

**-Announcements-**

**Spaghetti Night Fundraiser:** The M/O Care Center is hosting a Spaghetti Supper on Wed., March 29th, from 4–8 PM at the Legion Hall. They will have spaghetti, salad, garlic toast and dessert. All donations will go towards purchasing a new stove for the kitchen.

**Summer Camp Special Offering:** The Women of the Church will place an offering plate at the back of the sanctuary on Sunday, April 2nd. This is to assist with the expense of our children/youth that go to a Christian Camp in the summer. Example of Cost to go to Swan Lake: Day Camp for Pre K thru 2nd Grade = \$25; 3rd/4th Grade Camp = \$130 or \$170; 5th – High School Camps = \$260. Summer Camps are important times in our young peoples lives. Many of them come to know the Lord during their week at camp.

**Women's Salad Supper:** The Women's Salad Supper is scheduled for Wed., April 26th. Please watch the bulletin for more information!

**Alpha Center Banquet:** Mark your Calendars! The Alpha Center Friends & Fellowship Dinner will be Friday, April 28, 2023 at the Sioux Falls Convention Center. Please contact Lee Herrboldt if you are interested in attending.

**MHS Baccalaureate Service:** The M/O Ministerial Association will host the Baccalaureate Service in the New Gym on Saturday, May 13th @ 1:30 p.m. The Commencement Ceremony will be held in the New Gym @ 2:30 p.m.

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**- Upcoming Lenten Services -**

**Maudy Thursday, April 6th @ 7 PM (w/Holy Communion)**

**PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF SALEM REFORMED CHURCH**

\***The Family of Don Kludt**, as he passed away on March 11th. His funeral service will be here on Saturday, March 25th at 10:30 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.

\***Erna Zeeb**, \***Marvin Goehring**, \***Mariette Rames**, \***Lonnie Herrboldt**, \***Willow Mae**, \***Larry Zeeb**, \***Ken Wintersteen**, \***Bill Headley**, \***Diane Bendt**, \***Jan Nebelsick**, \***Oliver Hollinsworth**, \***Lonnie Graber**, \***Glenda Walker**, \***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, and giving them strength!

\***Travis Gramkow** (U.S. Navy – Virginia), \***Aaron Helgerson** (U.S. Navy – Rhode Island), \***Katie (Schultz) Paulsen** (U.S. Air Force – Texas), \***Patrick Ireland** (U.S. Army Chaplain – Ft. Bliss, TX), \***Tyler J. Brandt** (U.S. Army – Georgia), \***Logan Schmidt** (U.S. Navy – Ft. Travis, CA), \***Troy Heckenlaible**, \***Derek Fischer**, \***Dan Wonenberg**, \***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 – Florida), \***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 who serve in our Military!**

**"THE TORTURE OF THE KING"**

**Mark 15:15–20**

**FOCUS:** The last \_\_\_\_ Hours of Jesus' Life!

**- THE ROMAN TRIAL -**

(The Roman Court opened at \_\_\_\_\_ - about 6 AM.)

**I. JESUS' \_\_\_\_\_ CONTINUES**

**A. Before the Sanhedrin – Mark 14:61**

**B. Before Pilate – Mark 15:1–5**

**C. Before King \_\_\_\_\_ – Luke 23:6–12**

**II. \_\_\_\_\_ BARABBAS or JESUS THE CHRIST ?**

**Mark 15:6–8** (also see Matt. 27:17 NIV)

Jesus Barabbas: bar = "son of" Abba = "the father"

Jesus the Christ = "The Anointed One", "The \_\_\_\_\_ "  
Jesus, Son of The \_\_\_\_\_ !

**The Torture of the King**

**Mark 15:15 – "Wanting to \_\_\_\_\_ the crowd, Pilate released Barabbas to them. He had Jesus flogged, and handed over to be crucified."**

**NOTE:** Jesus told the Disciples what would happen – Mark 10:32b–34.

**Praetorium** – Residence of the Roman Provincial Governor, \_\_\_\_\_.

**Whole Company of Soldiers (Cohort)** = \_\_\_\_\_ soldiers!

**I. THE DEPRAVITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ MAN**

**Mark 15:17–19 –**

**Purple Robe** – The dye came from a \_\_\_\_\_ worm in the ancient world.  
(See Psalm 22:6)

**II. THE POWER OF \_\_\_\_\_ LOVE**

**Mark 15:20 –**

**Romans 5:8 – "But God \_\_\_\_\_ His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us!"**