- Announcements -

High School Youth: The High School Youth will plan to meet after church next Sunday, October 10th. Lunch will be provided for them.

Contemporary Service: Our next Contemporary Service is scheduled for Sunday, October 17th at 7:00 p.m. Tim Wendt, from Kingdom Boundaries Prison Aftercare will be present to share with us. Tim serves as the Discipleship Chaplain at Kingdom Boundaries.

Monthly Devotionals: Copies of Our Daily Bread, Portals of Prayer, and Table Talk are available in the Narthex on the Information Cabinet.

Operation Christmas Child: Since 1993, Samaritan's Purse has partnered with local churches around the world to deliver 157 million shoebox gifts to children in need in 160 countries. Each one is full of toys, school supplies and hygiene items and sent with prayer that the child who receives it will experience God's love through their simple gifts. If you are interested in participating please have your shoebox filled and at the church by **Nov. 7th.**

PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF SALEM REFORMED CHURCH *Lee Pommerville, as he continues to recover at home after a recent hip surgery for a broken hip.

*Linda Zeeb, as she is scheduled for knee replacement surgery in Sioux Falls on Monday, October 4th.

*Travis Schaeffer and Family, as his wife, Jessica, passed away this past Wednesday morning. Funeral Services will be held at Calvary Baptist Church in Yankton on Monday, Oct. 4th at 10:30 a.m. Visitation starts at 9:00 a.m. *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.

*Oliver Hollinsworth, *Sheila (Bender) McKenna, *Amos Schultz, *Jean Reiners, *Bill Headley, *David Walloch, *Jennifer Bierle, *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), Tyler J. Brandt (U.S. Army – Korea), *Logan Schmidt (U.S. Navy), *Troy Heckenlaible, Derek Fischer, Dan Wonnenberg, Katie Huber, Trevor Bertsch, John Neth, Chad Boettcher (Army National Guard), *Lee Heckenlaible, Carmen Taylor, Jennifer Masterson, Brett Andersen, Evan Wintersteen (Air National Guard), *Corbin Auch, *Travis 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! "BEHOLD THE LAMB"

TEXT: Hebrews 11:27-29 and Exodus 12:1-1

Connections Between the Passover Lamb and Christ

1. THE PASSOVER LAMB DESCRIBE: A. A Male Lamb without BLEMISH. Ex. 12:3, 5 -Hebrews 9:14

Connection: Jesus was a MAN without SIN!

B. The Lamb Lived with the FAMILY. Ex. 12:3a, 6a -

Connection: They were acquainted with the LAMB; and Jesus is able to sympathize with our WEAKNESSES .

C. The Lamb was KILLED at Twilight. Ex. 12:6b -

Connection: Jesus breathed His last on the Cross at TWILIGHT.

2. THE BLOOD OF THE LAMB:

A. The Blood was a SIGN. Ex. 12:7, 23 -

Connection: Jesus instituted the New Covenant through the SHEDDING of His own Blood.

B. Through the Blood of Jesus We Come Before His THRONE Ex. 12:22b – Hebr. 10:19, 22 –

3. IT WAS A NIGHT OF JUDGEMEN : Ex. 12:12 - Gal. 3:13; Rom. 3:25 NLT

Connection: Christ REDEEMED us from the Curse of the Law.