# September 2014 Newsletter

### Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church --- Missouri Synod

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or

To the people of God at Our Redeemer,

As you may know, Evelyn McDowell is retiring from her position as church secretary, and Gretchen Wolfmeyer is now given the task of managing the office work at the church.

When I arrived here five years ago, Evelyn was extremely helpful as I worked to get to know the new flock I was shepherding. As my tradition is to make contact with everyone on or around their birthday, that first year, she would give me a brief rundown on the names for the week. She helped me to make family connections, or know who sang in the choir, or who was suffering from illness, or who had suffered a loss in their family, etc.

Her experience and lifetime in the family of Our Redeemer gave me invaluable insight into the lives of the people. Those names on the roster of birthdays for the month were no longer just names, those names had family, those names had history, those names were children of God to whom I would be preaching the Gospel.

I also am thankful for her understanding of the worship life of Our Redeemer. We always had candles for Christmas Eve. We always had palms for Palm Sunday. She always knew when I needed a little reminder to plan ahead for future events.

I am thankful for Evelyn's knowledge and skills that made her the right person to help me transition into my pastoral duties. On behalf of myself and the members of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, we thank you Evelyn and wish you the Lord's blessings in your future.

In Christ,

Pastor Eden

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DO YOU LIKE TO SEW? THEN THIS IS THE PROJECT FOR YOU! The Sewing ladies could use your help in assembling quilt tops for LWR Mission Quilts. Kits have been assembled and are waiting for you to pick up from the

basket placed on a table by the basement stairs. Included in the kit are 48 squares of 11" x 11" material. Match the squares to your desire and sew them together with a 1/2" seam. This makes a 60" x 80" quilt top. Return the top to our sewing ladies and we will finish it with a lining and a back. Then the guilts are sent to Lutheran World Relief. Thank you very much for your help with our LWR Mission Quilt project. Please call Norma Begeman at 221-9585 or Bernice Jording at 223-2014, if you need help or more info.



Senior Choir rehearsals will resume on Tues., Sept. 2, at 7:00 p.m. All voices are needed and welcomed--no auditions required.

Youth Choir rehearsals will resume on Wed., Sept. 3, at 4:00 p.m. Youth from 3rd to 12th grade are welcome and encouraged to participate. The only requirement is the ability to read. Rehearsals last 45 minutes; the group sings at least one Sun. a month.

### Who's Who at Our Redeemer

President	Larry Foster	(3rd term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2014
Vice-President	Randy Wolfmeyer	(2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2014
Secretary	Melanie Zehnle	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2014
Treasurer	Donna Haire	(3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2014
Financial Secretary	Colleen Westberg	(2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2014
Education Board	Kari Foulk	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2015
	Gretchen Wolfmeyer	r (Appointed) (1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
	Melissa Knapp, S.S.	Supt., ex officio	appointed
Board of Elders	Terry Morse	(3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sept. 2015
	Jerry Lunt	(3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sept. 2015
	Joe Cleaves	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sept. 2015
	Bill Haire	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sept. 2014
	Ryan Vaughn	(3 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sept. 2014
	Stan Yelton	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sept. 2014
Evangelism Board	Denise Lucas	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
	Linda Go	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2015
Property Board	Jeff Smith	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 – Sep. 2015
	Bill Schlipman	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
Stewardship Board	Larry Ehmen	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2013 - Sep. 2015
	Mark Vahle	(1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
Youth Ministry Board	Heidi Schlipman	(2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2012 – Sep. 2014
	Denys Stark	(1st term)	Oct. 2012 - Sep. 2014

### **Remembering In Our Prayers**



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**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY SERVICES:** Mark and Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Steve Clark, Aaron DeWerff, Michael Goodwin, Robert Goodwin, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Brendon Luker, Bryan Meyer, Levi Meyer, Jeremy Myers, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Andy Tipton, Ryan Thruston, Marc Troxel, Kristen Vahle, Brandon VanBastian and Charles Wheeler.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS:** Nick Austin, Becky Bangert, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Richard Grathwohl, Lynda Hinkamper, Lisa Howerton, Elaine Hyer, Kim Long, Michael Morgan, Nancy Ott, Sutton Perry-Brockmeier, David Rickey, Michelle Rinberg-Page, Cole Schullian, Kory Tournear, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener, Jackson Weppler.

**REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:** Norma Baird, Elizabeth Barton, Gloria Douglas, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Dorothy Hagemann, Ruth Holt, Mary Hurley, Florence Lavery, Jesse Leenerts, Marilyn Newman, Nancy Ott, Anna Mae Parsons, Don Sass, Joyce Southward, Ida Utterback, Robert Wemhoener, Lucille Wiskirchen.

### **Keep Our Missionaries in Your Prayers**

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 back in Papua New Guinea Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough. Rev. Peter Kolb in Sri Lanka

### **Our Seminary Students**

Concordia Theological Seminary, Vicaridge Chris Troxel, 17633 Zinc St., Edmond, OK 73012



Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN: Timothy Wilcoxen, 514 East Washington Center Road, 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 Pre-school – Susan Weiss, Gretchen Wolfmeyer Kindergarten – Suzanne Troxel Grades 1 & 2 – Monica Foster Grades 3 & 4 – Hannah Ajdinovich Grades 5 & 6 - Donna Haire Grades 7 & 8 - Cyndi Ott High School – Steve & Donna Schoch

### LWML



Our August 7<sup>th</sup> meeting was hosted by Mary Morse and Rosie Meyer with tasty desserts and some bling for the table! Thank you, girls, for your service...many thanks for all the members who take time to be a hostess each month!

**Unfinished business**...we discussed our involvement with St. John's Food and Clothing pantry and how we can still help out where needed.

**New business discussed**...the date was announced for the Quincy Zone Fall Rally on Tues., Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> at Macomb, our postponing of the movie night until 2015, implementing a committee to plan our LWML Sunday (Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>) events and details were shared about our September carry-in meeting at Reva's, hosted by her and Sandy Callahan.

If you are thinking you might like to be a part of the mission of LWML; we invite you check us out at our **next monthly meeting on Thursday, Sept. 4**<sup>th</sup>. It is our annual carry-in. Call Reva or Sandy to let them know you would like to attend. Eating begins at 6pm. The more the merrier!

We are 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"!

To find out more about our LWML group, please contact any LWML member, Michele Clevenger at 217-224-7881 or mlc.lwml@comcast.net or check out the LWML on the World Wide Web at www.lwml.org.

#### LWML Mission Grant Bulletin Byte

#### **WORSHIP FOR SHUT-INS -**

Each week, many senior citizens struggle with health issues that confine them to their homes, or rooms, and keeps them from experiencing an essential element of Christian spiritual wellness, namely, worship with fellow believers at their local church or retirement center chapel. *Worship for Shut-Ins*, a DVD program produced by Lutheran Ministries Media (LMM), can be made available to the spiritual leaders at these facilities, who in turn, can broadcast the program over an "in-house" closed circuit system; copy each program and deliver them to the residents for their own convenient viewing; or facilitate their own weekly group viewing event in a specified area of their facility. For more information on this and other 2013-2015 LWML Mission Grants, go to *www.lwml.org* and scroll down on the "Mission Grants" drop-down menu.

#### Total LWML Mission Goal for the 2013-2015 Biennium

#### \$80,000 Grant

\$1,830,000

### What's New



Church Picnic – upper

Moorman @ 4 p.m. on Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>. Bring table service, drinks & a covered dish to share.

Chicken provided. Sign-up in the Narthex so we know how much to order.

Part time Sunday School Teacher Needed

for the upcoming school year in the Pre-K class. If you can help out let Melissa Knapp know or call the church office @ 223-1769

**2015 Montana Travelers:** Because we need to be prepared to purchase plane tickets by mid-September 2014 for our July 2015 trip, Pastor Eden needs a \$100 deposit ASAP so that I know who is definitely going. An additional \$400 per adult and \$200 per youth (non ORLC youth will need to pay the full \$400) will be needed prior to September 10, so that funds are available for the tickets. There is still room available if anyone else would like to come with us. Join us for an informational meeting on Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 7 p.m.

Devotion Book for Sale "Breathing Holes: Stories Supplying Fresh Air for Unconventional People" is a devotional book written by Pastor Marty Kaarre. The cost is \$20, and Pastor Kaarre is generously donating \$10 of each book sold to ORLC's youth group. Contact Pastor Eden if you would like to purchase one, or two, or etc.

**OAFC** is a lot of fun and there are many exciting activities, including meeting youth and helping them share their faith through skits, singing, puppets, nursing home and neighborhood visits. There is no charge since housing and food are provided by church who is hosting the event. We get to spread the Good News of Jesus and help the Central Illinois Area to grow. If you have any questions about upcoming weekends please contact Jamie @ jamie62359@hotmail.com. or 217-430-4760

Lutheranism & the Classics III - Lutherans Read History, October 2-3, 2014 Fort Wayne, IN. \$100 gets the pick of 4 classes, other topics for everyone and a banquet Thurs. night. Register before Sept. 22 on www.ctsfw.edu/Classics. See the pamphlet on the table for more info & details.

**New Letters** from the Suggitt's and from our sister congregation in Great Britain are in the Narthex.



Senior Singles lunch for September 2<sup>th</sup> will be @ Village Inn @ 11:30 a.m. Seniors Sign-up in the Narthex.

#### Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend -

Rediscover the one you love in Peoria, IL on Oct. 3-5. Apply now at GodLovesMarriage.org or contact Norm & Deb Lopez at 815-796-2248 or ndlopez@frontier.net for more info. Deadline is Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> After that only space available will be filled. Cost is \$45.00 per couple.

#### "Loved By God: Living with a Purpose"

Lutheran Older Adult Retreat at Pere Marguette Lodge in Grafton, IL October 22-23, 2014. To make reservations or ask questions contact Dan Roth at 618-234-4767 or at www.sidlcms.org or Mary Preuss, at MaryPreuss@yahoo.com or 618-288-9525. See the flyer on the Narthex table for more information.



Volunteers Needed for the Altar Committee This is an easy way to be involved with serving your church and only takes about an hour once or twice one time a year! If you

are willing to help contact Stan @ 224-3023 or at stan.velton@gmail.com

**Save the date** – National Lutheran Youth Workers Conference July 12-15, 2015 in New Orleans, LA. Early bird registration rates at www.nlvwc.com

#### Zion Lutheran Church, Lincoln, IL, invite you to our Regional Youth Conference The Old Testament in the New

"Do not come near; take your sandals off your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground." Who: Jr. High (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade) and Sr. High (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>) youth, their parents, youth group leaders & pastors What: A one day Conference including: worship, presentations by local pastors and laymen, sports, games, and of course...breakfast, lunch & dinner When: Saturday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am to 6:30 pm Why: So the youth of our churches can learn more about the Lord and His Word, deepen their faith, and get to know other Lutherans in their area Cost: \$10.00 per person. Please Register ASAP by calling or emailing Pastor Ramirez (217) 732-3946 or david.p.ramirez@gmail.com

**New Thrivent Information** is located on the table by the basement stairs. Help yourself!

- Thrivent Builders- Thrivent Repairs
- Thrivent Choice
- Choice Dollars New Directory instructions
- Member Benefit
- Associate Membership information

We now have SCRIP GIFT CARDS available for **JIMMY JOHNS**! Cards are in the amount of \$ 25. Stop by the Scrip Table to purchase these cards.

**Career's for Christ Weekend** Nov. 14-16 Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors who are interested in becoming professional church workers are invited to attend this event.at Concordia University in Chicago. For Questions call 708-209-3100 or visit CUChicago.edu/C4C on line.

#### Anniversary Celebration: Grace Lutheran

**Church** - Paris, IL will celebrate their 75th anniversary as a congregation. Please join us on Sunday, September 14, 2014 at 2pm for a special community service. An old fashioned Ice Cream Social and Open House at the Child Development Center will follow the 2 pm service. Everyone is cordially invited to share in this milestone. For more information please contact Pastor Ryan Fehrmann at 217 466-1215 or <u>graceparis1@mac.com</u>

**Thrivent's new program** for Fund Raising Events. "Action Team" allows a group to receive "seed or starting" money for an approved fundraiser. Contact Sandy Callahan, Congregation Advocate for more information.



The Nineteenth Annual Oktoberfest! and Gottesdienst Central will be hosting the Rev. John Stephenson, PhD, Professor of Historical Theology at Concordia Lutheran Seminary in St. Catherine's, Ontario. St. Paul's Lutheran

Church, Kewanee, IL October 12-14, 2014 (Sunday, Monday, Tuesday) REGISTRATION: \$40 per person (students \$20) \$60 per couple includes Sunday banquet and Monday continental; no charge for children with parents. Register by email (<u>b.f.eckardt@gmail.com</u>) or call 309-852-2461 and leave your name, address, and which days you plan to attend. You may pay the registration fee when you arrive. **Right to Life of Adams County** cordially invites you to their Respect for Life Dinner @ Knight's of Columbus /Fr. McGivney Hall, 700 S. 36<sup>th</sup> St., on Tues. Oct. 14. Doors open @ 6 p.m. Dinner is @ 6:30 p.m. Speaker is Claire Culwell, abortion survivor. \$15 or 2 for \$25 or a table of 8 for \$95. Deadline is Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>. Other donations will be listed in the programs. Reservations deadline is Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>.

**MISSION U** is a new witnessing training program. This workshop will be held at Camp CILCA on Saturday, September 6, 2014, beginning at 9 A.M. The topic will be "Dealing with Tough Questions." Cost is \$25 which includes lunch. Sponsored by the CID Lutheran Laymen's League. Register by August 25 to Delores Blessman, 24202 ECR 1850N, Topeka, IL 61567 or to <u>itblssmn@grics.net</u> or delorisblessman@yahoo.com

**Got a Fall project** to do or want to take advantage of some summer clearance sales. ORLC Scrip has 2 - \$100 Lowe's cards on hand!

**Men's Network Golf Tournament** – Feb. 26 – March 1, 2015 in Howey in the Hills, Fla. Meals, Hotel & greens fee all included. \$100.00 off if preregistered by 10/31/14 Regular price deadline 1/16/15.

Lutheran Hour Ministries: Join us for Five 14 on June 13, 2015 from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. @ Trinity Lutheran Church 1201 W. Jackson Auburn, IL RSVP 217-303-3074 \$10.00 if you register before May 1, 2015. After that it's \$15 until the deadline of June 1, 2015.

**Marriage Seminar:** Sat., Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Christ Lutheran Church in Normal, IL. Cost is \$40 a couple or \$25 per person & includes lunch. Register at <u>www.christlutherannormal.org</u> A Schedule is on the Narthex table.

**Luther Hostel** October 4-7 for adults 55 & older at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO. \$375 includes all meals & refreshments. Registration dead line is Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>. For more info or to register call 314-505-7286 or go to <u>ce@csl.edu</u> or https://events.csl.edu/reg/reg\_p1\_form.aspx?oc=10 &ct=ATTENDEE&eventid=8190 Flyer on table.

### **Miscellaneous Constant Information**

**GREETING CARDS** (sponsored by the PLuS group) Be sure to check out the variety of assorted greeting cards. Cards are \$ .50.

#### PLEASE SAVE LABELS - Please continue

to save HyVee UPCs, General Mills Box Tops, Campbell's products "point" labels, and Tyson A+ labels. Place them in your child's classroom container or give them to Madeline Hagemann or put them on the white drawer marked "labels" in St. James' narthex or by the secretary's office @ ORLC Thank you!

#### **Drawer Cart by the Office Steps**

*Top Drawer:* 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!

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

 $3^{rd}$  Drawer: For cancelled stamps for missions. They must be complete stamps.



**Rada Cutlery** is an on-going fundraiser. Rada as a variety of, products: cutlery, stoneware 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 many "in stock" items, go ahead and fill out an order form with payment. Please visit the Rada display in the old chapel. You may leave a completed Rada order form with payment at the scrip table. Thank you for your support of PLuS!

**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 <u>secretary@ourredeemerquincy.org</u>

College Students: If you are going away to college please let the church know your new address as soon as you get it. Food Bank Know anyone in our church family, who needs help? Contact Cyndi Ott @ 430-0301

**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.

**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.



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.

**Considering adoption?** Lifelink International Adoption (a ministry of Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois, LCFS) is seeking families interested in adopting from Korea. We're receiving child referrals again after a temporary break and have a limited number of families on our waiting list. Our South Korean program is one of our most enduring (twenty-nine years) and reliable. Learn more about Lifelink's adoption programs at <u>www.lifelinkadoption.org</u> or contact us at 630-521-8281 or <u>intadopt@lifelinkadoption.org</u>. Lifelink International Adoption is a program of Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois.

#### Register your County Market Max card.

There are sign-up slips on the Scrip table. You only need your Max card #. Once registered every time you use your at County Market a percentage of what you spent goes to our school.



- 1 Jonathon Campbell
- 2 Ava Langan
- 3 Amanda Schweitzer
- 4 Piper Clevenger
- 4 Sharon Vahle
- 4 Sharon Vaughn
- 5 Debbie Baird
- 6 Reagan Spilker
- 7 Joseph Cleaves
- 7 Kent Knoernschild
- 8 Debra Dillinger
- 8 Olivia Hoebing
- 8 Roger McGartland
- 9 Bradley Ehmen
- 10 Harry Hall Jr.
- 10 Howard Snowden
- 10 Janice Voepel
- 10 Susan Weiss
- 11 Malinda Eden
- 11 Lynda Hinkamper
- 12 Robert Jording

# BAPTISM

- 1 Lori Allen
- 1 John Fodor
- 1 Jennifer McConnell
- 2 Hugh Sharrow
- 3 Evan Wolfmeyer
- 4 Rachel Foster
- 4 Austin Jones
- 4 Doc Knoernschild
- 4 Jessica Showman
- 5 Susannah Go
- 6 Nancy Ott
- 6 Alex Schlipman
- 9 Lauren Mueller
- 1 Steven & Carolyn Kaiser
- 1 Terry & Mary Morse
- 1 Jeremy & Mary Myers
- 1 Terry & Sharon Vaughn
- 2 Jerry & Colleen Westberg
- 4 John Moffitt & Tara Walker-Moffitt
- 7 David & Carol Pellman
- 7 Gregory & Melanie Zehnle
- 10 Michael & Cindy Fonck
- 13 Donald & Cynthia Stegeman
- 14 Emmanuel & Mary Voepel

- 12 Kyle Stegeman
- 13 Chance Clevenger

September Birthdays

- 14 Autumn Lucas
- 14 Rebecca Lucas
- 15 Milton Bruemmer
- 15 Donald Green
- 15 Amelia Knapp
- 15 Jamison Knapp
- 15 Brandon Voepel
- 16 David Pellman
- 16 Kathleen Schoch
- 16 Brandon Smith
- 17 William Schlegl
- 17 Curtis Spohr
- 18 Stanley Yelton
- 19 Alexander Fitch
- 19 Mark Vahle
- 19 Vicki Wemhoener
- 20 Elizabeth Bowles
- 21 Heath Heitman
- 21 Rhonda Hummel

### September Baptisms

- 9 Ava Nickelson
- 10 Shelly Holtman
- 10 Audrey Howell
- 14 Matt McDowell
- 14 Elizabeth Mix
- 15 Cindy Spohr
- 18 Melanie Drescher
- 18 Sam Killday
- 19 Nathan Hoebing
- 20 Gabriel Vaughn
- 22 Janice Voepel
- 22 Patrick Weppler
- 23 Frank Baird

### **September Anniversaries**

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- 17 William & Kristin Humphrey
- 18 Patrick & Leila Weppler
- 19 Jerry & Rebecca Lunt
- 23 Larry & Beverly Post
- 24 Matthew & Teresa Kemp
- 26 Michael & Kristen Myers
- 26 Jeffrey & Allison Smith
- 27 Roger & Doreen McGartland
- 27 Randy & Gretchen Wolfmeyer
- 28 John & Bonnie Hallerberg

- 21 Mary Meyer
- 22 Ralph Genenbacher
- 22 Gretchen Kemp
- 22 Jerry Lunt
- 22 Travis Weiss
- 23 Kevin Glasscock

23 Landon Weppler

27 Alexander Smith

28 Ethan Clevenger

29 Virginia Heitman

29 Jessica Hibbert

29 Dave Reinberg

29 Emily Weppler

30 Carl Muehring

23

24

29 Brent Wingerter

Roger McGartland

Bruce Burner

24 Javme Jefferson

24 Melissa Smith

25 Phyllis Ashby

25 Ryan Vaughn

26 Cameron Casanova

27 Renee Benedetto

30 Caroline Weisenburger

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30 Debbie Dillinger

26 Larry Bugh

26 Brad Ehmen

26 Steve Hver

29 Denys Stark

25 Ted Yelton

28 Selma Fink

23 Ace Weisenburger III

25 Katherine Thomure

23 Anna Parsons

### **Assignments for September 2014**

#### **Communion Assistants:**

Sat., September 6 at 5:00 p.m.	Ryan Vaughn	
Sun., September 7 at 8:00 a.m.	Clint Gooding	Larry Foster
Sun., September 7 at 10:15 a.m.	Steve Kaiser	Randy Wolfmeyer
Sat., September 13 at 5:00 p.m.	Ryan Vaughn	
Sun., September 14 at 8:00 a.m.	Gary Hyer	Larry Ehmen
Sun., September 14 at 10:15 a.m.	Joe Cleaves	Terry Morse
Sat., September 20 at 5:00 p.m.	Ryan Vaughn	
Sun., September 21 at 8:00 a.m.	Craig Gooding	Jerry Lunt
Sun., September 21 at 10:15 a.m.	Chet Vahle	Jeff Wolfmeyer
Sat., September 27 at 5:00 p.m.	Ryan Vaughn	
Sun., September 28 at 8:00 a.m.	Chris Knapp	Brad Ehmen
Sun., September 28 at 10:15 a.m.	Stan Yelton	Bruce Burner

#### Ushers:

Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.	Bob Frink
Sundays at 8:00 a.m.	Gary Cramlett, Sonny Voepel, Terry Lannerd & Larry Post
Sundays at 10:15 a.m.	Gary McElfresh, Bill Schlegl, Mike & Allan Murphy

#### Registration Slips: Rosie Meyer

Altar Care: Glenna Nicholson, Shirley Foster, Donna MacFadden, Sharon Reinberg

Counters: Rosie Meyer & Joann Reichert

Drivers: Steve Hyer, Jerry Manton, Wanda Spohr, Ruth Hall, Ryan Vaughn

If you wish to help in one of these areas, please contact the church office at 223-1769 or by email: <u>Secretary@OurRedeemerQuincy.org</u> 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 – Joe Cleaves

#### **Official Acts**

Infant Baptisms Dennis Fleming Adult Confirmation	7/1
Youth Confirmations	
Marriages	
Funerals Patti Jenkins	7/29
Membership Changes	
Gains [+0B, +0C] Infant Baptisms [+0B, +0C]	
Adult Confirmations [+0B, +0C]	
Youth Confirmations [+0B, +0C]	
Transfers In [+0B, +0C]	
Profession of Faith (from other Lutheran) [+0	B, +0C]
Losses [-0B, -0C] Death [-0B, -0C]	
Transfers Out [-0B, -0C]	

Requested Removal [-0B, -0C]

Statistica	Adjustment	[+/-0B, +/-0C]
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Membership	Jan. 1, 2014	Gains	Losses	July 31, 2014
Baptized	596	+10	-12	594
Confirmed	461	+11	-12	460

### Balance Sheet Prev. Year Comparison Accrual Basis as of July 31, 2014

ASSETS	<u>July 31, 14</u>	<u>July 31, 13</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	10,000.00	10,000.00	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	145,996.96	3,623.09	142,373.87	3,929.6%
108 · Endowment Fund-B 71527	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00	0.0%
109 · Endowment Fund A 70309	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00	0.0%
110 · Endowment Fund A Svg 21449		604.91	450.75	74.5%
111 · Endowment Fund B Svg 21226		1,640.50	186.71	11.4%
112 · General Fund Checking	6,058.74	32,582.19	-26,523.45	-81.4%
113 - Kleinsorge 83643	47,479.06	47,479.06	0.00	0.0%
115 - Kleinsorge Income 1597285	10,406.98	6,690.79	3,716.19	55.5%
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	1,640.00	1,640.00	0.00	0.0%
119.1 - Memorial 71314	10,781.50	10,781.50	0.00	0.0%
120 - Memorial Fund MMF 1385939	96,412.50	18,675.89	77,736.61	416.2%
122 – Thrivent Annuity #9273749	19,658.90	0.00	19,658.90	100.0%
Total Checking/Savings	399,172.73	181,573.15	217,599.58	119.8%
Other Current Assets				
20000 · Pastor Eden Loan	27,266.07	28,859.29	-1,593.22	-5.5%
Total Other Current Assets	27,266.07	28,859.29	-1,593.22	-5.5%
Total Current Assets	426,438.80	210,432.44	<u>216,006.36</u>	<u>102.7%</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	426,438.80	210,432.44	216,006.36	102.7%
Liabilities Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable				
25000 Accounts Payable	<u>-22.46</u>	-22.46	0.00	<u>0.0%</u>
Total Accounts Payable	-22.46	-22.46	<u>0.00</u> 0.00	0.0%
•	22.40	22.40	0.00	0.070
Other Current Liabilities	070 74		10.10	1 40/
24000 Payroll Liabilities	<u>970.71</u>	<u>957.55</u>	<u>13.16</u>	<u>1.4%</u>
Total Other Current Liabilities	<u>970.71</u>	<u>957.55</u>	<u>13.16</u>	<u>1.4%</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>948.25</u>	<u>935.09</u>	<u>13.16</u>	<u>1.4%</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>948.25</u>	<u>935.09</u>	<u>13.16</u>	<u>1.4%</u>
Equity				
Equity 30000 · Opening Balance Equity	246,491.21	278,491.21	-32,000.00	-11.5%
31000 · Designated Offerings-"Van Fu		2,500.00	0.00	0.0%
31500 · Building Repairs & Purchases	143,000.00	2,500.00	143,000.00	100.0%
31600 – Lilian Pipe Bequest	77,272.75	0.00	77,272.75	100.0%
31700 - Thrivent Annuity	19,658.90	0.00	19,658.90	100.0%
32000 · Retained Earnings	-51,179.04	83,530.15	32,351.11	38.7%
Net Income	<u>-12,253.27</u>	12,036.29	<u>-24,289.56</u>	<u>-200.8%</u>
Total Equity	425,490.55	209,497.35	215,993.20	103.1%
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TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	426,438.80	210,432.44	216,006.36	102.7%
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#### Balance & Loss Budget vs. Actual Accrual Basis July 2014

	<u>Jan July 14</u>	Budget	<u>\$ Over Budget</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
Income				
001-001 General Offerings	160,135.50	171,500.00	-11,364.50	93.4%
002-002 Together in Missions	4,200.00	4,510.35	-310.35	93.1%
003-003 Loose Plate	2,597.81	3,500.00	-902.19	74.2%
005 Special	15,095.26	2,887.50	12,207.76	522.8%
008-008 PLuS Fund-raising	61.00	1,750.00	-1,689.00	3.5%
011-011 General Fund Interest	86.38	29.15	57.23	296.3%
019-019 ORLC Scrip Fund	0.00	4,083.35	-4,083.35	0.0%
Total Income	188,584 .34	188,260.35	323.99	100.2%
Expenses				
Mission	12,865.50	14,689.50	-1,824.00	87.6%
Personnel	98,755.27	108,354.56	-9,599.29	91.1%
Program	58,553.21	70,776.50	-12,223.29	82.7%
Property	19,936.90	21,796.80	-1,859.90	91.5%
Total Expense	200,837.61	215,617.36	-14,779.75	93.1%
Net Income	-12,253.27	-27,357.01	15,103.74	44.8%

**New Beth Moore Bible Study** called "Beloved Disciple" about John will start on Tues. Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> and go for 11 weeks through Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 p.m. -10:45 a.m. Sign-up to join the Group!



Wed. afternoon Bible Study resumes Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>,
Confirmation & First Communion Classes resume Sept. 3rd
Sunday School & Regular Service hours all resume in Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>.
Banner Committee resumes Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>,
Quilters resume Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>,
Confirmation & First Communion Classes resume Sept. 3rd

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"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Rom. 6:23

# **PUZZLE PAGE**

## THANKFUL

by

**Bill Schlegl** 

We are all thankful for the many gifts we receive in our daily lives. Write the letter that comes between the two letters given to learn the greatest gift we can receive.

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**Family Matters** 

#### LCFS Clínical Services

#### Authoritative parenting

One of the most challenging issues facing parents today is how to raise responsible, well-adjusted children in a world of conflicting messages and value systems.

The style of parenting children encounter greatly influences their outlook not only on themselves and their families, but also the world. Parenting can be broadly classified into four general styles: authoritative (democratic), authoritarian (dictatorial), permissive and negligent.

These styles are based on two basic characteristics: the ability to be responsive to a child's needs and feelings (responsiveness) and the ability to set reasonable boundaries and limits (demandingness).

Authoritative parents tend to perform tasks with their children that are high in **both** responsiveness and demandingness. Research has demonstrated that these children tend to do better in school, demonstrate respect for others, posses higher levels of self-esteem, are able to take responsibility for their actions and display higher levels of self-discipline. The following are characteristics of authoritative parents:

- Able to establish and enforce limits and boundaries and adjust them when necessary.
- Listen to and repeat back children's thoughts and feelings without judging them (active listening).
- Establish consistency in family life.
- Are warm and supportive of their children's needs and interests.
- Promote and demonstrate mutual support.

Remember, it is important not to look at isolated, specific behaviors when trying to understand one's parenting style. It reflects a general attitude and consistent pattern of behavior over a period of time.

You and your family do not have to struggle alone. LCFS counselors help families generate hope and cope with life's challenges. Most insurance plans accepted; sliding-scale fees are available on a case-by-case basis. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact us at lcfs\_info@lcfs.org or 800-363-LCFS (5237). Discover LCFS and the services we offer at www.lcfs.org and www.facebook.com/LCFSIL.

LCFS offers counseling at the following locations: Southern Illinois LCFS office, Belleville LCFS office, Mt. Vernon LCFS office, Sparta To schedule a first-time appointment, call 800-363-LCFS (5237) or visit www.lcfs.org for additional information. Northern Illinois Crown Point at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Belvidere Grace Lutheran School, River Forest **Central Illinois** Trinity Lutheran School, Bloomington LCFS office, Decatur Christ Lutheran Church, Normal





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#### Dear Saints and Supporters of Lutheran Schools,

What new challenge have you taken up in your lifetime? What is something you think is worth sacrificing for?

October 11, at the age of 61, I, Pastor Rempfer, will be running my first half-marathon. It will be the Great River Road Run from Hamilton, Illinois to Nauvoo, Illinois.

Let's see if you can guess why I'm doing this?

A. It is so much fun B. I couldn't think of anything better to do C. I needed to lose weight

D. I'm dedicated to Lutheran Schools

The correct answer is D. I have always said that I feel abundantly blessed that my parents were willing to drive twelve miles one way so that we could attend a Lutheran School. They didn't have to say it; I knew it was because my spiritual life was the most important part of life.

I have been privileged the last 24 years of ministry to serve where there has been a Lutheran School. I'm sold on Lutheran Schools. I'm 100% behind Lutheran Schools. I see Lutheran Schools as purposeful, worthwhile, meaningful, valuable and worth investing my life in.

One article indicated that if half-marathons were easy everyone would be doing them. I'm training hard for one reason: I want to do all that I can to support St. James Lutheran School, in Quincy, Illinois.

I'm asking anyone who supports Lutheran Education to consider sending a donation. If you want to pledge per mile you can give a gift of \$13 or \$26 or \$39 or \$130 or whatever you choose. Any size gift would be welcome. All checks should be made out to St. James Lutheran School. You can decide whether you wish to direct them to our account with the LC-MS Foundation that is restricted (which means we can only use the interest) or to our unrestricted account at the LC-MS Foundation which can be used for whatever purposes deemed appropriate by the school/endowment committee.

My children and your children can and will experience many different things in their lifetime. I know of only one thing that will not be taken from them. Please consider giving a gift to help strengthen and sustain the ministry of St. James Lutheran School in Quincy.

Recognizing that our mission isn't just local, ten percent of all funds raised will be sent to Mission Central to be divided among three missionaries we support: Dave Mahsman in Eurasia, Micah Wildauer in Togo and Steven Schumacher in Ghana.

In Christ, Pastor Rempfer			
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