 8th Street and plant grass; any remaining funds will be placed into a fund for future development of the land. Thank you to all who attended!



## THANK YOU, BOB!

Submitted by Jo Gauthier

Bob Bell has retired after many years of serving as volunteer Finance Secretary at First Lutheran Church. Bob has truly served First Lutheran faithfully. I can honestly say that with Bob at the helm, we never had to worry about a bill being paid late or a faulty transaction getting through on a bill or the credit card. Bob would hunt until he found the answer. Bob also took care of the insurance needs of First Lutheran and spent countless hours working on the financials of the Annual Report every year. Please thank him when you see him. As a co-worker, I will miss his humor, wisdom, impeccable work ethic, and Julie (who faithfully filed for him.)



Join our  
**BIBLE  
STUDY**

## TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

### TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY AT 2:00

The Gospel of Mark Bible Study meets in the church parlor. ALL are welcome! Please contact Mary Moeller at 605-690-8862 if you prefer a Zoom link to attend virtually.

### TUESDAY EVENINGS AT 7:00!

Please join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm in the MCH Meeting Room for bible study, book study and fellowship. Feel free to join us in Zoom if in-person does not work for you! Please contact Tiff Lewis at [tifflewis6411@gmail.com](mailto:tifflewis6411@gmail.com) if you would like to join us. We hope to see you there!



BELIZE Mission Partners in Service and Learning FLC

# PURSES

for a POWERFUL PURPOSE

Salad & Dessert Luncheon  
Friday, December 10, 2021  
11:30am

**Christmas Tables**

## Call for Hostesses

Set a table for Christmas!  
(think "Tables Beautiful" dressed for the holidays)

Be creative.

Display your favorite dishes with a festive flair.

Do it on your own or grab a friend to team up.

Then call a group of people (optional) to join us  
for a delightful salad luncheon while listening to  
our speakers, Dee Shanley and Chaundra Gayne.

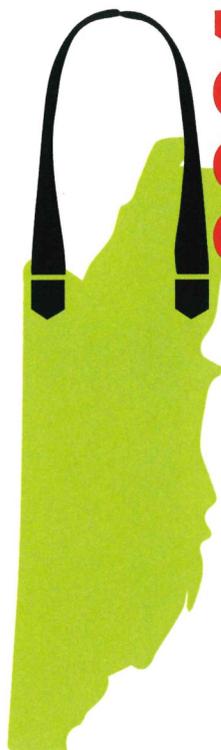
Shop 'til you drop following the luncheon.

Have fun!

Interested in decorating a Christmas-themed table?

For questions or to sign up

Call Debbie Pederson (605) 691-1803  
or email at [PFPPBrookings@gmail.com](mailto:PFPPBrookings@gmail.com)



**2021**

BELIZE Mission Partners in Service and Learning FLC

# PURSES

for a **POWERFUL PURPOSE**

with  
**Christmas Tables**

**\$20**      **Salad & Dessert Luncheon**  
ticket      **Friday, December 10, 2021**  
   **11:30am**

First Lutheran Church, 337 8th St, Brookings, SD

- **inspirational talks by**  
    **Dee Shanley and Chaundra Gayne**
- **donations to benefit students in**  
    **Belize, Central America and Brookings, SD**

for **tickets** call Virginia Heesch **(605)695-0045** or  
email at **PFPPBrookings@gmail.com**  
(in case of event cancellation, please consider your ticket  
a donation. Thank you!)



**December 10-12, 2021**

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plus new **Silent Auction** items



## **GREETINGS FROM DEE IN BELIZE!**

I have arrived safely in Belize. The students, their families, teachers and the principal have welcomed me with open arms. They extend their gratitude and thanks for all the support you have provided.

Covid cases are on the rise and the high school has started with on-line classes. Your donation to the scholarship fund has helped the students pay tuition and purchase a tablet to complete their on line classes.

I will be teaching adult sewing classes and the ladies will sew uniforms so their children will have a uniform when in person classes resume.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers for this mission in Belize. Watch for my posts on Facebook.

Thank you, Dee Shanley



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## **FIT AND STRONG WORKSHOP**

Have you found yourself saying "there has to be a better way" when it comes to managing your health? Join the upcoming Fit & Strong! workshop hosted right here in the First Lutheran Activity Center! The upcoming workshop meets on Monday, Wednesday, Fridays from 1:00-2:30pm starting October 4th-December 3rd. Take the time to focus on your physical health! To register, call 1-888-484-3800 or visit: <https://bcbh-sd-in-person.questionpro.com>



# CHILDREN'S NEWS

WELCOME BACK  
**KIDS!**  
WE'VE MISSED YOU!

Sunday, September 12 kicked off a whole new season of Christian Education. We were so excited to see so many of our youth and their families. Our hearts are filled with Joy knowing we are going to be back together again!!!

Sunday, September 12 was also our 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Steppingstones blessing for "Opening your Bible". It was so wonderful to see our families fulfilling their baptismal promise of putting the Bible in the hands of their children. Our Children's Christian Education Program, Journey to Discipleship, is on the way to a great year. The classes began on Sunday, September 19 and Wednesday, September 22. The energy and delight to be together, to see all the amazing updates, and to worship God together was felt by all. If you are interested in signing your child up for programming you may still do so by going to our website <https://firstlutheranbrookings.org/children>, scroll down until you see the form. We are still in need of a few people to co-teach in both our Sunday and Wednesday programs. Co-teaching allows for less time commitment by teachers, smaller class sizes for safer, more personal programming, and an opportunity to review WHY? WHAT? In an engaging way.

Our theme for Journey to Discipleship this year is WHY? WHAT? This theme will lead us to discover why we follow traditions or rituals within our church, as well as what do certain words or actions mean within our church.

Topics covered will include:

|                 |             |               |
|-----------------|-------------|---------------|
| Worship         | Confession  | Forgiveness   |
| Advent          | Communion   | Ash Wednesday |
| Maundy Thursday | Good Friday | Palm Sunday   |
| Baptism         | Easter      |               |

October 27 will bring a Halloween themed Faithful Family event where all are welcome. If we continue to be open and running as normal, the expectation is a big indoor interactive carnival type event as we have hosted in the past. If our world changes in a way that makes being together in this manner less possible, we will look at an alternative way to provide this popular family event. Mark the date, tell your friends, family, and neighbors. It is hard to believe we are looking into November already. After the past year, we have begun to train ourselves not to look too far ahead. With prayers that all will be safe, plans for November in our Children's programs we will begin to work on ----wait for it----YES-----The Christmas Program.

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As Director of Children's Ministry at First Lutheran Church I would like to express my deepest gratitude to:

**Our Youth and Family Team** who have continued to meet, plan, pray, and support our youth and families while we have worked through so many transitions and changes.

**Our amazing staff.** (If you don't know all our staff members, you should try to meet them all). The patience, understanding, support, and teamwork has been unparalleled.

**ALL the AMAZING VOLUNTEERS** ~ parents, youth, quilters/sewing group, college students, families, and so, so many more who have prayed for us and did whatever we needed to continue our journey. IT IS VOLUNTEERS WHO MAKE OUR PROGRAMS POSSIBLE. A little or a lot, it all makes a difference. THANK YOU!

Contact Kari York if you would like more information on Children's programs or volunteering. 605-697-2751 or [faithformations@firstlutheranbrookings.org](mailto:faithformations@firstlutheranbrookings.org)

## FLC PRESCHOOL NEWS

School has gotten off to a great start! The children have settled into their new routines, and they are enjoying all the new activities the teachers have planned for them. The staff and I are trying to keep things as "normal" as possible for the children, while keeping them safe and despite not being able to go on any field trips, and not being able to allow parents or special visitors into the preschool.

The next couple of months will be fun and busy as always! On letter "G" week some of the classes will be trying "Green Eggs and Ham" and learning about Dr. Seuss. Some of the children will have crazy Hair or wear Hats on letter "H" week. On Fridays our Jr Kindergarten class is really having fun making their own snacks during "Kids in the Kitchen". The snacks always start with the "Letter of the Week" the children are learning about. We will have our annual "Fall Festival" the end of October. And in November the Pilgrims and Native Americans will come together for a peaceful feast to celebrate Thanksgiving.

Our Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held via telephone again due to the ongoing pandemic. They will be held the week of Monday, November 1 through Thursday, November 5. These conferences give the parents the opportunity to find out about and discuss their child's educational growth in the classroom.

If you have any questions on any of these events or you would like more information, please call the Preschool Office at 697-2756 or email me, [sueann@firstlutheranbrookings.org](mailto:sueann@firstlutheranbrookings.org). You may also check us out on our Facebook page!

**Please keep saving HyVee receipts and a big Thank you** to everyone who has sent them in. We truly appreciate! HyVee's community support and all of you that take the time to turn in your Hy Vee receipts. Just a note, we can only turn in receipts from our BROOKINGS HyVee store. They also accept gas and pharmacy receipts. Thank you!

Have a FANTASTIC FALL!

SueAnn

# YOUTH MINISTRIES

Happy Fall Y'all, we are so excited to delve into educational programming here at FLC!

Confirmation: Confirmation is back in person on Wednesday nights from 7-8:15. October 27th will be our Faithful Family Halloween event put on by the 6th - 8th grade confirmation students.

Youth Group: This fall we are trying out 6pm youth group on Sunday evenings. As the fall gets under way we will begin conversations about the National youth gathering next summer and how we hope to fundraise for the event.

Blessings,

Madison McCabe, Director of Youth Ministries



Here is what you need to know about accessing and using the FLC mobile application:

## NEED HELP INSTALLING THE FIRST LUTHERAN APP?

1. The application is now called "The Church App" in the app store. If you search for that application and install it to your device, you will be prompted with the following things:
  - a. Upon initially opening the app, a page stating "Welcome to The Church App!" will be displayed. Press the blue "Let's Go" button.
  - b. The next page will display "Find your church." Press the blue "Enable Location" button. Your device may also show a popup message requesting to use your location, which you should allow.
  - c. The next page will display "Open ?" Press the blue "Open" button.
    - i. If this button does not work, press the "Find a different church" button below it.
    - ii. You will see the "FLC Brookings App." Select this option.
2. These steps will get you set up with the FLC App. You will not need to repeat these steps after completing them once.
3. Here's why this has changed: many people are using an old version of the application that is no longer supported by Subsplash. Subsplash now uses The Church App as its host application for their customers. The old FLC application that some people may still be using doesn't exist on the app store anymore because of this.



First Lutheran Church relies heavily on volunteers in the Mission Coffeehouse, for church maintenance, office help, church worship services, church programming, cemetery cleanup, and so much more!! At this time, we want to focus on those gems who helped this year on the church renovations! If we missed your name, please know that we appreciate you!

**THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR WONDERFUL PAINTERS!** Lonnie Bayer, Pastor Dave Zellmer, Bob and Brenda Algood, Ed Higgins, Steve Almos, Lyle Anderson, Lon and Mary Moeller, Jean Gentry, Dee Shanley, Connie Quirk, Dale Nussbaum, Kathy Nussbaum, Jack and Brenda Hayne, and Melanie, Cory and Jazmyn Lunn



*Front row:* Lonnie Bayer, Terri Veen, Albert Veen, Brenda Hayne, Judy Alickson *2nd row:* Noah Nielsen, Donovan Olson, Jason Liles, Jack Hayne *3rd row:* Jaden Petersen, Lyle Anderson, Ken Ahartz, Dave Lenander, Randy Richards, Mark Sandager *4th row:* Steve Almos, Dale Nussbaum, Stuie Lewis, Pastor David Zellmer, Jo Gauthier, Madison McCabe

After all of the carpet was laid in the Sanctuary, the pews had to be brought back in and anchored. Dale Nussbaum, Dave Lenander and Lonnie Bayer spent many an hour repairing and reconnecting the pews.

Thank you to the Mueller and Fixsen families who helped move furniture in the Journey classrooms.



# MUSIC NEWS

We have begun! Rehearsals for Sanctuary Choir and Hand Bells started last week and we led worship on Sunday! It was glorious singing "Praise to the Lord the Almighty", with the congregation and the organ. We are actively seeking more choir members and I know Barbara Horten, the bell director, would like more members as well.

The months of October and November will be exciting as we welcome our new pastors, Jessica and Trey Daum, to First Lutheran.

The choir will be leading worship Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, and Reformation Day, October 31<sup>st</sup>. During November, the choir will lead worship Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>, All Saints Sunday, Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>, and Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>. The hand bells will provide special music on Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> and November 7<sup>th</sup>.  
"My life flows on in endless song..."

Joyfully,

Pat Anderson, Music Coordinator for 8:30 worship



## LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF QUILT AND PERSONAL CARE KITS

On Sunday, September 26th, vehicles from area churches filed into the First Lutheran parking lot and unloaded their quilts and personal care kits into a waiting semi. Our Quilters and Personal Care Kit assemblers, with the help of Jack Hayne, Dale Nussbaum, and a wonderful group from the Lutheran Student Center, loaded 200 quilts and 102 Personal Care Kits into the semi, just from First Lutheran. The semi will take the quilts and kits to the Lutheran World Relief distribution center in Minneapolis where they will be distributed as needed. Blessings on our Quilters and to everyone who has contributed monetarily, fabric, and care kit items.

COFFEE WITH A CONSCIENCE



# Mission Coffeehouse

from **Jeanne Eclov, MCH Manager**

**Scheduled Missions of the Month:**

**September—“BCYMP”  
Brookings County Youth  
Mentoring Program**

**October - “Brookings County  
Food Pantry”**

**November - “Project Joy”**

Welcome to Fall 2021. We are very excited to announce that our new Espresso Machine arrived, is installed, and awaits your order. It is so beautiful and makes the best specialty drink in town. With the cool weather approaching, we would love to warm you up from the inside so come in and order your favorite drink. We send a sincere thank you to First Lutheran Church for your continued support in this big purchase and for your continued support in Mission Coffeehouse’s unique ministry.

In the fall our schedule becomes increasingly busier with meetings, book clubs, bible studies, Wednesday night activities, and several Saturday Craft Fairs plus the Purses for Powerful Purpose event. We are open on Fridays now from 8-2. We will be open on Wednesday night from 5-8 and open on the weekend events from 8-2 with a limited menu.

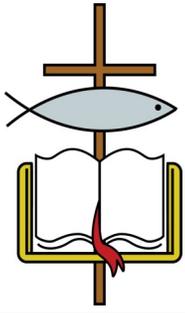
I am starting my 7<sup>th</sup> year here at MCH and Debbie Bortnem has been here with me, giving constant help and support. Thank you so much, Debbie. We are so blessed to have such excellent volunteers to make this all possible with their hearts of service. Thank you so much all volunteers. Together we all strive to make quality food, give quality service, and offer sincere hospitality. Stop in and see for yourself. You are sure to enjoy the experience.



Debbie Bortnem presented a check in the amount of \$718.64 to Vonda Kirkham, a representative of The Harvest Table, our Mission of the Month for July.



MCH Manager Jeanne Eclov presented a check in the amount of \$805.05 to Cathy Ching, a representative of the Brookings Backpack Project, our Mission of the Month for August.



The Membership  
Records of First  
Lutheran Church from  
August & September  
of 2021

**Baptisms:**

*Everly Hope Froiland*

(Child of Justin and Nicole Froiland)

*Brailey Rose Westall*

(Child of Rainer and Tiffani Westall)

*Jack Gregory Compson*

(Child of Mark and Deb Compson)

**Passings:**

*Marian Voelker*

*Lydia Starck*

**New Members:**

(Paperwork completed)

*Jesse, Stacy, Lincoln and*

*Cameron Sondreal*

*Jared and Ashley Runge*



**August-September of 2021**

***Many memorials were received, but this is the list of memorials that remained at First Lutheran Church.***

**In memory of Lila Bauman:**

*Donna McLagan, LaVonne Plymate, Brad & Kim Dahl, Nicki Brooks, friends and family*

**In memory of Marian Voelker:**

*Verne & Norma Hansen, Mildred Huggins, Robert Houtkooper, Kevin & Patricia Voelker, Mable & David Voelker, Betty Hind, Brian Steen, Lon & Mary Moeller, Roland & Carol Moore, Dave Bush, Peggy Bush, V.P. & M.J. Nelson, LaVonne Plymate, Joyce Simet, Bob & Julie Bell, Clark & Lyla Hanson, Farmhouse Fraternity, Pat & Dave Meyer, Faye Dahl, Dale & Paulette Heesch, Lillian Osvog, Paul & Marla Voelker, Brenda & Jack Hayne, Barb Telkamp, Janet Brubakken, friends and family*

**In memory of Marcia Ness:**

*Dale & Paulette Heesch, LaVonne Plymate, Clayton Ness, friends and family*

**In memory of Francis McNeely:**

*Janet Brubakken, friends and family*



**FALL CEMETERY  
CLEANUP**

Fall cleanup is scheduled for Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 am. In case of inclement weather the cleanup will be the following Tuesday (October 12), same time. As per cemetery rules, artificial flowers, decorations, and plants in pots are allowed only on the monument, end base of monument, or foundation from May 1 to October 1. During cleanup, we will be discarding these items, so if you have concerns, please come out before our October 5 cleanup and remove the listed items.



# October

Only First Lutheran activities are listed on this calendar. For a detailed calendar of activities/meetings held at First Lutheran, please view the online calendar on the church web site: [www.firstlutheranbrookings.org](http://www.firstlutheranbrookings.org) (Calendar subject to change.)  
**Some activities do not have a time listed yet due to scheduling conflicts.**

|  |   |   |  |                                       |   |   |
|--|---|---|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|
|  |   |   |  |                                       | 1   | 2   |
| <b>3</b><br>8:30 am Festival Service with HC<br>9:40 Journey<br>10:30 am Praise Service with HC<br>3:00 Confirmation Mtg.<br>6:00 Youth Group  | <b>4</b><br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What"                           | <b>5</b><br>8:00 Quilters<br>10:00 Cemetery Cleanup<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study | <b>6</b><br>5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirmation<br>7:15 Bell Choir  | 7                                     | 8   | 9   |
| <b>10</b><br>INSTALLATION<br>8:30 am Festival Service<br>10:30 am Praise Service   | <b>11</b><br>NATIVE AMERICAN DAY<br>PRESCHOOL, MCH & OFFICES CLOSED | <b>12</b><br>8:00 Quilters<br>10:00 Staff<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study           | <b>13</b><br>5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirmation<br>7:15 Bell Choir   | <b>14</b><br>6:30 FLC Council Meeting | <b>15</b><br>Swoboda/Hall Wedding Rehearsal | <b>16</b><br><br>Swoboda/Hall Wedding |
| <b>17</b><br>8:30 am Festival Service with HC<br>9:40 Journey<br>10:30 am Praise Service with HC<br>6:00 Youth Group   | <b>18</b><br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What"                          | <b>19</b><br>8:00 Quilters<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study                          | <b>20</b><br>5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirmation<br>7:15 Bell Choir   | 21                                    | 22  | 23  |
| <b>24</b> 8:30 am Festival Service<br>9:40 Journey<br>10:30 am Praise Service<br>6:00 Youth Group<br><b>31</b> 8:30 am Festival Service with HC<br>9:40 Journey<br>10:30 am Praise Service with HC<br>6:00 Youth Group | <b>25</b><br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What"                          | <b>26</b><br>8:00 Quilters<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study                          | <b>27</b> 5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirmation<br>7:15 Bell Choir<br>(Schedule Subject to change if we have a Halloween Event) | 28                                    | 29  | 30  |



# November

|  |                                     |   |   |   |                              |    |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|---|---|------------------------------|----|
|  | 1<br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What"  | 2<br>8:00 Quilters<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study  | 3<br>5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirm-ation<br>7:00 Confirm. Pictures/Re-hearsal<br>7:15 Bell Choir  | 4   | 5                            | 6  |
| 7<br>8:30 am Festival Service with HC<br>9:40 Journey<br>10:30 am Praise/Confirm-ation Service with HC       | 8<br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What"  | 9<br>8:00 Quilters<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study  | 10<br>5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirm-ation<br>7:15 Bell Choir  | 11  | 12                           | 13 |
| 14<br>8:30 am Festival Service<br>9:40 Journey<br>10:30 am Praise Service<br>6:00 Youth Group                | 15<br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What" | 16<br>8:00 Quilters<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study | 17<br>5:00 Meal<br>6:00 Journey<br>6:30 Choir<br>7:00 6-7-8 Confirm-ation<br>7:15 Bell Choir  | 18  | 19                           | 20 |
| 21<br>8:30 am Festival Service with HC<br>9:40 Christmas Program Practice<br>10:30 am Praise Service with HC | 22<br>9:00 Staff<br>5:30 "Sew What" | 23<br>8:00 Quilters<br>2:00 Bible Study<br>7:00 Bible Study | 24  | 25<br><i>Let Us Give Thanks</i><br><br>MCH AND OFFICES CLOSED | 26<br>MCH AND OFFICES CLOSED | 27 |
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## You Are Invited to the Installation Service of Pastor Jessica Daum and Pastor Trey Daum

If you have an article or information for the December/January Newsletter, please have it in to the church office no later than November 17!

If you would like information put into the Sunday announcements, please have it in to the church office by the **Monday** before. Thank you!

First Lutheran Church invites you to join with us in celebration as we welcome Pastor Jessica Daum, Senior Pastor and Pastor Trey Daum, Associate Pastor to our church. The celebration will be held on Sunday, October 10, 2021 at the 8:30 am and 10:30 am worship services. Bishop Costanze Hagmaier will be the guest preacher. A reception for Pastor Jess and Pastor Trey will be held in the Mission Coffeehouse between services. Please join us!

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