

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of February 26- March 4, 2012

Hospital: Pat Powers, Lela Dodd, Bob Essington (Home)

Communed: Merle Kunte-meier, Bob McGartland, Marilyn Lehenbauer, Cleda Mason, Bob & Ruth Essington, Melanie Zehnle, Thea Sultman, Roger & Elaine Hyer, Dorothy & Florence Lavery

Scrip Schedule Sheet:

Feb. 25: Karol Ehmen

Feb. 26 between: Randy & Gretchen Wolfmeyer

Feb. 26 late: Heidi Schlipman

Mar 3: Amy Killday

Mar 4 between: Randy and Gretchen Wolfmeyer

Mar 4 late (2):

Mar 10: Kari Mercurio

Mar 11 between:

Mar 11 late (2):

Mar 17: Tina & Ryan Vaughn

Mar 18 between:

Mar 18 late (2): Amy Killday

Voter's Meeting Highlights –

1. Children's Easter Egg Hunt-Discussed Lutheran TV for Shutins.
2. Discussed the Long Range Planning Committee Report. Reports available at the back of the church (Blue sheets)
3. **Approved summer schedule.** Normal Sat night service. **One service @ 9:00 on Sunday morning & No Sunday School for children or adults. Starts on June 10th & ends August 19th.**
4. Approved a thank you script card for Bill Humphrey for installing the bell and kitchen outlets.
5. Next Meeting May 20, 1:00.
6. Create a remodeling committee.
7. Re-convene the technology committee.

You are invited to Good Shepherd's Annual Soup Supper in Clayton, IL on Sat, Mar.3 @ 5 p.m. A free will offering will be taken. There will be Chili & Oyster Soup, Hotdogs & Barbecue, Homemade Pies & Cakes.



PLuS is looking for wrapped candy donations for the Children's Easter Egg

Hunt. Please drop off your candy donations by Sunday, March 18th in the Easter basket under the table by the stairs.

Volunteer Teacher of the Year nominations are being taken by the CID now until March 12, 2012. Guidelines and forms are in the church office. Previous nominees may be entered again.

Please join your fellow sisters in Christ for a Book Study! - This study will kick off on Sat., March 10th @ 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will be meeting once a month to discuss chapter by chapter a book that is being selected with the help of Pastor Eden. We will be announcing it very soon so as to have them ready to distribute at the meeting. Since it's the first time we've done this, we will be learning a little as we go, but are looking for a very enjoyable way to get the most out of the book and at the same time, gather wonderful insight from each other! We look forward to seeing you there! Please call Michele Clevenger with any questions at 217-224-7881.

On Radio: You can tune in with your computer: Pastor Troxel will lead the Bible Study on our Synod's radio station KFUE on Wednesday, Feb. 29, 10:05 to 10:59 a.m. Since we are out of range of the station, you can listen by using your computer. Go to the station's website: www.kfuo.org and click on the "Listen Now" link. The programs are archived, so if you want to listen to the program at a later time, you will find it in the archives on the website. In this broadcast, we will be studying Genesis 9:18–28 which deals with Noah's sons & his descendants.



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

IN STOCK RADA ITEMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE EVERYDAY in the OLD CHAPEL. Just make your selections and leave your payment. NO TAX. NO SHIPPING. If you would like to order any additional items, please fill out an order blank to submit with your payment.

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

Catalogs are available. Please 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 we appreciate your support!

St. James Lutheran School Cookbooks for sale! These are hard-cover, 3 ring bound cookbooks listing hundreds of recipes submitted by the church & school families. The cost is \$20 per cookbook. They are available in the Old Chapel.

Concordia is pleased to announce their **Visitation Events**. *March 16, 2012*, is 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. *June 23-28, 2012* is **Vocatio**, a fun event for youth entering 9-12th grade. This has a fee of \$150, but it includes meals, housing and all the entertainment, including a ballgame or a musical at the Muny.

Kohl's Cares - Go to www.Kohlskids.com between Feb. 1st and Mar. 15th to nominate a young volunteer (ages 6-18) who is doing great work to benefit their community. They could win \$50.00 to a \$10,000 scholarship. See the poster & tear off pad. It's on the table in the Narthex.

Firehouse Pizza: This restaurant is run by a local Christian family and is offering a 10% discount to anyone who tells them the name of their church when they order. This offer is good from now through May 31, 2012. Dine in, Carry-out, Delivery, and Take & Bake.

O AFC Events: Join us at our events so we can spread the Good News of Jesus and helps make the Central Illinois Area grow. If you have any questions about the weekend or upcoming weekends please contact Jamie Louderback at 1-217-430-4760 or jamieoafc@live.com. Here is an updated list of the 2012 weekends, so that you can make plans.

March 16-18 Christ, Peoria, IL

March (Spring Break – interested talk to Jamie)

April 20-22 Redeemer, Peru-Mission Group

May 18-20 Concordia, Geneseo, IL

June

Jul. Summer Training Good Shep., Collinsville

August

September 21-23 Good Shepherd, Sherman, IL

October

November

December New Year's TBA

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 @ 223-1769

NAPKINS - There are a few packages of napkins left in stock for sale. They are now located by the greeting cards. All napkins are now "free will donation." The sale of greeting cards (and those few remaining napkins) support the PLuS group and Lutheran education. Thank you!

A new Newsletter from our family in Turkey is on the table in the Narthex. Please take a minute to read it.

QUINCY BIBLE INSTITUTE

St. James Lutheran Church

4 p.m. – 6 p.m.

February 26th 2012

Youth Bible Bowl on the Book of Acts
St. John's will provide the cookies.

Sunday School offerings in Feb. will go to the Our Redeemer Knitters. In March it will go to the Banner Committee.

VBS VOLUNTEER INTEREST SURVEY 2012 – See orange insert in the bulletins.

PLuS THANK YOU OFFERING -

The Parents of Lutheran Students thank you for your continued support of Lutheran Education! In the past year, we have had another successful Very Merry Market, a t-shirt fundraiser, ongoing Rada sales, greeting card sales, various bake sales and a Thanksgiving Pie Sale. A \$3600 thank you offering is being given to Our Redeemer for all the ways you have helped support Lutheran Education. THANK YOU!

All Thrivent Members: If you have “Choice Dollars” you were sent an important letter involving changes for 2012 & 2013. In order for ORLC to continue to receive Choice Dollars, member will have to return the tear-off slip at the bottom of the letter. A stamped, addressed envelope is provided to return the tear-off slip.

Birthdays This Week

Feb. 26 Shelly Holtman
27 Gary Cramlett
Mar. 1 Donna MacFadden
3 Matthew Kemp
3 Evie Ott
3 Richard Schaller

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

Feb. 26 Loren Schnack
27 Jessica Hines
28 Brian Burner
28 Judith Burner
28 Austin Fischer
Mar. 1 Alex Doran
1 Reva Ehmen
1 Barbara Glasscock
1 Brooke Gooding
1 Maggie Nixon

Wednesday Lenten Service Desserts:

We need volunteers of people or a group to supply the desserts for the March 7th, Wednesday Lenten Service. The rest of the dates have been claimed. Contact Renee Benedetto (224-2098) if you can help with this event. To date we have:

Feb 29 Choir Mar 7 OPEN
Mar 14 Montana group Mar 21 Youngish Adults
Mar 28 Montana group



14th Annual CID Day at the Ballpark - As Spring Training rolls around, preparations are underway for our day at the Ballpark. This year we are going on Saturday, July 21st, @ 3:15 p.m. Our seats for contest between the Cubs and the Cardinals will be in the Infield Terrace sections - the same level as last year but behind home plate. Cost per ticket is \$40 (20% off of the premium game-day price of \$50). Order forms will be available later this spring. Start getting your groups together so you can order your tickets early. First day to submit orders will be May 29. For more info, see our webpage: <http://www.grace-strasburg.com/cidday>.

New member carry-in, March 25th: At 5:00 p.m. we will have the questioning of our 8th grade confirmands. Then at 6:00 p.m. we will have the carry-in to welcome all who have joined our congregation since this time last year. Chicken will be provided. Please sign up in the Narthex, so we know how much to order.

Mullin benefit on May 12. Mark your calendars and plan to attend this benefit for the Mullin family. Keith Mullin tragically died in October of 2011 and left his wife, Marlina, and two girls, Taylor and Carley. The funds from this benefit will help cover day to day living expenses for the family. There will be food, a silent and live auction, and music from the band Keith was part of Raised on Radio and other bands as well. The benefit will be held at the State Room, 434 South 8th Street, in Quincy, on Saturday, May 12, from 1 pm – 8 pm. Also, donations are needed for the auction! If you have something to donate for the live auction or would like to put a silent auction donation basket together, or [contribute a monetary donation](#), please contact Jo Bender at the Lutheran Church of St. John, 222-8579.

Domestic Abuse Re-lief is begging for volunteer help. This new non-profit organization works much like Habitat for Humanity except they rehab old homes and provide them to victims of domestic abuse and their children. They are presently working on 505 Sycamore and 614 Elm. Call 217-653-4989 for more information.

Year End Reports & Envelopes are on the East table in the Narthex. **Please pick them up!**

LENTEN SCHEDULE

February 29	“Thy Will Be Done”	Pastor Rempfer
March 7	“Give Us This Day Our Daily Bread”	Pastor Latzke
March 14	“Forgive Us Our Tresspasses, As We Forgive Those Who Trespass Against Us”	Pastor Mueller
March 21	“Hallowed Be Thy Name”	Pastor Bender
March 28 - Service of Corporate Confession and Absolution	“Thy Kingdom Come”	Pastor Eden
April 5 - Maundy Thursday	“Lead Us Not Into Temptation”	Pastor Eden
April 6 - Good Friday	“But Deliver Us From Evil”	Pastor Eden

All services begin at 7:00 PM

Looking for things to do with your empty scrip cards?

Here are some tips from Bill Tascano of *This Old House Magazine*:

- 1. Use as a Straightedge** - Keep a few cards in your workshop for marking cuts on small pieces of trim and other materials.
- 2. Spot-fix a tile floor** - Why dirty a trowel when gluing down a few loose tiles? Instead, snip off one edge of a card with pinking shears to make a zigzag edge, use it to apply the mastic, then toss it.
- 3. Get rid of air bubbles** - Rub the edge of a card along a freshly wallpapered surface—especially in corners and around tight spots near windows and doors—to help the paper lie smoothly.
- 4. Mix and apply glues and putties** - Use a card to mix and apply small batches of patching compound or two-part epoxy, or to work stiff putty until it's elastic enough to apply.
- 5. Scrape off gunk** - Keep a few cards on hand in your workshop and kitchen to remove paint drips, stubborn labels, candle wax, and other sticky stuff from smooth surfaces.
- 6. Help caulk your tub** - scrape away old, moldy caulk with the corners of a card (or two). Then cut off one corner using utility scissors, wet the edge, and use it to smooth down a freshly squeezed bead.
- 7. Level just about anything** - Cut cards to size and use them as shims to level out a countertop or help a door hang plumb.
- 8. Remove paint from details** - When scraping paint or stain off decorative moldings or turned-leg furniture, cut a card to match the piece's profile and trim off any excess with a utility knife. Then use your custom scraper to get at every little nook and cranny.
- 9. Stabilize furniture** - Cut cards to shape and size and fit the pieces under the legs of wobbly tables and desks to help them stand up straight. If necessary, use glue or double-sided tape to keep the cards in place.
- 10. Mark screw-hole locations** - Create a template by using an awl to pierce holes in a card at the appropriate spacing. Then hold the card to each surface and mark the spots to be drilled with an awl or pencil.

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, Michael Goodwin, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Dan Meyer, John Miller, Jeremy Myers, Amanda Schwartz, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Marc Troxel, Kristen Vahle, and Patrick Wepler.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS: Nick Austin, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Joann Durbin, Max Ellerbrock, Joseph Hoebing, Roger Hyer, Kim Long, Michael Morgan, Nancy O'Neal, Nancy Ott, Karen Lannerd Sams, Cole Schullian, Jenita Stephens, Kory Tournear, Janet Terwische, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener and Judy Wessel.

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, Florence & Dorothy Lavery, Jesse Leenerts, Bob McGartland, Jacqueline Mickens, Marilyn Newman, Dorothy Pflantz, Patricia Powers, Dora Rodefild, LaVora Scoggan, Ike Shaffer, Lucille Stuffing, Thea Suelman, Ida Utterback, 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 Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN:
Joel Brassfield, 143 Grafton Court, Kohler, WI 53044



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

Superintendents – Melissa Knapp & Hannah Ott

Kindergarten – Suzanne Troxel

Grades 3 & 4 – Hayley Ott

Grades 7 & 8 - Cyndi Ott

Pre-school – Kari Mercurio & Susan Weiss

Grades 1 & 2 – Monica Foster

Grades 5 & 6 - Donna Haire

High School – Steve & Donna Schoch

Serving in Special Ways Today

Altar Committee: Kathy Hyer, Michele Clevenger, Elle Bowles, Renee Benedetto

Communion Assistants this week: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Ryan Vaughn
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Jerry Lunt & Larry Ehmen
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Bruce Burner & Steve Schoch

Communion Assistants next week: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Bill Haire
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Bill Dicks & Brad Ehmen
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Steve Kaiser & Ryan Vaughn

Ushers: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Bill Haire
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Larry Ehmen, Gary O'Dell, Nathan Hoebing, Jerry Lunt
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Jim Blattner, Jim Howerton, Jeff & Randy Wolfmeyer

Greeters: Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - East – Ken & Ann Knoernschild
 - West – Marry Lazzeri & Emily Becker
 10:15 a.m. - East – Stan & Sherry Yelton
 - West – Al & Miliss Ebel

Registration Slips: Eleanor Schlegl

Counters: Carole Lannerd, Rosie Meyer

Parish Nurse for February: Reva Ehmen

Driver: Roger or Steve Hyer

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	February 18 & 19, 2012		February 18 & 19, 2012
Sat. Night	70	General Fund	\$5,152.16
8:00 a.m.	80	Specials	\$10.00
10:15 a.m.	81	Kleinsorge Income	
Total Attendance	231	Building Fund	
Holy Communion	174	Endowment Funds	
Sunday School	25	Memorial Fund	
High School	5		
Adult Bible Class	26	Total	\$5,162.16
Ash Wed Attendance	84	Ash Wed. Communion	75

\$7,120.64 is needed in General Fund per week to meet budget.

Offerings donated to the Lutheran Bible Translators, from the Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class during the month of January was \$185.12.

✠ This Week at Our Redeemer ✠

Sunday

February 26

Lent 1

Men's Retreat @ Camp CILCA

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion

9:10 a.m. Sunday School

10:15 a.m. Holy Communion

4-6 p.m. Bible Institute @ St. James – Bible Bowl

Monday:

February 27

3:00 p.m. Banner Committee

Tuesday:

February 28

7:00 p.m. Senior Choir

Wednesday:

February 29

1:00 p.m. Bible Study (*on Peter*)

4:00 p.m. Youth Choir

5 – 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship Service with dessert afterwards by the Choir

Thursday:

March 1

6:45 a.m. Bible Study (*on 1Corinthians*) @ Coach House

6:30 p.m. Evening Ladies Aid

Friday:

March 2

Saturday:

March 3

5:00 p.m. Holy Communion

5:00 p.m. Clayton - Soup Supper

Sunday:

March 4

Lent 2

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion

9:10 a.m. Blood Pressure Screening in Library

9:10 a.m. Sunday School

10:15 a.m. Holy Communion

Lutheran Education Week Kick off

Upcoming Events

TODAY - QUINCY BIBLE INSTITUTE, St. James Lutheran Church, 4 p.m. – 6 p.m. - Bible Bowl

Mar. 3 - Clayton's Soup Supper

Mar. 4-10 - Lutheran Education Week

Mar. 10 – LWML sponsored Book Study

Mar. 10 – Spring Fling –

Mar. 23 – 4:00 p.m. - 8th graders evening at Pastor's house

Mar. 25 – Questioning of Confirmands & Carry-in to welcome new members.

June 4-7 – Vacation Bible School

July 16-26 – Montana Adventure

July 21 – CID Day @ the Ballpark (Cardinal - Cubs Game)

July 23-27, 2012 – Youth Houseboat Retreat