

May 2013 Newsletter

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

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To the people of God at Our Redeemer,

It seems as if Summer will never get here. This past month has offered many opportunities to make "global warming" jokes. However, I can assure you Summer is coming. I cannot assure you what the temperature will be. I cannot tell you on what day it will rain or not rain. I can only tell you that the school year will end, Memorial Day will arrive, and most people will adjust to a different schedule (unless the Lord returns first).

Even the worship schedule will be different during the Summer. As we did last year, following Vacation Bible School (June 3-6), we will have the Divine Service on Saturday at 5:00 PM and Sunday at 9:00 AM. This will be in effect starting June 9 and our normal 8:00 and 10:15 Sunday services will resume on August 25. For those 11 weeks, we will only have one service on Sunday and no Sunday School or Bible Class.

I have found that periodically adjusting my schedule is helpful. Last year, when we used this Summer schedule, many of our members commented that they were able to get connected with others who normally attend a different worship service. The consensus among our Sunday School teachers was that it, as one person put it, "recharged their batteries." That is often the result of making, even small, adjustments to our schedule.

Someone recently asked me for ideas for daily devotions for an individual and for a family. In my experience, finding something that works for you is usually easier than you think, and it often pays dividends to switch it up. For example, I am ashamed to say, my devotional life really didn't begin until I was on vicarage – my third year at Seminary. During that year, I was the first one to the church office in the morning and read five chapters of the Old Testament, one Psalm, and three chapters of the New Testament each day. That was the first time that I had read through all of Scripture in a short block of time. It was a great experience to see how all of God's Word fits together in such a seamless nature. Then again, this should not surprise us since there really is only One Author.

Back at Seminary, I was given the opportunity to serve at a church in Sandusky, MI, so I was preaching and preparing for Bible Class and Confirmation most weeks. This was in addition to my class work at the Seminary. I really didn't do much additional devotion (other than morning chapel).

At my first call in Mellen, WI, I took up reading the Gospels in Greek. Then I embarked on my endeavor to organize the writings of Martin Luther that correspond to the weekly Scripture readings. That became my devotional life. When I got back to reading chapters of Scripture, I would read all of an Old Testament book, then one Psalm or a chapter of Proverbs, and then I would switch to a New Testament book. This is a pattern I still use today.

In the past few years, as a family, we have had devotions at the breakfast table reading Portals of Prayer, another devotional book called "My Devotions," and praying Luther's Morning Prayer. We are in need of adjusting this again, because our breakfast time is getting more chaotic and will be completely different when Summer arrives.

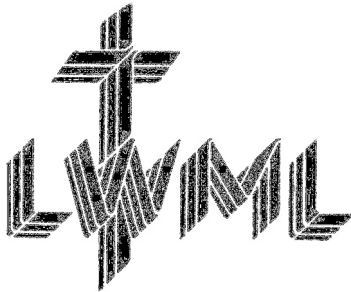
For my personal devotions, lately, instead of reading chapters of the Bible, I have been going through and watching all of Jonathan Fisk's videos. I have enjoyed getting back into regular contact with the Greek language when he does "Greek Tuesdays." The great thing is that you don't need to know Greek to understand what he is saying, but it has brought me back into the language – as you may have noticed in some of my sermons lately. One thing that has not changed since my youth is that I cannot fall asleep at night until I have at least said the Apostle's Creed and the Lord's Prayer.

The point I am trying to make is that there is no absolute formula for personal devotion. First and foremost, be in worship on Saturday or Sunday and gather with the people of God around Word and Sacrament. If you do not desire to gather with the people of God and hear the Gospel, then what does that say about your faith in the Gospel and your place within the people of God? Gathering around Word and Sacrament (the Means of Grace) is what we do. After that, make use of God's Word and faithful books. Get involved in a Bible class. Read your catechism. If you have a Book of Concord, read that. CPH has a number of devotional books. Watch videos on www.worldvieweverlasting.com. Feed yourself with good spiritual food, and exercise your faith in worship and prayer. If you lack either food or exercise, it is difficult to remain healthy.

Summer is coming. Schedules will be changing. Take advantage of the opportunity to change your schedule and get connected to God's Word and Christ's Church.

In Christ,

Pastor Eden



LWML

This month our time together was spent delving into a Bible Study on relationships pulled from our Lutheran Woman's Quarterly.

Starting with a husband and wife relationship in Adam and Eve, moving on to siblings with Moses, Aaron and Miriam, touching on sinful relationships like Samson and Delilah, but most importantly, focusing on our relationship with God and the grace he has shown us because of the relationship between Him and His son, Jesus Christ!

One of the best parts of every bible study is the wonderful insight shared from each person attending. Please join us on our journey through the next one later in the year.

As this newsletter is going to print and being sent out, some of us are attending the Central Illinois District Convention in Decatur on April 26th and 27th. Our delegates, Suzanne Troxel and Rosie Meyer, will be voting on where we will be using our mite donations this year! Another benefit of the convention is the servant events we get to participate in to further our missions.

Those of us attending the convention always look forward to sharing the highlights at the next monthly meeting, which is May 2nd at 6:30pm at the Well House hosted by Sharon Reinberg and Ruth Essington. LWML girls...your phone will be ringing with the details. Save the date!!!

Any of you ladies who are thinking you might like to be a part of our group; we hope to see you at a meeting soon to check us out! Our group is so blessed with the many gifts, talents and resources of all the ladies and we welcome you to join us in "serving the Lord with gladness"!

If you would like more information about our Evening Ladies Aid Society, please contact any LWML member, Michele Clevenger at 217-224-7881 or m.l.clevenger@comcast.net or check out the LWML on the World Wide Web at www.lwmlcid.org or www.lwml.org.

*Lutheran Women
in Mission*

A Biblical Tour of Israel & Jordan: (October 14-24, 2013) An Experience of a Lifetime! A deluxe tour of 'Israel & Jordan' plus many extras such as a cruise on the Sea of Galilee, meditating in the Garden of Gethsemane, seeing the Jesus boat, driving to Petra, Jordan through the desert that the Israelites wandered in and much more! Arrangements can be made for departure from any airport. Rev Darold Reiner, retired LCMS Pastor (Former LWML International Counselor), is leading this tour. Contact him at 406-890-1149 or reiner@centurytel.net for a brochure.

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"So faith comes from what is heard, and what is heard comes through the Word of Christ." Rom. 10:17

Who's Who at Our Redeemer

President	Larry Foster (2 nd term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
Vice-President	Randy Wolfmeyer (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
Secretary	Shelly Holtman (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
Treasurer	Donna Haire (2 nd term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
Financial Secretary	Colleen Westberg (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
Education Board	Becky Lunt (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
	Becky Murphy (1 st term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
	Hannah Ott, S. S. Supt., ex officio	appointed
	Melissa Knapp, S.S. Supt., ex officio	appointed
Board of Elders	Terry Morse (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sept. 2013
	Jerry Lunt (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sept. 2013
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	Bill Haire (1 st term)	Oct. 2012 – Sept. 2014
	Ryan Vaughn (3 rd term)	Oct. 2012 – Sept. 2014
	Stan Yelton (1 st term)	Oct. 2012 – Sept. 2014
Evangelism Board	Denise Lucas (1 st term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
	Michelle Urbon (2 nd term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
Property Board	Steve Kaiser (1 st term)	Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013
	Bill Schlipman (1 st term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
Stewardship Board	Eldon Schoch (2 nd term)	Oct. 2011 - Sep. 2013
	Mark Vahle (1 st term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
Youth Ministry Board	Heidi Schlipman (2 nd term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
	Denise Stark (1st term)	Oct. 2012 - Sep. 2014



Remembering In Our Prayers

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION’S MILITARY SERVICES: Mark and Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Steve Clark, Aaron DeWerff, Michael Goodwin, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Brendon Luker, Levi Meyer, John Miller, Jeremy Myers, Amanda Schwartz, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Marc Troxel, and Kristen Vahle.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS: Nick Austin, Gary Baker, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Elaine Hyer, Roger Hyer, Kim Long, Michael Morgan, Nancy Ott, Cole Schullian, Kory Tournear, Janet Terwische, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener, Patricia Wepler, Jackson Wepler and Judy Wessel.

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS: Norma Baird, Maxine Delven, Lela Dodd, Gloria Douglas, Barbara Ebel, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Ruth Holt, Merle Kuntemeier, Florence & Dorothy Lavery, Jesse Leenerts, Bob McGartland, Jacqueline Mickens, Marilyn Newman, Dorothy Pflantz, LaVora Scoggan, Ike Shaffer, Ida Utterback, Robert Wemhoener, Lucille Wiskirchen.

Keep Our Missionaries in Your Prayers

Our Family in Turkey
Apple of His Eye Mission Society,
The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Latvia,
The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Harlow, Essex, U.K.,
The Independent Evangelical Lutheran Church in Germany,
Mrs. Alvina Federwitz in Liberia, West Africa,
Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz and their children in Papua New Guinea,
Danny and Becca DeLoach and their children in Pasadena, California (Studying for Doctorate)
Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough.

Our Seminary Students

Concordia Theological Seminary, St. Louis:
Chris Troxel, 21 Founder’s Way, Unit C, Clayton, MO 63105
Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN:
Christopher Suggitt, 7506 Conifer Place, Ft. Wayne, IN 46825



Our Mission

To the glory of God we are SHARING Our Redeemer by ...
CARING for one another in Christian love and compassion
ENCOURAGING growth and outreach through worship and Bible study

Sunday School Staff

Superintendents – Melissa Knapp & Hannah Ott
Pre-school – Susan Weiss & Gretchen Wolfmeyer
Assistant – Olivia Hoebing
Kindergarten – Suzanne Troxel
Grades 1 & 2 – Monica Foster

Grades 3 & 4 – Hayley Ott
Grades 5 & 6 - Donna Haire
Grades 7 & 8 - Cyndi Ott
High School – Steve & Donna Schoch

News & Notes

Drawer Cart by the Office Steps

Top Drawer: For McDonald's receipts, Campbell's labels & General Mills box tops for education, HyVee UPCs, & Tyson A+ labels. They benefit the St. James school library. They can't use the Betty Crocker or the Kool-Aid points though. Thanks!

2nd Drawer: For any type used greeting card fronts. Good Samaritan home uses them to make things.

3rd Drawer: For cancelled stamps for missions. They must be complete stamps.

GREETING CARDS (sponsored by the PLuS group) Be sure to check out the variety of assorted greeting cards. Each card is only \$.50.

EMAIL REQUEST- We would like everyone who has email to give us your email address. Just write it on the bottom of your attendance card or secretary@ourredeemerquincy.org

Food Bank – Our Church still offers food to our families who need a helping hand. If you know of someone who needs some help, contact Cyndi Ott @ 430-0301.

LABELS FOR EDUCATION - We participate by turning in labels from these products: Campbells, Pepperidge Farms, BIC, Prego, V8, Post, Dannon, Glad, Pop-Secret, and People magazine. So, please save these labels and send them to the school. The points can be used to purchase educational supplies for the classroom.

SCRIP Patrons: In thanks for your use of the SCRIP program, on the first weekend each month, we are offering \$1 off for each \$100 purchased. For example, if you purchase \$100 of Kohl's or HyVee, you only need to pay \$99. It is just our way of returning thanks.

Sunday School Offering for May will go to the Camp CILCA.

Quilters need old sheets and fabrics for making quilts. If you have any to donate, just bring it to the church office or call 223-1769.



Rada Cutlery is an on-going fundraiser. Rada as a variety of, products: cutlery, stone-ware soy wax candles, and quick mixes. We have started

taking orders for our next RADA order. Once we have \$60 in orders, we will place the order. So, if you don't see something in our "in stock" items, go ahead and fill out an order form with payment. We will hang onto it until we order.

- New RADA catalogs are in! There are copies both on the scrip table, and also on our Rada table in the Old Chapel!
- If ordering, please use the updated orange order form and new catalogs.
- We have some new items in stock: large turn-over, set of 3 small cutting boards, daisy pan scraper, etc.
- We have also stocked up on a variety of the paring knives!

Check out our other products as well! Thanks for your continued support of PLuS and Lutheran Education!

Concordia Food Bank If anyone is interested in mailing coupons to the Seminary Food Bank, the address is: Concordia Food Bank, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis, MO 63105.

Big SALE St. James Lutheran School Cookbooks 50% off! These are hardcover, 3-ring bound cookbooks listing hundreds of recipes submitted by LCMS churches and school families. The cost is now only \$10 per cookbook. They make great presents!! Checks should be made out to St. James Lutheran School PTL. They are on display in the old Chapel.



Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois



Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois' professional licensed counselors can help with any problem. They provide individual, couple, marital and family counseling to help address all types of situations. Insurance is accepted. Call 800-363-LCFS (5237) to schedule a FREE confidential initial consultation.

Transportation Committee - Roger Hyer is in need of more people who are willing & able to give someone a ride to & from church on Sun. mornings. If you are interested, please contact him at 430-5717. At this time, there are not many people needing rides, so it's not a huge commitment. The more volunteers we get the less often you will be needed. Thanks,

The Board of Elders

ORLC T-Shirts: The PLuS Organization is once again selling ORLC T-Shirts. A reminder: adult sizes will be turquoise and children sizes come in bright green. The cost per T-Shirt is \$12, however, Vacation Bible School Volunteers will be charged \$7. (2X add \$2, 3X add \$3) The final day to take orders will be Sunday, May 12th. Please sign-up for your T-Shirt TODAY on the sheet provided in the church Narthex.

2013 Event Calendar is on the wall outside the secretary's office. Please use it!! Write your group's events on it to save that time slot for your activity. **Also the 2013 Flower Calendar is up.** If you would like to put flowers by the Altar please sign up on the flower Calendar!

Christ Academy: the summer event for High School men who are considering the Holy Ministry. From June 16-29 they will lead the life of a seminarian. They will stay in the dorms attend classes and worship with 40-50 High School men who are contemplating the ministry. There are fun activities too! Lifetime friendships are formed during this time. The Cost is \$500. Register today at 1-800-481-2155 or www.ctsw.edu/ChristAcademy

The Jonathan Fisk books are in. If you ordered one, be sure to come to the church office and pick it up. We have 2 extras. They will go on a first come basis and are \$14.00 each.

ROC – Lutheran Hour Ministries' **Regional Outreach Conference.** October 18-19, 2013, Omaha Marriott, Keynote Speaker: Dr. Robert Newton. Join hundreds of other mission-minded individuals to be inspired, energized and equipped to share God's love, nurture your family and witness to the Community. For Conference registration, lodging and program details log on to www.lhm.org/roc

2013 Scrip Report:

Week ending: 14-Apr.

Profit: \$149.41

of orders: 20

Avg. Profit/order: \$7.47

2013 Profit to date: **\$2,448.90**

O AFC Youth Outreach Weekend

We always need help in spreading the Good News of Jesus and helping us make the Central Illinois Area grow. If you have any questions about the weekend or upcoming weekends please contact Jamie or cidoafc12@gmail.com Here is an updated list of the 2013 weekends, so that you can plan to take the appropriate time off from work and other activities.

May 31- June 2 Christ, Normal, IL

June

July 11-17 Summer Training (Location TBA)

August

September 13-15 Beautiful Savior, Colona, IL

October 11-13 St. Paul, Havana, IL

November (TBA)

December New Years (Location TBA)

Who are the Muslims? How has Islam challenged Christ's Church for 1400 years? Join us as we spend the next few weeks discussing this topic in our Sunday morning Bible Class.

Save the Date: August 9-10, 2013 – Lutheran Hour ministries will ROC at the Holiday Inn, Westlake in Cleveland, Ohio when it brings a Regional Outreach Conference to town. Keynote speaker will be Rev. Mark Zehnder. Join hundreds of mission minded individuals to be inspired, energized and equipped to share God's love, nurture your family and witness to you community.

BEAUTIFUL SACRED MUSIC

STREAMING: On your Lutheran Radio Station KFUE from 1-2pm and 5:30pm-7:00am CST daily at www.kfuo.org. Worldwide KFUE is the most trusted source for sacred music of the church, playing instrumental, vocal and choral selections from the very best in sacred music. Listen to KFUE the world's oldest Christian radio station via your WiFi radios, mobile/tablet apps, and live streaming on your computers. Follow us on www.facebook.com/kfuoradio.

St. James Lutheran School News
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT for the 2013-2014 school year has begun! Return your child's enrollment form along with their book fee as soon as possible. If you know of any family that might be interested in a quality Christian education, please have them call the school office.

"HAVE A NEW FAMILY BY FRIDAY" is a series produced by Dr. Kevin Leman to help families grow stronger. This program has three more Wednesdays with the final session being May 22nd. Topics include how the influence of marriage, mom, dad, discipline, attitude, birth order and grandparents affect a family. The cost is \$9.00 for the workbook (one per couple). To help us with ordering, please call the school (222-8267) or church office (222-8447) if you are interested in attending or sign up on the bulletin board in the back of church.

PB&J'S are singing "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" at the Cardinals/Diamondbacks game on Monday, June 3rd at 7:15 pm and you can be there to support them. Tickets are \$22 and can be purchased from any PB&J'S (choir) member. Deadline for orders with payment is March 25th. Tickets will be distributed the week of April 8th. Join us at the ballpark on June 3rd!!!

Exchange Book Fair hosted by Girl Scout Troop 5236 (They are working on their Bronze and Silver awards). This is primarily for Children's books, but all are accepted. On May 3rd from 4-7 p.m. drop off 1 or 2 books at Luther Memorial Church, then on May 4th, 9 a.m. – noon, come back and pick out "new" books.

100th Birthday Card Shower - Jackie Mickens turns 100 on May 26th. We would like as many people as possible to send her a birthday card so she receives it on her birthday. Her address is 620 Elm, Quincy, IL.

5th Annual Men's Network North American Fishing Tournament – sponsored by Lutheran Hour Ministries. There are weekly prizes and a grand prize of a \$500 Visa gift card. It goes from April 8 – Sept. 1. Cost is \$10.00. For a limited time anyone who signs up can get their newest men's DVD Bible Study just by entering code PCFISH13. Register at WWW.LHMMEN.COM/FISHING.



LWML 'Gifts From the Heart' Donations--- Your LWML Evening Ladies Aid society is collecting donations for the Northeast Community Fund and LSA students in Decatur, IL. The annual Central Illinois District

LWML convention is being hosted by the Decatur Zone this year and they have chosen to reach out in mission to both of these organizations. Following is a list of items we are collecting---

Canned goods, paper goods, laundry soap, dishwashing soap, shampoo and similar products. School supplies for the LSA students can include notebooks, pencils, pens, colored markers, crayons or boxes of tissue.

Thanks for all your help! You may put your donations in the marked box located at the end of the coat rack by the Men's restroom.



Camp CILCA -
Volunteers needed for Joyful Hearts weeks. We are planning two weeks, June 2-7 & July 21-26.

- Wanted: High School students to serve as Junior Counselors for a week this summer. Select your week and send us your request by filling out the form on line at www.cilca.org.

- Employment Opportunity: Camp CILCA is in need of a part-time cook to work 2 days per week and perhaps some weekends this summer. This could also include cooking opportunities on weekends beyond the summer. Call or email Pastor Dave at 217/487-7497 or 217/691-1252 or send email to camp@cilca.org.

- Medic of the Week is needed. We would like to have a nurse or doctor present for each week of camp. If you would be interested, contact Pastor Dave for details.



Summer Hours will start the week after VBS on June 9th. We will have regular Saturday night services at 5 p.m. Sundays we will have only 1 service @ 9:00 a.m. and No Sunday School.



May Birthdays

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|---|------------------|----|------------------------|----|---------------------|
| 1 | Ann Brackensick | 11 | Melanie Stegeman | 22 | Eric Fischer |
| 1 | Paul Clevenger | 14 | Kayla Walker | 22 | Carolyn Kaiser |
| 1 | Keagan Mercurio | 15 | Jessica Dedert-Huebner | 23 | Bradley Longcor III |
| 1 | Simon Nickelson | 15 | Linda Hardy | 25 | Sandra Callahan |
| 2 | Thomas Killday | 15 | Daniel Hendrian | 26 | Jacqueline Mickens |
| 3 | Thalia Wolfmeyer | 15 | Stephanie Yates | 26 | Gretta Otto |
| 4 | Quinton Hibbert | 16 | Jason Morse | 26 | Sharon Yelton |
| 6 | LaVora Scoggan | 17 | Jessie Valentine | 27 | David Bent |
| 7 | Tracy Bugh | 17 | Peggy Wiesemann | 27 | Megan Chezem |
| 7 | Barbara Vahle | 18 | Shanelle Douglas | 27 | Dylan Martin |
| 8 | Michael Vahle | 19 | Noah Ohnemus | 28 | Stacey Gruen |
| 9 | Terry Lannerd | 19 | Ryan Vaughn | 29 | Nicholas Allen |
| 9 | Hugh Sharrow | 19 | Michelle Wolfmeyer | 30 | Melanie Drescher |
| 9 | Wanda Spohr | 20 | Stacy Valentine | 30 | Taylor Frink |
| 9 | Kase Thomure | 21 | Michele Clevenger | 31 | Arianna Fischer |
| 9 | Nerissa Vahle | 21 | Joseph Sharrow | 31 | Alischia Langan |
| 9 | Lynn Wombles | 22 | Leslie Bent | 31 | Kathleen Miklius |

BAPTISM

May Baptisms

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|----|------------------|----|--------------------|----|-------------------|
| 1 | Ann Nickelson | 13 | Will Glines | 23 | Jacob Valentine |
| 1 | Lauryn Sharrow | 14 | Anna Ehmen | 24 | Morgan Hurley |
| 2 | Abigail Kemp | 14 | Anderson Knapp | 24 | Bill Perry |
| 2 | Hannah Kemp | 14 | Savannah O'Dell | 24 | Emma Showman |
| 2 | Wade Pellman | 15 | Thalia Wolfmeyer | 24 | Katie Voepel |
| 3 | David Drescher | 16 | John Dicks | 25 | Obediah Church |
| 4 | Mary Morse | 16 | Mary Hurley | 25 | Terry Morse |
| 5 | Phillip Weisheit | 16 | Joseph Ott | 25 | Olivia Showman |
| 6 | Aaron Boerema | 16 | Brenda Scharnhorst | 26 | Craig Gooding |
| 7 | Debbie Manton | 18 | Shanelle Douglas | 26 | Dorothy Hagemann |
| 7 | Chris Schaller | 19 | Keagan Mercurio | 27 | LeRoy Goodwin |
| 8 | Glenna Nicholson | 19 | Joseph Ohnemus | 28 | Savannah Howerton |
| 9 | Amanda Zehnle | 19 | Connor Ott | 28 | Patsy Wepler |
| 10 | Josh Jefferson | 19 | Derek Ott | 31 | Amy Edwards |
| 12 | Morgan Frohn | 22 | Thomas Killday | 31 | Linda Hardy |
| 12 | Sonny Voepel | 23 | Ricky Goertz | 31 | Wanda Spohr |

May Anniversaries

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|----|-----------------------------|----|----------------------------|
| 3 | Mark & Janice Voepel | 21 | Dustin & Jennifer Tournear |
| 5 | David & Leslie Bent | 23 | Clinton & Kimberly Gooding |
| 7 | Trevor & Heather Feinstein | 23 | James & Lisa Howerton |
| 9 | Joshua & Jenna Crabtree | 27 | Michael & Jane Douglas |
| 10 | Dave & Sharon Reinberg | 28 | LeRoy & Donna Goodwin |
| 11 | Brent & Linda Wingerter | 28 | Joseph & Lynn Sharrow |
| 14 | Darrell & Dorothea Drescher | 29 | Jeff & Lucinda Klingele |
| 15 | Roger & Elaine Hyer | | |



Assignments for May 2013

Communion Assistants:

Sat., May 4 at 5:00 p.m.	Rob Edwards	
Sun., May 5 at 8:00 a.m.	Gary Hyer	Bob Jording
Sun., May 5 at 10:15 a.m.	Chet Vahle	Jeff Wolfmeyer
Sat., May 11 at 5:00 p.m.	Rob Edwards	
Sun., May 12 at 8:00 a.m.	Larry Ehmen	Jerry Lunt
Sun., May 12 at 10:15 a.m.	Bruce Burner	Stan Yelton
Sat., May 18 at 5:00 p.m.	Rob Edwards	
Sun., May 19 at 8:00 a.m.	Brad Ehmen	Jerry Lunt
Sun., May 19 at 10:15 a.m.	Steve Schoch	Randy Wolfmeyer
Sat., May 25 at 5:00 p.m.	Rob Edwards	
Sun., May 26 at 8:00 a.m.	Chris Knapp	Bob Frink
Sun., May 26 at 10:15 a.m.	Steve Kaiser	Joe Cleaves

Ushers:

Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.	Bill Haire
Sundays, at 8:00 a.m.	Bob Jording, Sonny Voepel, Clint & Craig Gooding
Sunday, at 10:15 a.m.	Steve Hyer, Mark Vahle, Mike & Allen Murphy

Registration Slips: Ann & Ken Knoernschild

Altar Care: Wanda Spohr, Marty Otto, Emily Becker, Ellen Stockhecke

Counters: Shirley Dieringer & Larry Ehmen

Drivers: Jerry Manton, Roger & Steve Hyer

Parish Nurse: None

If you wish to help in one of these areas, please contact the church office at 223-1769 or by email: Secretary@OurRedeemerQuincy.org or one of the following people:

Greeters: Early Service – Sandy Callahan
 Late Service -- Ruth Hall
 Communion Assistants -- Ryan Vaughn
 Altar Care – Stan Yelton

Ushers: Early - Jerry Lunt
 Late – Terry Morse
 Saturdays – Bill Haire
 Special Services – ?????

Pastoral Report

(March 1 – March 31, 2013)

Official Acts

Infant Baptisms

Addison Anne Buss	3/10/13
Henry Charles Hardy	3/31/13

Adult Baptisms

Allison Smith	3/07/13
Jane Voepel	3/22/13
Roderick Hibbert	3/28/13

Adult Confirmation

Sheldon Foulk Jr.	3/16/13
Arjee Wilson	3/16/13
Jeff Smith	3/16/13
Allison Smith	3/16/13

Youth Confirmations

Annalisa Eden	3/24/13
Nathan Hoebing	3/24/13
Savannah Howerton	3/24/13
Zoey Klauser	3/24/13
Amanda Zehnle	3/24/13

Membership Changes

Gains [+6B, +9C]

Infant Baptisms [+2B, +0C]

Addison Anne Buss	3/10/13
Henry Charles Hardy	3/31/13

Adult Confirmations [+4B, +4C]

Sheldon Foulk Jr.	3/16/13
Arjee Wilson	3/16/13
Jeff Smith	3/16/13
Allison Smith	3/16/13

Youth Confirmations [+0B, +5C]

Annalisa Eden	3/24/13
Nathan Hoebing	3/24/13
Savannah Howerton	3/24/13
Zoey Klauser	3/24/13
Amanda Zehnle	3/24/13

Losses [-0B, -0C]

Statistical Adjustment [+/-0B, +/-0C]

Membership	Jan. 1, 2013	Gains	Losses	Feb. 28, 2012
Baptized	592	+6	-0	598
Confirmed	457	+9	-0	466

Balance Sheet Prev. Year Comparison
Accrual Basis as of March 31, 2013

ASSETS	<u>Mar. 31, 13</u>	<u>Mar. 31, 11</u>	<u>\$ Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Current Assets				
Checking/Savings				
102 · Building 71384	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.0%
103 · Building 71526	9,775.00	9,775.00	0.00	0.0%
104 · Building 73112	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00	0.0%
105 · Building 80381	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.0%
107 · Building Fund MMF 1384114	3,461.26	2,762.33	698.93	25.3%
108 · Endowment Fund-B 71527	9,775.00	9,775.00	0.00	0.0%
109 · Endowment Fund A 70309	14,775.00	14,775.00	0.00	0.0%
110 · Endowment Fund A Svg 21449...	379.79	379.37	.42	0.1%
111 · Endowment Fund B Svg 21226...	1,547.60	1,003.64	543.96	54.2%
112 · General Fund Checking	13,288.86	17,578.33	-4,289.47	-24.4%
113 · Kleinsorge 83643	47,479.06	47,479.06	0.00	0.0%
115 · Kleinsorge Income 1597285	5,689.78	24,821.72	-19,131.94	-77.1%
116 · Memorial 71523	1,427.61	1,427.61	0.00	0.0%
117 · Memorial 71524	1,427.61	1,427.61	0.00	0.0%
118 · Memorial 71525	1,603.10	1,603.10	0.00	0.0%
119.1 · Memorial 71314	10,781.50	10,781.50	0.00	0.0%
120 · Memorial Fund MMF 1385939	<u>18,221.31</u>	<u>16,756.95</u>	<u>1,464.36</u>	<u>8.7%</u>
Total Checking/Savings	159,632.48	180,346.22	-20,713.74	-11.5%
Other Current Assets				
20000 · Pastor Eden Loan	29,372.93	30,858.11	-1,485.18	-4.8%
20100 · PLUS Scrip Program Loan	<u>0.00</u>	<u>600.00</u>	<u>-600.00</u>	<u>-100.0%</u>
Total Other Current Assets	29,372.93	31,458.11	-2,085.18	-6.06
Total Current Assets	<u>189,005.41</u>	<u>211,804.33</u>	<u>-22,798.92</u>	<u>-10.8%</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	189,005.41	211,804.33	-22,798.92	-10.8%
LIABILITIES & EQUITY				
Liabilities				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable				
25000 · Accounts Payable	<u>0.00</u>	<u>750.00</u>	<u>-750.00</u>	<u>-100.0%</u>
Total Accounts Payable	0.00	750.00	-750.00	-100.0%
Other Current Liabilities				
24000- Payroll Liabilities	1,161.64	0.00	1,161.64	100.0%
Total Other Current Liabilities	<u>0.00</u>	<u>750.00</u>	<u>-750.00</u>	<u>-100.0%</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>1,161.64</u>	<u>750.00</u>	<u>411.64</u>	<u>-54.9%</u>
Total Liabilities	1,161.64	750.00	411.64	-54.9%

Balance Sheet Prev. Year Comparison
Accrual Basis as of March 31, 2013 (Continued)

	<u>Mar. 31, 13</u>	<u>Mar. 31, 12</u>	<u>\$ Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Equity				
30000 · Opening Balance Equity	278,491.21	278,491.21	0.00	0.0%
31000 · Designated Offerings-"Van Fu...	2,500.00	2,500.00	0.00	0.0%
32000 · Retained Earnings	-84,242.05	-79,382.40	-4,859.65	-6.1%
Net Income	<u>-8,905.39</u>	<u>9,445.52</u>	<u>-18,350.91</u>	<u>-194.3%</u>
Total Equity	<u>187,843.77</u>	<u>211,054.33</u>	<u>-23,210.56</u>	<u>-11.0%</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u>189,005.41</u>	<u>211,804.33</u>	<u>-22,798.92</u>	<u>-10.8%</u>

Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual

Accrual Basis January – March 2013

	<u>Jan. –Mar. 13</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>\$ Over Budget</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
Income				
001-001 General Offerings	66,748.50	73,500.00	-6,751.50	90.8%
002-002 Together in Missions	1,845.00	1,932.99	-87.99	95.4%
003-003 Loose Plate	1,393.62	1,500.00	-106.38	92.9%
005 Special	12,849.67	112.50	12,737.17	11,421.9%
008-008 P LuS Fund-raising	0.00	750.00	-750.00	0.0%
011-011 General Fund Interest	8.26	12.48	-4.22	66.2%
019-019 ORLC Scrip Fund	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1,749.99</u>	<u>-1,749.99</u>	<u>0.0%</u>
Total Income	<u>86,177.33</u>	<u>79,557.96</u>	<u>6,619.37</u>	<u>108.3%</u>
Expenses				
Mission	7,846.25	6,295.47	1,550.78	124.1%
Personnel	40,809.13	47,108.70	-6,299.57	86.6%
Program	36,767.82	33,755.13	3,012.69	108.9%
Property	<u>7,190.87</u>	<u>9,216.42</u>	<u>-2,025.55</u>	<u>78.0%</u>
Total Expense	<u>95,082.72</u>	<u>96,375.72</u>	<u>-1,293.00</u>	<u>98.7%</u>
Net Income	- 8,905.39	-16,817.76	7,912.37	53.0%



Congratulations to the ORLC Bible Bowl team!! They finished in 6th place with a record of 2 wins and 2 losses.

PUZZLE PAGE

HEARING AIDS

by
Bill Schlegl

A hearing aid helps a hard of hearing person to hear better. What *hearing aid* do we need in our spiritual life to help our faith?

A 7 X 8 = _____	C 8 X 5 = _____	D 6 X 7 = _____
E 7 X 5 = _____	F 9 X 9 = _____	G 5 X 5 = _____
H 7 X 9 = _____	I 7 X 4 = _____	M 6 X 8 = _____
N 5 X 6 = _____	O 8 X 9 = _____	R 6 X 6 = _____
S 6 X 4 = _____	T 8 X 8 = _____	U 3 X 4 = _____
W 4 X 4 = _____		

<u>24</u> <u>72</u>	<u>81</u> <u>56</u> <u>28</u> <u>64</u> <u>62</u>	<u>40</u> <u>72</u> <u>48</u> <u>35</u> <u>24</u>	<u>81</u> <u>36</u> <u>72</u> <u>48</u>
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