# **OUR MINISTRY TOGETHER**

	Saturday, August 18	Sunday, August 19
Accompanist	Sue :Lekwa	Dave Blumer
Altar Care		Denise Rehor
Ushers	Craig and Julie Sutherland	Keith and Judi Twedt
Lector	Mike Coverdale	Larry Parker

#### August 11 and 12

We Worship	Saturday	69
God	Sunday	61

#### Our 2018-2019 Ministry Goal

To focus our personal and congregational energies in 2018-2019 on three groups of people for the purpose of a connection with God:

- Community members who are living insecure;
- Empty-nesters or newly retired persons;
- New members or seekers.

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### **TODAY**

"Engaging the Millennial Spirituality" Two-Week Study. Business, government and communities are all trying to figure out the millennial generation. But what if we see the millennials not as a problem but a potential? Join Pastor Myron for a two-week study on "Engaging the Millennial Spirituality." We will take a look at social science research and the questions of faith without "church." How can congregations support the potential of the millennials for God's work in the next generation? We hope you will join us to discuss the challenges and the opportunities on Sundays, August 19 and 26, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Servant Project Report Season. One of the highlights of the fall are learning about the servant projects of our confirmation students. This Saturday Grace Cahill and her mentor, Phyllis Fevold, and Dylan Bremer and his mentor, Chris Nady, will offer their reports.

# THIS WEEK

Memorial Adds A Third Worship Service This Wednesday. The Wednesday evening Faith Time program is more than just learning together; it is a worship service with Communion. Come and try out the Dinner + Worship + Learning this Wednesday at 6:00 pm. This is for all ages.

Confirmation for 7th & 8th Grade and Parents and 10th Grade and Mentors Continues Wednesday. In addition to our Faith Formation kick-off, the fall session of Confirmation begins. Students, parents and mentors are encouraged to come at 6:00 pm for dinner and worship before class at 6:45 pm.

Memorial Shares Devotions at Care Centers This Wednesday. If you are able to lead devotions for our neighbors at Indian Creek and Rolling Green, sign up on today's Sent to Serve. We also lead devotions on August 29 for Story Senior Care and Windsor Manor. Devotions are at 9:30 am and 10:00 am.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Month of Prayer for Raising Up Spiritual Leaders. Memorial uses an ecclesiastical balloting procedure for nominating people for the Church Council. Prior to casting our nominating ballots, we enter into a time of prayer and discernment to consider names of potential leaders to serve on the Church Council for a term from 2019-2021. We will cast our ballots during worship on September 15 and 16.

Mission Working Group Meets Again on August 26 After Worship. This group is just getting re-organized and there is still room for you. This group will help resource and advocate for Memorial's many missions within our congregation, in our community, within our synod and across the globe. They will meet after worship on Sunday, August 26 to continue their conversation.

Fall Prevention Class Held at Memorial. The wellness team from Bethany Life will offer a Fall Prevention for seven weeks beginning Thursday, September 13 from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. For more information, check out the brochures on the guest table. You can sign up on the clipboard and pick up a registration form.

There Is A Place In the Choir For You. The Memorial Choir is soon to begin the 2018-2019 season. There is always room for more voices and all high school through adults are welcome. Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings from 7:30 pm to 8:45 pm beginning September 12. A special Tuesday night rehearsal will be held on Tuesday, September 4 at 7:30 pm. A kick-off social is planned for Thursday, August 30, at 5:30 pm at Alluvial Brewing Company. Bring a snack to share and help start the year off with some fun.

**SAVE THE DATE: Annual Day of Service Scheduled for Sunday, September 16.** The Mission Working Group is busy planning a morning of Mission Awareness where we can all be involved. More details will be available soon.

#### THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday Aug. 19	9:00 am 10:30 am	Worship Spirituality of Millennials
Monday Aug. 20	4:30 pm 5:30 pm 6:00 pm	Harmony Clothing Closet Open Food at First Nevada Ministry Endowment Board
Tuesday Aug, 21		
Wednesday	9:30 am	Care Center Devotions
Aug. 22	6:00 pm	Faith Time Dinner and Worship
	6:45 pm	7th and 8th Gr and Parents Confirmation
	6:45 pm	10th Gr and Mentors Confirmation
Thursday	10:00 am	Staff Meeting
Aug. 23	1:30 pm	Story Senior Communion
	2:30 pm	Rolling Green Communion
	5:30 pm	Food at First
Friday	9:00 am	Bulletin Assembly
Aug. 24		
Saturday	5:00 pm	Evening Communion
Aug. 25		
Sunday	9:00 am	Worship
Aug. 26	10:30 am	Spirituality of Millennials
	10:30 am	Mission Working Group