

VBS AROUND THE WORLD



Vacation Bible School starts Tonight, July 28th and continues for three additional Sunday evenings; August 4th, 11th & 18th. VBS starts at 4:30 for the kids with the whole congregation invited to a meal at 6:00 pm. Bring a side dish to share. A different meal is planned for each week with help from the kids.

Shepherd's Staff- August Edition: Next month's newsletter will be in your inbox this Wednesday. Printed copies will be available on the narthex table next Sunday. If you would like an item included in the issue you still have a couple of days to get the information to Amy in the office.

Benevolent Fund: Good Shepherd has a fund to help those in need. The only criteria for assistance is that the person requesting help must live in the Cass City school district. If you or anyone you know may need a little help with paying a bill or purchasing fuel, food, etc., contact the office.

Reminder: The windows in the meeting room were left open this past Sunday. If you are using the building or have a meeting, please remember to close the windows and shut off the lights before you leave.

Women's Ministry EC Meeting: On Monday August 5th Women's Ministry will hold their annual organizational meeting. If there is a charitable project or fun activity that you would like to see Women's Ministry promote speak with any one of the committee members. They are Diane Lowe, Traci Schulz, Lynette Witherspoon, Chris Weippert, Amy Talaski, Susan Hoppe, Evelyn Jameson, Beth McCallum and Allison Schulz.

LWML Mites: Remember to keep filling your Mite Boxes™ for LWML grants. Can we help meet the goal of funding the mission work of sharing Jesus? If you need a box, some are on the narthex table.

Ian's Vicarage: Ian's last Sunday with us this summer will be August 11th. The board of evangelism will sponsor a coffee hour after worship to give you an opportunity to visit with Ian before he leaves. We will also collect a door offering that day to help offset his travel and setting up an apartment costs.

Attention Women of Good Shepherd: Pick up a copy of the Lutheran Women's Quarterly from the narthex table. The theme of this summer issue is "Growing In Christ's Love". "The lessons we learn from God help us grow as Christians- casting your cares on Him, relying on His word, singing and praying His praises, being a caring missionary or ambassador for Christ, relying on Him, no matter what the circumstance. All these help us to grow knowing that we are the forgiven children of God, and are enveloped in His love"