

## CALENDAR

Office Hours: 8:15am – noon, Monday-Thursday

### Sunday, October 8

9:15am

10:30am

11:45am

12:30-5pm

4-6pm

### *18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

Sunday School

Worship

Action Committee Meeting

Korean Church Worship

Youth Group Church Clean-up & Games

### Monday, October 9

### Tuesday, October 10

10am

7pm

Memorial Committee Meeting

Worship, CE, and S&F Committee Meetings

### Wednesday, October 11

1pm

6pm

6:45pm

7:30pm

Circle One in Fellowship Hall

Midweek Meal

Wednesday Worship in Fellowship Hall

Music Ministry Meeting in the Chancel

### Thursday, October 12

11am

Silver Sneakers

### Friday, October 13

### Saturday, October 14

### Sunday, October 15

9:15am

10:30am

Noon

12:45pm

12:30-5pm

### *19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

Sunday School

Worship

BYO sack lunch at church, followed by trip to

Buffalo River Pumpkin Patch

Korean Church

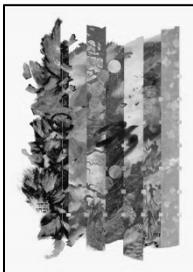
## ANNOUNCEMENTS



**Prayers for Others:** Mary Long, Todd Bieber, Ruth Matthews, Kathleen Wilkinson, Jeanne Walker, Raymond Austin, Theresa Samuels, Laura Hagemann, Donald and Marion DeJong, Josh Peterson, and Mabel Schneider.

**Circle One** will meet at 1pm on **Wednesday, Oct. 11** in Fellowship Hall. We will discuss lesson two of our study guide, *Cloud of Witnesses* by Melissa Bane Sevier. Lesson two, “In Community with the Living God”, reminds us that *God lives both in us and among us*, and that this living God supports who we are and how we live. Our leader will be Marilyn Woods, and our dessert co-hostess will be Kathy Giddings.

**“Simple Church” Wednesday Night Worship: Visio Divina Praying with Images**



The St. John’s Bible is a special exhibit at the Hjemkomst Center, called “Illuminating the Word”. The making of the Bible was a monumental undertaking appealing to communities of art, history, and faith.

We will look at things we can experience in a deeper spiritual connection with this world renowned exhibit in our community. We will start the series by exploring praying with *Visio divina*. It invites the viewer into “divine seeing” sharing roots with the ancient practice of *lectio divina*. It is a slow, careful interaction with scripture through meditation and prayer. Similarly, *visio divina* invites one to encounter the divine through images.

**Menu:** Beef Stroganoff, noodles, carrots, milk, rhubarb cake.

**A Congregation Meeting** has been called for **Sunday, Oct. 22** following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to hear and act on the report of the PNC. A pastoral candidate has accepted a call to First Presbyterian Church of Moorhead. The candidate will worship with us this day and then the congregation will vote on this candidate as the next pastor and the terms of call.

**Calling Your Talents!**

The fabulous, fun Talent Auction will be back! And the apple crisp will be back too! **Friday, November 3.** Now we are eagerly anticipating the return of your talents! Donation forms for the auction are available in the Narthex and the Fellowship Hall.

The announcement in September’s newsletter said that the proceeds would benefit the “greater good” of the Church. Looking forward to a hopeful future, Stewardship and Finance will propose to Session that at least half the proceeds be put at the disposal of our new pastor for innovative plans or projects that support the long-term wellbeing of our church.



Remember to pick up a donation form today. To put the bid-book together, we would like to have the filled-out forms back by **October 25**. Place them in the envelope on the Narthex table. Thank you very much.