

God's Work at Hosanna

Weekly Calendar

Thursday (26)

9:00 Staff Devotion/Prayer Time

Friday (27)

Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday (28)

3:00 Wedding

5:30 Worship

Sunday (29)

8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 Worship

3:00 Cross-eyed

6:00 Pizza Party

Monday (30)

10:00 Care Quilters

7:00 Lifted Rehearsal

Tuesday (31)

9:00 Staff Devotion/Prayer Time

6:30 4-6th grade YLS Lifeguard Training

7:00 Hosanna Classics at Torgerson's

Wednesday (1)

9:00 Staff Devotion/Prayer Time

7:00 Worship

8:00 Sudanese Ministry Forum

Thursday (2)

9:00 Staff Devotion/Prayer Time

Friday (3)

6:00 Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday (4)

3:00 Wedding

5:30 Worship

6:30 Sudanese Ministry Forum

Sunday (5)

8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 Worship

3:00 Cross-eyed

6:00 Pizza Party

12:00 Sudanese Ministry Forum

Hosanna Announcements

PASTOR HEIDEN'S INSTALLATION!: We are delighted to announce that Pastor Dennis Heiden has accepted the Holy Spirit's Call to be Hosanna's next Senior Pastor. **His installation will be Saturday, September 18 @ 5:30 pm, Sunday, September 19 at 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am and Wednesday, September 22 @ 7:00 pm.** Please keep Pastor Dennis and Sheila and Mt Olive, Pastor Heiden's former congregation, in your prayers. Thanks be to God!

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NEW DISCIPLE CLASS, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 6:30-8:30 pm: The new disciple class will help you know more about the Christian faith from a Lutheran perspective; hear about what we do at Hosanna and why; and learn how important you are to Hosanna's outreach of the Gospel of Jesus. If possible, please bring baptism and confirmation dates with you if you have them!

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SUDANESE MINISTRY FORUMS: Forums to discuss further the possible use of Hosanna's building will be **Wednesday, September 1 @ 8:00 pm, Saturday, September 4 @ 6:30 pm and Sunday, September 5 @ 12:00 noon.** Questions and concerns can be brought up at that time. A rough-draft contract is available for you to look over prior to the forums.

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CONTRIBUTION INFORMATION: If you wish to have your offering contributions automatically deducted from your checking/savings account by becoming involved in the *Simply Giving* Program endorsed by *Thrivent Financial Bank* OR if you wish to gift stock to Hosanna, contact the church office.

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HOSANNA FAMILY MINISTRIES CARNIVAL SET FOR SEPTEMBER 19,

12:00 NOON-3:00 PM: We are asking those who would like to be a part of the planning of our family carnival in September to give a call to Children's Ministry. The carnival is going to be a wonderful opportunity to welcome new families and those already established to Hosanna for the upcoming fall season. Questions? Contact Children's Ministry.

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VISITOR CENTER HELP NEEDED ON SUNDAY MORNINGS: Pam Schultze is looking for someone to be at the Visitor Center on Sunday mornings from 10:30-11:00 am. If you would be willing to help in this area, please contact Pam by phone (388-1766) or email (pschultz@hickorytech.net).

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Young Life Support Information

Third grade Bible event: September 15 at 5:45 pm (Parents will receive an email with more information)

Rally day family carnival: September 19, 12:00-3:00 pm (see above information)

First day of YLS: Wednesday September 22 at 5:45 pm

Sunday September 26 at 9:30 am

YLS REGISTRATION is available online at hosannamankato.com or registration forms are available at the YLS table across from the church office. If you have any questions, please call the Children's Ministry department at 388-1766.

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CHILDREN'S LIBRARY: The children's library has moved into the general library.

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Bible Studies/Support Groups

STEPHEN MINISTRY UPDATE: Are you, or someone you know and love, hurting? Struggling? Discouraged? Stressed? Confused? Broken? Stephen Ministry is Christ caring for people through people. Hosanna has many Stephen Ministry trained people who are ready to offer Christ's care to individual's who are going through a tough time. Call Jo Klein at the church office (388-1766) to set up an appointment. We are excited to be starting a third group to go through training this coming school year. Please keep Stephen Ministry in your prayers. Stephen Ministry classes hope to begin Tuesday, September 7 at 6:00 pm.

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FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY (FPU): What *is* FPU? This is a life-changing course written by nationally known author Dave Ramsey, designed to teach you and your family how to get out of debt, stay out of debt, and build wealth. You will meet with your class each week to watch a video lesson and participate in discussion and accountability groups that will change your whole attitude about money! Hosanna will be offering this course this fall **beginning Monday, September 20 at 7:00 pm**. There is a sign up sheet just outside Hosanna's library. **Deadline for sign up is September 12.** If you have questions concerning the course you may contact Dean and Robin Rotchadl (625-3713; 387-1881) or Nate and Sarah Brown (257- 2337), the class facilitators for this year. *(There is a \$100.00 fee for this class. If this fee is prohibitive for you but you would like to attend, please contact Jo Klein at 388-1766.)*

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FALL BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES:

Tuesday's at noon, beginning September 7: join Dave Zellar's Bible study in the Fellowship Hall

Thursday's at 12:15, beginning September 9: join us for a Beth Moore study on the Fruits of the Spirit

1st & 3rd Monday evenings, 6:30 pm. *(topic to be announced)*

Sunday morning Bible studies will begin September 26 at 9:30 am.

Wednesday evening studies will begin September 29 at 5:45 pm.

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GIRLFRIENDS UNLIMITED: Plans to begin October 7 at 6:30 pm. Watch the announcement sheet for more details soon!!

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Fellowship Opportunities

"THE GREAT CLASSICS GET TOGETHER" AUGUST 31 AT 7:00 pm: Meet at the Torgerson's to hear about the Classics outings planned for the next few months and have a "Treat on a Stick". All are welcome!

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MOSAIC (Ministry Of Single Adults In Christ): Questions? Contact Donna Sandbo at 344-1294.

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General Information

LOOK FOR THE SHOPPING CART OUTSIDE THE LIBRARY FOR ECHO FOOD SHELF DONATIONS!

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HOSPITAL-PATIENT INFORMATION: Please notify Hosanna if you are in the hospital or are going to be going in if you want a visit from Hosanna. Thank you!

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ACTIVE PEOPLE IN THE SERVICE: Don't forget that Hosanna has people active in the military that need our prayers. The ones we've been informed about are: Bryan Atwood, Jack Balstad, Richard Gamble, Shane Goettl, Kris Faith Groebner, Jay & Jessi Krosch, Chuck Menke, Michael Rasmussen, Adam Steinhaus, Thomas Traetow, Travis Vanderberg, Nathan VanOtterloo, Eric VanOtterloo and Douglas Watson. If you know of someone else on active duty, please contact the church office.

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HOSANNA'S FINANCIAL STATUS AS OF JULY 31

	General Fund	Building Fund	Pre-School Fund
Revenue	\$479,440	\$179,043	\$ 36,042
Expense	<u>\$512,704</u>	<u>\$ 92,624</u>	<u>\$ 40,639</u>
	\$(33,264)	\$ 86,419	\$ (4,597)

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Community Information

7TH ANNUAL BENEFIT GOLF TOURNAMENT HOSTED BY CAMP OMEGA ON SEPTEMBER 11: This tournament will be at the Rich Valley Golf Club near Rosemount. The proceeds help to enhance the Camp Omega Campership Fund. Please see the flyer on the bulletin board across from the office for more information or contact Curt at Camp Omega at (507) 685-4266 or curt@campomega.org. This event is being supplemented by the Northern Dakota County Chapter of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans.

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HABITAT FOR HUMANITY RECYCLING ALUMINUM CANS: Hosanna is a drop-off location this August for your aluminum cans at the shed in the parking lot. Sales proceeds go directly towards building a Habitat for Humanity home for a qualified South Central Minnesota resident. Habitat for Humanity of South Central Minnesota is a non-profit, Christian housing ministry dedicated to building simple, decent and affordable homes with and for families in need. Thank you from the families you helped get decent homes!

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LUTHERAN MARRIATGE ENCOUNGER: Season's cycle—so do marriages. A Lutheran Marriage Encounter weekend gives you new tools to weather the changes using deeper communication and love. In an intimate retreat setting, away from the rest of the world, four presenting couples, including a Lutheran clergy couple, give a series of presentations followed by questions you discuss in the privacy of your hotel room. There is no counseling and no group sharing. You'll spend two nights in a comfortable hotel and enjoy five delicious meals beginning Friday at 7:00 pm and concluding Sunday at 5:00 pm. The next Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekends are October 22-24 in Duluth or November 19-21 in Brooklyn Center. Please register a month in advance. For more information, contact Dick and Judy Dehnel at (952) 432-3105, Pete and Phyllis McMahon at (763) 561-1575 or visit www.godlovesmarriage.org.

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MANKATO ZONE LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION: A rally is being planned for **Saturday, September 25 from 8:30-noon** at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1103 North Broad in Mankato. Registration begins at 8:30 am; opening at 9 am for Bible study, mission presentation by the Uganda Mission Team from Glencoe First Lutheran and Zone information. The meeting will close with a noon luncheon.

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