CURRENT CONTRIBUTIONS* AND WORSHIP FOR - Jan. 7, 2018

General Fund	\$ 4809.00	Thur. 7:00 pm	9
Building Fund	\$ 120.00	Nursery	2
Endowment Fund	\$ 558.89	Sunday 8:30 am	54
Memorial Fund	\$ 0.00	Sunday 10:45 am	44
All Other Funds	\$ 6.00	WEEK TOTAL	109

^{*}Contributions include online giving

THIS WEEK'S SERVANTS January 14, 2018

	8:30 am	10:45 am	Thur 1/18
Greeters - Parking	Bruce & Diane Davis	Andy & Lynn Schuster	
Reader	Anita Feller	Christian Weidner	
Communion	-	-	
Worship Assistant	Jerry LaMott	Lovell Davis	Les Lehrke
Acolytes	Wyatt Beaty	Jayden Davis	
Ushers - Captain	Brian Dick	Dan Fors	
- Assistant	Bruce Feller		
Projectionist / AV	Paul Hickey	Joshua Thompson	
Weekend Custodian	John Hafner		

NEXT WEEK'S SERVANTS January 21, 2018

•	8:30 am	10:45 am	Thur 1/25
Greeters - Parking	Paul & Tricia Hickey	Doris Neuenfeldt	
Reader	Lynn Henry	Lovell Davis	
Communion	Alexis G./Jerry L.	George Wise	
Worship Assistant	Bruce Davis	Christian Weidner	John Hafner
Acolytes	Alex Tiaden	Melanie Jaeger	
Ushers - Captain	Brian Dick	TBD	
- Assistant	Bruce Feller		
Projectionist / AV	Murphy	Kevin Zook	
Weekend Custodian	John Hafner		

VISITORS: Check out our website,
www.berealutheran.org for more
information about Berea.
Copies of the January Eager Berean
newsletter are also available in the
tract rack in the narthex.

MEMBERS: Pick up your January Eager Berean from your mail box.



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Berea Beacon

with 8:30am Worship Bulletin

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, January 14

8:30 am Worship 9:45 am Education Hour 9:45 am Confirmation Class

10:45 am Worship ♥ 1-3:00 pm Light Rest

Monday, January 15

9:00 am Staff Meeting 10:00 am LWML Cards 7:00 pm Altar Guild

FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Tuesday, January 16

1:30 pm Seven Hills Rehearsal

6:00 pm A.A.

6:30 pm Seven Hills Concert

Wednesday, January 17

8:00 am Prayer Breakfast

- Baker's Sq., 98th & Lyn.

6:00 pm A.C.A.

7:00 pm Senior Choir

7:00 pm Men's Garage Bible Study

Thursday, January 18

10:00 am Bible Class
7:00 pm Prayer Service
- Lord's Supper

Friday, January 19

6:00 pm Ladies Bible Study
- A. Gartland home

6-7:00 pm Light Rest Bible Study

- Fireside Room

Saturday, January 20

9-11:00 am Feed My Starving Children
- Chanhassen

12-4:00 pm North Star

Sunday, January 21 – Lord's Supper

8:30 am Worship

9:45 am Education Hour 9:45 am Confirmation Class

10:45 am Worship 1-3:00 pm Light Rest

3:30 pm Girl Scouts #13906 6:30 pm Girl Scouts #11404

 ϑ - On the 2nd and 4th Sundays at 10:45am, we offer a contemporary worship service

If you would like to place an announcement in the Beacon, please give it to the office in writing (note or to office email), by noon Tuesday for the upcoming Sunday.

YOUR STAFF

Rev. Kevin Tiaden, Pastor

OFFICE

Allen Petersen, Parish Administrator HaeKyung Thompson, Community Outreach Coordinator

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Matt Connolly, Director

MUSIC

Paul Cordes, Music Director Kerry Murphy, Choir Director Penny Voxland, Music Assistant

BUILDING

Colin Harrison, Custodian

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOAVES AND FISHES TOO VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Berea's Loaves and Fishes Too volunteers will provide a free meal at Creekside Community Center in Bloomington on Monday, January 22. New volunteers are needed to assist with serving from 5:20 to 6:30 pm. Contact Dan Fors for more details at 952-941-1553.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Volunteering for Meals on Wheels is a great way to make a huge impact in a short amount of time, committing to as little as two hours a month. By delivering these meals you bring nutritious food and a friendly visit to seniors and homebound folks in the community. If you might be interested in volunteering, please contact Bobbie Zelinsky at 612-929-0631.

VALENTINE TEA

Mark your calendars for our annual Valentine Tea, Sunday Feb. 11th, after the second service. Watch for more details to come!

COUNCIL NOTES

The December Council notes are available in the rack by the Emerson Ave doors.

VOTER'S MEETING

Our next Voter's Meeting will be Sun., Jan. 28^{th} after the second service.

2018 ENVELOPES

Your 2018 offering envelopes boxes are now in your mailbox!

WAGNER UPDATE

Read the latest from Berea-supported missionaries, Josh & Ruth Wagner, on the east bulletin board.

Thank You

I would like to take a moment to thank God for my successful shoulder surgery and rehabilitation. In addition, I would like to thank everyone who said a prayer for my surgery and recovery. Lauri and I are blessed by your fellowship. Blessings, *Thomas Kaufman*

Thanks to all of the wonderful, hard-working people who stayed after the second service last week to take down the Christmas decorations!

Chuck & Lois Brummer

2018 COUNCIL ROSTER

President Carol Lean
President Elect Doug Taplin
Elders Ieff Banks

Thomas Kaufman

(1 vacant position)

Deacons Alexis Gartland

Barb Bly

Joshua Thompson

Stewards Christian Weidner

Mike Murphy Bruce Davis

Reporting to Council:

Endowment Dan Fors

Chuck Brummer

Jerry Gatz

Treasurer Gayle Hafner

This Week's Birthdays

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Stephanie Hinz	1/15
Bruce Feller	1/16
Laurel Jesme	1/17
Lon Ortner	1/18
Esther Stephenson	1/18
Celeste Wiederholt	1/18
Melanie Zell	1/19

May the Lord bless your special day!

LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY LEAGUE

LWML Card Corner

Feel free to browse our fine selection when you get your coat!

Now available:

Valentines 🛡

♥ Both New and Recycled **♥**

Winter Birthdays

We have a new section of winterylooking cards for those who celebrate in the winter months.

Also, Remembering Shut-ins: Along with our prayers, "Thinking of You" cards are always welcome.

Thanks...to all donors, crafters, & purchasers for your support!

All card income goes to support LWML mission projects.

ON THE LIBRARY LEDGE

Need help with your new year's resolutions? We have pulled a great selection of devotions and prayer books for parents, men, women and teens! - Gail A.

Count Your Blessings...a Stewardship Minute

"You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body." 1 Corinthians 6:19-20

God owns everything, including our very selves. We were made to serve Him and glorify Him and will never truly be happy or find our fulfillment until we learn that lesson. Jesus has redeemed us and brought us back into the Kingdom of the Father – and that has set us free to serve Him in joy, generosity, liberty, and faith.