- Announcements -

Sunday Greeters: We are looking for Greeters for Sunday Worship Services. Please sign the sheet in the narthex if you are willing to help.

Resident Director Position: Freeman Academy is looking for a Resident Director to supervise and encourage 12 boarding students in on-campus housing. Salary plus benefits including health insurance, retirement, room and board. Main responsibilities are building relationships with students and overseeing daily life at the dorm including cooking the evening meal, coordinating student activities, and communicating with parents. Contact Nathan Epp at 925–4237 for more information.

Local Mission Opportunity: We have multiple opportunities for loving, Christian adults to make a difference in our community. Do you have an hour or more that you would be willing to volunteer to spend time with someone? Please fill out the sheet on the Information Cabinet in the Narthex. **Community Blood Drive:** The WOC will host a Community Blood Drive on Wednesday, July 28, 2021 from 12:45 pm to 6:00 pm at Salem Reformed Church. Grace Nusz will serve as Coordinator for this event as part of her senior project. If you haven't donated in the past, and would like to donate this year, please contact Grace Nusz at 760–1249 or the church office at 387–5334. If you're a previous donor you will be contacted to schedule an appointment. We anticipate a great turnout for this very worthwhile cause.

PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF SALEM REFORMED CHURCH *Oliver Hollinsworth, (infant son of Kylee & Tyler) as he had to have a surgery this past Friday in Sioux Falls.

*Troy Heckenlaible and His Army Unit, as they should be returning this week from their year long deployment overseas.

*Kendra, (Trishia Fischer's Cousin), as she was recently diagnosed with breast cancer. They are waiting for more test results to determine a treatment plan. *We pray for all of our Care Center Residents and Assisted Living Residents as well as the Staff who work so hard in caring for them.

*Betty Hoff, *Lee Guthmiller, *Marjorie Sayler, *Jean (Huber) Reiners, *Bill Headley, *David Walloch, *Jessica Schaeffer, *Nancy McCoy, *Glenda Walker, *Lee/Pat Pommerville, *Les Mehlhaff, *Delmar/Betty Janke, *Robert Gramkow, as these individuals are in various stages in their battle against cancer and/or other health struggles. We praise the Lord for His Power that is mightily at work within each one, giving them strength day by day!

*Travis Gramkow (U.S. Navy – Virginia), *Aaron Helgerson (U.S. Navy – Florida),

*Katie (Schultz) Paulsen (U.S. Air Force – Brussels, Belgium), *Troy Heckenlaible,

Derek Fischer, Dan Wonnenberg, Katie Huber, Trevor Bertsch, Dustin Gall, John

Neth, Chad Boettcher (Army National Guard), *Lee Heckenlaible, Carmen Taylor,

Jennifer Masterson, Brett Andersen, Evan Wintersteen (Air National Guard), *Corbin

Auch, *Travis Brandt, Tyler J. Brandt, *Jayme Schaaf, *Jake Haider (U.S. Army), *Alex

Olson (U.S. Navy), – we pray for God's protection over all in who serve in our

Military!

"WALKING STEADILY WITH GOD"

TEXT: Hebrews 11:1-6; Genesis 5:21-27

INTRODUCTION:

A. ABEL shows us how to enter the Life of Faith. Hebr. 11:4 / Gen. 4:4

B. ENOCH shows us how to live the Life of Faith.

HOW DO WE WALK WITH GOD? 1. BY Faith – Gen. 5:22,24 / Hebr. 11:5,6

NOTE: Enoch walked with God for 300 years! Do you think Society was worse THEN or NOW ? (see Gen. 6:5,6)

Back to Genesis 5 - "Enoch WALKED with God" AMP - "... [in habitual fellowship] with God ... " CEV - "Enoch truly loved God, .. ."

GNT - "Enoch lived in fellowship with God . . ." ISV - "Enoch communed with God . . ."

MSG - "Enoch walked steadily with God . . ." NLT - "Enoch lived in close fellowship with God . . ."

TO WALK:

- it's talking about a step-by-step fellowship - a daily communion with God

II. SEEK HIM Continually -

Hebr. 11:6b - "He rewards those who earnestly seek Him." NKJ - "diligently seek Him." NLT - "sincerely seek Him."

See: I Chron. 28:9; Ps. 119:10; Prov. 8:17; Jer. 29:13; Mt. 6:33

III. AIM TO Plese Him - Hebr. 11:6 -

Gal. 5:16 - "I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh."

IV. CONCLUSION *Enoch was an Old Testament type of the New Testament
rapture!
See Hebr. 11:5 and Gen. 5:24