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The Alaskan Mission Team will hold their annual Trivia Night on February 2nd at the Beaufort Lions Hall. The doors open at 6:00pm and the fun starts at 7:00pm.

"**The Tri Pantry in Leslie** is grateful for all the donations last month. Their needs for now are personal items, Shampoo, deodorant, razors. T.P., feminine products, tooth paste, tooth brushes, soap, dish detergent, and cleaning products. None of these are available with food stamps."

Sunday School report: Enrollment is 23 children. Students present 01/06 was 10 Junior Bible Class attendance was 0. Adult Bible Class attendance was 10. Total offering was \$70.00. No classes held on January 13th.

It is time to renew our subscription for **Lutheran Witness \$ 16.00 and Portals of Prayer \$7.00.** Please submit before February 1st in an envelope with your current address. There are special envelopes in your offering box for these that you may use. **Be sure to include your address.**

Audrey Wallner wants to thank everyone for all of the cards and letters that she received recently. She appreciates them very much.

Saint John's - Beaufort presents and in-depth study of **Luther's Small Catechism.** What does it mean to be a Lutheran? How long has it been since your Confirmation? Join us as Pastor Marty leads this series which will begin on January 27th at 9:00 AM in the school house/conference room. Catechism provided. Direct questions to Pr. Marty at 815-529-3884.

On January 27th, The **Voters Meeting** has been **rescheduled** from the 13th to the 27th after church followed by a light lunch. During this meal, we will have a **Meet and Greet** with our vacancy pastor, Pastor Springer, so that he can properly introduce himself to the congregation. The Ladies Aid will be organizing the food donations for the meal. **We will be taking donations of Soup, Salad or Dessert. Please sign up for one of these items if you can help us out. The sign up sheet is in the Narthex.** You may also call Dorothy Segelhorst at 573-484-3752, cell 573-225-3931 before Wednesday January 23rd about attendance or donations.

If you think you may be attending this function, please sign this list. If you forget to sign up, you are still welcomed to attend the meal. If you do sign up and then can't attend, that will not be a problem either. The goal here is just to get a rough idea of how much food to prepare.

Steve Nolting and Don Boettcher are planning on having a 1 hour training session for the "**Screen service**" used for each Sunday service. This would be for those who are currently helping with the "Screen service" and anyone who would like to learn as a substitute for some Sundays. This is not difficult training and it will have a written routine that all who attend will be able to take home for periodic review. The training will be some time in February. More information on date and time will be available the end of January. If you think you would be interested put a note in either. Steve's or Don's mail box in the narthex.

Please check your church mail box for a slip of paper to attach to your giving statement. This is needed to satisfy the IRS that your donation is a gift and that you received no benefit from it.

Church Calendar:
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:00
Church Service 10:00
February 3rd & 17th 8:00

Save a Date
Council Meeting Feb 11 7:00
Voter Meeting Jan 27th after church