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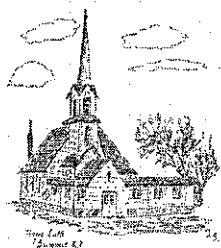
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**HAPPY BELATED FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY**

(February birthdays/anniversaries were omitted last month) ☺

**February**

1-Beckham Rauen  
3-Roger Wright  
4-Simon Pies  
8-Dash Ebsen  
10-Dylan Zubke  
11-Corey Amdahl, Gary Crandall  
12-Kevin Kneeland, Jerod Carson  
13-Roger and Vicky Smith  
15-Nicole Ebsen  
16-Jonathan Ebsen  
17-Jaelyn Zubke, Stacey Amdahl

20-Peyton Bourassa  
24-Shawn Ellingson  
25-Donna Olson, Megan Gapp  
28-Nolan Thuringer

**March**

1- Kylie Nelson  
7-Michael Larson  
8-Randy and Earline Holt  
10-Patrick Hills, Jenna Larson  
11-Alex Kneeland, Val Nelson  
12-Sandy Lowery

**MARCH BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY**

13-Frances Wohlleber, Margie Wright, Myla Kneeland  
14-Lynn and Marvin Amdahl  
15- Donna Jensen  
17-Roger Smith  
19-Allen Steinocker, Tim and Andrea Gapp  
21-Janice Halverson  
24-Scott Kneeland, Todd and Kathy Brink  
25-Sandra Christofferson



# March 2019

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
<b>UPCOMING:</b> April 14-Palm Sunday April 18-WELCA Soup/Sandwich/Pie and Bake sale April 21-Easter Sunday July 22-26-VBS, 3:00 pm-6:00 pm					1	2
3 white	4	5	6 purple 4:00 Confirmation 6:00-Supper 7:00 Ash Wednesday Worship w/Communion	7 9:00 Quilting 1:00 Business meeting/Bible study	8	9
10 purple <b>Installation            of Pastor            Janet</b>	11	12	13 4:00 Confirmation 6:00-supper 7:00 Worship	14	15 NEWSLETTER ITEMS DUE	16
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31 purple						

**Notes**

Worship times: 9:15 Sunday school, 9:30 Coffee, 10:30 Worship (unless otherwise noted)

Communion: 6<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>

Communion Committee: Beth Hills, Sandra Christofferson

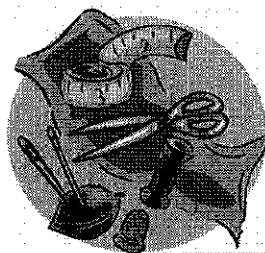
Servant Team: Bruce and Diane Kneeland

# HOPES HAPPENINGS

<b>2019 Church Council Members</b>			
<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Term Ends</u>	<u>Phone #</u>
Billi Whempner	Member	January 2020	938-4646
Stacey Amdahl	Member	January 2020	880-3510
Ben Graf	Member	January 2020	398-6139
Kelly Faeth	Member	January 2020	467-9283
Matthew Amdahl	Youth	January 2020	880-0764
Bruce Kneeland	Member	January 2021	398-6349
Mike Schmidt	Member	January 2021	530-7561
Beth Hills	Member	January 2021	881-6425
Jolene Johnston	Member	January 2021	237-2550
Jonathan Johnston	Youth	January 2021	

Anne Seffrood	Church Treasurer		949-5658
Dawn Wright	Church Secretary		881-4377

**WELCA NEWS:** Welca will meet for Quilting on March 7 at 9:00 am. Lunch-Carroll and Arlene L, 1:00 Business meeting and Bible study. Devotions: Arlene L, Cause of the month: Global Missions. Runner club offering due. Next quilting day is March 21 at 9:00 am.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Hello! It is awesome to begin my call as the pastor to Hope Lutheran. New adventures bring mixed emotions. I'm excited to get started and a bit nervous to return to the community as your pastor. The words from Jeremiah always come back to me when I walk into a new situation, *"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."*

God is providing us a future together at Hope Lutheran and I look forward to every part of it!

A few reminders as we begin this journey of faith together:

+ PLEASE don't assume I know things. I have been gone from this community of faith for over 16 years. Things and people's situations change. If it seems like I am missing something, you will not offend me if you nicely talk to me about it.

+ Hospitals no longer call and announce if our people are in them. Please contact me if your loved one needs a visit or pastoral care.

+ Please let me know if you or your loved one needs to be on a visitation/communion list. This is an important part of the pastoral call to Hope and I don't want to miss anyone.

+Please let me know if there are any special missions or projects you would like us to support this year.

+Please let me know what would be exciting to try at Hope. Maybe you want to bring back something you liked that Pastor Justin did or maybe you have seen something great in another congregation. I love ideas and working together to create something great. I need your ideas, hopes and dreams for the congregation.

+Please feel free to contact me anytime for pastoral needs or questions. My cell phone is with me most of the time, (605)-237-8005, and my home phone is (605)-947-4482. I text- please announce who is texting so I know who I am talking to when you first text me. I and the church both have a Facebook page and I do Messenger as well.

As we begin our journey of faith together, please keep our congregation in your prayers. God has great plans for us!

Pastor Janet Miller