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**Announcements**

**Menno FCA:** The 1st Meeting of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes will be Wed., September 4th @ 7:30 p.m. at the Menno Gym. This is open to students is 8th thru 12th Grade.

**Mark your calendars for Sunday School Kick-Off on Sunday, Sept 08!**

Prayer Time Begins at 8:30 am

Sunday School Begins at 9:15 am

Praise Music Begins at 10:15 am

Worship Service Begins at 10:30 am

Pot Luck Dinner Following for the Congregation!

**Hebrews 1:1,2 - *“In the past God spoke to our forefathers through the prophets at many times and in various ways, but in these last days He has spoken to us by His Son, whom He appointed heir of all things, and through whom He made the universe.”***

PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

**\*Family of Kirk Towns** – His Memorial Service will be Monday, Aug. 12th @ 11:00 a.m. at the Aisenbrey-Opsahl-Kostel Memorial Chapel in Menno.

**\*Mary Handel and \*Steve Preszler,** as they recover from knee replacement surgeries.

**\*Pat Bandemier,** as she is scheduled to have surgery for ovarian cancer later this month. Pat is the sister of Beverly Gossen.

**\*Mentok –** This is the little girl from Nepal that Jared & Devon spoke about after our VBS Program. She suffered severe burns on her body, and is now currently in a hospital in the Twin Cities receiving care.

**\*Ryan Woehl, \*Marilee Hauck, \*Devin Mehlhaf, \*Pat Pommerville, \*Jerome Hoff, \*Kleo Steffen,** as they are recovering from surgeries, or have spent time in the hospital recently, due to various health issues.

**\***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. **\*Tiffany Pommerville, \*Ken Wintersteen, \*Barb Ulmer, \*Phil Crick, \*Lonnie Herrboldt, \*Jennifer Bierle, \*Corey Kubal, \*Mike Diede, \*Jan Nebelsick, \*Eloise Hora**(Baby)**, \*Dustin Christensen, \*Kobee Sherman,**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), **\*Parker Schultz** (U.S. Air Force – Texas), **\*Aaron Helgerson**(U.S. Navy - Rhode Island), **\*Katie (Schultz) Paulsen**(U.S. Air Force - Germany),**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 Wonnenberg, Katie Huber, Trevor Bertsch, Chad Boettcher**(Army National Guard), **\*Lee Heckenlaible, Carmen Taylor, Brett Andersen, Evan Wintersteen**(Air National Guard), **\*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!**

***“WITHOUT EXCUSE”***

**Text: Romans 1:18-25**

**WHY ARE MEN WITHOUT EXCUSE?**

**I. GOD \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HIMSELF TO MEN**

**Rom. 1:19 NLT – *“For the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about God is known to them instinctively. God has put this knowledge in their hearts.”***

**Example:** Quote from Rev. Billy Graham – *“Within every one of us is what has been called a ‘\_\_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ vacuum’ – a spiritual emptiness in our souls that only God can fill.”*

**NOTE:** The Tower of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (See Gen. 11)

**II. GOD’S INVISIBLE QUALITIES ARE CLEARLY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Rom. 1:20 – *“For since the creation of the world God’s invisible qualities – His eternal power and divine nature – have been \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .”***

**NOTE:** See Hebr. 1:2; Jn. 1:10; Ps. 19:1; Is. 40:25,26

The Invisible God is made \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through His Creation!

See Job 12:7-11

**III. MAN’S \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ !**

**Rom. 1:21-23**

**NOTE:** A disease has to be recognized and identified before seeking a cure! That disease is \_\_\_\_\_\_ that has infected all of humankind.