

Bulletin Announcements 1/6/2019

ALTAR FLOWERS & BULLETINS: Today's altar flowers and bulletins are given by Marge Jahnsen in grateful thanks for all of God's blessings to Divine Shepherd Church.

OFFERING ENVELOPES: Members, please check your mail slot for your 2019 offering envelopes. 2018 Financial statements will be in your mail slot later this month. If you have any questions, please contact Barb Potempa, Financial Secretary.

NEWSLETTER: Check your e-mail or mail slot for the January newsletter.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Women's Bible Study is this Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. in Luther Hall. The topic is *Demystifying the Proverbs 31 Woman*.

CHILI SUPPER & WHITE ELEPHANT BINGO: Join us for some warm, delicious chili and Bingo in Luther Hall on Saturday, January 12 (3:00-6:00 p.m.). Bring your unloved, duplicate, or unneeded Christmas gifts (gift cards, unopened boxes of candy or cookies, "As seen on TV" items, chia pets, etc.) or other new items, which will be repurposed as wrapped Bingo prizes. Look for more details in the January newsletter and next Sunday's bulletin.

MARCH FOR LIFE: You are invited to join pro-lifers from the Midwest — many of them Lutherans — at the March for Life Chicago on Sunday, January 13. The march starts at 2:00 p.m. See the January newsletter for more info, and speak to pastor if you are interested in going.

PORTALS OF PRAYERS: Pick up your regular print January–March 2019 issue of *Portals of Prayer* from the bookshelves in Luther Hall. Cost for 2019 is \$13/year (submit via the offering plate, earmarked "Portals of Prayer").

FLOWER CHART / BULLETINS: The 2019 flower chart and bulletin signup sheets for January–March are posted in the narthex. Sign up for any open Sunday(s) to celebrate a special occasion or to honor/remember someone. Cost of bulletins is \$10. Cost of flowers is \$40, \$45, or \$50 (subject to change). See Karen Moritz for details.

SHOP WITH SCRIP & BENEFIT MOBILE: The next Shop with Scrip turn-in date is January 21. See Lisa Cruz with any questions, or Judy Yuenger to buy pre-purchased cards. Benefit Mobile is an iOS and Android app that allows you to purchase electronic gift cards that can be used immediately or emailed as a gift. See the newsletter for more info.

EVANGELISM QUOTE: "Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My Word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life." [John 5:24]

STEWARDSHIP QUOTE: "Godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out." [1 Timothy 6:6-7]