



**SUNDAY, JUNE 18,  
WELCOMING OUR  
NEW PASTOR:**

Bennie Grace Nabua with husband Jerome and children Julia Francesca and Jerome Bowen Nabua will be arriving on June 13. Her first Sunday is June 18. Please mark your calendar to attend and to give them a warm welcome.



**SUNDAY, JUNE 4, POTLUCK LUNCH  
AND FAREWELL TO  
JUSTIN THOMAS**

There will be a potluck lunch on June 4 immediately following worship to say farewell to Justin Thomas. Justin has been in Sitka for 8 years and has worked here at our church both as Youth/Children Director and as Office Assistant; he also served on the Eagle River Camp Board. Justin moves to New Jersey to marry his fiancée Nova, who has just graduated from seminary and begins her first pastoral appointment, and he will also become a dad to Nicole. He will be missed!!

**THE SUNDAY SCHOOL THANKS YOU FOR YOUR HELP!**

The total amount from Sunday School and the special offering to support the children's Heifer Project was \$480.00. The kids have decided to purchase 1 pig, 1 goat, 1 flock of chickens, 1 sheep, 2 beehives and a share of a cow. Thanks for your generosity!



**Eagle River United Methodist Camp**

Date: Sunday July 16 -Thursday July 20, 2017

Grades: Going into 3rd - Going into 8th

Contact Julia Smith for more information at 907-747-6333



**PANTRY BOX** is now under the coat rack in the narthex. Bring non-perishable foods and paper goods to this box to help with ongoing needs within our church family.  
**GROCERY CART** for Salvation Army food donations remains in the narthex.

**GIVE ELECTRONICALLY**

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**Birthdays in May**

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|---------------------|--------------------|
| 2 Jolene Bakkes     | 18 Dorothy Orbison |
| 3 Nik Calhoun       | 19 Kai Hirai       |
| 8 Betty Joe         | 19 Sheryl Ginn     |
| 9 Hunter Lewin      | 22 Noah White      |
| 13 Gloria Hagerman  | 24 Bayler Stinson  |
| 13 Nancy Young      | 27 Koen Hirai      |
| 15 Anna Herring     | 27 Jane Seesz      |
| 17 Bonnie Elsensohn |                    |

**Volunteers**

- Fellowship.....Julia Smith*  
*Altar Flowers.....Jane Seesz*

**PRAYER CONCERNS.** Nash Family, Karen Iwamoto, Roger Hames Jr., Heidi & Hazel, Dwight and Marilyn Payton, Jason Minor, Jake DenHerder, Hardy Grant, Tom Ferris, Chris (cancer), Allen Walton, Roth Family, Rebecca Short, Harvey Brant, Clayton Family, Yerkes Family, Rebecca (Cornea Specialist)