- Announcements -

<u>Women's Bible Study</u>: Ladies, you are invited to attend a Bible Study on the Book of Amos. This is an 8 Session DVD led study by Jennifer Rothschild. In this study you will learn how God's Sovereign Care prompts us to care for others – displaying true righteousness, not just religious ritual. Options to attend this study are as follows: Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m., beginning on September 11th. Wednesday mornings at 10:00 a.m., beginning on September 14th. Please call the church office if there is interest in a Wed. evening group. Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex to order your workbook by **August 24th.**

<u>Summer Camps:</u> If your child(ren) are attending a Christian Camp this summer the W.O.C. are willing to help with the cost. If you would like reimbursement, you must turn in a copy of the camp registration to Joanie Handel or to the church. Please do this ASAP; final deadline is on Sept. 1st.

PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

*Bill Headley, we praise the Lord that Bill Headley was able to transfer back to the M/OCC this past Friday, Aug. 12th, for continued healing and rehab! *Pastor Andy Bueber, (Scotland Community Church) as he is scheduled for open heart surgery this coming Friday, Aug. 19th, in Eau Claire, WI.

*The Family of Todd/Kim Jones, as Todd's Father, Delmore Jones, passed away from cancer this past Tuesday, August 9th. Todd Jones served as the pastor here at Salem Reformed from 1998 to 2002.

*Jan Nebelsick, (Katie Huber's mother) as cancer has returned to her pelvic area. She is undergoing tests to determine the course of treatment.

*Steve Preszler, as he recovers from shoulder repair surgery this past Wednesday, August 10th.

*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.

*Bill Headley, *Baby Evelyn Johnson, *Oliver Hollinsworth, *Lonnie Graber, *Stan Hoefs, *Kahlen Salis, *Jennifer Bierle, *Glenda Walker, *Pat Pommerville, *Delmar Janke, 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), Patrick Ireland (U.S. Army Chaplain – Ft. Bliss, TX), Tyler J. Brandt (U.S. Army – Korea), *Logan Schmidt (U.S. Navy – Ft. Travis, CA), *Troy Heckenlaible, Derek Fischer, Dan Wonnenberg, Katie Huber, Trevor Bertsch, Chad Boettcher (Army National Guard), *Lee Heckenlaible, Carmen Taylor, Jennifer Masterson, Brett Andersen, Evan Wintersteen (Air National Guard), *Corbin Auch, *Travis Brandt, *Jayme Schaaf (U.S. Army), *Jake Haider (U.S. Army – Europe), *Alex Olson (U.S. Navy), *Alex Ulmer (U.S. Marines), Cameron Christensen (U.S. Army – Belgium, Germany) – we pray for God's protection over all in who serve in our Military!

"HE IS OUR COUNSELOR"

TEXT: Acts 16:6-10 NIV
THEME: The of the Holy Spirit in our Lives as Believers!
- REVIEW - HE WILL GIVE YOU COUNSELOR! See John 14:16-18 and John 16:5-7
COUNSELOR: Greek = 'parakletos' **This has a 7-Fold Meaning in the Greek Language. The Amplified Bible brings this out so well! AMP: "Helper, Comforter, Advocate, Intercessor, Counselor, Strengthener, Standby"
- BODY - I. HOW DOES HE LEAD US? A. BY HIS!
B. BY HIS!
Example: Look at Paul/Silas on Missionary Journey!
II. THE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT See Romans 8:14 and Proverbs 16:9
A DOORS
1) Don't Go to Asia! Acts 16:6 -
2) Don't Go to Bythinia! Acts 16:7 -
B DOORS
1) Go Young Man! Acts 16:8,9
"Help Us" - Greek #997 'boetheo' - implies help that only can offer! - also found in Mark 9:22
We Must Submit Our to God's Agenda!