

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Art for Alarms: Paintings by Nancy Tucker will be up for raffle beginning this Sunday. The funds will go towards upgrading our alarm system panel. The raffle ticket cost is \$1 for 1 ticket, \$5 for 6 tickets, & \$10 for 15 tickets. Contact Kristy for more information.

101- DISCIPLESHIP CLASS: Do you desire to grow in your relationship with Jesus? Would you like to become a member of Calvary Lutheran church? If you answered "yes" to either question, then this is for you. If you are interested in taking this class please contact Calvary's Church office (752-4102) or make note on your Connect Card & place it in the offering plate; we will then choose dates to do the class.

QUILTING: We will meet this Thursday, Oct. 12th, at 9 a.m. and will continue to meet the 2nd Thursday of each month through December. Beginning in January 2018 we will meet the 2nd and last Thursday of each month through May. All are welcome to join us! No experience or sewing skills necessary, just tie knots!

NEXT 'SPIRIT OF LIFE' GAMING TOURNAMENT will be this Saturday, October 14th, doors open at 8:00am & the event will start promptly at 8:15am! Find more information on our Facebook page 'Spirit of Life Gaming- SOL' (link on Calvary's website), or contact Jason.

EVERGREEN COMMUNITY MEAL is having a short meeting in the Fellowship Hall, *after church Sunday, October 15th*, with anyone interested in cooking for October's dinner Thursday, October 19th. We will discuss what time you want to get-together to make the meal and any ideas you have. Kim Snell

CHURCH WORK DAY Join us for lunch after the worship service next Sunday, October 15th, then stay to lend a hand doing some fall clean up around the church! Wash windows, sand & paint some steps, sanitize toys... Find a more detailed list of needs & the sign-up sheet on our connections table. Come meet friends, have some fun, and make our church home sparkle!

NEW "Talk About It LifeGroup" will start on Wednesday, October 18th from 7-8pm. Pastor Kurt will lead this group in his home. This LifeGroup will provide an opportunity to talk more in-depth about the message preached the previous Sunday. This will be a great place to form strong relationships with other followers of Christ. For more information, please contact Pastor Kurt.

BEYOND THE BUDGET OPPORTUNITIES: ***Kenco Alarm System Panel** is not working properly and needs to be upgraded. The cost is approx. \$825. We have received \$340, leaving a balance needed of \$485. Pray for God's provision. *(2) **Automated External Defibrillators (AED)** – Round up for Safety is providing \$2000 to help purchase these devices. We do have individuals trained in the use of the AEDs. Cost is \$2845.32; will receive \$2000; balance needed \$845.32.

In Honor Of The 500th Anniversary Of The Reformation, Bethany Lutheran is hosting a screening of the new dramatized documentary "Martin Luther: The Idea That Changed the World." Oct 28th, at 6:30 p.m. Admission is FREE! Coffee & goodies will be available after the film, as well as having time to discuss the film with your fellow Christians. Parking will be available in our lot on the Bridge St side of the church.

Peace Lutheran, Belgrade, MT is pleased to host the fall 2017 W.O.W. EVENT Sat, October 21st from 9am-3pm. The program will be designed around Kyle Idleman's book, End of Me. RSVP to the church office 406-388-1358 & questions to Diane Oddy 406-282-7986. Looking forward to a day of fellowship & study to God's glory.

KEEP IN MIND: Budget requests are due November 1st. The budget meeting will be at the November Executive Meeting (Nov. 14th). Please pray for the upcoming 2018 budget and for discernment for those who will be a part of the budget meeting.

PLEASE REMEMBER that announcements for the Sunday bulletin need to be in the church office by 1 p.m. on Wednesdays, & the Echoes, by the 20th of each month.