GOOD NEWS



St. Paul Lutheran Church

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ST. PAUL LUTHERAN MISSION STATEMENT:

Empowered by the Holy Spirit to make Christ known; As we love one another, serve our neighbor, and grow in our Faith through studying God's Word and Worshiping God.



School has started once again! It brings with it a lot of excitement for the kids. It means new clothes, new teachers, new books, a new room, new friends, new classes ... do you see a pattern here? The excitement revolves around having something *new* in their lives. It's as if everything before has disappeared and is gone, while everything else is just ahead, in the future. It's a chance to start again, to avoid old mistakes, and to watch for new ones. Having a definite point in time, such as a date on a calendar, almost gives us permission to start over again and to get excited about something *new* in our lives.

So, when do adults get excited about new things? What point on our calendars or in our lives marks the time when we get to start over? For many it may be on January 1 each year. Unfortunately, too many people wake up with hangovers and soon forget all those well-intentioned resolutions to have a happier, healthier life.

So, what about us Christians? Do we have a time when we feel that we have a chance to start new once again? Actually, it happens *every day*, and the celebration is called baptism. In the Small Catechism, Martin Luther writes in the fourth part of baptism: "What does Baptism mean for daily living? It means that our sinful self, with all its evil deeds and desires, should be drowned through daily repentance; and that day after day a new self should arise to live with God in righteousness and purity forever."

The old is washed away and we begin a new day in forgiveness. No other major religion in the world focuses on forgiveness as does Christianity. In fact, most religions do not have such a concept. Instead, their beliefs demand that their followers make amends through works or coming back into another life to make up for the failures of past lives. Forgiveness is one of the distinguishing characteristics of Christians that separates us from other religions. The amends or good works or pay-back have already been paid up through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, so we must claim forgiveness through his life and

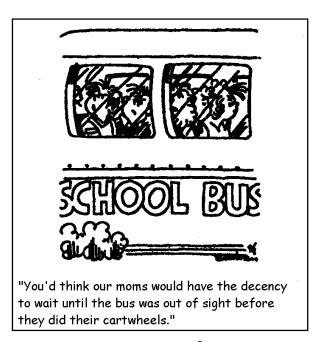
death. And when we do, our souls, previously blackened with sin, are washed clean once again, pure and spotless in the eyes of God.

So, while the rest of the world may have one date on the calendar when life can start over and one can get excited about what lies ahead, Christians have the unique opportunity to do this each day of the year.

But do we? When we ask for forgiveness, do we feel the excitement and the newness in our lives? Are we so thrilled that we get that smile on our faces like the child exploring the endless rows of spiral notebooks, markers and lunch boxes? Do we take the care and the caution of our new life in Christ, as a child cares for those new school supplies?

What a blessing that we can experience this newness each day of our lives. Take advantage of it, celebrate forgiveness, and then keep your eyes on the newness that God brings into your life!

Your Pastor, Tim W Muehlbrad





Sunday School Parents, Something New

Parents we want to make sure your child's experience in Sunday School is a good one and that we are trying to provide a great place for that to happen. We realize that children may have special needs or situations that we need to be aware of. We

would like your help in letting us know of any of those things.

We are asking your help by filling out a Student Information Form for each of the children attending our Sunday School. Please take the time to fill out one for each of your children attending.

These will be available on Rally Day Sept. 8th and any Sunday after that with your teacher. This will help us be aware of any special needs that we need to be aware of in case we have snacks, games, or physical activities included in the curriculum or classes. Please take the time to find and fill one out when you bring your child to Sunday School for the first time this year. This way we can make the Sunday School experience a great one for your child and for you!

Again, look for these forms on Rally Day and they will be available any Sunday after that with your teacher! Thanks for your help!

Rally Day Sept. 8th

Summer is over and it's time to get going again!

Several have asked just what is "Rally Day". One definition is "come together again to continue...." That is what we will do on Sunday Sept. 8th! We will come together to Rally around the Treasure we have in the Lord, His love for us, and His word for us in the Bible.

We will begin with a worship service led by our Summer Camp attendees. During that service we will install our Sunday School Staff and have a "Blessing of the Backpacks." We hope all the youth and children attending school will bring their backpacks for that blessing.

Then following that, we will meet in the Parish Hall for our opening and the advancement of our students to new classes.

After that, we will begin a Bible Treasure Hunt, following clues found in the bibles to lead us to different places around the church and grounds to find special treasure!

All that will bring us back to the Parish Hall for a great meal together! It will be a great time together as we Rally around each other and the Lord's love and word for us.

Our youngest ones will have a separate hunt and then enjoy some play together time. They will, also, join us back at the Fellowship Hall at the end.

Our regular Sunday School classes will begin the next Sunday, Sept. 15th!

Some More New and Exciting Sunday School News!

Banner Class: This year we will be having a special item for those classes who have great attendance for each month. The class with the largest percentage of attendance each month will get to display a Luther Rose banner on their door! The class who has the most banners awarded by the end of the year will receive a special party for their efforts! So, plan on making as many classes as you can!

PUP: Also, each student will become a PUP for the year. A PUP is a "Pick Up Pal" for another of their fellow students in their class. The idea is that this will be a mentor program. We will ask them to see if their PUP Pal is missing for a few weeks and try to get in touch and invite them back!

BF Sundays: On certain Sundays scheduled throughout the year, a Sunday will be a "Bring a Friend Sunday" (BF Sunday). IF you

bring a friend on those days you and your friend might get a little gift. So, start thinking about who you can ask and bring and watch for those days!

Why Sunday School and Church?

Lately a lot of people have been wondering about that. Just think...ever since Martin Luther (and even before that) it has been part of the family tradition to attend church and Sunday School together. Many of Martin Luther's beliefs were that it was so important for the family and children to learn and experience the love of God and the wisdom from His Word!

The times have passed and now it seems harder to do just that. It seems we have lost some of that belief in how important our faith can be in our lives. Things get in the way. We talk about not having enough time or days in the week. We seek time for recreation. Work or school obligations seem to be more pressing than they once were.

But, has the belief that Martin Luther had on the importance of the role a family has in the formation of faith changed, or is it just forgotten? At the recent NALC Youth Gathering one of the speakers pointed something out and I wrote it down. He said the following about our faith..."If you don't make it important then why should they (children and youth) feel it is important to their life?"

There are so many things, beliefs, movements, "social influencers", and different religions out there calling to us. If we don't make our faith important then there are plenty others out there to take its place.

Jesus several times talked about false prophets and false faiths. He seemed very concerned about followers seeking other ways. It amazes me how some of the people who now are influencing people have said they were "once" a Christian or who are religious

but are not practicing their faith currently. Even more surprising are the ones who say they are religious...but don't act or talk like it!

How important is our faith, Bible Study, worship, and, especially Sunday School? It is the foundation of our faith and our love for Christ! Many of us grew up as our family worshipped together and it was a part of our weekend. Sure, the world gets in the way, but, again...if we don't make it important why should they?

I hope we choose to have our children learn here at church so they can see what is important to their lives and not be looking somewhere else. I hope we are never at a loss for teachers in our classes. I hope we look at our church as an honor and privilege and not something secondary or that is a burden. Why...because some day they will be making the decisions that shape our church.

I hope we feel the importance to bring them, to teach them, and show how important this faith has been, can be, and will be to their lives (and to us and their children too)!



CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH August 13, 2024- 6PM

Empowered by the holy spirit to make Christ known; as we love one another, serve our neighbor, and grow in our faith through studying God's word and worshipping God.

1. **CALL TO ORDER-** The meeting of the Church Council of St. Paul Lutheran Church was called to order by Boyd

Wiese, President. Council members present for the meeting were Boyd Weise, Jay Heil, Wade Bolting, Susan Franke, Jill Turner, Pam Hoefling, Ashleigh Peyton, and Pastor Tim Muehlbrad. Terry Carmichael and Katie Serrano were also in attendance.

- 2. **DEVOTION-** Katie Serrano provided the devotion for Larry Gohmert.
- 3. **MINUTES-** Pam Hoefling made a motion to accept the May 14, 2024, minutes as presented. Jay Heil seconded the motion. The motion carried.

4. REPORTS-

- a. **Treasurer/Stewardship-** Calvin Bruns provided a written report.
- b. Parish Education-Jill Turner reported:
 - 1. Bible school 2024 was a big success with over 50 volunteers from the 3 churches. We averaged about 85 kids per day. The offerings brought in \$932.85 to donate to Y.A.M. and a check for \$1,000.00 was taken to YAM.
 - 2. Rally Day will be on 9/8, Terry has some good ideas for the congregation to get involved in.
 - 3. Christmas program will be 12/8. Zoe Innocenti volunteered to head the Christmas program.
- c. Youth Committee Report- Laurey Garcia reported:
 - 1. Approximately fifteen fathers attended the Father's Day Taco Breakfast on June 16, 2024, during the Sunday school hour. The youth enjoyed serving their fathers and all who attended expressed appreciation for the breakfast.
 - 2. Children of all ages including Confirmation kids will be attending Camp Chrysalis this year July 22-26.
 - 3. The Jammies and Jesus Lock -in was an absolute hit! We had seventeen kids attend, they had a blast and are already asking when we are planning our next one!

- 4. Our annual Pool Party is Friday, August 2 at the Cuero pool and splash pad from 7-9 pm. All are welcome. Pizza and drinks will be provided.
- 5. FFF starts again Wednesday, August 21st from 6-7:30 PM.
- 6. We are having a Paint & Praise event hosted by Nancy Beeson in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, September 21, 2021, 2-4 PM. The cost will be \$35.00. There are flyers with all the information for sign-up throughout the church, basement, and fellowship hall.
- 7. Wednesday, September 4th during FFF we will be baking and bagging cookies that our youth will be handing out for Grandparents' Day at both Saturday 9/7 and Sunday 9/8 services.
- 8. Our next committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 27, 2024 @ 6 PM

9. Youth Task Force

- a. I met Pheobe Latham on Monday, June 17, 2024, at St. Paul Lutheran. She was here from approximately 9 AM-2:30 PM. She was able to get all the information she needed.
- b. Miss Latham emailed me the basketball iterations on 7/12/2024. I will be setting a meeting date so that the committee can view and discuss them.

d. **D.C.E.-**Terry Carmicheal reported:

- 1. Assisting with planning and leading for the Sunday School openings
- 2. Led the Children's Sermons on 7/14, 7/21, 7/28, and 8/11
- 3. Continue leading the weekly Learning Garden Chapel worships on Wed. and distributing their chapel offerings to the church annex for the congregation to view.
- 4. Finalized the Continental Youth Gathering trip and plans and filled out the closing survey from

- the NALS. We attended the event July 1-4 at Borene with 6 girls and sponsor Ashleigh Peyton.
- 5. Working with Jill Turner on the new Sunday School year and Rally Day plans and will be meeting with the teachers on 8/18. Rally Day is Scheduled for Sept. 8th with the first class on Sept. 15th.
- 6. Attended summer camp at Camp Chrysalis with 19 youth and sponsor Sarah Bargmann.
- 7. Taught the Sunday School classes on 7/2, 8/4, and 8/11.
- 8. Have been assisting those who have volunteered to teach on certain dates with their supplies and any needs they may have.
- 9. Finalized the Learning Garden Chapel Schedule for the new school year.
- 10. Assisted Tina Boehm as needed with Vacation Bible School and assisted with the openings and teaching the "Sticky Scripture" portion during the mealtime. It was a great week! Thanks Tina!

11. Other:

- Attended the "Back to School" event downtown and assisted with handing out popcorn.
- b. Attended the "Meet the Wildcats" event.
- c. Several Learning Garden meetings on Summer and next year's chapel schedule.
- d. Several office meetings on Sunday School and one on pictures for the directory.
- 12. Notes- I will be taking a few vacation days, so I will be out of the office 8/19-8/23 (actual vacation days 8/19-8/22, 8/23 begin my normal day off).

e. Worship- Jay Heil reported

1. Pastor has vacation days and continuing education. A pastor is needed to fill in. Seminary student from Meyersville possibly to fill in. Terry and Jay could also fill in for other dates.

f. Evangelism/Outreach- Wade Bolting reported:

- 1. Attended the "Back to School Bash" downtown and handed out 50 bags with a notebook and pencils. He also passed out approximately 150 bags of popcorn.
- 2. Now planning for Trunk or Treat

g. Social Concerns- Susan Franke reported:

- 1. Assistance was provided to 2 individuals in June
 - a. Provided help \$100.00 for electric bill
 - b. Provided help \$100.00 for counseling
- 2. Assistance was provided to 3 individuals in July
 - a. Provided help \$100.00 for electric bill
 - b. Provided help \$100.00 for electric bill
 - c. Provided help \$311.04 for car repairs taken from local benevolence relief fund

h. Christian Life-Pam Hoefling reported:

- 1. On Sunday, July 14, 2024, we had an, "After Church Summer Reception." Coffee, Sunny Delight, donuts, and cookies were served.
- 2. Nacho meal on Sunday, Aug. 11th, was well attended.
- 3. Currently planning for Rally Day.
- 4. Planning a meal for November when the Polka Band is here.
- 5. Booked a caterer on 8/13 for the Christmas meal.

i. **Property-**Larry Gohmert reported:

- 1. Work continues on installation of the standby generator for the Educational Building. The electrical connections have been completed. Most of the natural gas work has been done, except for installation of the gas meter and the final "commissioning" of the generator. Once that work is done, we will have the sidewalk from the Parsonage to the Educational Building repaired. It was damaged while moving in the generator.
- 2. Tree Werks removed a dead pecan tree from the back of the yard at Parsonage 2, and another one

from near the southeast corner of the Educational Building. They observed that a large pecan tree inside the playground area may be weakening since mushrooms are growing all around the base of the tree. It may soon be time to start replacing some of these trees if we wish to continue to enjoy the shade.

- 3. The tile floor in the meeting room is starting to come loose and needs to be repaired or replaced.
- j. Cemetery- No report provided.
- k. C.E.M.-Tracy Fielding provided a written report.

1. Pastor-

- 1. Professional activities during June 2024:
 - a. 9 Worship Services
 - b. 6 Hospital Visits
 - c. 5 Home Visits
 - d. 4 Educational Events
 - e. 5 Church Meetings and Events
 - f. 1 Professional Meeting
 - g. 1 week of vacation
- 2. Professional activities during July 2024
 - a. 7 Worship services
 - b. 3 Hospital Visits
 - c. 5 Home visits
 - d. 4 Educational Events
 - e. 5 Church Meetings and Events
 - f. 1 Week of Vacation
- 3. Official Acts during July 2024
 - a. 7/03 Burial of Daisy Borgfeld
 - b. 7/16 Burial of Frank Rogge

5. OLD BUSINESS

a. None to discuss

6. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Council Directory Picture will be taken on Sunday, Aug. 18th.
- b. New Members-Pam Hoefling made a motion to approve Pamela, Robert, Corrigan, and Zachary Roth as new members of St. Paul Lutheran Church.

- Wade Bolting seconded the motion. The motion carried.
- c. Pam Hoefling made a motion to utilize funds from the benevolence relief fund to sponsor a bench for the city park from St. Paul Lutheran Church for approximately \$1,000.00. Jay Heil seconded the motion. The motion carried.
- d. Flooring in meeting room is coming up in a spot. A bid totaling \$3,866.96 for commercial carpet was given by Cathy's Carpet and Interiors to put carpet over the existing flooring. Another bid totaling \$3,800.00 to put down laminate flooring over the existing flooring. Jay Heil made a motion to table any action on the flooring in the meeting room. Wade Bolting seconded the motion. The motion carried.
- e. New carpeting in the Church Offices- Cathy's Carpet gave a bid of \$6,558.82 to replace the old carpet in the church offices. An anonymous donation will cover all costs. Pam Hoefling made a motion to accept the generous anonymous donation to replace the carpet in the church offices. Jill Turner seconded the motion. The motion carried.
- f. A motion was made by Pam Hoefling to approve Pastor's Vacation from Sep. 30th- Oct 6th. Jay Heil seconded the motion. The motion carried.
- g. A motion was made by Pam Hoefling to approve Pastor's continuing education from Oct. 15th 20th.
 Jay Heil seconded the motion. The motion carried.
- h. Fellowship Hall Rental Policy Update- Jill Turner made a motion to approve the revised policies and guidelines for the use of St Paul Lutheran Church facilities and the grounds to be effective September 1, 2024. Calvin Bruns seconded. The motion carried.
- i. Membership roster- The membership sections in the Constitution and Bylaws were reviewed. Some of the guidelines are contradicting involving active and

inactive members. Pastor would like to add specificity to the constitution. Pastor Tim, Boyd Weise, Wade Bolting will meet to decide a path forward.

7. **CLOSING-** Jay Heil made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Pam Hoefling seconded the motion. The motion carried, and the meeting closed with The Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted, Ashleigh Peyton

2024 COUNCIL MEMBERS

PRESIDENT – Boyd Weise
SECRETARY – Ashleigh Peyton
PARISH ED – Jill Turner
STEWARDSHIP – Calvin Bruns
WORSHIP – Jay Heil
CHRISTIAN LIFE – Pam Hoefling
PROPERTY – Larry Gohmert
SOCIAL CONCERNS – Susan Franke
YOUTH – Laurey Garcia
EVANGELISM/OUTREACH – Wade Bolting



GENERAL FUND	YTD 2024	BUILDING FUND	YTD 2024
Beginning Balance	\$43,364.25	Beginning Balance	e \$121,505.82
Income	\$399,795.51	Income	\$154,697.94
Expenses	(\$410,494.21)	Expenses	(\$88,572.71)
Ending Balance	\$32,665.55	Ending Balance	\$187,631.05
		To	otals as of 8/19/2024
Investment w/ LPL Financial:			
\$128,803.60			

RELIEVE EDITORIAL STRESS:

TURN IN YOUR ARTICLES

EARLY!

REMINDER:

DEADLINE FOR THE

October

NEWSLETTER

ARTICLE IS

Monday,

September 16, 2024



September 8, 2024: Rally Day; Hamburgers

The crochet and knitting group are looking for a few more crafters. We make the blankets that are presented to the babies at their baptism and donate others to the Gabriel Project in Victoria. We provide the yarn, we just need the people that can transform that



yarn to blankets. It can be any pattern or stitch you are comfortable with, we just have a size requirement. We meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 1:30 in the library. If you can't join us but are still interested in helping make blankets we would love to have you help in this way too.

If you have any questions, or would like to help, please call Susan Carmichael at (210) 758-6812.

We will be resuming our Women's Bible Study on Tuesday, September 3, 2024 at 9:00 am. Please join us to study God's Word and have fellowship!



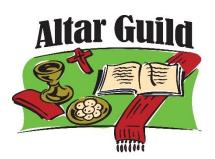


FACILITIES/WEDDING

COORDINATOR WANTED: We are looking for a facilities/wedding coordinator to oversee the rental of the Church facilities and to help with weddings. Compensation will be

provided. For more information, please contact Boyd Weise or the Church office.

ALTAR GUILD: For 2025, there are open spots that need to be filled. Please contact Beverly Bruns or the church office to sign up. If you are in high school, and have been Confirmed, and you would like to serve, you are welcome also.





BREAKING NEWS FFF

SPECIAL EDITION

YOUTH CHAT

BAKING & BAGGING COOKIES FOR GRANDPARENTS DAY

September 4th FFF will be meeting in the fellowship hall to bake and bag cookies for our Grandparents. I will need some volunteers who are willing to handout cookies after church on Saturday and Sunday.

PAINT & PRAISE

The youth committee is sponsoring a Paint & Praise party! Saturday, September 21st from 2-4PM. The cost is \$35 per person. Everything you need is provided. Come enjoy creating, fellowship and wonderful food. Sign up sheets are at both entrances of the church and the basement. Sign up sheets are cash only.

September Menu

9/4 - Pizza

- 9/11 Ham/cheese sliders, chips, fruit, dessert
- 9/18 Chicken Penne Alfredo, salad, bread sticks, dessert
- 9/25 Baked potato bar, fresh fruit, dessert

OCTOBER BRINGS SOMETHING DIFFERENT

The youth committee will be hosting a Worship and Weenie roast in the prayer garden on Wednesday, October 23rd 6-7:30. Please bring your family and friends! There will be sign up sheets coming soon.

COME JOIN US! * COME JOIN US! * COME JOIN US!





COOKIES!





We will hand out the cookies
Saturday, September 7th &
Sunday, September 8th
after church services
for
Grandparents Day!





Dear St. Paul congregation,
Thank you for the wonderful
opportunity to attend Camp Chrysalis
this summer! It was a blessing to be able
to spend a whole week getting closer to
god with my best friends. This
experience was made possible by you.
May God bless you always!
Love,
Kennedy R.



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2024 11220 FM 237 | MEYERSVILLE, TX

COUNTRY STORE

Baked Specialties, Canned Goods, Plants.

BBQ MEAL

DINE-IN or TO-GO PLATES

11:00 AM -12:30 PM

\$15

LIVE AUCTION

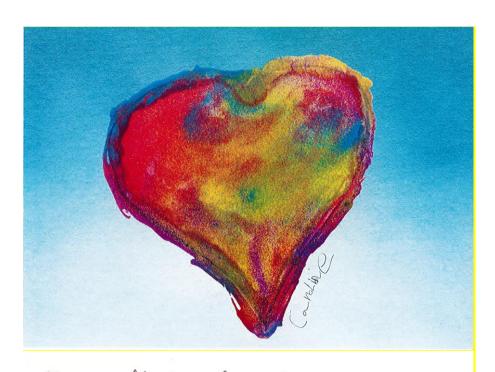
STARTING at 12:30 PM INSIDE THE AIR-CONDITIONED PARISH HALL

RAFFLE

Drawing to be held following the Live Auction.

Tickets \$5 Each or 6 for \$25.

Come and Enjoy Good Food, Good Fellowship & Good Fun!



Church Directory Committee,

Just a "Note of Thanks" for your

many hours of planning and preparation for

the new Church directory. I know many

don't realize how much goes into getting

everything lined up for an event like

this.

I can hardly wait for the new directory to arrive. I we mine all the time for one reason or another.

Thanks, again!

Kathie Fehner

Please join us!



Sip And Serve

Friday, Sep 27, 2024

8087 US Highway 87 North, Cuero, TX 77954

We will be making 60 flood buckets and 40 health kits.

We appreciate your support! Shanna Burge

Warehouse Coordinator

Disaster Response Warehouse for DeWitt County



Shanna Burge

Warehouse Coordinator St John Lutheran Church Lindenau & Westhoff

Cell: 361-210-9068 | Email: stjohnwldr@gmail.com



We keep in our prayers the family and friends of:

<u>John Roller</u> - who passed away July 28, 2024. Services were held August 2, 2024.

May the power of the resurrection continue to provide them assurance.



In memory of Aggie Arnold - CEM

Mallie Stanchos Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of Liliana Bangs – Landscaping

Carlton & Sandra Bolting David & Patsy Ibrom

In memory of Daisy Borgfeld - CEM

Lyn Janssen Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of Daisy Borgfeld – Cemetery

Jerry & Debbie Yount and Family

In memory of Daisy Borgfeld - Records Restoration

Jim & Judy Noster

In memory of Anna Borth - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Harlan Brieger - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Glenn & Ruth Buchhorn – Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Gordon Buchhorn - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of B. J. Collins – Senior Scholarship Fund

Helen Breed

In memory of James Crain - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Byron Cramer - Building

Ruby Warzecha

In memory of Byron Cramer - CEM

Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of Luke Henry Durio - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Geraldine Goehring - CEM

Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of Hope Jendrzey - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Margret Jendrzey - CEM

Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of Margret Jendrzey – Senior Scholarship

David & Patsy Ibrom

In memory of James Kenne - Senior Scholarship Fund

Helen Breed

In memory of Lamar Koehler - Senior Scholarship Fund

Helen Breed

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - Building

Gaus Family Donna Karnei

Mary Hilbrich Boyd & Pam Weise

Five Crowns Card Club Diane Cooley
Aaron & Erin Koopmann Oleta Pattillo

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - CEM

Lyn Janssen Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - Cradle Workshop

Steven & Debbie Kneese David & Patsy Ibrom

Jim & Judy Noster

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - Endowment

Mallie Stanchos

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - FFF

John Dale Hurst Jay & Sandra Heil Spence & Rebecca Innocenti Jesse & Linda Hurta

Ricky & Judy Hilbrich

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - Landscaping

Charles & Jan Ruppert

In memory of Janet Lambrecht - Nursery Department

"The Golden Girls"

In memory of Werner Lamprecht - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Junell Lincke - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Harlan Merks, Sr. - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of JoAnne Novak – Landscaping

The Larry Serold Family

In memory of Frank Rogge - Building

Alice Stacy

In memory of Frank Rogge - Senior Scholarship Fund

Helen Breed

In memory of John Roller - Building

Jay & Sandra Heil

Barbara Cramer

<u>In memory of John Roller – CEM</u>

Mark & Betsy Weischwill

In memory of John Roller - Landscaping

The Larry Serold Family

In memory of John Roller - Radio

Dr. & Mrs. John Frels

In memory of Dolly Ruppert - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Dolly Ruppert - Landscaping

Charles & Jan Ruppert

In memory of Dennis Saunders, Sr. - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Ernest "Sonny" Schoenherr - Building

Dennis Henze

In memory of Carol Schroller - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Kyle Schultz - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Kyle Schultz – Landscaping

The Larry Serold Family

In memory of Brian Scott - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Arvid Sievers - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of David Stehling - Landscaping

The Larry Serold Family

In memory of Cynthia Strait - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Jean Striedel - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Pastor Craig Sturm - FFF

John Dale Hurst

In memory of Pastor Craig Sturm - Oromo Church

Mallie Stanchos

In memory of William Sturm - Building

Mallie Stanchos

In memory of William Sturm - FFF

John Dale Hurst

In memory of Geary Taylor - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

In memory of Charlie & Alice Weise - Senior Scholarship Fund

Helen Breed

In memory of Darlene Williams - Building

Iona Buchhorn & Family

~Gifts in memory and in honor of are as of August 19, 2024.

Please remember to write on your OFFERING ENVELOPE a specific fund for your memorial offering to go to. It defaults to building fund unless it is noted.

SCRIPTURE READINGS SEPTEMBER 2024

Sunday, September 1, 2024-15th Sunday after Pentecost

First Lesson: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

Psalm: Psalm 15

Second Lesson: James 1:17-27

Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23



Sunday, September 8, 2024-16th Sunday after Pentecost

First Lesson: Isaiah 35:4-7a

Psalm: Psalm 146

Second Lesson: James 2:1-10 [11-13] 14-17

Gospel: Mark 7:24-37

Sunday, September 15, 2024-17th Sunday after Pentecost

First Lesson: Isaiah 50:4-9a

Psalm: Psalm 116:1-8

Second Lesson: James 3:1-12

Gospel: Mark 8:27-38



Sunday, September 22, 2024-18th Sunday after Pentecost

First Lesson: Jeremiah 11:18-20

Psalm: Psalm 54

Second Lesson: James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a

Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

Sunday, September 29, 2024-19th Sunday after Pentecost

First Lesson: Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29

Psalm: Psalm 19:7-14

Second Lesson: James 5:13-20

Gospel: Mark 9:38-50



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