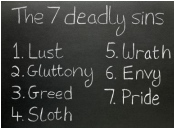


September 13-20, 2015

**GREATER... Growth ~ Connection ~ Service ~ Reach ~ Sacrifice**

**GREATER GROWTH**

**GENESIS VC SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY:** Join us at 9:30am in the Genesis Room (VC) for a study entitled, "Seven Deadly Sins and the Beatitudes".



**FAITH AND FRIENDS** Sunday Morning Bible Class for adults with developmental disabilities begins today in room 1-507(VC). Please do not arrive for class before 9am. For more information, call Jeanne at 651-704-9464.

**WOMEN OF THE WORD(WOW):** The Valley Creek Campus classes start on Wed., Sept. 16, 9:15-11:15am. Childcare required registration is now open at VC campus. Contact: Mary at lehmanm@woodburylutheran.org.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** We will be watching the Charles Stanley DVD study, "The Consequences of Impatience". Join us from 6:30-8pm in room 1-250 (VC Fireside). Contact: Michael Zenner, 651-592-9435.

**PEOPLE OF FAITH** Bible Study meets Thursdays 6:30-7:30pm, every other week (next date is Sept. 24). This is a group for adults with different disabilities and meets in the Ephesians room (VC). The group develops relationships, trust, and fulfillment in scripture and God's will for us. This is a Bible-based study. We do require aides to stay with the participants. A typical evening opens with prayer, a question, verse, song, or word that brings conversation and attachment to a biblical teaching. Questions? Contact Maureen, 651-719-0661.

To follow Jesus Christ, grow as His disciples, serving and telling others, so that all may know Him as Savior and Lord.

**GREATER SERVICE**

**MITTEN MAKERS PAST AND FUTURE!** Come create mittens from sweaters with us! If you can cut, hand sew, or sort, join us at the VC campus on Wednesdays. We meet each week at 11:30am in room 1-300 (VC Isaiah) for a soup meal, then we'll head downstairs to create mittens around 12:30pm in room L-900 (VC Paul). All proceeds benefit Robin's Nest Orphanage.



**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:** Would you be willing to knit or crochet a shawl which would be given to someone who is experiencing a life trauma, an illness, or loss? Call Tamara (651)734-3974 or tskarl@comcast.net.

**GREATER SACRIFICE**

As of August 31, 2015

**GENERAL FUND**

Year to Date Actual:	\$1,759,494
2015 Total Year to date Budget:	\$1,839,995
	(\$80,501)

**NEW:** Text to give at 651-504-0500!!

**ONLINE GIVING:** Want an easy and secure way to give online? Scan this QR code with your smartphone. No need to create a login and you can give by credit/debit card or e-check. Or go online at home at woodburylutheran.org/giving for secure online giving.

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**GREATER CONNECTION**



**READY TO TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP?** The WLC Connection Center is available to help you determine what your next step might be on the Discipleship PATH. Whether you want to explore options or you already know what your next step will be, our Connectors would love to help! The Connection Center staff is available each Sunday from 9-9:30am, 10:30-11am and 12-12:30pm in the lobby, or at 12pm outside of the Genesis Room.

**WLC WEBSITE:** Have you seen the new and improved woodburylutheran.org? Browse through the pages or use the search feature to find whatever you're looking for.



**NEW MEMBER CLASS:** Is becoming a member of Woodbury Lutheran Church your next step? Join us for a four-week membership class beginning today at 9:30am in the Fireside room(VC). The membership class goes in depth on our beliefs and practices, our discipleship process as well as our expectations of members. Contact Alycen Brothen to register, 651-739-5144 or brothena@woodburylutheran.org.

**INTRO TO WOODBURY LUTHERAN CLASS** meets on Sept. 20 at 9:30am in the Lounge (VC). This class is especially for second and third time guests, or anyone interested in finding out more about Woodbury Lutheran. Join us to find out who we are as a congregation, what we believe and value, where we see God leading us and what we hope for you as a growing follower of Jesus. Intro to WLC meets on the third Sunday of each month.

**GREATER REACH**



**HOPE FOR THE JOURNEY HOME,** a shelter in Oakdale serving homeless families is seeking volunteers. To be eligible to serve in this safe, family friendly environment you will need to have completed a Safe Church training and have a criminal background check. For details or to sign up contact Mike Fouts (mfouts@guardian-angels.org, 651-503-3380) or go to: www.guardian-angels.org/justice-and-outreach/hjh.html.



**WATER. HOPE. LIFE.** Training for Twin Cities Marathon on October 4 is a commitment of time, body, and heart to bring clean water access to communities in Africa. We so desire your financial support to team with our physical efforts as we endeavor to complete the 26.2 race. Visit us at www.teamworldvision.org/twincities/woodburylutheran or leave support in church office to provide water, hope, and life. Your support is tax deductible.

**SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGERS:** Great news for the WLC Ding-A-Lings. The WLC ministry of the WLC Ding-A-Lings benefiting the Salvation Army has been taken over by a small group led by Jerry & Paula Morton along with Gladys Keopp. It is up and running and you will be hearing from them. Also thanks to all of you who have maintained it these last 15 years. Praise The Lord!



## OAK HILL CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS



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**OAK HILL COMMUNITY MEAL TODAY:** Join us as Chef Mike helps us kick off Fall with a meal today at 10:45am, or after the late service. There will be lawn games set up and a BOUNCE HOUSE for kids of all ages!

### OPEN HOUSE TODAY: Come check us out!!

Online registration is available at [woodburylutheran.org](http://woodburylutheran.org).

SAVE THESE DATES!

- Kids LINK Open House is today, 10-10:30am. Meet small group leaders, find rooms, have treats!

- Weekend of September 20 Kids LINK begins!

Questions?? Contact Molly Schulze at [schulzem@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:schulzem@woodburylutheran.org) or 651-739-5144 ext. 332.



**ENTRY INTO SCHOOL PARENT BRUNCH** will be Sunday, September 20, 9:15am, lower level. We will be discussing how to prepare your child, emotionally, physically and spiritually for this developmental transition.

**OH MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH** join us for an open house today, 10-10:30am in the upstairs youth room. There will be waffles, info about youth ministries and serving opportunities, and WAFFLES! Take note: Wednesday evening FOUNDATION classes begin September 16; Sunday morning classes begin September 20. To register go to [woodburylutheran.org/ministries/youth](http://woodburylutheran.org/ministries/youth) and find your age group and the program you want to register for.

### NEW ADULT BIBLE STUDIES STARTING THIS FALL:

**Wednesday:** Class starting Sept. 16, 10am in the Fellowship Hall (Topic to be determined). Facilitated by: Pastor Derek and Dean Galvin.

**Thursday:** Woman of the Word will be studying the book of Daniel, starting Sept. 17, 9:15am in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your bible! Facilitated by Jane Dibbern.

**Saturday:** Men's Study group, facilitated by Don Thaemert and Pete Riehle. Starting Sept. 19, 8am in the Fellowship Hall.

**Sunday:** Bible Study starts Sept. 20, meeting in the church office. Topic to be determined, facilitated by Larry Behnken.

**Sunday:** Study entitled Counter Culture, A compassionate call to Counter Culture in a world of poverty, homosexuality, racism, sex slavery and other social issues. Facilitated by Mike and Jan Rygh. Starts Sept. 20, 9:15am, meeting in Lower level.



## YOUTH MINISTRY

**VC MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH** join us for an open house this morning, 9-9:30am and 10:30-11am in the Bridge. There will be waffles, info about youth ministries and serving opportunities, and WAFFLES! Sunday Classes begin on Sept. 20, 9:30am, register at [woodburylutheran.org](http://woodburylutheran.org).

**FOUNDATIONS & SIXERS** Wednesday evening classes begin Sept. 16. To register go to [woodburylutheran.org/ministries/youth](http://woodburylutheran.org/ministries/youth) and find your age group and the program you want to register for.



**DONUT FUND RAISER TRAINING:** There will be a required Donut Fundraiser training for those who have never sold donuts at the Valley Creek Campus (open to 9th-12th graders and 8th graders attending a mission trip). The training is on Sunday, Sept. 20, 10:30-10:50am in the Bridge. The sign up sheet will go up on Sept. 23. Can't make the training date? Contact Patrick Brewer at [brewerp@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:brewerp@woodburylutheran.org).

**MIDDLE SCHOOL MANIA** (6-8th): Join us at the VC campus on Friday, Sept. 25, 6:30-10pm for NERF WARS. Cost is FREE! Bring you friends for this awesome event!



## KIDS AND FAMILY MINISTRY



**OPEN HOUSE TODAY: Come check us out!!**

- Kids LINK Open House on Saturday Sept. 12, 4:30-5pm and on Sunday Sept. 13, 9-9:30am and 10:40-11am. Meet small group leaders, find rooms, have treats!

- Weekend of September 19 and 20 Kids LINK begins!

Questions?? Contact Nancy Schubbe at [schubben@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:schubben@woodburylutheran.org) or 651-739-5144 ext. 203.

## WLC INFORMATION

**WANT MORE INFORMATION?** Woodbury Lutheran Church ministries, worship schedule and activities at [all campuses](http://allcampuses) can be found at the welcome desk in the lobby, at [www.woodburylutheran.org](http://www.woodburylutheran.org), by downloading our church app at <http://get.theapp.co/4bbf>, or contacting us at 651-739-5144. If you want more info go to [myWLC.org](http://myWLC.org), where you can connect with a group, see the church calendar, look for volunteer opportunities, check out your profile/financial information and more.



*Reach. Grow. Serve.*

## OTHER MINISTRIES AND EVENTS

**FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN:** Registration for this fall's FMSC MobilePack event is now open. To register yourself, family and friends go to [www.woodburyfeeds.org](http://www.woodburyfeeds.org) and follow the 'volunteer' prompts. WLC has 600 spots reserved on Saturday, October 10. To pack with WLC from 9-11am use join code 728256; to pack from 12-2pm use join code 728259; and to pack from 3-5pm use join code 728260. You do not need a join code if you want to pack at any other date or time. Individuals will be at the WLC Connector's Desk to help you register and to answer any questions. The Mobilepack will be at Bielenberg Sports Center Oct. 8-11. Thank you for participating in this year's event to pack 4 million meals!



**TRIP PLANNED FOR NEXT YEAR:** In the Footsteps of the Apostle Paul and John: Turkey, Greece and the Islands trip will be September 24-Oct. 6, 2016 - led by Paul and Rhoda Pfothenhauer. Contact them at [pfotenhauer@juno.com](mailto:pfotenhauer@juno.com) or 651-261-3416. There will be an informational meeting on Oct. 29, 7pm at VC campus.

**HEARTS AND HANDS:** Fall kickoff is today, 11am in the Bridge (VC). Join us for a Pizza lunch and games! Hearts and Hands is a fellowship and service event for adults with developmental disabilities. We meet the second Sunday of the month after worship services. Contact Jeanne Dicke, 651-704-9464; or Steve and Donna Retter, 651-739-5326, to learn more.

**AARP SMART DRIVER COURSE:** A four hour refresher course will be offered on Tuesday, Sept. 15, 9am-1pm in room 1-300 (VC Isaiah). Contact Tom Nelson at 651-735-4492 or [tomasofwdby@aol.com](mailto:tomasofwdby@aol.com) to sign up.

**MOM, CAN YOU PRAY FOR ME?** Do you have a child or grandchild in a local school? They need our prayers! Interested? For more information about joining Moms In Prayer for Stillwater High School, contact Paula at [orenhome@q.com](mailto:orenhome@q.com), for Stillwater Jr. High contact Elaine at [elaine.hearne@hotmail.com](mailto:elaine.hearne@hotmail.com), for Oak-Land Jr. High contact Ann at [annmarie.gibbs@gmail.com](mailto:annmarie.gibbs@gmail.com), for St. Paul schools, contact Kim at [kdolan1006@comcast.net](mailto:kdolan1006@comcast.net), for Woodbury Middle and H.S. contact Louise at [sampsonseven@yahoo.com](mailto:sampsonseven@yahoo.com) and for Math & Science contact Jenny at [clemay8178@aol.com](mailto:clemay8178@aol.com).



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