**Prayer Requests:** John Swoope; Rist's great-grandson, Cru Theodore; Shirley Hampton's daughter, Jennifer; Harry Lee; Jeanine Cornelison; Graydon Snapp; Bob Johnson; Mitch Fears; Maria Miracle; Jeff Harvey; Bob Cushing, Cassie O'Neill; Charlie Jerabek; Elsie Jean Smith; Carol Crumbaker; Jasmine Thayer; Bill Lowe, Jr.; Barry Johnson; Dr. Jim Hanna; Joanne Lackman; Jeanne Kienitz: Connie Sullivan: Jason Burtell: Bill Bethke: Ann Ebelt: Cole Lockwood: Janet Driscoll; Monte Ebel; Marjorie Scrobut; Don Oster; Ana and Andy Knote; Stephanie Krogedal; Patricia Rehberg; Micah Hilario; Lori Ann Jacques; Carol Steinmetz; Louise Adolph; Jody Lafko; David Robinson; Connie Anderson; Garett Turney; Alexis Conway; Gwen Kindt; Walker Honaker; Buzz Sysum; Theresa Sivertson; Tom White; Ed Wismeyer; Lee Arbuckle; Connie Lowe; Pastor Gerald Ebelt; Paul Reynolds; Paul Dann; Dan Riordan; Ron Scariano; Terry Glenney; Chuck Leone; Mary Kuehl; Dr. Bob Bergeson; Norman Bredthauer; Marlene Cushing; Chuck Peterson; Beth Taylor; Mark Stewart; Wynn VanDenBerg; Danielle Schmidt; in the military—Ryan Melling, Colin Johnson, Cody Reather; Jill and Ross Powell and the Whitbeck family for the birth their twins: Jessica and Brian Edwards for the birth of their son

## The Ministry of a Meal Sunday, July 12, at 11:00 a.m.

There's nothing more comforting than a home-cooked meal, especially during times when we feel spread too thin. Nobody feels spread thinner than parents at home with a new baby! We have a dozen new babies being born into our church family this year, and that means there are two dozen exhausted, hungry new parents out there, too!

Let's get together and prepare some freezer meals at church, so that we're ready when these new babies arrive. A Thrivent gift card has been secured to purchase the groceries. We need volunteers to help assemble the meals in the church kitchen. We'll meet at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday, July 12. Volunteer to help by signing up at the reception desk.

## Mom's Night Out, Patio Edition Tuesday, July 7, at the Windmill patio

We'll gather at 7:00 p.m. for food and fellowship. All moms of ALC are welcome to join in the fun.

The ALC Hiking Club had a good debut in June and will be meeting again in July. On Saturday, July 25, we will gather at 8:00 a.m. in the church parking lot to depart for the Basin Lakes Trail south of Red Lodge. Please sign up at the reception desk so that we know how many to expect.

## This Week at ALC

**Today, July 5, 2015** 

Worship at the Moss Mansion at 10:00 A.M.

Monday, July 6

7:00 P.M. Scouts 7:00 P.M. CoDA

Tuesday, July 7

9:00 A.M. Staff Meeting 10:00 A.M. Quilting

7:00 P.M. Mom's Night Out

Sunday, July 12

5:00 A.M. Mission Minn. Departs

8:30 A.M. Worship

9:30 A.M. Coffee Fellowship

10:00 A.M. Worship

11:00 A.M. Ministry of a Meal

July Special Offering goes to

Christikon Bible Camp.

## It's Mission Minnesota time!

Early next Sunday morning, fifteen youth and three adults will depart for another great week of service in Minneapolis. We will be staying with and serving through the Greater Minneapolis Council of Churches Urban Immersion Experience. We're staying in the heart of Minneapolis and look forward to the service and learning opportunities that will provide. We'll also have time for fun—a night at the Mall of America, a visit to the downtown lakes, and time at Pastor Elizabeth's parents' home for a day of fun in the sun on the lake. We'll head home on Sunday, July 19.

Please keep in your prayers all of our participants:

Brady Cady, Jonny McKibbon, Nick Matson, Ryan Smith, Bengt Rickbeil, Lukas Hutchinson, Alec Donald, Peder Rickbeil, Ally Stallman, Alex Moore, Rachel Hultgren, Taylor Buyse, Hannah Stubson, Heather Moore, Marileigh Lyngby-Cox, and adults Rochelle Buyse, Mark Rickbeil, Pastor Elizabeth and Pastor Tim

**Summer Book Group:** The second of our three book group gatherings will be held on Tuesday, July 28, at 7:00 p.m. at the church. Pastor Tim leads a study of Rachel Held Evan's book *Searching for Sunday: Loving, Leaving, and Finding the Church.* 

The group will discuss this compelling story and its implications for the life of faith. Our final meeting of the summer will be on Tuesday, August 25. Sign up at the reception desk. Even if you missed the first session, you are welcome to join us for the second or third! The book is available at Barnes and Noble or amazon.com.

**Friends Group** will go to Danwalt Gardens on Thursday, July 23. We'll meet at the church at 11:00 a.m. and the tour will begin at 11:30 a.m. We should be back to church by 1:45 p.m. The cost for the tour and lunch is \$10. Sign up at the reception desk for this fun day.