





### **2022 Newsletter** Our Redeemer Lutheran Church The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

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

June is a special month in the life of the Lutheran Church as it was on June 25, 1530 that the Augsburg Confession was first presented as a statement of faith which we confess as being a correct exposition of the Word of God, and it has never been shown to be contrary to the Word. That should give all of us great confidence that what we believe, teach, and confess is faithful. It has stood the test of time.

As we lead up to the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of that event, there are other milestones worthy of mentioning which occurred. Martin Luther published the New Testament in German 500 years ago, in the year 1522. Amazingly, he translated it in its entirety in only 10 weeks while he was in hiding in Wartburg Castle, as he had been declared an outlaw.

Of all the events of Luther's life, this is the most profound and important, and I would argue that this was the most profound event in the history of the Medieval church. Luther did not have the opportunity to read Scripture until he went to study for his doctorate in theology, even though he had been ordained as a priest several years earlier. Now, ordinary Christians could read the words of Christ in their own language.

Luther's translation inspired William Tyndale, who was ordained in 1521 and was considered an outlaw in England for desiring to translate the Bible into English. In 1525, Tyndale joined Luther at Wittenberg and did his translating work in the safety of Prince Frederick's jurisdiction. In 1526, Tyndale's Bible was printed in Germany and smuggled into England. His English translation was heavily influenced by Luther's German Bible. Tyndale was arrested in Antwerp, Belgium and burned at the stake in 1536. It was a dangerous time.

In 1607, King James authorized an official English Bible which was printed in 1611. The 47 translators were instructed not to use Tyndale's translation as influence. They ignored that instruction and modern scholars note that most of the KJV is identical to or at least heavily influenced by Tyndale because they saw no reason to "reinvent the wheel." As a Lutheran, I like to point out that Tyndale's English was particularly close to Luther's German translation, and Tyndale's translation was considered so good and accurate that it became the basis for the KJV – even though the King had instructed them to the contrary. So I will point out once again that Luther completed his New Testament in 10 weeks. Luther's genius is unmatched. In my humble opinion, his only competition is St. Augustine.

I am excited that through the coming years, we will have many more significant events in the life of Luther which we will celebrate as a 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary. However, none will be more impactful than the Word of God coming into the language of the people.

In Christ,

Pastor Eden

### Who's Who at Our Redeemer

President	Chet Vahle (2nd term)	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2022
Vice-President	Chris Knapp (2nd term)	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2022
Secretary	Michele Urbon (2nd term)	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2022
Treasurer	Josh Hennig (1st term)	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2022
Financial Secretary	Melanie Zehnle (1st term) – Counters	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2022
Education Board	Melissa Knapp, S.S. Supt., ex officio	Appointed
	Heidi Schlipman (1st term)	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
	VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
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Board of Elders	Bob Mehl <i>(1st term)</i> – Special Services	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
	Dennis Fleming <i>(1st term)</i> – Communion Asst.	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
	Gene Bluhm <i>(2nd term)</i> – Sunday Ushers	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
	Mike Herschler (1st term) – Saturday Ushers	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
	VOLUNTEER NEEDED – Head Elder - Recording	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
	Jeff Wolfmeyer (2nd term) – Altar Care	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
Evangelism Board	VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
	VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
Property Board	Gary Herman (1st term)	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
	Gary Hyer (2nd term)	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
Stewardship Board	Hannah Ajdinovich (2nd term)	Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2023
	Larry Ehmen (1st term)	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
Youth Ministry	Jamie Louderback (3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022
Endowment Chair	Larry Ehmen <i>(3<sup>rd</sup> term)</i>	Oct. 2020 – Sept. 2022

#### **Official Acts**

Baptisms First Communion Youth Confirmation

> Lily Marie Kuhn – April 10, 2022 – John 14:6 Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

**Conall Stanley Wolfmeyer** – April 10, 2022 – Psalm 46:1 God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.

#### Adult Confirmation Marriages Funerals

#### **Membership Changes**

Gains [+0B, +2C] Baptisms [+0B, +0C] Adult Confirmations & Baptisms [+0B, +0C] Youth Confirmations [+0B, +2C]

Lily Marie Kuhn – April 10, 2022

#### Conall Stanley Wolfmeyer - April 10, 2022

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

Losses [-0B, -0C] Death [-0B, -0C] Transfers Out [-0B, -0C] Requested Removal [-0B, -0C]

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

Membership	January 1, 2022	Gains	Losses	April 30, 2022
Baptized	584	+4	-0	588
Confirmed	458	+6	-0	464

#### **Upcoming Events**

June 15: Church Council 7 PM June 26: Ian Heinze Ordination at St. James July 9-13: National Youth Gathering, Houston, TX July 20: Elders Meeting 6 PM September 18: Church Picnic October 7 & 8: LWML Garage Sale December 31: New Year's Eve Service at 5 PM

#### June Puzzle Answer (Puzzle on Page 12)

For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them. Matthew 18.20

## **Remembering In Our Prayers**

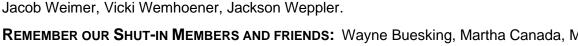


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**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY SERVICES:** Mark & Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Steve Clark, Aaron DeWerff, Michael Goodwin, Robert Goodwin, John Haines, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Levi Meyer, Jeremy Schwartz,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

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS:** Nick Austin, Sean Burner, Martha Canada, Steve Dunker, Jim Elliott, Lynda Hinkamper, Elaine Hyer, Becki Jones, Kim Long, Meghan Meyer, Michael Morgan, Carl Muehring, Angela Osmundsen, Sutton Perry-Brockemeier, Michelle Reinberg-Page, David Rickey, Cole Schullian, Kory Tournear,



**REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:** Wayne Buesking, Martha Canada, Marcia Clevenger, Joann Durbin, Pat Florey, Marilyn Hanawalt, Isabelle Hillerts, Lynda Hinkamper, Elaine Hyer, Todd Schroeder, Kitty Schuckman, Warren Vahle.

### 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 Savior Lutheran Church of Uganda - Magamaga

### **Our Seminary Students**

Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN:

James & Amanda Martin with Emilee and Joseph will be going to Holy Cross for vicarage 4107 21st Ave, Moline, IL 61265

**Timothy & April Benzinger** with Trent, Kaela, Jakob, and Hadassah 4153 Woodstock Drive, Fort Wayne, IN 46815

Elizabeth Fodor 6600 N Clinton St, PO Box 412, Fort Wayne, IN 46825

Concordia Theological Seminary, Saint Louis, MO:

Ian & Sarah Heinze with Gabriel received their call to Saint Paul Lutheran Church 121 North Pearl Street; Havana, IL 62644

Ethan & Krista Boester 801 Seminary PI, St. 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 3, 4 & Kindergarten – Gina Eickelschulte Grades 1 - 4 – **VOLUNTEER NEEDED** Grades 5-8 – Cyndi Ott Teens – Gretchen Wolfmeyer Substitutes – Monica Foster and Melanie Drescher



### June News & Notes

#### Graduation and Thank You Cards now in stock!

**Our Savior's, Springfield is hosting a seminar on Job**. This event is free, with lunch included, so registration is encouraged. Title: **When Things Go Bad: Walking with God's Servant Job** Date: **June 4th, 2022** Location: Our Savior's Lutheran Church (Parish Hall) Time: **8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.** Cost: Free Presenter: Pastor Henry Rowold former professor at St. Louis Seminary This Lay Bible Seminar will take an unblinking look at one of God's servants, Job, as he confronts crisis after crisis and relates them to his faith in the Lord. Although we pray we never need face all of the crises of Job, we all search for answers as sinners in a sinful world. A small lunch will be provided. All are invited. We request those who plan to come please register at <u>oursaviors-church.org/When-Things-Go-Bad</u> to sign up. Questions? Email Newlyn Hosea at <u>nhosea@yahoo.com</u>

Future NYG meetings: June 5, 6:30 PM at LCoSJ; June 26, 9:00 AM – Commissioning Service at ORLC, 6:30 PM meeting at LCoSJ for youth and their parents.

**SUMMER BIBLE STUDY** – Starting **June 7 at 9:15 AM**, our Tuesday Bible Study group will begin "Where Love Abides," an 8 week study based on John 15:1-17 by Donna Pyle. All are welcome!



You are invited to a "Small Church Summit" on June 11, 2022, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. This is the Saturday after Pentecost. What's more, it is St. Barnabas Day. What a great occasion to dwell on the comfort of the Holy Spirit and to encourage one another with the Good News, as Barnabas did!

This Small Church Summit is for Central Illinois District and Southern Illinois District congregations. It will be hosted by Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Farmersville, Illinois. It is a free event for pastors and laypeople. Groups of up to 5 people are encouraged to attend. You don't know if your church qualifies as "small"? If you think you do, by all means, come!

There will be an opening Matins service, then introductions. Next, participants will talk about positive points concerning their churches, and also challenges. After lunch, they will apply various positives to the challenges identified that morning. We look forward to a cross-pollination of ideas! **To register** (please do so on or before June 7), or simply for additional information, contact the Central Illinois District office. Telephone (217) 793-1802 or e-mail cid@cidlcms.org

CareNet Baby Bottles are now available. Please take them and return them by Father's Day.

**MYSTERY DINNER** – St. James Youth will be hosting a Mystery Dinner night on **Friday, June 24th at 6:30 pm** in the St. James School cafeteria. \$20 per person, advance reservations are required. All funds will be used to send the youth to the Youth Gathering.

**LWML** will host its 8<sup>th</sup> annual **garage sale Friday and Saturday October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>**. We appreciate donations for this project where all proceeds go to missions! This is a great way to get rid of items you no longer need or use. *This year we are asking you not to bring clothing.* We have not seen a lot of success in moving clothing and St. John's Clothing Closet is closed. If you have merchandise you need to move now, we can accept it in a Sunday School room in the basement. Preferably, we would appreciate you holding onto items until September. *We cannot accept TVs.* Also, please be sure all donations are in sellable condition! Thank you for your donations! We're looking forward to another successful sale!

#### Scrip Update:

Week ending:	1-May	8-May	9-May	22-May
Profit:	\$50.13	\$46.21	\$45.00	\$147.24
# orders:	9	9	1	19
Profit/Order:	\$5.57	\$5.13	\$45.00	\$7.75
Overall Profit:	\$1,476.21	\$1,522.42	\$1,567.42	\$1,714.65

If you are interested in buying e-gift cards using your bank account, you can sign up through the RAISE RIGHT app using our unique code: **2A5C88A124398** 

### June News & Notes (continued)

#### **Opportunities To Serve:**

We **need volunteer drivers** to assist church members in need of transportation for appointments, and shopping items! If you would be willing to help in this important service to our members please contact the church office to be included in our drivers list. Thank you!.

We are looking for **person to share the Sunday School teaching** duties for the **1st through 4th grade** class starting in the fall. We have one individual signed on to help with the class, and looking for another teacher. The two individuals can then work together on a teaching schedule.

We are also looking for a person (or two) to lead the Sunday School opening. This position would start in the fall term. In the past, the Opening Leader leads a devotion and also leads the children in song. We are also looking for someone to accompany the children on the piano during the opening. Please prayerfully consider both of these opportunities to serve!

**Recycling Ink Cartridges** will benefit Our Savior Lutheran Church -- Magamaga in Uganda. Rev. Peter Maganda and the members of Our Savior are buying and distributing food to those in the area. Please help by: 1. Either dropping off your used inkjet cartridges at church (where we will gather and then mail a combined shipment to Planet Green,) 2. Mailing your used empty inkjet cartridges by following these steps; Gather 4 or more ink cartridges. Retrieve FREE USPS label by using our **Program ID Code 31683** at planetgreenrecycle.com, print, and mail.

**Hearing Devices are available** to assist in listening to the Church services! Anyone who would like to use a device contact the Church Office for arrangements and one will be set up for you.

**Did you recently have someone or a new family move to your neighborhood?** The Evandelism Committee has a Welcome basket that you can give them while introducing yourself and inviting them to our church. Baskets are downstairs on the table as you enter the basement.

Adopt a Lutheran School Student This fund is to help the families of children that are currently attending St. James school. If making a donation, please specify if it is for our children in need or for the tuition Endowment Fund which we are building to help the church and families with tuition in the future.

**Thank you** to all who have supported the Youth Group. We are pleased to announce that **we have met our financial goal** for seven youth and three adults to attend the National Youth Gathering this July in Houston, TX. **ORLC Youth Group** 

### Assignments for June 2022

<b>Ushers:</b> (*denotes Communion Assista
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Saturdays at 5:00 PM	Virgil Rosendale, Bob Mehl*, Bill Humphrey*, Dennis Baker*
Sundays at 9:00 AM	Jerry Lunt*, Larry Foster*, Nathan Hoebing*, Gene Bluhm

**Counters:** Larry Ehmen and Marty Otto

Registration Slips: Tina Vaughn with Grace and Gabi

Altar Care: Becky Lunt, Gina Eickelschulte, Monica Foster

Service Recording:	June 5 at 9 AM – Gretchen
	June 12 at 9 AM – Keith
	June 19 at 9 AM – Larry
	June 26 at 9 AM – Keith

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

#### ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL News <u>https://www.stjamesquincyschool.org</u> 217-222-8267

The **school office will be open this summer**. Hours will be varied, so **please call ahead or email** if you need to access the school.

Vacation Bible School (VBS) St. James Church VBS "Monumental" Celebrating God's Greatness is June 13th – 17th, 9am – noon. Contact the church office to register at 217/222-8447.

Share St. James Lutheran School with friends and family - enrollment for 2022-23 is OPEN!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS Monday, August 15, 2022, Back-to-School Open House & Ice Cream Social, 5:30pm. Meet the Teacher and Bring in School Supplies.

**St. James is looking to fill these positions,** Interested candidates please submit a resume to St. James Lutheran School, 900 S 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Quincy, IL or email <u>schooloffice@stjamesquincy.org</u>.

#### JOB TITLE: Paraeducator (Teacher Aide)

- 10-month work year (School Days)
- Hours 8:00am 11:30am

The purpose of the position is to assist classroom teachers, or principal, with duties regarding the students.

#### JOB TITLE: SCHOOL SECRETARY

- 10-month work year
- Hours 8am 1pm

The school secretary serves as the face of the school, greeting students and parents and providing them with information. Secretaries schedule appointments, answer phones and give administrative support to teachers and school officials. They help maintain records on students.

#### JOB TITLE: HOT LUNCH DIRECTOR

- 10-month work year (School Days)
- Hours 7am 1:30pm

The Hot Lunch Director manages the overall child nutrition program of the kitchen and oversees the preparation of food and distribution of supplies for the lunchroom and activities of the kitchen.

LABELS and UPCS: Please continue to save Hy-Vee UPCs and Tyson A+ labels during the summer. Then, place them in the container in the classroom or in the church narthex basket. Box Tops for Education labels now need to be scanned on the BTFE app on your phone. REGISTER St. James Lutheran School on the APP and SCAN YOUR REGISTER RECEIPT which lists the box top products purchased. The earnings will automatically be deposited in the St. James account. Scan EACH TIME you purchase a BTFE product. All of these funds help to support the school library. Thank you! *Mrs. Hagemann* 

#### 2022 Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual

Income	Mar '22	Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget
001 · 001 General Offerings	99,715.93	82,500.00	17,215.93	120.9%
003 · 003 Loose Plate	431.00	625.02	-194.02	69.0%
Total Interest Income	1.64	1.23	0.41	133.3%
019 - 019 ORLC Scrip Fund	1,564.55	1,125.00	439.55	139.1%
020 · 020 Bequest Fund \$ Designated	0.00	150.00	-150.00	0.0%
Total Income	101,713.12	84,401.25	17,311.87	120.5%
Mission	6,500.00	4,875.00	1,625.00	133.3%
Personnel	45,901.35	53,983.70	-8,082.35	85.0%
Program	20,362.29	19,652.85	709.44	103.6%
Property	<u>13,001.50</u>	<u>13,848.48</u>	<u>-846.98</u>	<u> </u>
Total Expense	85,765.14	92,360.03	-6,594.89	92.9%
Net Income	<u>15,947.98</u>	-7,958.78	23,906.76	-200.4%



#### *We welcome you to join us in "Serving the Lord with Gladness"!* Did you know that you can be a member of LWML without attending meetings? Please speak to one of our LWML members or call Laurie Bronson at 217-617-7267. To learn more about the mission and great history of the LWML, go to www.lwml.org.

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

# JUPCOMING... June 2<sup>nd</sup> – Carry-in Picnic Social, 6 pm, Fellowship Hall July – Fun birthday outing to celebrate all of our birthdays. Date TBA. Aug. 4<sup>th</sup> – monthly mtg., 6:30 pm, Fellowship Hall Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> – Carry-in mtg., 6 pm @ Reva's

#### June News

Jane Haschemeyer and Pat Baker served as hostesses for the evening...thank you!

No major business, so our time was spent with a wonderful Bible Study on being, "Always Thankful" through all circumstances. Great way to spend the evening!

October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> are the dates set for our annual rummage sale. Watch for the announcement as to when you can start bringing your donations to the church.

#### Our 2022 Missions Projects

National - Lutheran Hour Ministries, Concordia Seminary Food Banks, Dakota Girls & Boys Ranch, Lutheran Bible Translators Local – ORLC St. James Endowment Fund, Camp Callahan, Camp Cilca, ORLC Youth Group 2021 - 2022 LWML CID Mission Grants

New Mission Grants were selected by our delegates at the CID Convention last month and will be featured here soon!

Please support our mission grants by donating to our LWML group mite fund! Every donation is so appreciated!

Our CID mission goal is \$105,000, of which \$78,750 is for our grants and the remainder for our national mission 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 Grants 2021-2023

LWML has donated over \$125 million since 1942

#### Redeeming Life Maternity Home, Illinois Expansion - \$100,000

Illinois has some of the most liberal abortion laws in the country, with over 42,000 babies killed by abortion in 2018. Redeeming Life Outreach Ministries is expanding their love, forgiveness, and support of single, at-risk mothers from Florida to the Chicago, Illinois area, helping women choose life for their unborn child. A deaconess will provide life skills, mentor pregnant at-risk women, and most importantly, share the unconditional love and forgiveness of Jesus

For more information about this mission, go to lwml.org, hover over missions and click on Mission Grant.

### **Miscellaneous Constant Information**

#### Newsletter & Calendar Deadline -

All newsletter & Calendar submissions must be sent in **no later than the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month**. Please let the church office know about any needed changes.

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

#### 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. *We no longer accept Campbell's Soup Labels.* 

 $3^{rd}$  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.).

**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. 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! *We no longer accept Campbell's Soup Labels.* 

#### 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' 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.

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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.

**College Students:** If anyone knows of any students attending college, please let the office know and we would be happy to get them in touch with their local campus Pastor.

- 1 Kitty Schuckman
- 2 Hannah Ajdinovich
- 2 Jim Bangert
- 4 Scott Baird
- 4 Irene Drescher
- 5 Trent Douglas
- 5 Larry Bugh
- 7 Marilyn Hanawalt
- 8 Kent Schnack
- 8 Kirk Wemhoener
- 8 Patricia Baker
- 8 AI Ebel
- 9 Amya Allensworth
- 9 Brenda Fleming
- 10 Madeline Ehmen
- 10 Dennis Go
- 11 Ev McDowell
- 11 Allison Smith
- 1 Ruth Snowden
- 3 Marcia Clevenger
- 4 Gary Cramlett
- 5 Linda Go
- 6 Dan Hufendick
- 7 Gary Hyer
- 8 Holly Casanova
- 9 Emma Fischer
- 9 Kaitlyn Fischer

11 Chris Clevenger

June Birthdays

- 12 Janelle Healy
- 12 Ada Miller
- 13 Heather Meyer
- 13 Craig Wiesemann
- 14 Lynn Sharrow
- 14 Dane Douglas
- 14 Amanda Spilker
- 14 Connie Louderback
- 15 Debbie Manton
- 15 Avery Schlipman
- 15 Stephanie Yates
- 16 Carol Muehring
- 18 Todd Shackelford
- 19 Marilyn Lehenbauer
- 19 Terry Vaughn
- 20 Lee Hyer
- 20 Gracelynn Smith
- 20 Sandra Peters

### **June Baptisms**

- 9 Sky Fischer
- 10 Jessie Huebner
- 13 David Showman Jr.
- 13 Arlo Ott
- 13 Evie Ajdinovich
- 16 Nela Church
- 16 Chance Clevenger
- 17 Mike Vahle
- 21 Gina Eickelschulte
- 21 Dalton Stockdale

- 21 Victoria Fitch
- 21 Mike Schoch
- 22 Laurie Bronson
- 22 Melissa Knapp
- 22 Addison Kuhn
- 22 Jamie Louderback
- 22 Jessica Weisenburger
- 23 Raven Bugh
- 23 Betty Blumenkamp
- 24 Alexandrea Scharnhorst
- 25 Sam Killday
- 26 Gretchen Wolfmeyer
- 26 Tom Wemhoener
- 26 Donna Goodwin
- 26 Audrey Howell
- 27 Frank Baird
- 29 Barb Wright
- 30 Karol Ehmen
- 23 Brandy Gilbert
- 23 Dick Reichert
- 25 Gretta Otto
- 26 Kirk Wemhoener
- 26 Addison Kuhn
- 27 Alexandrea Scharnhorst
- 28 Sherry Yelton
- 29 Lynn Wombles
- 30 Eric Fischer
- **June Anniversaries**
- 2 Jeremy and Christa Holtman
- 2 Gary and Carol O'Dell
- 5 Mark Adams and Kari Vahle-Adams
- 11 Jim and Denise Lucas
- 11 Chad and Amanda Manton
- 11 Dennis and Darylene Mix
- 12 Bradly and Laura Essington
- 17 Paul and Arjee Weisheit

18 Tafóne and Taylor Mayfield 4 years Ray and Donna Johnson 20 63 years 25 Howard and Ruth Snowden 45 years 27 Larry and Tracy Bugh 30 years 28 James Jones II and Rebecca Jones 31 years 29 Ryan and Michelle Schnack 16 years 30 **Dick and Joann Reichert** 59 years 30 Brandon and Melissa Smith 15 years

Congratulations and Best Wishes to you all!!!

- 4 years
   1

   15 years
   2

   13 years
   2
- 34 years
- 11 years
- 28 years 29 years

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# Summer Activities Word Scramble!

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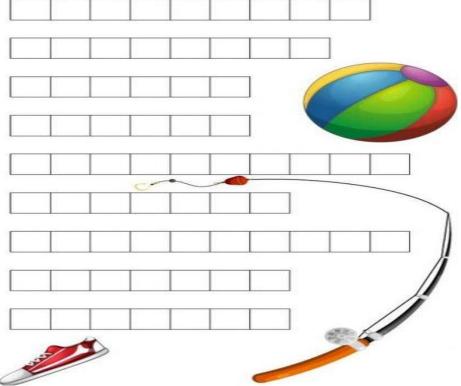
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### **THE CHURCH**

By

**Bill Schlegl** 

Write the letter that follows each letter given. You will learn a reason why we go to church.

E	NQ	VGDQ	D S	VN	NQ	SGQDD
ZQD	FZS	GDQD	CS	NFDSC	G D Q	Н М
LX	MZLC	- <u> </u>	GDQD	ZL	н	НМ
SGD	LH	CRS	NE	SGD	- L	

(Answer Found on Page 3)

Please return the Altar Care Sacristy key if you have borrowed it. Altar Care members noticed it missing.

**Elaine Hyer**'s new phone number is through the Good Samaritan Home switchboard 217-223-8717 and ask for her or extension 2319.

**Thank you** for the get-well cards from Thursday Morning Bible Class. All of your thoughts and prayers are greatly appreciated! *Mary Tipton* 

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