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The Lord's Day – January 28, 2018

8:45 a.m. – Coffee & fellowship time in small gym
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School & Small Group Studies; classes for all ages

Theme: Unchanging God

Hebrews 13:8 – “Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and today, and for ever.”

MORNING WORSHIP
10:45 a.m.

Prelude
Choir Opener: “Joy in Serving Jesus”
Hymn: “Praise Him! Praise Him!” #20
Welcome & Prayer: Pastor Grotzke
Special Music: Evelyn House
Hymn: “Standing on the Promises” #445
Offertory: Judy Witta
Choir: “There’s Something About That Name”
Hymn: “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” #109
Special Music: Joyce Wold & Amyellen Ylinen
Message: Pastor Grotzke
Closing Prayer: Bob Anderson

4:30 p.m. – Choir practice
5:30 p.m. - Orchestra practice

EVENING SERVICE – 6:00 p.m.

Offertory: Orchestra
Special Music: Jacobus Girls
-Thorson family

*The Lord's Table: Forrest McMahan, Tim Miller, Scott Imdieke,
Bob Anderson*

THIS WEEK:

Monday, 7:00 p.m. – Ladies Bible Study in fireside room

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Midweek service: Adult Bible Studies;
Youth Group, AWANA (3 yrs. old – 6th grade); the
AWANA Grand Prix Race cars will be for sale (\$5); the
Grand Prix Race will be Saturday, March 3rd.

Friday & Saturday – Funtastic Youth Event here at First Baptist

LRCS NEWS:

Monday, January 29 – 6th grade Ski Day at Mount Ski Gull
Thursday, Feb. 1 – (H) basketball vs St. Cloud Christian at 4 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY:

We will have a chili carry-in dinner following the morning service. Each family please bring a pot of chili marked “mild” or “hot”. Singles please bring crackers, sour cream or shredded cheese. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center and you may jot your name down under the item that you will bring. This will be a “Best Chili” contest and you’ll get to vote on your favorite one. Note: Singles, if you’d like to bring chili instead of an accompaniment, feel free to do so. Also, no one is obligated to be in the contest. The pots in the running will be on a designated table. Following the dinner we will have a 1:00 p.m. (or so) service. There will be no 6:00 p.m. service; no choir practice or orchestra practice.

LOOKING AHEAD:

February 10, 7:30 a.m. – Men/Boys breakfast/Bible Study at
Burger King
February 11, 8:30-9:15 a.m. – Pancake/sausage breakfast for every-
one; deacons will be serving.
6:30 p.m. – Missionary Sharon Clark here
February 13, 10 a.m. – Ruth Circle in fireside room
February 15 – 12:30 p.m. – Senior lunch
February 25 – AWANA Sunday in morning service
February 27 – Ladies Cabin Fever in fireside room

CHURCH FAMILY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Happy birthday to Cheryle Pagarigan and Parker Montague today;
Chris Kind on the 29th; Calvin Wallin on the 30th; Heather Larson on
the 31st; Linda Anderson on February 1st; Sherri Goedker on the 3rd.

MBA SPRING LADIES RETREAT:

The Spring Minnesota Baptist Association State Ladies Retreat will be held here at First Baptist on April 6 & 7th (Friday & Saturday). There are flyers at the Welcome Center with information on the program, cost, etc. The registration form can be detached from the flyer and turned in with your money to Betty Wolhart or just put it in her church mailbox. Registration must be turned in by March 23rd to avoid a \$10 late fee. Final day for registration is March 30. There will be a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center in a couple weeks for those who plan to attend.

JANUARY GREETERS:

East: Rich & Linda Winkelman Middle: Calvin & Shirley Wallin
West: Curt & Bonny Norwood Far West: Ruthann Kostek

NURSERY SCHEDULE – for children up to age 3:

Sunday, January 28 – Scott & Debbie Kirkvold, Valerie Imdieke, Sydni Ogren p.m. Pete and Amy Erickson
Wednesday, January 31 – Julie and Jennifer Kovacik

Sunday, February 4 – a.m. Keith & Rachael Anderson, Isabel and Liz Anderson; no p.m. service
Wednesday, February 7 – Julie and Jennifer Kovacik

<u>Last Week's Offerings & Statistics:</u>			
Offerings:			
General:	\$12,619.20	Budget amount needed weekly:	\$8,486.77
Cyril Syroteuk	50.00	Budget giving YTD:	\$207,349.24
Eric Franks	20.00	Budget needs YTD:	\$178,222.17
AWANA	120.00		
Attendance: Morning Service – 233	Children's Church – 55	Nursery – 15	
Evening Service – 118	Nursery – 9		

A POINT TO PONDER:

Faith is not like gasoline that runs out as you use it, but faith is like a muscle that grows stronger as you exercise it.

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