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PRELUDE, GATHERING AND BRUNCH

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN: THE SUMMONS

WHO LOVES JESUS? WE LOVE JESUS!

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP, responsively,

L: May the Lord be with you,

C: And also with you.

L: We are called to bring a new understanding of God: that God so loves the world.

C: We are the salt of the earth.

L: We are called to bring a new hope in God: that God gives us new life.

C: We are the light of the world.

L: We are called to follow the commandments and the law.

C: The law of God is to love God and to love one another.

L: Come, let us be the salt of the earth, the light of the world.

C: Come, let us love one another with the love of God. Let us join together in our love of God to worship and follow Jesus. Amen.

SCRIPTURE:

Genesis 15 (Page 11-12 OT)

SPECIAL PLAY:

THE ABRAHAMIC COVENANT

SPECIAL MESSAGE

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY

OFFERING PRAYER, in unison,

O God, sometimes it takes a mountaintop experience before we can see how tightly clenched our hands have been, or how hardened our hearts have become. Open us to be generous instruments of your love throughout the world, for the glory of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

FINAL THOUGHTS

DESSERT AUCTION

HYMN: Blest Be the Tie that Binds

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



Our Church will be doing Meals on Wheels in November! When and if you are called, we are asking that you would please help if you are able.

This is a very important service for the community and we thank you in advance for your help!
~LaVonne Anderson



ALL SAINTS DAY
Sunday - November 4, 2018
10am Worship Service

We will once again be observing an All Saints Service on Sunday, November 4th during our Worship Service. This will be a very special service that we will honor all those who have gone before us and new life in the baptism of children and adults into our Faith Family. Please plan to attend this very special service honoring these very special people:

- ✓ ~Morris Eatherton ~ Gerald Leech ✓ ~ Mildred Robinson
- ✓ ~ Esther Petersen ✓ Karen Ward ✓ Melinda Kruse
- ✓ ~ Marguerite Hoh ~ Charles "Cub" Holm

Those that have been baptized and brought new life to our church include:

- ~ Autumn Barger ~ Aubrey Davis ~ Quinn Connell ~ Damon Rigney ~ Aubree Yamauchi

Prayer Chain

Patrick and Andrea Bennett Family, Mark Dahl and Dr. Diane Kennedy, Marissa and Brett VanderPoel Family, Joyce Holm, Keith and Betty Luethje, Seth Nuffer, Shane and Katie Sauer and for Senior Care Ministry.

Birthdays include: October 31 – Justine Miller November 1 – Joshua Fick

Weekly Calendar

October 28, 2018 – Sunday

- 9am - Coffee Hour & Adult SS
- 10am - New United Church Service
- 4:30pm - Genesis/Revelation Bible Study
- 6pm - ALIVE Youth Group – Christians/Catacombs

October 29, 2018 – Monday

8pm - AA Meeting

October 30, 2018 – Tuesday

9:30am – Folding Team

October 31, 2018 – Wednesday

No FUEL, ALIVE, or Confirmation classes

November 1, 2018 – Thursday

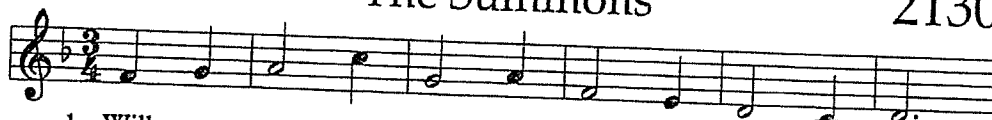
1-3pm - Rock Co. Food Shelf

November 3, 2018 – Saturday

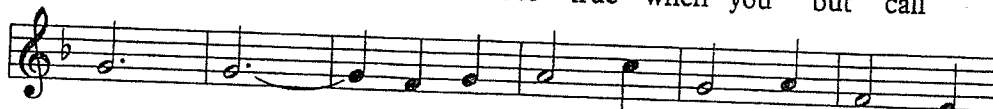
8pm - AA Meeting

The Summons

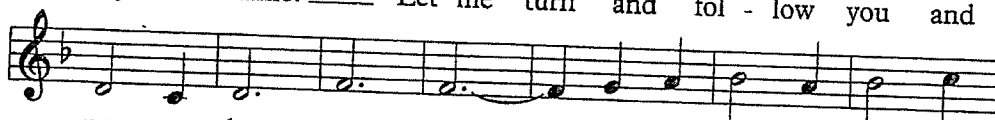
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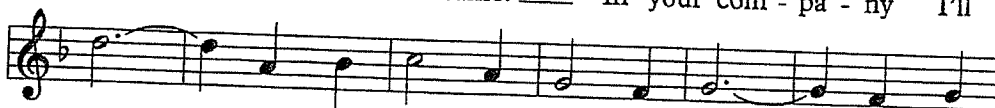
1. Will you come and fol - low me if I but call
2. Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call
3. Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call
4. Will you love the "you" you hide if I but call
5. Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call



your name? — Will you go where you don't know and
 your name? — Will you care for cruel and kind and
 your name? — Will you set the pris - oners free and
 your name? — Will you quell the fear in - side and
 my name. — Let me turn and fol - low you and



nev - er be the same? — Will you let my love be
 nev - er be the same? — Will you risk the hos - tile
 nev - er be the same? — Will you kiss the lep - er
 nev - er be the same? — Will you use the faith you've
 nev - er be the same. — In your com - pa - ny I'll



shown, — will you let my name be known, — will you
 stare — should your life at - tract or scare? — Will you
 clean, — and do such as this un - seen, — and ad -
 found — to re - shape the world a - round, — through my
 go — where your love and foot - steps show. — Thus I'll



let my life be grown in you and you in me? —
 let me an - swer prayer in you and you in me? —
 mit to what I mean in you and you in me? —
 sight and touch and sound in you and you in me? —
 move and live and grow in you and you in me. —

WORDS: John Bell
 MUSIC: Traditional Scottish

KELVINGROVE
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Blest Be the Tie That Binds

1. Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in
2. Be - fore our Fa - ther's throne we pour our
3. We share each oth - er's woes, our mu - tual
4. When we a - sun - der part, it gives us

Chris - tian love; the fel - low - ship of
ar - dent prayers; our fears, our hopes, our
bur - dens bear; and of - ten for each
in - ward pain; but we shall still be

kin - dred minds is like to that a - bove.
aims are one, our com - forts and our cares.
oth - er flows the sym - pa - thiz - ing tear.
joined in heart, and hope to meet a - gain.

WORDS: John Fawcett, 1782
MUSIC: Johann G. Nægeli; arr. by Lowell Mason, 1845

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**Luverne United Methodist Church
Tentative Narrative Budget
2019**

SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND EDUCATION

This area includes but it not limited to the Christian formation and education of our children, youth and adults of our membership and beyond. Nurturing faith, building Christian community, discipleship, equipping all for ministry in daily life is an important responsibility and an area to be taken very seriously. Sunday School, Adult Study, Confirmation, Camping, VBS, Youth Fellowship and Bible Study, Lay Speaking, small groups and other opportunities are included in this area.

Our budget allows \$32,514.00 per year for this area.

MISSION AND OUTREACH

Along with Spiritual Growth and Education, Mission and Outreach is another important ministry. This area includes all the ways we try to reach out as a church. Whether it be direct service as in mission trips, service projects, food shelf support, community involvement, or as simple as encouraging Sunday service attendance, Bible Study and visitors to church. Reaching out and sharing the love of Christ with our neighbors, our community and beyond is an important area of focus and concentration.

Our budget allows \$41,128.00 per year for this area.

NURTURE AND MINISTRY

This area includes, but is not limited to the care and concern of our members, friends and community. Our church is committed to being available in whatever way is necessary to share the love of Christ. We do this through our Prayer Ministry, visiting our shut ins, those in nursing homes, and what other needs may present themselves at any given time.

Our budget allows \$22,029.00 per year for this area.

WORSHIP

The costs and expense in this area include those things necessary to carry out worship services within the church. These costs include, but are not limited to congregational supplies, paper supplies, regular and special services, music and other such enhancements, technology, decorations, candles, flowers, communion supplies, etc.

Our budget allows \$31,490.00 for this area.

PROPERTY AND MAINTENANCE

This area pertains to all matters of care and maintenance of buildings, grounds, parsonage and other facilities belonging to the church, as well as utilities and insurance. Trustees are the main caretakers of all properties and such.

Our budget allows \$46,854.00 for this area.

Figures for updating our Heating and Cooling have not been included in this figure.

ADMINISTRATION

The Administration area of the church provides for planning, implementation and organization of the local church and its functions. It involves all aspects of business and structure which includes any office duties, official paperwork and letter writing, membership care, handling correspondence, charge conference prep and care, table reports, calendar and scheduling, assisting other ministry areas, meeting and planning, communication and other needs which arise in the administrative care of this charge.

Our budget allows \$41,902.00 for this area.

This is preliminary for 2019. A detailed, line by line, traditional breakdown of the 2019 budget will be available from the church office upon request after January 1, 2019.

Church Council

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
Felicia Hanson	Chair
Sandy Vogt	Lay Member of Annual Conference
Mary Gehrke	Lay Leader
Jakki Lindsley	Recording Secretary
Al Aanenson	Trustee Chair
	Finance Chair
	Staff-Parish Relations Chair
Glen Oeltjenbruns	Treasurer
Felicia Hanson	Worship and Music Chair
Manny Olson	Children's Ministry
Kim Donth	M & M Chair
Diane Kennedy	College Connection
Manny Olson	Youth Coordinator
Dorie Hall	Pastor (ex-officio)
Steve Cattnach	Schwartz Scholarship Com. Chair
	Memorial Committee Rep
Shannon Dwire	Website Tech
Josie Klosterbuer	Young Adult Representative
Journey Dwire	Young Adult Representative
Members at Large	
Lola Donth	Jerry Rigney

Finance Council

Mary Gehrke	Lay Member of AC
Dorie Hall	Pastor (ex-officio)
Glen Oeltjenbruns	Chief Financial Officer
	Financial Secretary
Al Aanenson	Trustee Representative
Clyde Menning	Charissa Oye
Karla Kruse	
AUDIT-Composition determined by Finance Chair and Finance Committee	

Trustees Al Aanenson, Chair

<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
Darwin Reyne	Bruce Reisdorfer	Roger Carlson
Morris Fick	Cody Gehrke	Jay Mann
Al Aanenson	Jeanne Bowron	Beth Fick

CHILDREN/ YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM
 Heidi Fink and Manny Olson, Dorie Hall, *Chairs*
 Shannon Dwire, Willy Baker, Katie Sauer, Ashley Christensen, Brooke VandenHoek and Sara Helling

Worship & Music Committee Felicia Hanson, Chair

Sandy Vogt	Carol McDonald	Peggy Nelson
Felicia Hanson	Anissa Hanson-Vis	Jennifer Hilfers
Jeanne Bowron - Paraments Coordinator		

Staff Parish Relations Committee

Mary Gehrke	Lay Leader	
Sandy Vogt,	Lay Member to Annual Conference	
<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
Carol Kor	Jennifer Hilfers	Sue Stroh
David Vis	Jim Hanson	

M & M's Kim Donth, Chair

Clyde Menning	Phyllis Mohr	Marilyn Van Wyhe
Anissa Hanson-Vis	Phoebe Flom	Chris Nelson
Kim Donth	John Hilfers	Pam Abell
Anne Rigney	Laureen Fick	Norbert Fick

Lay Leadership Committee Pastor Dorie Hall, Chair

Mary Gehrke,	Lay Leader	
<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
Carol McDonald	Anissa Hanson-Vis	Melanie Petersen

Endowment Fund Committee Jan Brandenburg, Chair

Dorie Hall – Pastor (ex-officio)	Jay Mann - Trustee	
Glen Oeltjenbruns – Treasurer	Mary Gehrke - Finance	
<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
Joshua Crabtree	Eric Oye	Jan Brandenburg
Sherri Smith	Marsha Fick	Deb Herrick

Other Committees

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE		
Phyllis Mohr; Jeanne Bowron		
SCHWARTZ SCHOLARSHIP Steve Cattnach, Chair		
<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
Mark Moeller	Sandy Vogt	Diane Kennedy
Darrel Siebert	Phyllis Mohr	John Bowron

SANCTUARY CARE Felicia Hanson & Ptr Dorie, Co-Chair
 Sandy Vogt; Jeanne Bowron; Beth Fick

