ANNOUNCEMENTS

STAFF NEWS

Pastor Kathy will be out of the office through Wednesday, April 26. Please call or text Joy if there is an emergency at 440-212-4859 and Pastor Kathy will be notified.

PRAYER CHAIN

We are looking for two additional members to the Prayer Chain. Please contact Maureen Shorts if you are interested in participating in this important ministry.

OPEN FORUM DURING ADULT BIBLE STUDY TIME

During the Adult Study time today at 10:15 AM, there will be an open forum to discuss the new Mission and Values Statements. Feedback is desired regarding these statements. Council and the Transition Leadership Team are interested in the thoughts and impressions of the congregation. **All input is welcome.**

WORKSHOP ANNOUNCEMENT

First Lutheran Church leaders are inviting all members of the congregation to a workshop on Saturday, May 6, from 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM where we will discuss staffing. The purpose of the workshop is to deepen understanding, hear a variety of perspectives, and begin to think creatively about staffing for mission at First. Thoughts and ideas generated will inform the Council as they continue to work on designing potential staffing models to present to the congregation for feedback and approval. Snacks and drinks will be provided. We look forward to the rich conversations and seeing all of you at the workshop. For planning purposes, be sure to add your name to the Sign-Up Genius that was sent with the Friday email blast, or contact the office and Joy will sign you up!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Information is available for the upcoming build dates for the Habitat Faith Build. Reach out to Alli Thellman for details: agator817@yahoo.com or 440-263-9828.

STRONGSVILLE FOOD PANTRY

The pantry is in need of large size peanut butter and jars or cans of fruit.

PIERSTORF COLLEGE FUND

The Pierstorf College Fun is a one of a kind Lutheran financial aid program that provides interest-free loans to all Lutherans pursuing a higher education who live in the State of Ohio. Pick up an information card on the Welcome Center if you are interested.