Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus For the week of September 25 – October 1, 2011

Hospital: Sophia Brown (St. Louis), Christine Clevenger (St. Louis), Leila Dodd, Roger Hyer, Ann Viar

Communed: Merle Kuntemeier, Bob McGartland, Lucille Stuffing, Norma Baird, Cleda Mason, Marilyn Lehenbauer, Linda Hinkamper, Delores Bruenger, Thea Sueltman, Roger & Elaine Hyer

Scrip Volunteers needed! We we'd like to have two volunteers per time slot. If you are a "new" volunteer, we'll have a "veteran" work with you. To help out with our scrip program, contact Melissa.

Scrip Sign-up Sheet:

Sept 24: Tina Vaughn Sept 25 between: Lisa Howerton & Dana Frohn Sept 25 late: Lisa Howerton

Oct 1: Karol Ehmen Oct 2 between: Gretchen Wolfmeyer, Randy Wolfmeyer, Malinda Eden Oct 2 late: Heidi Schlipman



A Bake Sale to benefit Concordia Seminary Food Bank will be held before and after Services THIS WEEKEND. Items can be purchased with a donation. Matching Funds from Thrivent will double your gift.

Lutheran Hostel: October 1-4, 2011 @ Concordia Seminary in St. Louis for adults 55 & older. The main speaker is Congressman John Shimkus on "Public Service and My Lutheran Faith", but there is much more. For schedule, details and costs see the flyer in the secretary's office window.

Oct. 18 – Respect Life Dinner by Adams County Right to Life 6:00 p.m. \$12 each with breaks for couples or tablefuls. Call 217-224-5483 to place reservations. Dr. Peppers is the Guest Speaker.

Food Bank – Our Church still offers food to our families who need a helping hand. If you know of someone who needs some help, contact the church office @Q 223-1769

Birthdays This Week

- Sept. 25 Katherine Thomure
 - 25 Ted Yelton
 - 28 Ethan Clevenger
 - 28 Selma Fink
 - 29 Denys Fleming
 - 29 Virginia Heitman
 - 29 Jessica Hibbert
 - 29 Emily Weppler
 - 29 Brent Wingerter
 - 30 Karla Jefferson
 - 30 Carl Muehring
- Oct. 1 Jeff Blattner
 - 1 Donna Church
 - 1 David Obert

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- Sept. 25 Phyllis Ashby
 - 25 Ryan Vaughn
 - 26 Larry Bugh
 - 26 Cameron Casanova
 - 26 Bradley Ehmen
 - 26 Steven Hyer
 - 27 Renee Benedetto
 - 30 Debra Dillinger
 - 30 Karla Jefferson
 - 30 Caroline Weisenburger

Anniversaries This week

- Sept. 26 Michael & Kristen Myers
 - 27 Roger & Doreen McGartland
 - 28 John & Bonnie Hallerberg
- Oct. 1 Eric & Christina Kaltenbach

Youth Ministry Symposium "At the Foot if the Cross: Orange, California; Jan. 5-7, 2012. Registration \$175.00 @ www.lcms.org/youth

We will have the Rada Cutlery table staffed the FIRST SUNDAY of the MONTH between services.

NEXT RADA DISPLAY DATE: Sunday, October 2nd.

If you have any questions about the product, please stop by! We will have a limited number of items on hand, and will always take orders!

The Rada Cutlery is an ongoing fundraiser. Once we have enough orders that total around \$60 to \$70, we will place an order.

Rada has a variety of products: cutlery, stoneware, soy wax candles, and quick mixes.

Catalogs are also available. Please feel free to take one.

Sales to benefit Lutheran education!

Thank you to all of you who have placed orders. We hope you are enjoying your items, and appreciate your support!

No Joint Reformation Service -- The five pastors & many of the elders of the three Quincy churches met to discuss the joint service at Baldwin. Because Pastor Eden will be in Israel that weekend & the Lutheran Church of St. John is hosting a pastor from Riga, Latvia who will be preaching in their church, it was the consensus that we will not have a joint service this year.

Family Life Convocation, Oct. 8, 2011

Redeemer, Peoria, IL Empowers, informs and equips to strengthens the family in Christ, for Lay & Church Workers. Schedule and registration forms are in the Secretary's Office.

Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend:

God gave you each other...What have you done with His gift? Make it special. Build a better, stronger relationship with your spouse. The next date is Sept. 30- Oct. 2, 2011 in Peoria, IL. Registration deadline is August 30. After that it will be on a space available basis. For info call Don or Charlotte Ricks @ 309-682-7273 or go to www.godlovesmarriage.org **The Family Jam Variety Show** is sponsored by the Adams County Council for Sr. Citizens. It is their 2011 Fundraiser. It is TODAY @ 2:00 p.m. in the Morrison Theater. From Branson the Rolf & Walker Families will be performing. For tickets and information call 1-800-280-9757

Concordia Food Bank says there is an increase in demand for the food bank food & merchandise coupons. If anyone is interested in mailing coupons to the food Bank, the address is: Concordia Food Bank, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis, MO 63105. (Quincy's Sunday Newspaper usually has many coupons.)

THRIVENT MEMBERS, ORDER YOUR FREE CALENDAR BY 10/15. To get your complimentary 9½x12¼ inch 2012 calendar, go to www.thrivent.com/magazine/calendar or mail the business reply card found in your August issue of *Thrivent* magazine by October 15. Orders will be mailed by the end of December. The 2012 Thrivent Financial for Lutherans calendar features unique photos taken by Thrivent members illustrating their favorite Bible verses, similar to the "Words You Live By" section in the magazine. If you can't find your card call 1-800-847-4836 and say "Fraternal" when asked how you can be helped.

You're Invited to Out of the Darkness

Quincy Community Walk! Sunday, October 16th, South Park, Large Shelter, Quincy, Illinois, Check-in @ 1 p.m. | Walk @ 2 p.m. Please Register Online Now at

http://afsp.donordrive.com/event/Quincy/!

Suicide is the 11th Leading Cause of Death in the US! Walk To Save Lives!

+ Walk to Raise Awareness! Help reduce the stigma of depression, bipolar disorder, other mood disorders, and suicide.

+ Walk to Honor a Loved One!

+ Walk to Support the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention!

Rake & Run – Nov. 19th. Save the date! Signup sheets will be out closer to the date.

Sunday School offerings in Sept. and Oct. is for the Seminary Food Bank.

Oct. 2 - LIFE CHAIN – stand or sit for 1 hr. along 48th & Broadway to pray for our nation and the end of abortion.

GROWING IN CHRIST XIII - Witness Wherever You Are - A Lutheran Retreat for Older Adults-Wednesday – Thursday, October 19-20, 2011, Pere Marquette State Park, Grafton, Illinois, Sponsored by: Older Adult Ministry, Southern Illinois District—LCMS and Lutheran Senior Services "Older Adults Living Life to the Fullest".

Save Your Books! The Mary Martha LWML group at the Lutheran Church of St. John will hold a book sale on Saturday, October 15 – please start saving books for this sale. Fiction and non-fiction books are welcome. Please bring donations to the drop off box located in the coat room.

CPR/FIRST AID INSTRUCTOR NEEDED – The teachers at St. James want to recertify their CPR certification, but need an instructor to help us. If you know of someone who may be able to teach the class, please contact Mr. Landskroener at the school office. **222-8267**



Please help spread the word ... plans are moving right along for our 2nd annual "A Very Merry Market" to be held on Saturday, November

12th 9 am - 2 pm. The event is less than 2 months away! Please take a yard sign to put in your yard and help us advertise for the event. "A Very Merry Market" is the major fundraiser of the year for the PLuS group. The event is sponsored by PLuS and Thrivent. Thank you for your support of Lutheran education for the kids from Our Redeemer!

College Students and Families: If you are returning to college or starting new, please be sure to give your school address to the church office. There are slips on the table by the basement stairs. Fill them out and give them to the ushers or put them on the secretary's desk.

Altar flowers were donated last week by Jerry & Becky Lunt in thanksgiving for their 30th wedding anniversary. (9/19/81)



Calling All Youth! TODAY - Sept. 25th- Digital Scavenger Hunt - Meet at 4:00pm in the St. James Cafeteria. Bring a safe driver, your phones/digital cameras, and some light snacks for a great scavenging time.

CID Jr. High Lock-in, 2011 - IL Wesleyan University- Bloomington, IL, Nov. 11 & 12, from 9 p.m.- 6 a.m. Sign Up with Youth Leaders - \$25 per student, free T- shirt, if entry is postmarked by Oct. 21.

Concordia is pleased to announce three **Visitation Events** for college students thinking about becoming pastors & Deaconesses. There is no registration fee. You can receive housing in the dorms and at the end of the day a dinner will be provided. For registration forms and a detailed schedule see the secretary. Pick from Oct. 14, 2011, Jan. 6, 2012 or March 16, 2012.

Contemplate – The Fall event is Thurs., Oct.6 - Sat., Oct. 8, 2011at the St. Louis seminary. There is a Spring Event, Thurs., Mar. 8 - Sat., Mar. 10, 2012. Registration is free - meals & lodging is also provided. This structured event is so one can learn more about life in the Seminary and the preparation needed to become a pastor, missionary or deaconess. See the office for more details.

OAFC Events: invite you to join us as we get together for fun and opportunities to spread the Good News of Jesus and to help us grow the Central Illinois Area District. If you have any questions please contact Jamie at 1-217-430-4760 or at <u>jamieoafc@live.com</u>. Here is an updated list of the weekends ahead: **October 21-23, 2011**, St. Johns, Quincy, IL.

Remembering In Our Prayers

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY SERVICES: Mark and Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Steve Clark, Aaron DeWerff, Cindy Flesner, Rick Flesner, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Jared Lunt, Dan Meyer, Jeremy Myers, Amanda Schwartz, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Marc Troxel, Kristen Vahle, and Patrick Weppler.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS: Nick Austin, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Joann Durbin, Max Ellerbrock, Scott Garner, Joseph Hoebing, Bill Martin, Michael Morgan, Nancy O'Neal, Nancy Ott, Cole Schullian, Jenita Stephens, Kory Tournear, Jacob Weimer and Vicki Wemhoener

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS: Norma Baird, Dolores Bruenger, Guye Dedert, Maxine Delven, Gloria Douglas, Barbara Ebel, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Paul Hagemann, Ruth Holt, Merle Kuntemeier, Jesse Leenerts, Bob McGartland, Jacqueline Mickens, Marilyn Newman, Sue Patton, Dorothy Pflantz, Patricia Powers, Dora Rodefeld, LaVora Scoggan, Ike Shaffer, Lucille Stuffing, Thea Sueltman, Ida Utterback, Ann Viar, Robert Wemhoener, Lucille Wiskirchen

Keep Our Missionaries in Your Prayers

Our Family in Turkey

Apple of His Eye Mission Society,

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Latvia,

The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Harlow, Essex, U.K.,

The Independent Evangelical Lutheran Church in Germany,

Mrs. Alvina Federwitz in Liberia, West Africa,

Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz and their children in Papua New Guinea,

Danny and Becca DeLoach and their children in Pasadena, California (Studying for Doctorate) Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough.

Our Seminary Students





Concordia Seminary, Saint Louis, MO: Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN: Andrew Dierks, 6600 N. Clinton St. 189, Fort Wayne, IN 46825

Our Mission

To the glory of God we are SHARING Our Redeemer by ...

CARING for one another in Christian love and compassion ENCOURAGING growth and outreach through worship and Bible study

Serving in Special Ways Today

Altar Committee: Glenna Nicholson, Shirley Foster, Rene Benedetto & Donna MacFadden

Communion Assistants this week: Saturday: Ryan Vaughn Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Larry Ehmen & Larry Foster Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Bruce Burner & Terry Vaughn

Communion Assistants next week: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. - Dennis Go Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Bill Dicks & Brad Ehmen Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Steve Schoch & Terry Morse

Ushers: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Jim & Sandy Callahan Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Gary Cramlett, Bob Jording, Terry Lannerd & Larry Post Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Jeff Wolfmeyer, Bill Schlegl, Bill Haire & Gary McElfresh

Greeters: Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - East – Karen Lohmeyer & Elizabeth Barton - West – Keith & Michele Urbon 10:15 a.m. - East – Stan & Sherry Yelton - West – Bill & Eleanor Schlegl

Registration Slips: Rosie Meyer

Counters: Rosie Meyer & Shirley Dieringer

Parish Nurse for September: Donna Troxel

Driver: Bill Haire

Attendance	September 17 & 18, 2011		September 17 & 18, 2011
Worship	56 + 80 + 71 = 207	General Fund	\$4,962.35
Holy Communion	148	Specials	\$235.88
Adults	29	Kleinsorge Income	
Teen	3	Building Fund	
Pre-K — Grade 8	34	Endowment Funds	
		Memorial Fund	\$25.00
		Total	\$5,223.23

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

\$6,543.42 is needed in General Fund per week to meet budget

+ This Week at Our Redeemer +

Sunday: September 25	Pentecost 15 Thrivent Bake Sale for St. Louis Seminary Food Bank 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion 9:10 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class (studying the Book of Acts) 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion 1:00 p.m. VOTER'S MEETING 4:00 p.m. Youth Digital Scavenger Hunt		
Monday: September 26	4:00 p.m. Newsletter deadline		
Tuesday: September 27	7:00 p.m. Senior Choir		
Wednesday: September 21	1:00 p.m. Bible Class (<i>on 1Peter</i>) 1:00 p.m. Newsletter Crew 4:00 p.m. Youth Choir 5:00 p.m. Confirmation Class		
Thursday: September 29	St. Michael & all Angels 6:45 a.m. Bible Study <i>(on Romans)</i> @ Coach House 12 noon Bible Study on Israel Sites		
Friday: September 30			
Saturday: October 1	Luther Hostel Concordia Seminary Visitation Event 5:00 p.m. Holy Communion		
Sunday: October 2	Pentecost 15 – LWML Sunday Luther Hostel Concordia Seminary Visitation Event 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion 9:10 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class <i>(studying the Book of Acts)</i> 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion		
Upcoming Events Sept. 30 - Oct. 2 – Peoria, Lutheran Marriage Encounter Oct. 1-4 - Lutheran Hostel Oct. 8 - Family Life Convocation @ Peoria Oct. 6-8 – Contemplate about life in the Seminary@ St. Louis Concordia Oct. 14 – Concordia Visitation Event @ St. Louis Seminary Oct. 16 - Out of the Darkness Walk for Suicide Prevention Oct. 18 – Respect Life Dinner by Adams County Right to Life Oct. 19-20 – Older Adult Ministry "Live Life to the Fullest" in Grafton, IL Oct. 26-Nov. 4 - Trip to the Holy Land/Pastor Nov. 4-6 - Careers for Christ weekend at Concordia, Chicago Nov. 11 & 12 - Jr. High Lock-in @ Bloomington Nov. 12 – A Very Merry Market Nov. 19 - Rake & Run – Youth Leaf Raking Activity			

To: The congregation of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

From: Nominating Committee: (Carole Lannerd, [242-5651], Jerry Lunt, [228-3127], Chet Vahle, [316-1345])

Listed below are the general responsibilities for the positions for which the Nominating Committee is still seeking candidates. As you can see, there are several openings. We ask that each member of our church family prayerfully consider offering your talents to fulfill the duties of one of these positions. Please contact any member of the committee. Thank you. (*The harvest is truly plentiful, but the laborers are few.* Matthew 9:37)

Secretary:

Record and maintain minutes of proceedings of all congregational and Church Council meetings over his/her signature.

Maintain records of voting members' attendance at voters' meetings and verify voters' eligibility, current quorum and vote majority requirements.

Treasurer:

Review and approve request for payment vouchers and forward to the church's accountants. Prepare monthly reports for Church Council Meetings. Distribute contributions to appropriate bank accounts via on-line banking.

Financial Secretary:

Schedule counters for each month to count contribution. Prepare monthly report using an Excel spreadsheet. Assist church secretary with maintaining contribution envelopes.

Youth Ministry:

Coordinate a program of study, worship, fellowship and recreation for and with the junior/senior high school youth of this congregation in harmony with the goals of the church.

Evangelism:

Coordinate methods and programs to promote Gospel sharing within our congregation, locally and abroad.

Assist in visitor follow-up and scheduling of church greeters.

Elder:

Assist the pastor in developing, monitoring, and nurturing the spiritual activity of the congregation, and the individual members to promote member communication and spiritual growth.

"A Very Merry Market" 20.^{- -} Make plans to attend our 2nd annu "A Very Merry Market" on Saturday, November 12th from 9 am – 2pm.



Breakfast and lunch will be available for purchase.

Some of the vendors on hand:

Creative Memories, Uppercase Living, Creations by Vale,

Tupperware, Landscape Creations, etc

Scentsy, Night Owl Hootique, Avon,

Arbonne, Domestics Etc

And many more ...

Free admission

We will be collecting non-perishable food items for Quanada

and a free will offering will be used to purchase items for their food bank

AVMM sponsored by: PLuS and Thrivent

Check out our Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/verymerrymarket

There will be a GIFT WRAPPING STATION at the Very Merry Market! If you have any of the following items that you would like to donate, please bring them to the church and leave them in the designated box near the south entrance.

WRAPPING PAPER SCOTCH TAPE RIBBONS BOWS

BOXES GIFT BAGS TISSUE PAPER TAGS