



October 2018 Newsletter



Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

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To the people of God at Our Redeemer,

Last year was the “big” celebration of the 500th Anniversary of Martin Luther nailing the 95 Theses to the door of the Wittenberg Church. But just because it is year 501 doesn't mean that we can't do something special for Reformation Day. The plan is to go to Concordia Seminary in St. Louis on Wednesday, October 31. We will be leaving ORLC at 6:45 AM. We will attend chapel on campus which begins at 9:35 AM. There will be a guided tour of the campus and lunch in the dining hall (which looks a little bit like the dining hall at Hogwarts – if you have seen the Harry Potter movies, you understand the reference).

After lunch, I would also like to go to the Catholic Basilica (this is where I insert the obligatory joke about nailing something to the door). All kidding aside, Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis rivals any church in the world for its ornate décor. The interior is covered in mosaic. This is the largest collection of mosaic outside of Russia (St. Isaac's Cathedral in St. Petersburg is bigger and is also covered in mosaic, but I believe the St. Louis Cathedral is more beautiful). In the St. Louis Cathedral there are more than 41.5 million pieces of mosaic depicting Bible scenes and other historic events. Pictures on the internet do not do it justice.

Remembering the Reformation of the Church is important every year. The Church is always in need of reformation. That has been the mantra of Confessional Lutherans for centuries.

Please join us on October 31. There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex for those interested in going. Please indicate if you are willing to drive. If you need a ride, we will make arrangements so that everyone who wants to make this trip is able.

In Christ,

Pastor Eden

August 2018 Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual

Income	<u>Jan – Aug '18</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>\$ Over Budget</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
001 · 001 General Offerings	196,818.44	201,214.00	-4,195.56	97.9%
002 · 002 Together in Mission	5,870.00			
003 · 003 Loose Plate	4,935.05	4,662.68	272.37	105.8%
005 · Special	3,512.36			
005.41 VBS Meals	10.00			
007 · Securities Income	3,301.73			
008 · 008 PLuS Fund-Raising	0.00	2,000.00	-2,000.00	0.0%
009 · 009 Building Fund	286.58			
011 · 011 General Fund Interest	14.37	33.32	-18.95	43.1%
013 · 013 Kleinsorge MMK Income Int.	85.61			
015 · 015 Kleinsorge Bequest Interest	356.09			
016 · 016 Memorial Fund Interest	120.27			
017 · 017 Memorial Fund MM	15,180.00			
019 · 019 ORLC Scrip Fund	7,000.00	4,666.68	2,333.32	150.0%
020 · Brackensick Bequeth	0.00	3,866.68	-3,866.68	0.0%
Total Income	237,490.50	216,243.36	21,247.14	109.8%
Expense				
Mission	16,789.00	11,333.32	5,455.68	148.1%
Personnel	124,565.21	132,428.18	-7,862.97	94.1%
Program	42,814.86	58,270.76	-15,455.90	73.5%
Property	27,095.85	23,179.96	3,915.89	116.9%
500 · Special Expenses	1,261.36			
600 · Building Fund Expense	1,060.00			
700 · Memorial Fund Expense	12,321.58			
800 · Endowment Fund Expense	4,094.00			
Total Expense	230,001.86	225,060.71	4,789.64	102.1%
Net Income	7,488.64	-8,968.86	16,457.50	- 83.5%

Those to be Elected to the Church Council are:

President - Stan Yelton 2nd term
 Vice President - Chet Vahle 2nd term
 Secretary - Barb Vahle 2nd term
 Treasurer - Michelle Clevenger 1st term
 Financial Secretary - Wanda Spohr 1st term
 Education: Ryan Vaughn 3rd term
 Elders: Bill Haire 2nd term; Steve Schoch 1st term; Jeff Wolfmeyer 1st term
 Evangelism: Michele Balzer 1st term
 Property: Gary Hyer 1st term
 Stewardship: Dave Pellman 3rd term
 Youth Ministry: Jamie Louderback 2nd term
 Endowment Fund Chair: Larry Ehmen 2nd term

A Workshop on “Thank, Praise, Serve, and Obey – Recover the Joys of Piety” will be led by Rev. William C. Weedon, Director of Worship for the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod Saturday, **October 13, 2018** at Christ Lutheran Church, Normal, IL. (9:00 AM – 2:30 PM)

The Youth Choir is in need of additional voices. Members should like to sing and be able to read. Rehearsal are held on **Wed. afternoons from 4:15 to 4:45**; the group sings at one service a month plus some of the special services.

Who's Who at Our Redeemer

President	Stan Yelton (1 st term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2018
Vice-President	Chet Vahle (1 st term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2018
Secretary	Barb Vahle (1 st term replacement)	Feb. 2018 – Sept. 2018
Treasurer	Donna Haire (3 rd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2018
Financial Secretary	Evelyn McDowell (3 rd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2018
Education Board	Melissa Knapp, S.S. Supt., ex officio	Appointed
	Gretchen Wolfmeyer (3 rd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
	Randy Wolfmeyer (2 nd term)	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
	Ryan Vaughn (2 nd term)	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
Board of Elders		
434-8708	Larry Foster (2 nd term) – Communion Asst.	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
617-7312	Darrell Drescher (2 nd term)–Special Services	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
223-7949	Bill Haire (1 st term) – Saturday Ushers	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
223-1119	Howard Snowden (1 st term) – Altar Care	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
242-5651	Terry Lannerd (1 st term) – Sunday Ushers	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
228-3127	Jerry Lunt (1 st term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
Evangelism Board	Michele Clevenger (2 nd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
	Ruth Ann Snowden (2 nd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
Property Board	Jeff Smith (3 rd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
	Steve Kaiser (2 nd term)	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
Stewardship Board	Larry Ehmen (3 rd term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019
	David Pellman (2 nd term)	Oct. 2016 – Sept. 2018
Youth Ministry	Jamie Louderback	



We welcome you to join us in “Serving the Lord with Gladness”! Please contact any LWML member or Colleen Westberg at 217-257-1481 to learn more or go to www.lwml.org to read about the mission and great history of the LWML!

Like our Facebook pages... Lutheran Women in Mission - LWML and Lutheran Women’s Missionary League – Central Illinois District.

UPCOMING...

October 4 – monthly mtg., 6:30pm, Fellowship Hall

October 7 – LWML Sunday, Bacon Breakfast with a Side of Pancakes!

October 12 & 13 – LWML CID Fall Retreat, Camp Cilca

November 1st – monthly mtg., 6:30pm Fellowship Hall

September News

Great fellowship this month with a carry-in meeting at Reva’s hosted by her and Sandy! Special guests were Carolyn & Julianna Eden and Christine Schwartz & Carrie (Fischer) Lay! The agenda included...

- Reservations taken for the Zone Fall Rally
- Discussion of LWML Sunday
- Reservation forms distributed for the LWML CID Fall Retreat @ Camp Cilca

Our 2018 Missions Projects

The ‘Good News’ publication, Concordia Food Banks, Lutheran Hour Ministries, Orphan Grain Train, Camp Callahan, ORLC St. James School Endowment Fund, OAFC and St. John’s Food Pantry.

“Featured” 2018-2019 LWML CID Mission Grant

Fort Wayne & St. Louis Seminary Food Banks...\$10,000

A necessary part of sharing the Gospel with others and spreading the Word is having trained church workers, including pastors. The ability to draw on food bank resources supports the church’s mission of training church workers and pastors to spread the gospel. This grant will assist the staff at these food banks in buying food, toiletries, and other needs.

Our mission goal for this year is \$95,000, of which \$23,750 is sent to fund National Grants.

The Widow's Mite--- And a poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which make a penny. And he called his disciples to him and said to them, "Truly, I say to you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the offering box. For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on." **Mark 12:42-44 ESV**



National Mission Grant Bulletin Bytes

LWML has donated over \$100 million since 1942!!!

Equipping Youth to Witness for Life Y4Life...\$25,000

The mission of Youth for Life, a ministry of Lutherans for Life, is to equip Lutheran youth and young adults to be Gospel-motivated voices for Life and be an example in speech, conduct, love, life and purity. There is a great need to share the Gospel with college and high school students and to talk about the sanctity of life. This LWML grant will train new leaders to share the Gospel and speak about life issues in Lutheran high schools nationwide. For more information about our missions, go to www.lwml.org, then to Missions tab and click on Mission Grants.

Remembering In Our Prayers



REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY SERVICES:

Mark & Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Steve Clark, Aaron DeWerff, Michael Goodwin, Robert Goodwin, John Haines, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Levi Meyer, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Andy Tipton, Marc Troxel, Brandon VanBastian, and Charles Wheeler.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS:

Nick Austin, Sean Burner, Steve Dunker, Richard Grathwohl, Lynda Hinkamper, Elaine Hyer, Becki Jones, Kim Long, Meghan Meyer, Michael Morgan, Sutton Perry-Brockemeier, Michelle Reinberg-Page, David Rickey, Cole Schullian, Kory Tournear, Bee Wagner, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener, Jackson Weppler.



REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Marcia Clevenger, Ralph Genenbacher, Don Green, Isabelle Hillerts, Mary Hurley, Elaine Hyer, Dolly Powers, Kitty Schuckman, Bee Wagner, 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. (*Together in Missions*)

The Independent Evangelical Lutheran Church in Germany

Mrs. Alvina Federwitz in Waxhaw, North Carolina

Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz and their children in Papua New Guinea

Danny and Becca DeLoach and their children, 6915A Cinder Run, Waxhaw, North Carolina 28173

Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough

Dr. Martin & Marie Dicke, Musical Specialist serving in Papua New Guinea (*Together in Missions*)



Our Seminary Students

Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN:
Tyler Arends, 926 East 1000 North Road, Melvin, IL 60952



Concordia Theological Seminary, Saint Louis, MO:
Jeremiah & Natalie Jording with Leah
904 26th St, Spirit Lake, IA 51360
217-430-7853 jjording@imuth.homedns.org
Jeremiah is the Associate Pastor at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Spirit Lake, IA.

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

Superintendent – Melissa Knapp
Pre-School – Gina Eickelschulte
Kindergarten – Gina Eickelschulte
Grades 1 & 2 – Gina Eickelschulte
Sunday School Opening – Colleen Westberg

Grades 3 & 4 – Amy Killday
Grades 5 & 6 – Donna Haire
Grades 7 & 8 – Donna Haire
Teens – Gretchen Wolfmeyer

October News & Notes

Our Evangelism Team is looking for project helpers. Please contact Michele Clevenger or Ruth Ann Snowden if you can help serve!

Tuesday Morning Bible Study is studying the Song of Song in "Altogether Beautiful" by Heidi Goehmann. Heidi is a LCMS pastor's wife, a deaconess, and a social worker. She goes through the end of the month.

If you are a member of Thrivent and desire to have your Thrivent Choice Dollars directed to the ORLC's St. James Tuition Endow. Fund, you will have to use the following process. Inform your Thrivent representative to direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. Then ***you must notify Gretchen*** of the amount which you want to be put in to the Endowment account. She will make sure it gets transferred to that account.

The Lutherans for Life of Illinois Executive Board is excited to announce a new life-affirming project for Lutheran families in the state of Illinois. Adoption is an expensive endeavor and due to the high costs many couples do not consider adoption as an option in growing their families. The LFL of IL Board would like to work to meet this need for families who have a desire to adopt. We are partnering with Lifesong For Orphans ministry to create an adoption fund to be made available to LCMS families in Illinois who need financial assistance as they go through the adoption process. We are asking for churches/Lutheran schools of the CID to prayerfully consider helping us financially to build this fund as well. Once the fund has grown to \$8,000, we would open the fund up for LCMS families to use as they go through the adoption process. Families will be able to submit an application for an adoption grant and Lifesong will review the application. Then Lifesong will give the LFL of IL a recommendation of the amount that could be granted to the adoptive family according to their financial needs. Here is a video link with more information about Lifesong for Orphans: <https://vimeo.com/139492632> (password is *lifesong*). Our hope is to make this fund available by the end of 2018. If you have any questions or are interested in helping in this project, contact Valerie Boehne, at 309-210-4747.

Senior Singles Lunch will meet again **Tuesday, October 2nd** at 11:30 AM. Please sign up in Narthex to go to **Chicks on the River**.

Announcing 'WITNESS': The 2019 National LCMS Campus Ministry Conference January 2-5, 2019, Fort Wayne, Ind. Participants will gain a familiarity with the *Every One His Witness*® Lutheran evangelism program and will also have opportunities to explore witnessing in various areas of most interest to them in their collegiate contexts. Online registration is open now!

ORLC TOTE BAG FUNDRAISER for Parents of Lutheran Students (PLuS)

These bags are perfect for carrying your Bible Study Materials or whatever you'd like!

Cost is only \$10 each. They are available before & after the Saturday and Sunday services.

Jr & Sr High students (grades 6-12) - Catechetical Retreat at Camp CILCA, Friday Night & Saturday, October 5-6, 2018. **COST:** \$40 per camper. Includes 3 meals, snacks, and lodging for the night. Campers will be staying in the CILCA Retreat Center and new air-conditioned cabins. Drop off will be Friday at 6:30pm. Pick up will be Saturday at 7:00pm. **Register** at www.cilca.org/catechetical-retreat, call **217-487-7497**, or email camp@cilca.org.

WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT - Camp CILCA OCTOBER 12 & 13, 2018 Guest Speaker: Rev. Mitchel Schuessler National LWML Pastoral Counselor Friday evening begins at 5:00 pm with registration; dinner at 6:00 pm. Saturday breakfast & registration begins at 8:00 a.m. Registration Fee: \$50 (**before September 30**); \$60 (postmarked **after September 30**). Saturday only fee is \$30. Make check payable to: LWML-CID (please put "Retreat" in memo line); mail all roommate reservations & checks in one envelope to: Michele Clevenger, 6315 Old Columbus Road, Quincy, IL 62305 (questions, call 217.430.1667 or email mlc.lwml@comcast.net)

Registration is now open for "WITNESS," the 2019 National LCMS Campus Ministry Conference, which will be held Jan. 2-5, 2019, in Fort Wayne, Ind. **Registration closes Oct. 15.**

More October News & Notes

Meals Plus for Seniors Your community needs volunteers to help deliver Meals on Wheels to homebound seniors and persons with disabilities who count on the meals to remain at home and out of institutions. Please consider donating an hour of your time once a day, a week or a month. Call 217-224-5031 and ask for Scott. Thanks for any amount of your valuable time you can give.

Pastor Marty Karre last Spring developed serious medical problems. He had to have daily MRI's to monitor healing of a brain bleed. He is still dealing with blood clots from that event. Medical bills have really mounted and his small church is taking donations to help with their medical bills. They are funneling them through the church, so there are no tax problems for the family. Any checks for the family should be made out to the W. Kootenai Community Church with his name on the memo line. Drop them in our offering and we will send them in mass to his church for you.

ORLC is seeking donations for those in need of help with their current St. James School tuition. See Pastor Eden or Gretchen for more details.

LWML will be holding a rummage sale again in the Spring of 2019. Please save all your unwanted or no longer needed items for the sales. All proceeds go to missions. Thanks for your continued support of LWML and their work for missions.

Celebrate LWML Sunday with us October 7th! The theme chosen for LWML Sunday 2018 is "Our Rest in a Changing World," based upon *Psalms 62:1-8*. As God's children, we rest in the assurance that He loves us and sent His Son to redeem us. God is our rock and salvation. That firm foundation enables us to reach out into a changing world in need of the Gospel. Since 1942, the LWML has affirmed each woman's identity as a child of God and her relationship with Jesus Christ, encouraging and equipping Christian women to live out their lives in active mission ministries, and to support missions around the world through their sacrificial gifts of mites, tithes, offerings, and tireless service.

Please come join us for Bacon & Pancakes after the Service.

2018 National Disaster Response Conference please register today & join us **Oct. 16-18** at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, for "Lift High the Cross: The Comfort of Christ for Those Who Suffer." \$30 each, meal included. A schedule and case studies agenda is on the Narthex table.

The Western Illinois Dream Factory is a non-profit organization which fulfills the dreams of critically and chronically ill children. Quincy is home to one of the 30 chapters nationwide. They operate completely by Volunteers and are asking for support by groups or anyone interested in doing community service. Call Karla Hildebrand at 217-779-3961 for more info or a presentation.

[Laudamus](#), a select choir of seminarians preparing for service as Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) pastors, will perform a concert, **Friday, Oct. 12, 7 p.m.** concert, [Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Springfield, Ill.](#) Free will offering. A member of the Seminary's admissions team will be available at each performance to talk with prospective students and anyone interested in church work opportunities and answer questions about the Seminary. To learn more about *Laudamus* and the fall tour, visit www.csl.edu/campus-life/music-arts/laudamus/.

As we pray for those who have been affected by Hurricane Florence, Thrivent – a membership organization of Christians – is mobilizing its financial resources and members to help those in need. Thrivent members and others who want to help with the recovery efforts are encouraged to visit Thrivent.com to learn more about our organization's commitment to match individual personal donations and other ways in which people can help. We thank you and your church for continuing to keep those who suffer in your prayers and support them as you're financially or physically able. Your commitment to living generously is appreciated

Miscellaneous Constant Information

Newsletter & Calendar Deadline –

All newsletter & Calendar submissions must be sent in **no later than the 20th of each month**. Please let the church office know about any changes or errors

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



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 some-thing 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 pay-ment at the scrip table.** Thank you for your support of PLuS!

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.

Drawer Cart by the Office Steps

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

2nd Drawer: General Mills box tops for education, HyVee UPCs, & Tyson A+ labels. They benefit the St. James school library. Thanks!

3^d Drawer: For any type used greeting card fronts. Good Samaritan home uses them to make things.

Church Office Hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM with time out for lunch between 12 and 1. Staff may be in the office before or after these hours, but please call before stopping in so that we can have items ready for you (keys, sermon copies, envelopes, etc.)

Want to Go Paperless? We would be happy to email you any church correspondence and newsletters if that is the option you prefer. Contact the church office, write your email on the bottom of your attendance card, or email secretary@ourredeemerquincy.org.

PLEASE SAVE LABELS - Please continue to save HyVee UPCs, General Mills Box Tops, and Tyson A+ labels. Place them in the white drawer by the Church Office at ORLC. Thank you!

"Come and See" is our theme this year at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. It is a message of invitation for those who do not know the joy we share to come and see Christ in action. Please invite friends and neighbors to "Come and See" what we are all about.

Attention Parents of College Students:

If your child is away at college, please let the church know their new address and/or email as soon as you get it. We would like to nurture those relationships, pray for them, and help to keep them informed.



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.

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 www.lifelinkadoption.org or contact us at 630-521-8281 or intadopt@lifelinkadoption.org. Lifelink International Adoption is a program of Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois.

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October Birthdays

1 Jeff Blattner	14 James Jones III	21 Olive Cook 100
1 Donna Church	15 Darylene Mix	22 Martin Eden
2 Tara Walker-Moffitt	15 Joann Reichert	22 Chris Knapp
3 Bryan Baird	16 Jim Ott	23 Kriss Frink
4 Angie Nixon	17 Coby Klauser	23 Myley Longcor
6 Rebecca Jones	17 Maggie Nixon	23 Ann Nickelson
6 Amy Killday	18 Ashley Brown	24 Anthony Blickhan
7 Kensey McGartland	18 Sarah Lucas	24 Rita Boerema
7 Steve Schoch	18 Erik Mix	24 Jennifer Burner
8 Bob Frink	19 Pat Florey	24 Kari Foulk
9 Teresa Allensworth	19 Edwin Murphy	25 Carol Nunn
9 Jan Mueller	19 David Ott	25 Ryan Schnack
11 Eben Fischer	20 Olivia Badamo	26 Danny Baker
12 Jessica Campbell	20 Cindy Baird	26 Connor Ott
12 Dana Frohn	20 Jan Colvin	29 Erica Dedert
13 Shirley Foster	20 Robert Gooding	29 Eric Sass
13 Beth Lucas	20 Anita Wolfmeyer	30 Josh Holtman
13 Jerry Westberg		

October Baptisms

1 Donna Eisenbeiss	13 Abby Hibbert	20 Jimmy Perry
2 Denise Lucas	14 Scott Baird	22 Joseph Nickelson
3 Christopher Schnack	15 Heath Heitman	24 Janelle Burner
5 Sharon Vahle	15 Rhonda Hummel	24 Kayla Terstriep
7 Shirley Dieringer	16 Royal Bugh	26 Rosie Meyer
7 Abby Fischer	18 Jim Dice	26 Alexander Smith
10 Gary Gooding	18 Denys Stark	27 Chris Allen
11 Steve Kaiser	19 Kayzley Brookhart	27 Nick Allen
12 Abbie Wolfmeyer	19 Amelia Knapp	29 Ada Miller
13 Maxine Fink	19 Jamison Knapp	

October Anniversaries

1 Eric & Christina Kaltenbach	17 Bill & Donna Haire 37 yrs.
5 Bryan & Heather Meyer	18 Terry & Carole Lannerd 49 yrs.
10 Zachary & Kayla Terstriep	18 Adam & Stephanie Yates
12 Rod & Deanna Hibbert 38 yrs.	21 Stan & Sherry Yelton 40 yrs.
13 Chris & Michele Clevenger	24 Don & Maxine Fink 48 yrs.
15 Larry & Monica Foster 30 yrs.	24 Kent & Nora Schnack
15 Nick & Denys Stark	30 Connor & Erika Ott
17 Matt & Valerie Frohn	

Assignments for October 2018

Communion Assistants:

Saturday, October 6 at 5 PM	Bill Haire	
Sunday, October 7 at 9 AM	Nathan Hoebing	Steve Kaiser
Saturday, October 13 at 5 PM	Bill Haire	
Sunday, October 14 at 9 AM	Jerry Lunt	Stan Yelton
Saturday, October 20 at 5 PM	Bill Haire	
Sunday, October 21 at 9 AM	Chet Vahle	Jeff Wolmeyer
Saturday, October 27 at 5 PM	Bill Haire	
Sunday, October 28 at 9 AM	Larry Foster	Terry Lannerd

Ushers:

Saturdays at 5:00 PM	Bill Haire
Sundays at 9:00 AM	Randy Wolfmeyer, Jeff Smith, Larry Post, Eldon Schoch, Steve Schoch

Counters: Christa Fodor and Colleen Westberg

Registration Slips: Barb Ellerbrock

Altar Care: Becky Lunt, Carol Muehring, Elie Bowles

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

October Puzzle Answer

(Puzzle on page 14)

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life.
No man cometh unto the Father but by me.
John 14: 6

Pastoral Report
(August 1 – August 31, 2018)

Official Acts

Baptisms

First Communion

Adult Confirmation

Youth Confirmation

Marriages

Bethany Foster & Allyus Fritz – September 2, 2018

Funerals

Emily Louise Teel – August 17, 2018

Membership Changes

Gains [+0B, +0C]

Baptisms [+0B, +0C]

Adult Confirmations [+0B, +0C]

Youth Confirmations [+0B, +0C]

Transfers In [+0B, +0C]

Affirmation of Faith (from other Lutheran) [+0B, +0C]

Losses [-0B, -0C]

Death [-0B, -C]

Transfers Out [-0B, -0C]

Requested Removal [-0B, -0C]

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

Membership	Jan. 1, 2018	Gains	Losses	Aug. 31, 2018
Baptized	569	+8	-10	567
Confirmed	438	+12	-10	440

ST. JAMES STUDENTS are singing at St. James this morning at the 8:00 am service. Thank you for your participation.

THE PUMPKIN CRATE - St. James night at The Pumpkin Crate (25567 State Hwy Durham, MO 62438) is Saturday, **October 13 from 4 – 7 pm**. It's about 30 minutes from Quincy. Admission is \$5.00 and includes themed corn maze, hamster wheel, hay jump, corn pool and duck races. Come and join us for an evening of fun and fellowship.

TRUNK OR TREAT at St. James will be **Saturday, October 27th from 5 – 7 pm**. It will be indoors in the cafeteria and gym. Since it's indoors we would still like people to participate and decorate and area inside. Tell your friends, neighbors and relatives to come join us for this fun, safe evening. We need many bags of candy for this event. Pick up an extra bag of candy or two for St. James.

BOXTOPS AND UPC LABELS – Please continue to save General Mills Box Tops, Hy-Vee UPCs and Tyson A+ labels throughout the school year. They help support our school library! Thank you!

EAGLE VISION

EVERYONE deserves our respect; **ACT** with kindness; **GOD'S LOVE** is our greatest strength; **LOVE** one another; **EVERY DAY** live for Jesus; **SHOW OTHERS** we are Christians.

Coloring Page:



Dear Runners with eyes fixed on Jesus,

This year I will be running (walking) my fifth half-marathon. The date is October 13th. It is once again the Great River Road Run from Hamilton, Illinois to Nauvoo, Illinois. This time our daughter Johanna is going to run it with me or in front of me.

The first reason I am doing this is to support St. James Lutheran School. The second reason is to give me a reason to exercise and stay somewhat fit.

Should you choose to give, 90% of your funds would go to the school to be used where needed most. The other 10% would go to Mission Central to bring God's Word to others in our world.

I don't know if this will be my last half-marathon or not. I do know that as long as I live I am to grow in knowledge, love and faith. It is also my privilege and responsibility to help others do the same. I can't think of any better way to do that for children than to plant God's Word into their lives on a daily basis. I remain deeply grateful that my parents were willing to drive 12 miles one way so that we could attend a Lutheran School

I know that recently funds were solicited from our alumni. I am thankful for their response and generosity. With that in mind I want you to know that if you have just given and are unable to give again I understand.

If on the other hand you are able to give a gift, any size gift would be welcome. You can make a difference as we share God's wisdom. I encourage you to send this to your family and friends asking for even a small donation.

The truth is that Lutheran Schools can't accomplish all that they hope if the faith is not lived and shared in the home. So I challenge each of you to do all that you can to make sure your home and your life is centered in Christ.

Finally, whether you give a gift or not please remember St. James Lutheran School and all parents in your prayers. Hymn 866 ends with these words: "Then guard and keep us to the end, Secure in You, our gracious friend, That in Your heav'nly family We sing Your praise eternally.

Any gift you choose to give will be greatly appreciated.

In Christ,
Pastor Rempfer

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Name _____
Address _____
Amount given _____

Please drop your gift by the office or mail your gift to:
St. James Lutheran School, 900 S. 17th, Quincy, IL 62301
Checks should be made payable to St. James Lutheran School

PUZZLE PAGE

JESUS

by

Bill Schlegl

Write the letter that follows each letter given. You will learn why we follow Jesus in our daily lives.

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2018 Life Chain: Sunday, October 7th, 2:30 pm-3:30 pm - South Side of Broadway between 14th & 18th Streets, Quincy, IL Right to Life supporters will again join with pro-lifers in over 1400 other U.S. cities in a nationwide observance of the sanctity of life at the 2018 Life Chain. Life Chain is a peaceful and respectful public witness by pro-life Americans standing for one hour praying silently for our nation and for an end to abortion. (Those not able to stand for one hour may bring lawn chairs) **Please** join the pro-life community in making a visual statement of pro-life solidarity. **This is a great opportunity to impact 1000's of passers-by with the pro-life message.** Pick up your sign at the SW corner of 16th and Broadway between 2:00 and 2:30 pm. The National Life Chain signs are provided for each participant by the Right to Life of Adams County.