



# DILWORTH

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Faith Driven and Home Focused  
Discipleship, Stewardship, and Service



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[www.dilworthlutheran.org](http://www.dilworthlutheran.org)



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If you are new to Dilworth Lutheran or would like more information about our congregation, please take a minute to fill-out a "Connection" card which is located on the welcome table at the sanctuary doors.

On the Web: [dilworthlutheran.org](http://dilworthlutheran.org)

Follow us on Facebook!

### Sunday Worship Volunteers - 11/25/18

**8:30 AM**

**Ushers: Mark and Pam Cottrell**

**Communion: Pat Coalwell**

**Fellowship Servers: Cheryl Ritter and Debra Schulz**

**10:30 AM**

**Ushers: Paula and Gregg Bjerk**

**Communion:**

**Screen Operator: Doug Klungtvedt**

**With Sincere Thanks.....** Elsie Bjorndahl for her memorial for Katie Bjorndahl; Bob and Judy Videen for their memorial for Donovan Leach; Arvilla Lien for her memorial for Dotty Brevik; Dee Vos, Rich and Jordan for their memorial for Karen Schock; Arvilla Lien for her donation of "The Faith Mill" painting in memory of Lloyd Lien; Mary Spray-Otto for her memorial for Loraine Pelto; Nancy and Larry Kullas for their memorial for Loraine Pelto

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**CHURCH OFFICE PHONE** - (218) 287-2628

#### Weekly Worship Opportunities:

Wednesday

6:45 PM

Sunday

8:30 AM & 10:30 AM



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If you would like to help decorate our church for Christmas, please fill out the form below and put in the offering plate or mail to DLC, Box 474, Dilworth, MN 56529. Please make your check payable to:

**Dilworth Lutheran Church.**

**DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 14!!**

\_\_\_\_\_ Poinsettia 6"pot - \$10.00

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Donation towards poinsettia

If you wish your donation to be designated in memory of or in honor of a loved one:

In memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Given by: \_\_\_\_\_



## Faith and Care Booklet

We are in the process of updating the Faith and Care Booklet for the new year. Each DLC member is assigned to serve one month out of the year. Please be sure the church office has your current phone number and address. We have twelve volunteer work group chairwomen whose responsibility is to be sure ushers, communion assistants, screen operators, and goodie/ kitchen workers are available for each service. If the month you are currently in does not work out for you, please let the office or Sandy Stulz know (701) 261-8433. Having correct contact information makes their job much easier.

## Altar Guild

Each quarter four people serve on the altar guild. This amounts to setting up communion by filling glasses and wafer trays for each service. We are in need of one person to serve the first quarter (January, February, March) and the second quarter (April, May, June). Please contact the church office or Sandy Stulz (701) 261-8433 if you are interested in serving.

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRAYER

*We will pray these names together aloud during worship:*

**Andrea Miller, Judy Johnson, Gordon Luthi, Keri Leach, Michelle McLaughlin, Char Rudolph, Ingo Schulz, Arnie Hill, Karen Kasner** (sister of Jean Hanson), **Mona Bouchard** (Leanne Nicholas' mom), **Julius Brown, Don Estenson, Gregg Bjerk, Fred Doeden, Bonnie Warner, Bob Kinnen** (Cheri Keller's brother-in-law), **Ken Ingram** (Sandy McLaughlin's brother-in-law), **Kristeine Shelladay** (Marie Schreiners's sister), **Laurie Ochsner** (Diane Waterland's niece), **Valorie Steichen, Truman Johnson, Pamela Croonquist-Terres, Chuck Green, Kevin Hestera**

## Financial Numbers as of November 1, 2018

This summer, we've borrowed over \$26,000 from our Genesis Fund to pay operating expenses. We appreciate your gifts.

Thank you for your continued stewardship of Dilworth Lutheran Church.

\*\* Please consider setting up a recurring gift to the church through our Simply Giving Program. Sign up on our website ([www.dilworthlutheran.org](http://www.dilworthlutheran.org)) or fill out a form in the office

**Bank Mortgage Balance:** \$117,578.00

## 2018 Missions Giving

Local Missions Giving: \$11,191.00

ELCA Synod Missions Giving: \$3,522.00

## You can now make a contribution with text!

Simply send a text message to **(218) 293-4018** with the amount you would like to contribute. Within a few minutes, you'll be sent a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and credit or debit card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt of your donation via email.

We hope you enjoy this new way to share your generosity, and we thank you for supporting the church.

God bless!

## At A Glance.....

### Opportunities for you This Week

Sunday, Nov. 25	8:30 and 10:30 AM Worship 9:30 AM NO Sunday School Classes
Tuesday, Nov. 27	1 PM Quilters
Wednesday, Nov. 28	10 AM Bible Study in the Faith Room 1:30 PM Social Fellowship. 5:15-5:45 PM Kids' Choir in FLC 5:30 PM Wed. Supper 5:30 PM Spring Carnival Introductory Mtg. 6 PM Wednesday School Classes 6:45 PM Worship 7:30 PM NO 7th,8th, & 9th Grade Confirmation Classes 7:30 PM Choir Practice
Thursday, Nov. 29	6 AM Men's Bible Study @ Fryn' Pan 7:40 AM Pancakes and Prayers @ Glyndon Lutheran Church 10 AM Devo's over Coffee. 10 AM Men's Fellowship Hour 7 PM Visioning Team Mtg. 8 PM Happy Hour Group (AA)
Sunday, Dec. 2	8:30 and 10:30 AM Worship 9:30 AM Sunday School Classes 9:30 AM Youth Selling Caramel Rolls 9:30 AM Family Advent Wreath Activity 3:30-5 PM Girl Scouts #30475/30928 Mtg. in W. Gathering Hall 6 PM Education Committee Mtg.
Looking Ahead	<b>Dec. 5:</b> 10 AM Bible Study in the Faith Room 1:30 PM Social Fellowship. 5:15-5:45 PM Kids' Choir in FLC 5:30 PM Wed. Supper 5:30 PM Family Advent Wreath Activity 6 PM Wednesday School Classes 6:45 PM Worship 7:30 PM 7th,8th, & 9th Grade Confirmation Classes 7:30 PM Choir Practice <b>Dec. 6:</b> 6 AM Men's Bible Study @ Fryn' Pan 7:40 AM Highschool Bible Study @ Glyndon Lutheran Church 10 AM Devo's over Coffee. 5:30 PM Cub Scouts pack 652 Mtg in FLC 8 PM Happy Hour Group (AA) <b>Dec. 9:</b> 8:30 and 10:30 AM Christmas Cantata 9:30 AM Sunday School Classes 9:30 AM Men's Pancake Breakfast 11:30 AM Youth Baking Cookies for DLC Shut-Ins 3:30-5 PM Girl Scouts #30475/30928 Mtg. in W. Gathering Hall 7 PM Finance Committee Mtg.

## God's Global Barnyard

An animal can make a world of a difference for a family in need. Animals provide food to eat, fertilizer to grow crops and offspring to sell at the market. With one gift, you can help a family escape the cycle of hunger and poverty for good.



### Cow

A cow's milk, meat, fertilizer and calves can quickly strengthen a family's financial security.

\$500



### Chicks

Chicks begin laying eggs at just a few months old, offering nutritious, protein rich meals for families who are hungry.

\$10



### Goat

Fresh milk from a goat is very nutritious and can be used to make products like yogurt and cheese to sell at the market.

\$50



### Honeybees

Bees pollinate plants and boost crop growth — helping the wider community. Soaps and candles can be made from their wax and sold at the local market.

\$20



### Pig

Within months after birth, piglets grow to weigh over 200 pounds — bringing a big payoff at the market.

\$30



### Fish Farm

A fish farm and training in good business economics can provide a lifetime of meals for a community.

\$250



### Oxen and plow

A pair of oxen will help create record-breaking harvests, provide natural fertilizer for the fields and give families the gift of time.

\$1,000

Give through your congregation, by visiting [ELCA.org/goodgifts](http://ELCA.org/goodgifts) or by sending a check to ELCA Good Gifts, P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009. Please indicate your gift in the memo line of your check.

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### **Online Memorial/Honorary Offering**

Dilworth Lutheran Church is proud to announce that now you can contribute in honor of, or in memory for a friend or loved one online at [www.dilworthlutheran.org/online-offering/](http://www.dilworthlutheran.org/online-offering/)

### **Men's Morning Bible Study**

Thursday Morning at 6:00 AM there will be a Men's Bible Study at the Moorhead Fry-N-Pan. All are welcome to attend and learn of God's good news.

### **High School Bible Study**

High schoolers! Join your fellow peers for morning Bible study, every Thursday morning at 7:40am at Glyndon Lutheran Church.

### **ELCA GOOD GIFTS**

Americans spend over \$300 billion on Christmas shopping each year. That is a lot of stocking stuffers, fruitcake and Christmas sweaters! What if a part of this spending was re-directed to fight hunger and poverty? This Advent season, the Evangelism Committee will again be selling ELCA Good Gift ornaments that can do just that. Rethink your Christmas shopping this year, and substitute at least one gift with an ELCA Good Gifts ornament which helps to end hunger and improve peoples' lives both here and abroad. Ornaments range from \$10 for a backpack full of food or school supplies to \$500 for a cow which can help feed families in need somewhere around the world. These Good Gifts can be life-changing gifts. For more information visit:  
[www.ELCA.org/hunger](http://www.ELCA.org/hunger)

### **DLC's local mission focus**

DLC's local mission focus for October through December 2018 is the Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Red River Valley. Please see the information center or bulletin board for a wish list of items that you could donate and place those items in the red shopping cart adjacent to the nursery. Thank you and God bless!

### **DGF Elementary**

New or gently used hats, mittens and snow pants are requested for kids who are in need this winter. Please leave them in the box in our mission area, adjacent to the nursery.

### **DGF Elementary Christmas Gifts**

If you would like to buy a Christmas gift for a Dilworth elementary child in need, there is a sign up outside the church doors on the usher stand.

### **New Bible Study!**

Every Wednesday at 10 AM, Pastor Arlen Hermodson will lead a study of 2nd Corinthians. No experience needed, and all are welcome to attend!

### **Please join us!**

We encourage new members to get involved and help.  
DLC Spring Carnival Introductory Meeting  
Wednesday, November 28  
5:30pm at the church

### **New Thursday Fellowship**

Retired men, we are happy to introduce a new fellowship opportunity just for you! Come on out to the church on the first Thursday of December from 10 am to 11 am and enjoy hot coffee and fresh treats.