#### Sunday School Offering...

The Sunday School Teachers would like to begin collecting an offering in Sunday School to encourage the children to learn to give. The offering will be used to help in the Mission field. Please remember to give your children a coin(s) for an offering.

# Jr. High and Sr. High Sunday School...

The Sunday School Committee is interested in starting a Sunday School Class for 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. If you can help please speak to Pastor Peter or Dan Frizane. We would like to start classes on March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

#### Confirmation Sunday...

Confirmation Sunday will be February 10<sup>th</sup>. There will be a special service to welcome the 8 members of the Confirmation Class into membership at the Minden United Methodist Church.

## Pancake Feed...

The Finance Committee will be hosting a Pancake Feed following the Worship Service on February 17<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is invited to attend. A free will offering will be taken, this money will be put into the General Fund to help with expenses of the Church.

#### Easter Cantata Rehearsals ...

Rehearsal for the Easter Cantata have begun on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm. We will be performing the "*The Lamb, Redemption's Price is Paid.*" We would love to see new members join us and enjoy this ministry and time of fellowship.

#### Bethany Home...

Pastor Peter will be preaching at Bethany Home during the month of February. Everyone is invited to come to this special time of Worship with Pastor Peter

# Prayer Time...

Everyone is invited to attend a special time of prayer every Sunday morning at 9:30 am in the Prayer Room. This will be a short time of prayer to bless our time of fellowship during the Worship Service.

## Time of Prayer...

Pastor Peter will be praying for the congregation in the Sanctuary 9:00~10:00 am every Wednesday and 9:00~10:00 am every Friday. You can bring any prayer request to Joan Fries or Pastor Peter. "Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you." (1 Peter 5:7)

## Pastoral Visits...

Pastor Peter will visit anyone on request. If pastoral care is needed around you, just contact Pastor Peter via e-mail or phone: 201-888-8430 or <u>peterchoiminden@gmail.com</u> "For I am the Lord, who heals you." (Exodus 15:26)

#### Minden Food Pantry...

The "grocery cart" is empty again. Minden Food Pantry is running low on food stores, as there has been an exceptionally large draw on it because of the weak economy.

Needed are non-perishable foods such as dry cereals, canned goods, soups, pasta, peanut butter, oatmeal, toilet tissue, laundry soap, toothpaste, etc.

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#### This Week's Calendar...

Today, Feb. 3	9:00 AM Sunday School
	9:30 AM Prayer Time in Prayer Room
	9:45 AM Worship Service
	Adult SS after Worship Service
	12:00 PM Confirmation Class
Monday, Feb. 4	7:00 PM Boy Scouts
Tuesday, Feb. 5	7:00 PM Girl Scouts
Wednesday, Feb.	6 6:00 PM Choir Practice
	6:00 PM Mom's United
Sunday, Feb. 10	9:00 AM Sunday School
	9:30 AM Prayer Time in Prayer Room
	9:45 AM Worship Service
	Adult SS after Worship Service

<b>Prayer List</b> Please call the office when you know of someone in the h	hospital. Thank you!
Information from last week	
Worship Service Attendance	
Last Sunday's Worship Offering	

Please have this week's birthday people in your prayer. Richard Swartz Mark Loseke Dale Space

There is a fully equipped Nursery for children through Kindergarten in the Southeast wing. A changing table is located in the Nursery. *Quiet Bags* for young children are available in the lobby. **Restrooms** are located in both the East and West hallways. *The Upper Room* Devotional Booklets for Jan./Feb. are in the lobby.

CLAVINOVA/ORGAN: Glen Haselbarth, Marlys Farm, Dan Frizane PROJECTION: Tony Ratka, Larry Snavely, Alaina Suchsland GREETERS AND USHERS: Elta Kern & Bobbie Heitman Bob & Cindy Peterson REFRESHMENT HOSTS: Mike & Mary Jo Froid & Family

#### Scripture...

#### Luke 4:21-30 (NIV)

He began by saying to them, "Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his lips. "Isn't this Joseph's son?" they asked. Jesus said to them, "Surely you will quote this proverb to me: 'Physician, heal yourself!' And you will tell me, 'Do here in your hometown what we have heard that you did in Capernaum."" "Truly I tell you," he continued, "no prophet is accepted in his hometown. I assure you that there were many widows in Israel in Elijah's time, when the sky was shut for three and a half years and there was a severe famine throughout the land. Yet Elijah was not sent to any of them, but to a widow in Zarephath in the region of Sidon. And there were many in Israel with leprosy in the time of Elisha the prophet, yet not one of them was cleansed-only Naaman the Syrian." All the people in the synagogue were furious when they heard this. They got up, drove him out of the town, and took him to the brow of the hill on which the town was built, in order to throw him off the cliff. But he walked right through the crowd and went on his way.

#### 1 Corinthians 13:1-13 (NIV)

If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away. For we know in part and we prophesy in part, but when completeness comes, what is in part disappears. When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put the ways of childhood behind me. For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known. And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

Order of Worship February 3, 2019

Gathering Music "Halle	"Blessed Be Your Name" elujah, Your Love Is Amazing"
Welcome and Annou	incements
*Call to Worship	
*Opening Prayer	
*Greeting of Peace	
Joys and Concerns Pastoral Pray	er
Children's Time	Pastor Peter Cho
Scripture Luke 4:21-30 (NIV)	Cindy Peterson & 1 Corinthians 13:1-13 (NIV)
Message "Why I	Pastor Peter Choi Love Does Matter"
Giving Our Gifts Offertory	Dan Frizane
*Doxology "All Th	ings Come of Thee" UMH #588
*Prayer of Dedicatio	n

Holy Communion Special Music	Dan Frizane
*Closing Song	"You Never Let Go"

\*Benediction