**TLC Weekly: *Sunday, December 12 – Sunday, December 19***

**Sunday, December 12** 9am Youth-led Worship (*Food Shelf Sunday)*

***Third Sunday of Advent*** 10am Coffee Fellowship

 ***Food Shelf Sunday*** 10:15am Education Hour

**Mon., December 13** 9am Lutheran Men in Mission Bible Study

 11:30am Staff Meeting

**Tues., December 14** 9am Prairie Conference Pastors’ Meeting *(First Luth., Marshall)*

 6:30pm Prophecy Circle *(potluck and ornament exchange at Lynn Nicks’)*

**Weds., December 15** 9am Do-Day Ladies

 6:30pm Mid-week Advent Service

 7pm Chancel Choir

**Friday, December 17** 8am Breakfast and Bible (10-12 gr.) @ Amy Munson’s

**Sunday, December 19** 9am Advent Service of Lessons and Carols

***Fourth Sunday of Advent*** 10am Coffee Fellowship

 10:15am Education Hour

 11am Worship on YouTube

 2-4pm Gingerbread Bash Family Christmas Event

**The Radio Broadcast** *(KMHL 1400AM – or – 101.7FM)* **for this Sunday is sponsored by the *“Do-Day Ladies”* – our Wednesday morning quilting group.**

**Please continue to Remember in Prayer:**

*Please…*

*We are happy to include people in our prayer list, but we must have their permission to be included. Many folks are very private about what is happening in their lives and we want to honor that.*

**Lyle Buddenhagen** – *recovering from back injury*

**Denis Greenfield** – *recovering from blood clots*

**Keith Kropp** – *Gale Kropp’s husband*

**John Springer** – *Joyce Osland’s brother, has cancer*

**Roger Kiihn** – *now in Prairie View Nursing Home*

**December Acolytes:** Taylor Swenhaugen, Kendra Timmerman

**December Communion Preparation:** LaVerne Jessen, Carolyn Engelkes

**December Communion Servers:** Muriel Coulter, Sue Nackerud, Sue Magnuson

**Coffee Fellowship:**  Sunday, December 12 Kyle and Sue Magnuson

 Sunday, December 19 Kainz and Fultz Families

 Sunday, December 26 Shirley Johnson

**Scripture Readers:** Sunday, December 12 Youth

 Sunday, December 19 Brenda Wieme

 Sunday, December 26 Jamie Leonard

**Ushers:** Sunday, December 12 Dennis Fultz, Steve Meyer, Chauncey Muedeking, Jim Christian

 Sunday, December 19 Jim Nicks, Tim Jones, Loren Rykhus, Terry Filter

 Sunday, December 26 George Erbes, Eric Fultz, Swede Campbell, Jason Lichty

**Sunday Counters:** Sunday, December 12 Khyle Radke

 Sunday, December 19 Jim Julien

 Sunday, December 26 Mallory Fultz **Financial Update** *(as of Wednesday, December 8)***:**

General $3,106

Building $440 **Bills Paid this week:** **$2,156**

Missions $25

**Total $3,571**

**Christmas Poinsettias**

Are now available for purchase in memory or in honor of someone you love. Only 32 available this year – red poinsettias only. *Stop by the office and fill out a Poinsettia Information sheet if you wish to sponsor a poinsettia.*

**Midweek Advent Service**

Each Wednesday evening at 6:30pm we gather together for 30 minutes to sing Christmas carols, to hear a brief Advent meditation, and to take a little time out of busy holiday schedules to prepare hearts and minds for the birth of Jesus. This year we will learn about the meaning of each candle on the Advent Wreath.

**Food Shelf Sunday, December 12th**

This Sunday is “Food Shelf Sunday” – all loose offering will go to our Tracy Area Food Shelf.

**Thank You!**

Many thanks to all who set up and decorated for the Annual Christmas Tea – it was absolutely beautiful! Additional thanks to those who cleaned up and brought food to the event. Lastly, thank you to all of you who came and participated.

**Gingerbread Bash – 2-4pm Sunday, December 19th**

Join us for a fun Christmas experience! We will play games, sing songs, build a gingerbread nativity, and learn about the first Christmas ever. It’s going to be a BASH!

**Shetek Lutheran Ministries 4th – 6th Graders’ *“Winter Fun Day”***

**Tuesday, December 28th, 9:30am – 4:30pm**

This event is for our upper elementary 4th – 6th graders.

Come to camp over your holiday break to be reminded of God’s love and to have a blustery blast with winter camp activities like: Games, Arts and Crafts, Bible Time, Snowshoeing, Cross Country Skiing, Ice Fishing, Broomball, and other camp favorites!

**Cost is $25. Go online to *“***[**www.shetek.org**](http://www.shetek.org)***”* to register. Deadline is Tuesday, Dec. 14th.**

*(contact the camp for more information - 507-763-3567)*

**Pastoral Home Visits**

Pastor Eric is available to do a visit (for communion or prayer) in your home. Please call the church office (629-3563) if you would like to have him bring you communion or to stop by for a pastoral visit.