

Morning Music: Dennis Johnson and Ryan Frederick, former organists here at Memorial, are here this morning along with our regular organists Zach Heilman, Matt Jaschen, Jodi Jurgemeier, and Carol Weber, along with student William Polzin to share worship music with us between services. Freewill offerings placed in the wooden box in the narthex will help offset the cost of the organ renovation this summer.

Lent begins this Wednesday, February 17, Ash Wednesday. We will hold a worship service with Holy Communion at 7 PM. Our first Lenten soup supper will be held from 5:30-6:45.

The “Sweetheart Dinner,” hosted by our high school youth, will be held on Saturday, February 27 at 6 PM. Cost for the meal is \$30 per couple. The youth provide free babysitting and activities. Sign up on the list in the back of the church.

A congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, February 28 at 9:45 AM. The committees will give reports and be available to field questions.

Helping Haiti is an earthquake victim relief program organized by Thrivent. For every \$2 donated by members by March 31, Thrivent will donate \$1. Make donations at Thrivent.com/helpinghaiti or by calling 800-236-3736 (M-F, 7AM-6PM; say “directory” and enter ext. 83003).

Can you meet with an international friend once a month this semester? **Friendships International**, a program that works to build bridges between different countries and cultures through friendships, is looking for families or individuals who would help welcome an international student into the community. Please contact Bessie Fick (bfick1@aol.com) to find out more!

Student Notes

Student Fellowship is held on Wednesdays at 9:15 PM. Join us for an hour of fellowship, devotion, songs, and a snack.

Announcements

In Our Prayers— Beth Henningsen was hospitalized at Mayo. Brenton Smith and Ashley Saunders will be married here this afternoon. We pray for Barabara Peters, the mother of Lynn Nehls, who is suffering from illness and the family of Ellen Balvanz, mother of Jeff Balavanz, who passed away this week. Ron Gloede was hospitalized this week.

Adult Classes—The Sunday Adult Bible Study will not meet because of the organ recital. The Parenting Class continues a study of John Rosemund’s Parent Power.

Due to the adverse weather, we ask that those healthier and younger park at the Memorial Union ramp or at the Campus Bookstore. For those who have trouble on ice, please park by the sidewalk, which goes across the south lawn into the basement of the church, and use the elevator to the first upper level.

Member Travelogue: Next Sunday, February 21, at 2 PM, Bill and Carolyn McCall will be sharing their experiences last fall on a round-the-world cruise. They traveled with college students on a “semester at sea” program. They will meet in the MLC Student Center.

Families with children nursery 3 through grade 2 are invited downstairs during music time and the first few minutes of the Sunday School hour for a special Valentines activity

The Middle School youth (grades 6-8) plan to go sledding next Sunday, February 21. Meet at church at 3 PM, and stay after for hot chocolate and cookies.

Cleaning out that closet or store room? Material is needed for the International quilting group especially for backs and fillings for the quilts such as sheets and sheet blankets. Bring items to the church office or north conference room in the basement.

March Messenger Newsletter deadline: calendar dates and other articles for the March Messenger Newsletter need to be turned in by tomorrow, February 15. Please email submissions to MLCsecretary@aol.com.

Mission Project: The children grades 3-6 cleaned and packaged shoes donated by all the Sunday School children. The shoes will be mailed to children in Mexico. The coffee money on March 7 will go towards the postage to send the shoes. This would be a good opportunity for families to sign up to provide the treats, so the kids can be involved every step of the way.

A Great Start! Last week, the Sunday School collected 62 nonperishable food items to donate to the Bethesda Food Pantry! They will continue collecting through Spring Break. Please place your non-perishable donations in the box in the back of the church.

Women of Memorial were unable to meet last week, so the meeting has been rescheduled to Monday, February 15 at 7 PM in the Student Center. We will work on planning the theme, food, decorations, music, and booklet for the Boone LWML Zone Rally that will be held at MLC on April 10. All women are invited to join for a topic study and planning.

Men of Memorial - *We want YOU!* Volunteer to help with Easter breakfast this year. A few workers are needed Saturday, April 3, to help prepare. A lot more workers are needed Sunday April 4, to cook and clean up. Contact Lyle Groth if you can help.

Sunday Office Help: We are looking for a few volunteers to take turns helping out in the office between services on Sundays. Volunteers will be trained to help with the copy machine, sign out keys, and take messages for staff. Please contact Lyle (legroth@hotmail.com) or call the office for more information.

Mmmm... That’s the sound of us thanking Barb Royer, Paula Dacken, Brenda Brown, Kathy Cole, and Kathy Jurgens for providing us with delicious diversions for our taste buds this morning.

On the Bulletin Board:

- ▶ Volunteer to donate soup, cookies and bars for **Lenten suppers** beginning February 17. The lists are in the Narthex.
- ▶ Sign up for our next **Sunday morning cookie treats** on March 7. The sheet is on the bulletin board.
- ▶ **Looking for work?** Check out the bulletin board for information about working with the Census.
- ▶ The **Sweetheart Dinner** on Saturday, February 27 has a limited number of seats, reserve yours on the sign up sheet.
- ▶ Sarah Schaff, MLC ISU alum, has mailed us a postcard from Vietnam. Check it out!

The Onion Creek Cloggers will play music, demonstrate dances, and teach us a few moves at FISH dinner this week. Join us for Dutch food and some fun fellowship, starting at 6 PM.

Big thanks to our Memo mailing team: Elaine Faas, Jan Anderson, Pauline & Dale Balmer, Ken Hartman, Mary Gillette, George & Agatha Burnett, Barry & Jan Thomas, Joan Welch, Chuck & Donna Robinson. Also, thank you to everyone who helped organize and facilitate Mission Sunday. The children seemed to really enjoy the activities, and learned a lot about God's love to the whole world.

Helping with Worship:

Preacher: Mark Heilman; Liturgist: David Beagley; Organist: Matt Jaschen & William Polzin; Memorial Bells Director: Jodi Jurgemeyer; Bells Percussionist: Zach Heilman; Readers: (8:30) Jeff Balvanz, (11:00) Eric Mader; Altar Guild: Linda & Fred Vogtlin, Dick & Dee Pfeiffer; Greeters: George & Agatha Burnet, Don Beitz & Lois Kapfer; Ushers: (5:00) Lynn Nehls, (8:30) Casey Frye, John & Sandy Slaughter, (11:00) Beta Sigma Psi *We thank you for your service.*

This Week at Memorial: February 14-20

(ISM class schedules are posted outside the Int'l Resource Room)

Today	8:30 AM	Worship Service
	9:40 AM	Sunday School
	9:45 AM	Morning Music Organ Fundraiser (Sanctuary)
	10:00 AM	Family Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
		International Bible Study (Int'l Resource Room)
	11:00 AM	Worship Service (Holy Communion)
	9:15 PM	College Women's Bible Study (State Room)
Monday	7:00 PM	Women of Memorial Meeting (Student Center)
Tuesday	8:30 PM	College Men's Bible Study (State Room)
	6:00 PM	Bells II (Organ Loft)
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Memorial Bells (Organ Loft)
	8:30 AM	Senior Breakfast (Perkins)
	10:00 AM	Women's Bible Break (Cardinal Room)
	11:00 AM	Senior Chimes (Student Center)
	4:00 PM	Junior Chimes (Organ Loft)
	4:30 PM	Confirmation 8th (Cardinal Room)
		Confirmation 7th (Fellowship Hall)
		Confirmation 6th (Room 2)
	5:30 PM	Lenten Soup Supper
	7:00 PM	Ash Wednesday Service (Holy Communion)
	9:15 PM	Student Fellowship (Student Center)
	Thursday	1:00 PM
	2:00 PM	Pinochle Party (Student Center)
	7:00 PM	Adult Information Class (Cardinal Room)
	7:00 PM	Memorial Choir (Organ Loft)
	8:15 PM	Memorial Brass (Organ Loft)
Friday	6:00 PM	FISH Dinner (Dutch)
Saturday	6:00 PM	Nolting-Olson Wedding Rehearsal
	3:00 PM	Nolting-Olson Wedding
	5:00 PM	Worship (Holy Communion)

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturdays: 5:00 PM Informal Worship with Holy Communion

Sundays: 8:30 AM Traditional Worship (Holy Communion 1st, 3rd, and 5th)

Sundays: 11:00 AM Informal Worship (Holy Communion each week)

MEMORIAL HOURS

Office: Monday-Friday (8 AM-4:30 PM) Sunday (8 AM - 11 AM)

Building: Sunday-Friday (8 AM-12 AM) Saturday (10 AM-7 PM)

Sharing in Holy Communion - We invite you to read the following statement of faith about Holy Communion: This is our statement of faith. If it is your statement of faith, we invite you to share the Holy Communion with us. The Lord's Supper is celebrated at Memorial in the confession and glad confidence that, as Christ says, He gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but also his very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that we may show forth His love for all until He comes. If you desire to commune with us, we ask that you fill out a blue registration card in the pew rack in front of you and hand it to the usher when you come forward to commune. This helps us to get to know the many worshippers who come to Memorial.