



LYNNVILLE FRIENDS CHURCH

Making Much of Jesus

January, 2017

From the Pastor's Desk...

We are closing the books on 2017. What has happened in your life in the past 12 months? Do you remember what some of your goals were heading into 2017? How did you do?

I was looking forward to getting back into running only to get sidelined by arthritis. It is so hard to see into the future. I never would have guessed that I would have this issue at 46. While it still bums me out that I can't run like I used to it has also opened up some new opportunities. I rediscovered my bike. I had purchased it several years ago for a triathlon but didn't use too much after that. Since I jumped on my bike I have enjoyed many miles around Lynnville and Lake Red Rock. I was able to ride with friends and even a day or RAGBRAI. None of this would have happened without the arthritis. Biking doesn't bother my knee at all! God just had other plans for me! As you head into 2018 what are your goals. I want to lose some weight, ride more miles, spend more time with God, spend more time with family, golf more and go camping along with some others. Will this all get accomplished? Maybe, maybe not but I look forward to giving it a try. You will never achieve them if you don't set them!

I look forward to what God has planned for me in 2018. While I have my list, God already has his plan prepared for me. As you make your New Year's Resolutions ask God to bless your list. Ask God what he has planned for you? How can you serve God and grow your faith this year? A year from now you'll look back and see how God has guided you through once again.

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Upcoming Greeters

January 7
Front: Steve & Jocelyn Beyer
Canopy: Warren Blom

January 14
Front: Brad & Angie Braafhart
Canopy: Marlene Bryan

January 21
Front: Ben & Tara Conover
Canopy: Rita Carlson

January 28:
Front: Curt & Angel Dunsbergen
Canopy: Dale & Bev Flander

Missions Update

Just a few updates and prayer request for this month.

Congratulations to Jack and Amber Mututwa, our missionaries in Zambia, Africa!! They have been in the states for several months and were blessed with a baby girl, Abigail Liseli on December 8. Both mom and Abby are doing great! We also just received word on Thursday, December 28 that Amber's mom had a brain tumor removed and will be having radiation. Not sure when she had surgery or when radiation will begin. Her parents live in Kansas City. The Missions Committee has invited them to say a few words on Sunday, January 7. We look forward to their visit. Please keep them all in your prayers.

Please pray for Caleb Martin. He is the 6 year old of Nathan and Brianna, our missionaries in Cambodia. He was bitten by a cat and is being treated for rabies as a precaution. Sounds very painful for a 6 year old.

Please remember to pray for all of our missionaries that we support and continue to pray for Katy Sevcik. Her outreach locations include Myanmar December 29-January 27 and Bangladesh January 27-February 10.

Thanks for keeping the Missions Committee in your prayers as well.



Nursery for January

January 7: Brian & Monica Lanser

January 14: Troy & Jess Latcham

January 21: Glenn & Cris Lewis

January 28: Ryan & Ciara McDonald

JANUARY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	Nate Vos 2	3	Jenna Allbee 4 Curt & Donna Zylstra Focus 6th-12th K-5 Activities	5	Tamara Terpstra 6	7
8	9	Alexy Conover 10	Sherry Harthoorn 11 Bev Flander Dot Zylstra Focus 6th-12th K-5 Activities	Steve Beyer 12 Chris & Deb Merten	13	Casey Harthoorn 14
Doug Terlouw 15	Ron & Maida Dunsbergen Brian & Monica Lanser 16	Carsten James 17	Focus 18 6th-12th K-5 Activities	19	20	Lisa James 21 Randy Van Kooten Randy & Cindy Van Kooten
Ron & Vickie Nikkel 22	Cindy Van Kooten Matt Lanser 23	24	Focus 25 6th-12th K-5 Activities	Brianna James 26	Marcile Ratcliff Jocelyn Beyer 27	28
29	Reid Vos Kyle Terlouw 30	31				

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