

### Finance & Attendance Update:

Amount needed each Sunday to meet budget (2017):	2,615.00
Amount received last Sunday:	3,136.00
Total received to date this year:	8,929.00
Amount received last week for <b>Capital Fund</b> :	960.00
Total received year to date for <b>Capital Fund</b> :	1,470.00
Attendance last Sunday	70

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

#### Sunday, January 28

10:00 a.m. Worship  
11:15 a.m. SPRC Meeting  
3:00 p.m. Grace Korean UMC Worship  
5:00 p.m. Youth Group  
6:00 p.m. Movie Night – *The Shack*

#### Tuesday, January 30

9:30 a.m. Parents & Pals Playtime  
10:00 a.m. Newsletter folding  
10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting  
6:30 p.m. City of Duluth Planning -  
Public feedback meeting

#### Wednesday, January 31

8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast @ Mt. Royal

#### Wednesday, January 31(cont.)

8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast @ Mt. Royal  
9:30 a.m. Parents & Pals Playtime  
9:30 a.m. Kitchen Cleaning  
6:30 p.m. Choir  
7:00 p.m. Alanon

#### Thursday, February 1

9:00 a.m. Painters  
12:00 p.m. Yoga  
6:30 p.m. Qigong

#### Sunday, February 3

10:00 a.m. Worship  
11:15 a.m. Music & Worship Meeting  
3:00 p.m. Grace Korean UMC Worship

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**\*Abby and Madison have their Senior Recital TODAY at 3 pm, Weber Hall!**

**\*Youth Group Pizza and Conversation tonight at 5pm;** stay for the movie, too, if you can!

**\*The movie *The Shack* shows at 6 pm tonight.** The story demonstrates how we experience God through forgiveness, redemption, and healing in life's challenging events.

**\*Vital Organ Project "Non SequiTOUR"** highlights contemporary organ music in concert at 1<sup>st</sup> UMC on Monday, January 29, 7:30 pm (preconcert talk at 7). This is an effort of Graeme Shields, formerly of Hope UMC!

**\*Help to fold the newsletter this Tuesday at 10 am; thank you, volunteers!**

**\*Kitchen cleaning this Wednesday;** see Sue Beeman for details, and please assist if you can.

**\*Parents and Pals Playtime is our ministry to young families in our community.** Can you take a turn with simple hosting duties, to extend a Hope-filled welcome? Sign up, give it a try!

**\*Men's Retreat, "The Life You've Always Wanted," February 9-10** with Twin Ports United Methodist Ministries, at Camp Amnicon. Time to sign up in the narthex! Contact Rev. Joel for more info (715-394-9608; [pastor@superiorfaithumc.org](mailto:pastor@superiorfaithumc.org)).

### STAFF

**Administrative Assistant:** Cynthia Coffin-Langdon

**Administrative Assistant:** Jennifer Amy-Dressler

**Kid's Quest Director:** Anita Rixe

**Music Director:** Liz Raihala

**Custodian:** Matt Johnson



# The Price of Privilege

January 28, 2018

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday ~ 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

*With God's grace, we care for the soul for a lifetime and beyond.*

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

**The call of Christ compels us;**

We join with Christ who laid down his life for us.

**The love of our neighbor compels us;**

We join with one another on the journey of faith.

**The needs of the world compel us;**

We join with our community in serving one another.

**Almighty God, who made us all, compels us;**

We join in the work of God in this world.

**Come, let us join with Christ who calls us to follow him.**

**\*HYMN**

“Blessed Assurance”

#369

**GREETINGS**

**UNISON PRAYER**

**Creator of all, we come to You knowing that there are many distractions in our lives and in our world that draw us away from You, but we desire to know You more fully, more deeply. Guide us into ways of living that deepen our spirits, that draw us closer, and that move us to work for justice and peace. Help us to quiet our minds from the worries we carry and lift up our hearts when the world gets us down. Guide us back to the rhythm of life with You when the fast pace of the world throws us off. In the name of Christ, our companion on this journey of faith, we pray. Amen.**

**GOSPEL READING**

Luke 16:19-31, p. 75

*Deb Hoff*

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

“Jehovah Shalom”

Shannon Wexelberg

*Team Hope*

**CHILDREN’S TIME**

*sing “Jesus Loves Me” as the children come up*

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*Sally Herstad*

**TIME OF SHARING - JOYS AND CONCERNS**

*(We ask you to pass the registration pads at this time.)*

**SILENT PRAYERS**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

**\*SONG**

“Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”

#3104

**EPISTLE READING**

I Timothy 6:6-19, p. 198

*Deb Hoff*

**MESSAGE**

“The Price of Privilege”

**THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES**

**OFFERTORY**

Old Hymn medley

**\*DOXOLOGY**

#95

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*SONG**

“Here I Am, Lord”

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**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

“Your Grace Is Enough”

*Team Hope*

Matt Maher

*\*You are invited to stand as you are able*

***LARGE PRINT hymnals, bulletins, and Bibles, as well as hearing devices are available from the usher. Nursery Care provided.***