

November Newsletter

Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce Presents

2020 Razzle Dazzle

Home For The Holidays

November 20 & November 21

- Live Reindeer
- Kid's Holiday Hunt
- Visits From Santa
- Family Fun
- Make & Take Workshops
- Holiday In Store Promotions
- Friday - 6:30 PM Parade of Lights
Main Street Madelia
- Free Carriage Rides
- Madelia Theater Grand Reopening
- Holiday Expo



Be Dazzled in the Park

Saturday, November 21

5:00 PM in Watona Park

Make memories to last a lifetime with your family and friends. Enjoy the outdoor campfire, hot cocoa, and carriage rides along with a special tree lighting ceremony.

Join us to light up the park at 5:45^{PM} for the holiday season.

Madelia Monopoly game boards will be available November 20th at all retailers. Full schedule of events will be available on Madelia Area Chamber Facebook and www.visitmadelia.com.

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NOVEMBER 20-21

Home For The Holidays

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!



SHOP LOCAL and WIN BIG-Shop at our amazing Madelia Merchants for a chance to win \$100 in Madelia Money! Shop local, play our Holiday Madelia Monopoly Game from November 20nd to December 17th and you could win! Game cards available at our 35 participating Madelia Merchants, the Madelia Chamber office and at Pioneer Bank. Purchase from eight merchants listed on the game card, get your game card stamped, return your completed game card to the Madelia Chamber office or Pioneer Bank to be entered in one of three drawings. Pick up another game card and play again! The more you shop the more times you can enter. Drawings will be held on December 4th, 11th and 18th.

Alliance Bank- Help Us Stock Up on winter wear- Bring in new and gently used coats, hats, gloves, scarves, sweaters and snow boots to help protect those in need from our harsh Minnesota winter. There will be a no contact drop off collection inside the walk up lobby. Drop off items between November 16th thru the 22nd.

Madelia Community Food Shelf Drive - "Goblin up Food for the Food Shelf"

Collecting items for the Madelia Community Food Shelf. Collection sites are at Sunshine Foods, Pioneer Bank, Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce and Alliance Bank. Every donation makes a difference!

Friday, November 20th

8:30am - 7:00pm Hope & Faith Floral Studio and Gifts - Open House

10:00am-4:00pm - Prairie Pride Quilts - Open House with Make N Take Children Bags by Reservation

10:00am-6:30pm Enterprise Thrift Shoppe - Save 50% off All Holiday Items (in addition to our daily sale 50% off adult clothing).

12:00pm-6:00pm Brushed Designs Open House(11641 115th St., Hanska)

La Plaza F!esta - Wear your Ugly Holiday Sweater and receive 15% off your meal (dine-in only)

4:00pm - 7:30pm Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce Open House

4:30pm- MAIN STREET ACTIVITIES: Santa and the Reindeer will be ready to meet all the boys and girls, kids Razzle Dazzle Passport, and **Free Sleigh Rides with Santa (after parade)** on Main Street and MORE!

****Kids Razzle Dazzle Passport! Pickup your passport at Pioneer Bank and complete the hunt. Bring your completed passport to the Madelia Area Chamber office for a prize by 7:15pm.***

5:00pm - 7:00pm Sweet! Indeed - Hot Chocolate Bar!

5:30pm - 7:00pm La Plaza F!esta will be at **F!esta Market** selling Luzy's Punch and Tamales

6:30pm Parade of Lights - Begins at Madelia Elementary School and will continue down Main Street

7:00pm BINGO BAR - American Legion Post #19

8:00pm - Madelia Theater Grand Opening! Movie to be announced.



Saturday, November 21st

8:30am – 1:30pm Women of Today – Holiday Expo at Madelia American Legion Post #19

8:30am – 1:30pm Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce at Holiday Expo with Madelia Merchandise

10:00am-3:00pm – Brushed Designs Open House (11641 115th St., Hanska)

9:00am – 1:00pm Pictures with Santa at the Women's Expo

Scavenger Hunt – sponsored by Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce - Watch Facebook for more details

10:00am – 7:00pm Hope & Faith Floral Studio and Gifts – Open House

5:00pm – 6:00pm “BeDAZZLED IN THE PARK”! Come to the Watona Park with your family for free BeDAZZLED FUN! Dress Warm!! Drink Hot Cocoa, enjoy free trolley rides around the park and warm up around the campfire with us as we kick the tree lighting of Watona Park. The Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce will also be collecting items for the Madelia Food Shelf in the park.

5:30-7:00pm – Steak Fry – American Legion Post #19

8:00pm – Movie to be Announced - Madelia Theater

Sunday, November 22nd

11:00am-3:00pm Hope & Faith Floral Studio and Gifts

12:00pm-4:00pm – Brushed Designs Open House (11641 115th St., Hanska)

7:00pm – Movie to be announced – Madelia Theater

***Crystal Reindeer Collection – Sponsored by Tony Downs Foods Company**

***Sleigh Rides - Sponsored by Pioneer Bank and Christensen Communications Company**

**Schedule subject to change. Follow Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau on Facebook along with www.visitmadelia.com for the most up to date information.*

Friends of Madelia -

The Razzle Dazzle Committee of the Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau wants to light up Madelia this holiday season!! With COVID – 19 still a factor, holiday functions like the Kiwanis sponsored Holiday Lights in Mankato have been cancelled giving us an opportunity to make Razzle Dazzle an even bigger event. Simply stated, this could be the beginning of a destination trip for those who live outside Madelia.

2020 Razzle Dazzle Celebration is planned for Friday, November 20 and Saturday, November 21st. The lighted parade will happen on Friday night, and the lighting of the trees in the park on Saturday night. Please join us for the weekend in person and enjoy the fun, as well as lighting up your home!! **Help us get in the spirit, and Light up Madelia for the Season.**

How can you help? We would like to see residents decorate the outside of their homes for the holiday season. We will be spreading the word to come to Madelia to see our beautiful community all decorated for the holidays, as well as have our own residents enjoy the season with lights and decorations. We ask that you contact the chamber office to register your decorated location. We will be making a map for visitors and residents to follow as they take in the magic of the holiday season.

To make this magical event all it can be, the Chamber of Commerce proposes adding more lighted trees to the park to draw visitors to Madelia from the beginning of Razzle Dazzle to the New Year. We are looking for individuals, families, businesses, and organizations to sponsor professionally decorated trees in Watona Park. For those able to sponsor we ask that you return the sponsorship form to the Madelia Area Chamber office November 2, 2020.

Amigos de Madelia -

El Comité Razzle Dazzle de la Cámara de Comercio y Oficina de Visitantes del Área de Madelia quiere iluminar Madelia esta temporada de fiestas! Dado que COVID - 19 sigue siendo un gran factor, las funciones navideñas como las luces navideñas de Kiwanis en Mankato se han cancelado. Así nos da la oportunidad de hacer el evento de Razzle Dazzle aún más grande. Este podría ser el comienzo de un viaje para quienes viven fuera de Madelia.

La celebración de Razzle Dazzle 2020 está planeado para el Viernes 20 de Noviembre y el Sábado 21 de Noviembre. El desfile iluminado comenzará el Viernes por la noche y la iluminación de los árboles en el parque será el Sábado por la noche. Te invitamos a que te unas a nosotros en persona el fin de semana para disfrutar de la diversión! **Ayúdenos entrar en el espíritu navideño y ilumine Madelia para la temporada.**

¿Como puedes ayudar? Nos gustaría ver a los residentes de Madelia decorar el exterior de sus casas para la temporada navideña. Estaremos difundiendo la palabra para que vengan a ver nuestra hermosa comunidad decorada para las fiestas, igual para que nuestros propios residentes disfruten de la temporada con luces y decoraciones. Le pedimos que se comuniquen con la oficina de la cámara si gusta registrar su ubicación decorada. Haremos una mapa para que los visitantes y residentes lo sigan mientras disfrutan de la magia de la temporada navideña.

Para que este evento mágico sea todo lo posible, la Cámara de Comercio propone agregar más árboles iluminados al parque para atraer a los visitantes a Madelia desde el comienzo de Razzle Dazzle hasta el Año Nuevo. Buscamos personas, familias, empresas y organizaciones para patrocinar árboles decorados profesionalmente en Watona Park. Para aquellos que puedan patrocinar, les pedimos que devuelvan la forma de patrocinio a la oficina de la Cámara del Área de Madelia antes del 2 de Noviembre de 2020.

*Happy Holidays,
2020 Razzle Dazzle Committee*

*Feliz Fiestas,
Comité Razzle Dazzle 2020*

November 2020
Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce
BUSINESS OF THE MONTH



Hartshorn Manor

Providing rental housing since 1976. Professionally managed apartments for those 50 years and older. Hartshorn Manor offers rent based on income with onsite laundry, weekly exercise classes, recent remodel, and close to Madelia's downtown with convenient shopping.

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<https://www.smrrental.com/hartshorn-manor>

Madelia Community Food Shelf



Supporting those in
our community!

Monthly Open House (In Alley Behind Anytime Fitness)

No Referrals Needed

Oct 28th - Nov 25th - Dec 23rd

3:30-6:00 PM

Needing extra help and unable to attend open house hours?

Contact the Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau

Week days from 9 AM - 2 PM

507-642-8822

Pickup by appointment @ 127 West Main Street, Madelia

Outreach Resources and Additional Referrals :

Father Timothy Hall 507-642-8305

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Chelsea Hoeft 807-642-5265

Madelia Community Hospital & Clinic

Pastor Penny Johnson 507-642-8105

First Presbyterian Church

Faith Lutheran Church

507-642-8500

Traci Henry 507-642-3232

Madelia Elementary School - Preschool/

Community Ed Coordinator

Pastor Krista Strum 507-642-8301

Trinity Lutheran Church

Pastor Maria Valdez 507-642-3471

Iglesia Misionera Alfa y Omega

Pastor Greg Volbrecht 507-642-8414

Salem Lutheran Church

Pastor Tony Comer 507-841-3616

Bethel Evangelical Free Church

Watsonwan County Human Services

507-375-3294

715 2nd Ave S, St. James

Non Perishable Food Donations

Accepted at:

Sunshine Foods - Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce

Monetary Donations Accepted at:

Pioneer Bank - Alliance Bank

Madelia City Hall - Madelia Area Chamber of Commerce



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Difference



Pumpkin Decorating Winners!

Children's Favorite

BB8 & Baby Yoda

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Unicorn

Sponsor's Favorite

Nightmare Before Christmas





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WEBINAR SERIES TOPICS

OCTOBER

**HR Insight: Surviving a
Personnel File Audit**
October 9, 12 – 1 p.m. CDT

**Fundamentals of Working
Capital, Valuation Impacts
and Deal Considerations**
October 13, 12 – 1 p.m. CDT

Export Tax Incentives
October 20, 12 – 1 p.m. CDT

Estate Planning: It's Important
October 22, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. CDT

**Affordable Care Act:
30-Minute Roundtable**
October 23, 11 – 11:30 a.m. CDT

NOVEMBER

**Why System Integration Should
Be Your Next Big Initiative**
November 10, 12 – 1 p.m. CST

Cloud Risks and Myths for 2020
November 12, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. CST

Year-End Planning Update
November 17, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. CST

DECEMBER

**Is It Time for a New Accounting
System**
December 10, 12 – 1 p.m. CST

Quarterly Legislative Update
December 17, 12 – 1 p.m. CST



Webinars are FREE to attend and offer CPE credit. For more information and to register, visit eidebailly.com/Inspired-Perspectives.

NOVEMBER 2020

Faith Lutheran Church

God's People... Leading Others to the Love of Jesus

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Pulpit Supply - Karen Koeder Baptism Daylight Saving Time ends All Saints Sunday	2 	3	4 	5	6 	7
8 Pulpit Supply - Glenn Hruska Pack Operation Christmas Child boxes 23 rd Sunday after Pentecost	9	10 	11 	12 7:00 pm Council meeting	13 	14
15 Pulpit Supply - Karen Koeder 24 th Sunday after Pentecost	16 9:00 am Ruth Bible Study	17 	18	19 	20 	21
22 Pulpit Supply - Ralph Flitter 	23 	24	25	26 	27	28 
29 Pulpit Supply - Joe Wagner 	30 	November Sunday Schedule 10:00 am In-Person & LIVE on Facebook 11:00 am Sunday school		Aviation History Month Child Safety Protection Month National Adoption Awareness Month National Caregivers Appreciation Month National Epilepsy Month Native American Heritage Month Peanut Butter Lovers Month		

Faith Lutheran Church

306 Abbot Ave SW
Madelia, MN 56062
507-642-8500

E-mail: office@faithoursaviours.org



[Facebook.com/FOSParish](https://www.facebook.com/FOSParish)

Important information:

Church website: www.faithoursaviours.org
Online giving link will be here and on our Facebook page.
Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/FOSParish
Faith offering address:

306 Abbot Ave SW
Madelia, MN 56062

FRAUD TEXT ALERTS

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Pioneer Bank Offers Fraud Text Alerts

Pioneer Bank is adding another layer of security to your Pioneer Bank Debit Cards with Fraud Text Alerts, a simple two-way text communication that will help identify and stop fraud more quickly.

All card related transactions are included in the Fraud Text Alert program as an enhancement to Pioneer Bank's existing fraud prevention procedures.

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Hartshorn Manor

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507-642-3416

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PRESENTS

Christmas in Lake Crystal

Holiday Craft and Gift Fair

DECEMBER 5TH, 2020
10:00AM-2:00PM
621 W NATHAN ST LAKE CRYSTAL

Silent Auction, Door Prizes, and Bake Sale

Free Admission for Shoppers
Masks Required

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It takes dedicated individuals from many industries to keep Madelia running smoothly during this pandemic. We recognize that frontline staff have been working diligently to serve the community during these challenging times.

To our employees and all of the workers in other industries that have helped support us and keep us safe and healthy, we appreciate your efforts.

Thank you from all of us at Alliance Bank.



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Amy Bergeman

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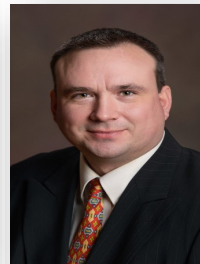
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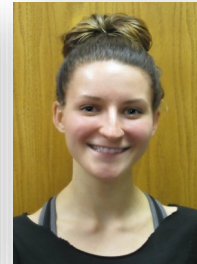
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