

# November 2018 Newsletter



## Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

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#### To the people of God at Our Redeemer,

As part of our Confirmation curriculum, on **Wednesday, November 7**, the students will be instructed on how to set up for Holy Communion. We are also asking that at least one parent joins them. The idea for this came from our Evangelism Committee and is a good reminder that "evangelism" (i.e. the spread of the Gospel) doesn't just mean reaching out to people outside of the church. We all are in constant need to learn and grow in our knowledge and understanding of God and His gifts of Word and Sacrament.

I so appreciated this suggestion because it will offer time with the students and parents to talk in detail about the body and blood of Christ and why we handle the consecrated bread and wine with such care and reverence. Handling the elements with care and reverence should be self-evident. After all, how else would you handle the body and blood of the Son of God?

As my dad likes to say, if you want to know what a church really believes about the real presence of Christ in the Sacrament, look to see how the altar guild handles the elements. If they really believe Jesus' words when He says, "This is My body" and "This is My blood" then those taking care of those elements will treat them with reverence and awe.

I will openly admit that there is an ulterior motive in having the parents involved. It is my hope that families will see doing the work of the Altar Guild as an honor and a privilege to serve the Lord and His church. Going back to the Old Testament, in Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy, there are entire sections devoted to the detail of handling that which is sacred. In I Kings 6-8, where Solomon builds and furnishes the Temple, much detail is addressed in regard to handling that which is sacred.

I could go on and on with biblical references because showing reverence for God by handling sacred things with reverence has always been at the forefront of the worship life of the people of God. Being entrusted with the privilege to handle that which is sacred is no small thing. Serving at the altar of the Lord is also a joyous work. As I like to say, "I have never had a bad day in God's House."

In Christ,

Pastor Eden

## August 2018 Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual

Income	Jan – Sep '18	Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget
001 · 001 General Offerings	217,928.44	226,140.75	-8,212.31	96.4%
002 · 002 Together in Mission	6,450.00			
003 · 003 Loose Plate	5,436.05	5,245.51	190.54	103.6%
005 · Special	4,052.72			
005.41 VBS Meals	10.00			
006 ⋅ Bequest Income	356.09			
007 · Securities Income	3,321.72			
008 · 008 PLuS Fund-Raising	0.00	2,250.00	-2,250.00	0.0%
009 · 009 Building Fund	412.88			
011 · 011 General Fund Interest	17.77	37.49	-19.72	47.4%
013 · 013 Kleinsorge MMK Income	Int. 109.32			
014 · 014 Building Fund MMK	550.00			
015 · 015 Kleinsorge Bequest Inter	rest 356.09			
016 · 016 Memorial Fund Interest	155.05			
017 · 017 Memorial Fund MM	15,275.00			
019 · 019 ORLC Scrip Fund	7,000.00	5,250.01	1,749.99	133.3%
020 · Brackensick Bequeth	0.00	4,350.01	<u>-4,350.01</u>	0.0%
Total Income	261,431.13	243,273.77	18,157.36	107.5%
Expense				
Mission	17,289.00	12,749.99	4,539.01	135.6%
Personnel	139,816.50	148,981.70	-9,165.20	93.8%
Program	48,201.32	65,554.57	-17,353.25	73.5%
Property	29,443.28	26,077.47	3,365.81	112.9%
500 · Special Expenses	1,419.36			
600 · Building Fund Expense	4,860.00			
700 · Memorial Fund Expense	12,321.58			
800. Endowment Fund Expense	4,194.00			
Total Expense	257,545.04	253,363.73	4,181.31	101.7%
Net Income	3,886.09	-10,089.96	13,976.05	- 38.5%

## ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL

217-222-8267

**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!

**FIELD TRIPS** – The example of Christ taking His disciples to places of action was a very positive demonstration of "learning by doing." They went to the Temple, the seaside, the desert and various villages. At St. James School we follow His example by exposing students to firsthand experiences with people, places, or things through different field trips like the Log Cabin, pumpkin patch, drama at QCT, Continental Cement, Cameron Caves, John Wood Museum, Lincoln Museum to name just a few. We are always looking for interesting places to go. If you have any ideas, please share them with Principal Landskroener.

#### **EAGLE VISION**

**E**VERYONE deserves our respect; **A**CT with kindness; **G**OD'S LOVE is our greatest strength; **L**OVE one another; **E**VERY DAY live for Jesus; **S**HOW OTHERS we are Christians.

## Who's Who at Our Redeemer

President	Stan Yelton (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2019			
Vice-President	Chet Vahle (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2019			
Secretary	Barb Vahle (2 <sup>nd</sup> term )	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2019			
Treasurer	Michele Clevenger (1st term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2019			
Financial Secretary	Wanda Spohr (1st term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2019			
Education Board	Melissa Knapp, S.S. Supt., ex officio	Appointed			
	Gretchen Wolfmeyer (3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
	Ryan Vaughn (3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
Board of Elders					
434-8708	Larry Foster (2 <sup>nd</sup> term) – Communion Asst.	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
617-7312	Darrell Drescher (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)–Special Services	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
228-3127	Jerry Lunt (1st term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
223-7949	Bill Haire (2 <sup>nd</sup> term) – Saturday Ushers	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
440-3606	Steve Schoch (1st term) – Altar Care	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
430-2460	Jeff Wolfmeyer (1st term) – Sunday Ushers	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
Evangelism Board	Ruth Ann Snowden (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
	Michele Balzer (1 <sup>st</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
Property Board	Jeff Smith (3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
	Gary Hyer (1st term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
Stewardship Board	Larry Ehmen (3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2017 – Sept. 2019			
	David Pellman (3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
Youth Ministry	Jamie Louderback (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			
Endowment Chair	Larry Ehmen (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)	Oct. 2018 – Sept. 2020			



**UPCOMING...** 

November 1 –

Hall

monthly meeting,

December 2nd -

for Advent' evening

December 7th -

**Christmas Party** 

December 12th -

Dinner, before the

Midweek Advent

service

'Preparing Our Hearts

6:30pm, Fellowship

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.

#### **October News**

Thanks to Jamie Louderback and Colleen Westberg for hosting our meeting. The agenda included...

- Final plans for LWML Sunday
- Discussion of Advent events
- Shut-in bags for Christmas
- Quilts for vets (2019 District Convention)

A BIG THANK YOU to all who attended the LWML breakfast & supported with their mites! We collected over \$400 to send to the District to help reach our \$95,000 goal!

#### **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

We will resume posting our Central Illinois District Mission Grants in January! In the meantime, how can you help to fund these Mission Grants...

Support your LWML Evening
Ladies Aid society by
continuing to fill a mite box and
giving it to Renée Benedetto or
dropping your change and/or
\$'s into the large acrylic mite
box on the table in the Narthex!
We so appreciate your generous
support!

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!!!

#### Lutheran Braille Workers, Laborers of Love...\$100,000

This grant will provide visually challenged and blind persons a free braille or large print copy of the English Standard Version (ESV) Bible. Each Bible consists of 37 volumes and costs \$185. LBW will produce 20,000 Bibles in over 100 Work Centers in the United States trying to reach the 11 million blind or visually impaired in our country of which 95% are unchurched. With your prayers and mite box donations, this vital ministry will share the Gospel of Jesus Christ so that many sight impaired people will "see" Jesus as their Savior. 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:

Mr. Ian M. Heinze, Campus Post Office Box, 801 Seminary Place, Saint Louis, MO 63105

#### **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

#### **November News & Notes**

**Senior Singles Lunch** will meet again **Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>** at 11:30 AM. Please sign up in Narthex to go to **Coach House**.

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

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: <a href="https://vimeo.com/139492632">https://vimeo.com/139492632</a> (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.

**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.

#### **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 \$10 per tote bag.** They are available before & after the Saturday and Sunday services.

**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.

**The Western Illinois Dream Factory** is a non-profit organization which fulfils the dreams of critically and cronically 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 Hildebrad at 217-779-3961 for more info or a presentation.

**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 blod clots form 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 Conmmuniy 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.

#### More November News & Notes

**ORLC is seeking** to pay someone to remove snow/ice from the church sidewalks and stairs. If interested, please contact the church office.

**Important Proposed Constitution/Bylaw changes** are in the Narthex for review before the next Voters meeting! Because we did not have the required number of voters present to make changes to our constitution, we will vote again at our November meeting.

**Lutheran Older Adult Retreat** 'Growing In Christ XVIII", **Wednesday & Thursday, May 1-2, 2019**. Pere Marquette Lodge, Grafton, IL See the Narthex table for more information.

**Birthright Trivia Night & Silent Auction: Saturday, November 3**<sup>rd</sup> at the Quincy University Health & Fitness Center (3 Court Area) Auction at 5 PM Trivia at 7 PM, \$125 for up to 8 players on a team (\$10 to observe & do auction) food & soda available. See the church office for an entry form.

**Orphan Grain Train** are ready to provide for the needs of those ravished by hurricane Florence & Michael as they did last year in Houston. Thrivent has made it possible for you to double your gifts in support of them, by offering to match up to \$1,000,000. To receive these Matching Funds, go to Thrivent.com and click on the red "Help Now" button. Scroll down to "Hurricane Florence" and click on the "+" sign. Then scroll down to where you see 8 charities listed and click on Orphan grain Train. This will then ask for your information to make the gift. You DO NOT have to be a Thrivent member to have your donation matched by them.

<u>Registration is now open for "WITNESS,"</u> the 2019 National LCMS Campus Ministry Conference, which will be held **January 2–5, 2019**, in Fort Wayne, Ind. **Registration closes November 1**<sup>st</sup>.

Christian Friends of New Americans 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Trivia, Bingo, and silent Auction Sponsored by Thrivent Financial Lutheran Church of Webster Gardens, 8749 Watson Rd., St. Louis, MO 63119, \$20 per adult, \$10 for ages 6-12. See flyer on the Narthex table.



**Camp CILCA Activities: November 2-4** *Women's Scrapbook Retreat* (for all crafters & quilters etc.) Cost \$80 for a shared room. Meals & devotions provided.

**November 9-10** *Men's Target Shooting Retreat* with Rev. Jonathon Fisk. \$65 per person. Targets, Earplugs & Safety Glasses provided. Hotel-like accommodations. See Flyer on the Narthex table.

**LCMS Life Conference:** Joy:fully Alive – Alive > Body & Soul, **January 17-19, 2019**, Alexandria Va. See the flyer on the Narthex table. You are invited to join the LCMS Life Conference to learn to live in Christ's love amidst a culture of death. LCMS Life Ministry will also participate in the National March for Life in Washington, D.C., on Friday, Jan. 18. Even if you cannot attend the Life Conference, you are invited to join the LCMS at the march

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#### **Miscellaneous Constant Information**

#### Newsletter & Calendar Deadline -

All newsletter & Calendar submissions must be sent in **no later than the 20**<sup>th</sup> **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.

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

*3<sup>rd</sup> 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@ourredeemerguincy.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 <a href="www.lifelinkadoption.org">www.lifelinkadoption.org</a> or contact us at 630-521-8281 or <a href="mailto:international Adoption">intadopt@lifelinkadoption.org</a>. Lifelink International Adoption is a program of Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois.

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# **November Birthdays**

1	Tory Hufendick	13	Renee Durst	23	Lori Post
3	Buddy Weisenburger Jr	15	Dennis Fleming	24	Marjorie Baker 80
5	Steve Voepel	15	Cody Martin	24	Derek Ott
6	Karen Lohmeyer	16	Andrew Allen	24	Paul Weisheit
7	Bethany Foster	16	Evan Baker	25	Carolyn Cramlett
8	Bruce Burner 75	16	John Church	25	Rob Tipton
8	Ruth Graham	16	Lori Klauser	27	Jeremy Holtman
9	Gail Church	18	Shelia McElfresh	29	Bee Wagner 91
9	Colleen Westberg	19	John Baker	29	Adrian Zehnle
10	Frank Hanawalt Jr	20	Jesse Schweitzer	30	Stephanie Bush
12	Donna Johnson	22	Rod Allensworth	30	Rod Hibbert
13	Mayce Bent	22	Heather Feinstein	30	Brandon McGartland
13	Danielle Deeter	22	Matt Weppler	30	Kristen Vahle
		23	Dexter Goetz		

# **November Baptisms**

2	Piper Clevenger	9	Becky Lucas	23	Ace Weisenburger III
3	Martin Eden	9	Joann Reichert	24	Ethan Clevenger
4	Jerry Lunt	10	Bryan Baird	24	Quinton Hibbert
6	Caleb Buss	10	Danny Baker	26	Ethan Sass
6	Ray Johnson	10	Kensey McGartland	27	John Baker
7	Jeanette Wyatt	13	Eben Fischer	27	Robert Gooding
8	Nancy Bluhm	13	Alex Fitch	28	Jan Colvin
8	Audrea Fitch	13	Beth Lucas	28	Erik Mix
8	Hayley Harvey	14	Tanner Clevenger	29	Karen Lohmeyer
8	William Schlegl	17	Lori Klauser	30	Erica Dedert
8	Curt Spohr	19	Amy Killday	30	Pat Florey
9	Kriss Frink	22	Angie Nixon	30	Kari Foulk
9	Autumn Lucas	23	Dexter Goetz	30	Keaton Jones

# **November Anniversaries**

5	Carl and Carol Muehring	63 years
20	Ryan and Tina Vaughn	14 years
22	Larry and Reva Ehmen	56 years
26	Harry and Barb Hall	43 years
26	Jim and Shelly Holtman	33 years
27	Dave and Jessica Showman	19 years
28	Gene and Nancy Bluhm	59 years

# **Assignments for November 2018**

#### **Communion Assistants:**

Saturday, November 3 at 5 PM	Dennis Go	
Sunday, November 4 at 9 AM	Chris Knapp	Ryan Vaughn
Saturday, November 10 at 5 PM	Dennis Go	
Sunday, November 11 at 9 AM	Jerry Lunt	Larry Foster
Saturday, November 17 at 5 PM	Dennis Go	
Sunday, November 18 at 9 AM	Gary Hyer	Steve Kaiser
Saturday, November 24 at 5 PM	Dennis Go	
Sunday, November 25 at 9 AM	Brad Ehmen	Ryan Vaughn

#### **Ushers:**

Saturdays at 5:00 PM	Rob Edwards
Sundays at 9:00 AM	Terry Morse, Terry Lannerd, Stan Yelton, Nathan Hoebing, and Steve Hyer
Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, November 21st at 7:00 PM	Steve Kaiser, Bill Haire, and Darrell Drescher

**Counters:** Larry Ehmen and Emily Becker

Registration Slips: Ellie Bowles

Altar Care: Laura Essington, Shelly Holtman, Ruth Snowden

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

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November Puzzle Answer (Puzzle on page 12)

And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him. Colossians 3:17

## **Pastoral Report**

(September 1 - September 30, 2018)

#### **Official Acts**

#### **Baptisms**

#### **First Communion**

Lily Marie Kuhn - September 30, 2018 Bradley Lee Longcor III - September 30, 2018 Conall Stanley Wolfmeyer - September 30, 2018

#### **Adult Confirmation**

Elizabeth Fodor - September 22, 2018

#### **Youth Confirmation**

#### Marriages

Bethany Foster & Allyus Fritz – September 2, 2018 Clint Gooding & Michele Ohnemus – September 29, 2018

#### **Funerals**

#### **Membership Changes**

Gains [+0B, +0C]

**Baptisms** [+0B, +0C]

Adult Confirmations [+0B, +0C]

Elizabeth Fodor - September 22

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	n. 1, 2018 Gains		Sept. 30, 2018
Baptized	569	+9	-10	568
Confirmed	438	+13	-10	441

# PUZZLE PAGE THANKFULNESS

by

# **Bill Schlegl**

Write the letter that follows each letter given. You will learn about being thankful to your Lord.

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