

Pastor Wolling's Retirement

As you hopefully know by now, Pastor Wolling is retiring and her last Sunday here at Luther Memorial will be February 11, 2018. **There will be one service at 10 a.m. with a reception immediately following in the Social Hall.** Pastor Wolling will be presiding and Bishop John Macholz will be giving the sermon. Family members and colleagues of Pastor Wolling will be here for her last worship service and reception.

The children will be doing something special for Pastor so although there will not be regular Sunday school classes, they will be involved in the reception downstairs. The children will hear more about this in the future. In addition, the children are such an important part of ministry here, it would be especially meaningful to have a huge crowd for the children's sermon. Even if you're "too old" to go up now, feel free to come forward on this special day.

At this time, if members would like to contribute to parting gifts for Pastor, you are encouraged to do so. Please send your donation to the church office or simply place in the offering plate and mark it for "Pastor gift". The plan is to present her with a gift or two as well as monetary gift at the reception.

We would also like to collect remembrances/notes/cards from our Luther Memorial Family. These could also be sent to the church office or be placed in the offering plate on the next few Sundays.

We have a very special day planned and your presence will make it all the more memorable as we honor her and celebrate her retirement!

"As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord"