



## 2022 Newsletter

### Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

*The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod*

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

September is going to be an especially busy month for our church in general and for me in particular. In addition to all the extra activities which go along with the new school year, I will be speaking at six LWML Zone Rally's throughout the Central Illinois District. I will be telling them about our support for the mission work in Uganda. The last of the rally's will be **September 22** in Decatur. On **September 23**, I will be picking up Rev. Peter Maganda in St. Louis, as he will be completing a continuing education conference, and will bring him to Quincy for the weekend. Sadly, he will have to leave for Pittsburg on **Monday, September 26**. However, he will be preaching at Our Redeemer that final weekend of the month. Please pray that his visa gets approved, as we are still waiting for his application to be officially accepted.

I thank our church family for the tremendous generosity shown toward the mission work being done in Eastern Uganda. It has been very satisfying to see our mission dollars have immediate and specific impact on the lives of people with whom we share a common confession of faith. The people we have been able to help and support is the focus of my PowerPoint presentation which I will be making to the ladies of the LWML. I will be sharing that presentation with the Sunday morning Bible class on **September 11**. Please join us.

The most satisfying part of getting to know Rev. Maganda and other brother pastors from Uganda over the past three years has been seeing how serious and determined they are to be faithful to Scripture and the Lutheran Confessions. Their example has been a blessing to my ministry and has invigorated me with confidence that Christ's Church is not fading away as some would suggest. It is growing in a dramatic and exciting way in places where it was unknown before.

I look forward to welcoming him to Our Redeemer, giving you the opportunity to meet this faithful man of God, and for him to share with us the ongoing work at the church and school where he serves.

In Christ,  
*Pastor Eden*

## Who's Who at Our Redeemer

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

# Pastoral Report

(July 1 – 31, 2022)

## Official Acts

Baptisms

First Communion

Youth Confirmation

Adult Confirmation

Marriages

Funerals

Jeff Brassfield -- July 7, 2022

## Membership Changes

**Gains** [+5B, +5C]

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

**Adult Confirmations & Baptisms** [+0B, +0C]

**Youth Confirmations** [+0B, +0C]

**Transfers In** [+5B, +5C]

Glenn O'Briant -- May 18, 2022

Susan O'Briant -- May 18, 2022

Glenda O'Briant -- May 18, 2022

Jessie O'Briant -- May 18, 2022

Janice Brassfield -- July 31, 2022

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

**Losses** [-1B, -1C]

**Death** [-0B, -0C]

**Transfers Out** [-1B, -1C]

Betty Blumenkamp -- July 8, 2022

**Requested Removal** [-0B, -0C]

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

Membership	January 1, 2022	Gains	Losses	July 31, 2022
Baptized	584	+12	-3	593
Confirmed	458	+14	-3	469

## September Puzzle Answer *(Puzzle on Page 14)*

People look at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart. 1 Samuel 16:7

# 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, Charles Wheeler.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS:** Nick Austin, Sean Burner, 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, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener, Jackson Weppler.



**REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:** Janice Brassfield, Wayne Buesking, Marcia Clevenger, Jan Colvin, Shirley Dieringer, Joann Durbin, Pat Florey, Marilyn Hanawalt, Isabelle Hillerts, Lynda Hinkamper, Elaine Hyer, Jan Mueller, Kristi Ruxlow, 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 Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz do not live in Papua New Guinea any more. Their new address in the United States is: Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz, 8001 Hope Ln., Waxhaw, North Carolina 28173

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 & Quest Dobbelaire** 2316 Anchor Way Apt.A Fort Wayne, IN 46825

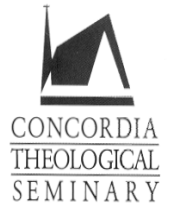
**Concordia Theological Seminary, Saint Louis, MO:**

**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 Pl, 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

# September News & Notes

## Upcoming Events

September 18: Church Picnic  
October 7 & 8: LWML Garage Sale  
October 14-15: Picture Directory Photo Session  
December 31: New Year's Eve Service at 5 PM

The **Camp CILCA Chicken Fry and Auction** will be held on **Sunday, September 4 from 11:30am-2:30pm**. Meals will cost \$10 for adults and will include fresh fried chicken, cole slaw, mashed potatoes, drinks, and dessert. The live auction will begin at 12:30pm in the air conditioned Dining Hall. The Trading Post and beach will be open for a full day of food and fun.

For the **week of September 4**: KFUE Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on KFUE.org via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. Find programs on demand at kfue.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: @KFUEradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. CHRIST FOR YOU This week on KFUE.org: Study Deuteronomy 18-22 on Sharper Iron's "The Law of God is Good and Wise" (weekdays at 8 AM), finish the book of Romans and begin the book of 1 Corinthians on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 AM), and hear conversations from fellow Lutherans from across our church body on The Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9 AM). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfue.org or on the KFUE Radio app!

Please plan on attending the upcoming **LLL Retreat**. The Retreat will be held on **September 10th** at Camp Cilca. We are pleased to have Dr. Schurb from the CID District Office and Dr. Daniel Harmelink from the Concordia Historical Institute in St. Louis presenting together. They will present episodes of the 175 years of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod. Registration will be from 8AM to 9AM. Registration is \$20 which includes lunch. Reservations are requested by September 6 to Deloris Blessman delorisblessman@yahoo.com

For the **week of September 11**: KFUE Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on KFUE.org via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. Find programs on demand at kfue.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: @KFUEradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE.org: Dig into curious topics on Cross Defense (9/17 at 11 AM), study our Lutheran Confessions on Concord Matters (9/17 at 10 AM), and study Deuteronomy 22-26 on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 AM) and 1 Corinthians 2-6 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 AM). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfue.org or the KFUE Radio app!

World Conference of Lutheran Church Leaders Over seventy presidents, bishops, and other leaders from worldwide confessional Lutheran churches will meet in Kisumu, Kenya for the triennial **INTERNATIONAL LUTHERAN COUNCIL WORLD CONFERENCE, September 13-16**. Please pray for safe travel and a blessed conference. For more information about the World Conference and about the International Lutheran Council visit [www.ILCouncil.org](http://www.ILCouncil.org).



**LERT will be hosting a Chainsaw Training** for all LERT volunteers. The training will be held on: **Saturday, September 17, 2022**, Trinity Lutheran Church, 1201 West Jackson Street, Auburn, Illinois 62615, 9 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., (Sign-in begins 8:30 a.m. and sessions begin 9 a.m.) The registration fee

(\$35.00) will include a light breakfast, lunch, manual, and credentials card. If you are already LERT Chainsaw certified, the event is considered continuing education, so there is no charge for re-training. A \$5 to \$8 offering is welcome to help pay for your lunch. To register, follow the registration link below. You will need to register for access to the LCMS LERT website first and then you can view training events and deployments.

To Register: [http://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need\\_id=701238](http://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need_id=701238) All participants will need to bring pants, helmet, ear protection, gloves, chainsaw, chaps, fuel, and bar oil. If you do not have these items, they will be provided to you. For further information, please contact Stephen Born at 217.220.0162 or email at [bornstephen@yahoo.com](mailto:bornstephen@yahoo.com) or Cindy Steinwedel at [cmsteinwedel@gmail.com](mailto:cmsteinwedel@gmail.com)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church Fish Fry When: **September 24th Time: 4:30–7:00pm** (or until we run out of fish)  
Where: 300 S 7th Street La Grange, MO Cost: Free Will Donation (Proceeds for the restoration of sanctuary stained glass.)

**ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL** <https://www.stjamesquincyschool.org> 217-222-8267

Trivia Night for St. James Lutheran School will be **Saturday, October 1st**, doors open at **5:00pm** with Trivia beginning at **6:30pm**. More information will be forthcoming, but go ahead and mark your calendars.

Spaghetti Supper by PTL is scheduled for **October 20th, 5:00pm - 7:00pm** dine in or carry out. This is open to the public.

The **G.R.I.T. Run** is back on **October 1 at Camp CILCA**. Run trails, cross creeks, see great sights, and earn your place with the brave souls who meet this challenge each year. Cost is \$30 for adults and \$10 for children 17 and under. Register at [www.cilca.org/grit-run](http://www.cilca.org/grit-run).

**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!

Christ Lutheran Church, Normal will be hosting a **seminar on Saturday, Oct. 15th**, from **10am-4pm**. Rev. Dr. Lucas Woodford will be the speaker and the topic is "Responding to Critical Race Theory and the Social Justice Movement: A Lutheran Perspective".

**Lutherans for Life National Conference**, Rock Island, IL **Fri. Oct.21, 8:30 AM to 9:00 PM, Sat. Oct. 22 8:30 AM to noon**. Friday Night Banquet & Music. Members \$125, Non Members\$150, Students \$25, 12 & under free.

**Careers for Christ at Concordia in Chicago, 6:30 PM Fri, Oct. 28 thru Sat. Oct. 30** brunch. Entire weekend cost \$75 For High School Student interested church careers. **Register by Oct. 21** online at [CUChicago.edu/C4C](http://CUChicago.edu/C4C)

**New Bible Study** – Please join us on **Tuesdays at 9:15 AM for The Armor of God** Bible study. This seven week study is for adults and there are also teen and children's books available to participate. Please call the office for more information.

**Celebrate the history and work of the LCMS** Considering a trip to St. Louis? We invite you to join us **April 27–29, 2023**, for Lutheran Days STL, a celebration of the history and work of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Explore St. Louis — a city rich in the history and present work of your church — and participate in activities and learning opportunities at area Lutheran sites and institutions, including the LCMS International Center. Designed for student groups, youth and adults, this event will have something for everyone! At the end of Lutheran Days STL, join fellow Lutherans in standing for life at the annual March to the Arch life march on Saturday, April 29, in St. Louis. As plans are finalized, more information will be posted on the [LCMS.org](http://LCMS.org) event page.

**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](http://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.

Friends in Christ: Your kindness in remembering our birthdays and wedding anniversary and the thoughtful notes you wrote in the cards have truly touched our hearts. Years and miles may separate us, but in Jesus you still are very special to us. May you continue to enjoy the richness of our Savior's blessings.

*Donna and Larry Troxel*

Thank You to whomever donated the gift card to us. We appreciate your thoughtfulness!

*Evelyn & Cameron McDowell*



## Opportunities To Serve:

**College Care Packages:** Our first set of care packages are scheduled to be mailed out on **Friday, September 2nd**. In addition to the other items being sent, we are asking the members of ORLC to help by writing down notes of encouragement, your favorite Bible verse and how it has helped you throughout your life, etc. Anything you think might brighten their day. We currently have six participants so please write as many as you wish. We realize this is short notice for the first packages going out so if you are unable to get them to us this time please just drop them off at your convenience and they will go out in a following shipment. We will collect your notes of encouragement and kindness in a box located on the table in the Narthex.

**Volunteers Needed** – Looking to serve the Lord with gladness? Please contact Gretchen to help!

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!

We come to church to worship the Lord, sing praises, learn from his word, and enjoy fellowship with all the other Christians who love the Lord. In order to welcome and encourage our members to attend services, we are going to have **greeters once again at ORLC**, two sets of greeters will be welcoming members and guests to the Sunday morning services. So, If you or your family is called to greet, please be ready to schedule a Sunday to arrive at church at 8 :30 AM, ready to greet fellow members to worship.

## Scrip Update:

Week ending:	7-Aug	14-Aug	15-Aug	21-Aug
Profit:	\$57.18	\$65.74	\$46.25	\$78.61
# orders:	9	10	1	1
Profit/Order:	\$6.35	\$6.57	\$46.25	\$78.61
Overall Profit:	<b>\$2,536.82</b>	<b>\$2,602.56</b>	<b>\$2,648.81</b>	<b>\$2,727.41</b>

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**. Cards ON HAND! We have SHELL cards on hand \$25 (1) and \$50 (3), DOMINOES \$10 (3), HOME DEPOT \$25 (4), LOWES \$25 (2), MENARDS \$25 (4), PANDA EXPRESS \$25 (1), and SONIC \$10 (4). These are just a few of the many cards we have on hand! Stop by the SCRIP table to see if what else we have, or for a full listing of the cards you can order!

Please make sure your cell phones are silenced or off before entering the church sanctuary for services. Minimizing distractions makes for a more meaningful experience for everyone.

**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.

**Our thankfulness to the Lord** and to wonderful members and friends at Our Redeemer for **Pastor Troxel** doing so well one year after his cancer surgery. He is feeling very well and doing a lot more things that, as we look back, he hadn't really felt like doing for a couple of years.

**By God's grace**, and with your help, (LCMS) has been able to meet both spiritual and physical needs of those in Ukraine and those fleeing that country. Please continue your support!

**Haiti's Lutheran Schools:** Hundreds of children whose parents cannot afford to send their children to public school are sending them to our seven schools because you have kept them open. Many lives have been improved and some saved because you cared enough to keep the HLMP (**now MISSION HAITI**) working in Haiti for the past 16 plus years. Your donations provided food, clean drinking water, new/clean clothing, eyeglasses, medical attention, medications, school supplies, school buildings, desks, vehicles and friendship. Please keep in mind that your entire donation to the Haitian Lutheran Mission Project (**now MISSION HAITI**) is spent to meet the needs of the very poorest people in Haiti. We do not send our funds through a third party organization and we have NO administrative costs. Our teams pay their own travel expenses and all of our board members are volunteers.

I pray that **families, church groups and congregations** will make a commitment to **sponsor one or more of our 49 teachers for the coming year so that we can once again keep our schools open and continue feeding our students one meal of rice and beans each school day.**

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[delorisblessman@yahoo.com](mailto:delorisblessman@yahoo.com)

**Lutheran Bible Translators:** In the village of Xhauga, an older man sat, listening to the words of Scripture in his own language. He was overjoyed to know that the project was going to be bringing him a Bible that he would be able to read in his own language. The Shekgalagari team has almost completed the translation process of the New Testament! The next step is the Bible printing process. Join the 500th anniversary celebration of Martin Luther's New Testament translation into the vernacular German. Partner with the Shekgalagari language community to put God's Word in their hands. Give Today!



## 2022 Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual

Income	<u>July '22</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>\$ Over Budget</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
001 - 001 General Offerings	205,396.77	192,500.00	12,896.77	106.7%
003 - 003 Loose Plate	4,651.01	1,458.35	3,192.66	318.9%
Total Interest Income	3.86	2.90	0.96	133.1%
019 - 019 ORLC Scrip Fund	2,564.55	2,625.00	-60.45	97.7%
020 - 020 Bequest Fund \$ Designated	<u>0.00</u>	<u>350.00</u>	<u>-350.00</u>	<u>0.0%</u>
Total Income	212,616.19	196,936.25	15,679.94	108.0%
Mission	11,500.00	11,375.00	125.00	101.1%
Personnel	105,980.87	125,962.06	-19,981.19	84.1%
Program	39,404.56	45,856.50	-6,451.94	85.9%
Property	<u>35,423.77</u>	<u>32,313.15</u>	<u>3,110.62</u>	<u>109.6%</u>
Total Expense	192,309.20	215,506.71	-23,197.51	89.2%
Net Income	<u>20,306.99</u>	<u>-18,570.46</u>	<u>38,877.45</u>	<u>-109.4%</u>

## Assignments for September 2022

**Ushers:** (\*denotes Communion Assistants)

Saturdays at 5:00 PM	Bill Haire, Bill Humphrey*, Ryan Vaughn*
Sundays at 9:00 AM	Jeff Wolfmeyer*, Larry Ehmen*, Nathan Hoebing*, Steve Hyer

**Counters:** Mary Lazzeri and Anita Wolfmeyer

**Registration Slips:** Rosie Meyer

**Altar Care:** *Glenna Nicholson*, Shelly Schoch, Mary Herschler

**Service Recording:** September 04 at 9 AM – Gretchen  
September 11 at 9 AM – Keith  
September 18 at 9 AM – Keith  
September 25 at 9 AM – Jeff

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



## ***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 to learn more about the mission and great history of the LWML, go to **[www.lwml.org](http://www.lwml.org)**.

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

### **UPCOMING...**

**Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>** – Carry-in mtg., 6 pm @ Reva's

**Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>** – Quincy Zone Fall Rally, Immanuel Lutheran Student Center, Macomb, 10 am – 2 pm

**Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>** – LWML Sunday

**Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>** – monthly mtg., 6:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

**Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>** – Annual Rummage Sale

### **August News**

Connie Louderback and Mary Morse served as hostesses for the evening...thank you!

It is the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the LWML, so plans are in the works for deciding what our “80” will be. Shut-in visits are also finally returning! Yeah!

October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> are the dates set for our annual rummage sale. Please check with Mary or Gretchen as to where to put your donations.

### **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**

#### **Grant #1, Student Aid for Church Workers - \$30,000**

With education costly, this grant will provide partial funding to CID students to help them complete their schooling to become full-time church workers. The funds will be distributed through the LCMS CID Scholarship Committee.

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

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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*

### **The Littles and Least of These, Dallas, TX - \$42,000**

This grant calls for the renovation of the 65-year-old fellowship hall of St. Paul Lutheran Church into space for the St. Paul Christian Academy. St. Paul's is the lone African American congregation in the Texas District with a Lutheran Christian Academy. It will allow the congregation to serve more children and to add on-site and online classes for young adults and parents in academic subjects.

health and fitness, as well as Bible studies and classes for new Christians

For more information about this mission, go to **[lwml.org](http://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 has 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<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.).

**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](http://www.lifelinkadoption.org) or contact us at 630-521-8281 or [intadopt@lifelinkadoption.org](mailto: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](mailto: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



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.

## September Birthdays

2	Ava Langan	12	Avery Anderson	21	Heath Heitman
3	Darlene Herman	12	Lucas Anderson	21	Rhonda Hummel
3	Amanda Schweitzer	12	Nichole Blickhan	22	Jerry Lunt
4	Piper Clevenger	13	Chance Clevenger	22	Gretchen Kemp
4	Sharon Vaughn	14	Rebecca Lucas	23	Ace Weisenburger III
5	Debbie Baird	14	Autumn Lomax	24	Nancy Bluhm
6	Reagan Spilker	15	Brandon Voepel	25	Kayzley Parrish
7	Kent Knoernschild	15	Amelia Knapp	27	Marilyn Schroeder
8	Olivia Hoebing	15	Jamison Knapp	27	Alexander Smith
8	Debbie Brassfield	16	David Pellman	28	Maxine Fink
8	Roger McGartland	17	Curt Spohr	28	Ethan Clevenger
9	Brad Ehmen	17	William Schlegl	29	Brent Wingerter
10	Susan Weiss	18	Stan Yelton	29	Emily Weppler
10	Harry Hall Jr,	19	Alex Fitch	29	Ginger Heitman
10	Howard Snowden	19	Vicki Wemhoener	29	Denys Stark
10	Janice Voepel	19	Mark Vahle	29	Jessica Hibbert
11	Lynda Hinkamper	20	Piper Kuhn	30	Carl Muehring
11	Malinda Eden	21	Rosie Meyer		

## September Baptisms

1	Lori Allen	15	Cindy Spohr	24	Melissa Smith
2	Hugh Sharrow	18	Sam Killday	25	Phyllis Ashby
4	Jessica Showman	18	KayLynn Blickhan	25	Ryan Vaughn
4	Arjee Weisheit	18	Melanie Drescher	26	Hendrix McLaughlin
4	Jack Ajdinovich	19	Nathan Hoebing	26	Brad Ehmen
4	Austin Jones	20	Gabriel Vaughn	26	Larry Bugh
4	Rachel Foster	20	Gene Bluhm	26	Steve Hyer
6	Alex Schlipman	22	Janice Voepel	26	Cameron Casanova
9	Ava Nickelson	22	Pat Weppler	27	Renee Benedetto
9	Lauren Mueller	23	Frank Baird	27	Lori Post
10	Shelly Holtman	23	Roger McGartland	30	Debbie Brassfield
10	Audrey Howell	24	Jayne Jefferson	30	Caroline Weisenburger
14	Elizabeth Mix	24	Bruce Burner		

## September Anniversaries

1	Steve and Carolyn Kaiser	60 years	17	William and Kristin Humphrey	45 years
1	Terry and Mary Morse	54 years	18	Pat and Leila Weppler	18 years
1	Terry and Sharon Vaughn	49 years	19	Anthony and Nichole Blickhan	13 years
2	Allyus and Bethany Fritz	4 years	19	Jerry and Becky Lunt	41 years
2	Jerry and Colleen Westberg	50 years	26	Jeffrey and Allison Smith	13 years
7	Steve and Mary-Ann Hyer	9 years	27	Jim and Carmell Fitch	36 years
7	Greg and Melanie Zehnle	31 years	27	Roger and Doreen McGartland	14 years
13	Eric and Danielle Deeter	8 years	27	Randy and Gretchen Wolfmeyer	25 years
13	Don and Cindy Stegeman	42 years	29	Clint and Michele Gooding	4 years
14	Emanuel and Jane Voepel	59 years			

*Congratulations and Best Wishes to you all!!!*

## Coloring Page:



## Labor Day Word Search



TEACHER  
DOCTOR  
FIREMAN  
NURSE  
CLERK

WAITRESS  
CARPENTER  
PLUMBER  
ELECTRICIAN  
BUS DRIVER



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# PUZZLE PAGE:

## DIFFERENCE

By

Bill Schlegl

How is God's approach to man different from our approach to man?

( A = 1, E = 5, I = 9, O = 15, U = 21 )

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