



MISSION NEWS from Spirit of Hope Lutheran Church Tuesday, June 12, 2018

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PASTOR DAVE FISHER IS ON CALL FOR PASTORAL EMERGENCIES AND URGENT ISSUES THIS SATURDAY, JUNE 16, AT 303-941-0668.

THIS SUNDAY AT SPIRIT OF HOPE

This Sunday at Spirit of Hope Lutheran Church we will cover a famous story from the gospel of Luke. Jesus travels to gentile country and encounters a man possessed by many demons. After casting the demons from the man into a herd of swine, the response of the local villagers is remarkable – they ask Jesus to leave! Dealing with evil and responding to God doing the unexpected will be among the topics covered in worship this week. Also, all fathers will be recognized and honored this Sunday as it is Father's Day! Everything begins with Fellowship at 9:00 am this Sunday at Pine Lane Elementary North (6485 E Ponderosa Drive, Parker, CO 80138). Worship follows at 9:30 am. Fellowship continues following worship.

SERMONS NOW ONLINE!

Traveling on vacation? Not feeling well? Life a little busy? Well, you can now stay connected and listen to the sermons on our website so that you never have to miss an opportunity to hear sound biblical preaching and so that you can be uplifted by the Gospel message as you begin a new week. Simply visit our website www.spiritofhopelcmc.org. Click on "Worship" and scroll down to the message that you'd like hear.

YOUTH NEWS!

Upcoming Youth Events

June 20, Prayer and Pie Night at Village Inn, 7 to 8:30 pm

June 29, Bible Scavenger Hunt at Park Meadows Mall, 10:00 am

July 8, Youth Mission Trip Training, 1-6 pm

July 15, Youth Mission Trip Commissioning at worship

July 18, Prayer and Pie Night at Village Inn, 7 to 8:30 pm

July 21-28, Youth Mission Trip on the White Mountain Apache Nation in Arizona

July 29, Youth Mission Trip Sharing at worship

PRAYER REQUESTED FOR UPCOMING MISSION TRIPS

This year three mission trips are once again scheduled in which members of Spirit of Hope will be participating. Your prayers are requested before and during each trip for those who are the “goers” from our congregation this year.

Youth Mission Trip to Arizona

The youth of Spirit of Hope will be making their fifth mission trip to the White Mountain Apache Nation from July 21 – 28. Their commissioning service will be on Sunday, July 15, at the conclusion of worship. During their trip they will conduct a Vacation Bible School for kids in a neighborhood on the reservation and serve wherever needed. Please pray for those serving this year: Faith Giles, Kayanna Larson, Thane Larson, Ben Reinicke, Tim Reinicke, James West, Rachel West, Gregory West (Assistant Leader), Sarah West (Assistant Leader), Tiffany Poch (Assistant Leader), Tim Lehnerz (Leader) and Wendy Poch (Leader). The youth will share what God did through them at the worship service of July 29.

Estonia Trip with EEMN

Renee Nefe will be making her first mission trip to the nation of Estonia from August 8 – 20 to help lead the Friendship English Language Bible Camp sponsored by Spirit of Hope mission partner’s East European Missions Network and the Tartu Academy of Theology. Using the Bible as the teaching text, the team not only teaches all levels of English, but shares the gospel in doing so.

Africa Trip sponsored by Marion Medical Missions

This will be Wayne Schultz seventh trip to Africa to help with the installation of clean water drinking wells in the name of Christ through Marion Medical Missions (MMM). Two teams travel to the nation of Malawi each fall and are then deployed to rural areas

throughout that country and into neighboring Zambia and Tanzania to help local MMM employees, install, record and dedicate the wells to God. The wells provide an immediate lifesaving effect to villagers who have long suffered from water borne diseases. Joining Wayne this year on Team One (September 14 – October 8) are Tiffany Poch, Rodney Pobar and Pastor Dave. Please pray for all of our short term missionaries as they prepare for these trips!

Prayer Requests - If you have a prayer request for the prayer chain please contact Pastor Dave at 303-941-0668 or pastordave@spiritofhopelcmc.org

Jesus said; "Come to me, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and I will give you rest."

Please include the following people in your prayers:

For Pastoral Intern Wendy Poch and her family as they mourn the death yesterday of Wendy's grandfather in Illinois. Wendy has been asked to officiate at her grandfather's funeral on Saturday. Please pray for strength, comfort and guidance

For thanksgiving for Mr. Thomas Soko, Field Officer with Marion Medical Missions, being released from a hospital in Chipata, Zambia on Sunday after suffering an attack by bandits last week. Please pray for continued healing for Mr. Soko

For Ingrid Isabel, a compassion international child sponsored by the Nefe family who lives in Nicaragua, that she will be safe during this time of political turmoil in that nation and that this turmoil will end soon

Thanksgiving for the righteous Supreme Court decision in favor of Jack Philips and Masterpiece Cakeshop

Thanksgiving and continued prayers for healing for Cathy Morano's friend's daughter in Kentucky, Kamela Popiwczak, from recent brain surgery to repair an aneurysm

For healing for Cathy Morano's friend's father in Chicago, John Kallas, from multiple complications related his heart and recent foot surgery

For Kerli in Estonia as she undergoes more cancer treatment

For the Tartu Academy in Estonia as they plan for fundraising to acquire a permanent facility

For the Supreme Court of the United States to judge rightly and in accordance with God's will in the upcoming decision of Family and Life Advocates (NIFLA) v. Becerra. Pray for the court to rule in favor of NIFLA.

For our Christian brothers and sisters all over the world who suffer persecution to be comforted and strengthened and for the Lord God to defeat the evil of terrorism done to them

For our church as we seek God's guidance and providence as we continue the building project

For Spirit of Hope mission partners: Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ, Southeast Community Outreach, Mean Street Ministries, Apache Youth Ministries, East European Mission Network, Missionary Carrie, Tartu Academy of Theology

For Spirit of Hope mission allies: Marion Medical Missions, Bethesda Lutheran Ministries, Compassion International, the Institute of Lutheran Theology

For missionaries around the world as they seek to proclaim the gospel

All of our military fighting for our freedoms

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES (Members and Friends)

June Birthdays

6/2 Christian Ramirez
6/4 Tiffany Poch
6/6 Jack Huebsch
6/7 Kandy Parsons
6/13 Glenn Poch
6/15 Faith Giles
6/16 June Doty
6/26 Sheri Giles
6/28 Paul Reinicke

June Anniversaries

6/5 Carl & Marie Winkelman
6/8 Bob & Sherry Clark
6/11 Glenn & Wendy Poch

QUICK SPIRIT OF HOPE FINANCIAL UPDATE

June income (to date) = **\$6,110**

June expenses (to date) = **\$1,761**

Checking = **\$36,433**

Money Market (Reserves) = **\$22,223**

Building Fund = **\$22,413**