

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week March 24-31, 2013

Hospital: Jackson Wepler (St. Louis), Patti Jenkins, Maxine Delven

Communed: Maxine Delven, Patti Jenkins, Merle Kuntemeier, Roger and Elaine Hyer, Norma Baird, Lynda Hinkamper, Bob McGartland, Isabelle Hillerts, Dorothy and Florence Lavery, Jim and Nancy Ott, Warren and Doris Vahle

Confirmation: We pray for their continued growth in faith as these young people confirm their faith today!
Annalisa Eden, Nathan Hoebing, Savannah Howerton, Zoey Klauser, Amanda Zehnle

Scrip Schedule:

Mar. 23:

Mar. 24 between:

Mar. 24 late:

Mar. 30:

Mar. 31 between:

Mar. 31 late:

Transportation Committee - Roger Hyer is in need of more people who are willing & able to give someone a ride to & from church on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please contact him at 430-5717. At this time, there are not many people needing rides, but the more volunteers we get the less often you will be needed. Thanks,

The Board of Elders

2013 Scrip Report:

Week ending: 10-Mar.

Profit: \$90.75

of orders: 21

Avg. Profit/order: \$4.32

2013 Profit to date: **\$1,754.96**

Week ending: 17-Mar.

Profit: \$129.58

of orders: 23

Avg. Profit/order: \$5.63

2013 Profit to date: **\$1,884.54**

Confirmation Day Open House: TODAY, the Eden family invites you to an open house from 2-4 PM to celebrate Annalisa confirming the faith of her Baptism. Our home is located at 1516 Stone Creek Dr.

Mar. Sun. School Offering is going to the Banner Committee.

Youth Group is hosting Easter Breakfast.

Sign - up sheets for donated items are on table in the Narthex. Please have items at the church by 9:00 a.m. Saturday, March 30. We will be setting up at 9:00 a.m. that morning. All youth are asked to come help on Saturday and serve on Sunday at 7:30am. Free will donation will be accepted to support the youth attending the National Youth Gathering in San Antonio, Texas this July. Please call Heidi Schlipman , (217)430-7901 if you have any questions.

Holy Week Worship Schedule:

Holy Thursday, Mar. 28: Holy Communion - 7pm

Good Friday, March 29: Tenebrae – 7 p.m.

Easter Schedule: 3/30 Easter Vigil: 5:00pm, Sat.

3/31 Sunrise Service: 6:30 a.m.

Easter Breakfast 7:30–8:45 a.m.

Divine Service: 9:00 a.m.



Lutheran Witness: A Year's subscription is now \$15.60. If you are getting the magazine now please let me know if you are going to renew or not by April 15th. I need to know either way. New subscriptions start in July.

Ladies – Save this date – April 4th – The LWML is hosting a Bible Study for women @ 7pm. here. All Ladies of the church are invited.

Lutheran Marriage Encounter April 26-28. (7 p.m. Fri. – 5 p.m. Sun.) Peoria, IL. Registration deadline is March 26 for more info go to www.godlovesmarriage.org Cost: \$45.00.



Rada Cutlery is an on-going fundraiser & has a variety of, products: cutlery, stone-ware soy wax candles, and quick mixes. Orders are taken and once we

have \$60 worth, we will place the order. So, if you don't see something in our "in stock" items, go ahead and fill out an order form with payment. We will hang onto it until we order. New RADA catalogs on the scrip table, and also on our Rada table in the Old Chapel!

- If ordering, please use the updated orange order form and new catalogs.
- We have some new items in stock: large turnover, set of 3 small cutting boards, daisy pan scraper, etc.
- We have a variety of the paring knives too!

Check out our other products as well! Thanks!!

Save the Date: August 9-10, 2013 – Lutheran Hour ministries will ROC at the Holiday Inn, Westlake in Cleveland, Ohio when it brings a Regional Outreach Conference to town. Keynote speaker will be Rev. Mark Zehnder. Join hundreds of mission minded individuals to be inspired, energized and equipped to share God's love, nurture your family and witness to you community.

O AFC – St John's, Green Valley / Sand Prairie Lutheran Church - is hosting the next O AFC Weekend April 12-14. This is a wonderful weekend event for youth to meet other youth & learn to share their faith through skits, singing, puppets, nursing home & neighborhood visits. We also might be trying some-thing new called, Flash Mob Witnessing. There is no charge since housing & food is provided by church members, but **please RSVP to Jamie Louderback - jamieoafc@live.com - 217-430-4760 by Friday, April 5th.** Here is an updated list of the 2013 weekends, so that you can plan to take the appropriate time off from work and other activities.
April 12-14 St. John, Green Valley, IL
May 31- June 2 Christ, Normal, IL
June
July 11-17 Summer Training (Location TBA)
August
September 13-15 Beautiful Savior, Colona, IL
October 11-13 St. Paul, Havana, IL
November (TBA)
December New Years (Location TBA)

Birthdays This Week

24 Anna Ehmen
24 Robert Wemhoener
26 Kristin Humphrey
26 Glenna Nicholson
26 Richard Reichert
27 Jerry Manton
27 Mark Voepel
28 Eleanor Schlegl
29 Andrew Fodor
29 Cindy Fonck
29 Julia Troxel
30 James Holtman

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

24 Isabelle Hillerts
24 Elise Luker
25 Ryne Lubben
26 Joseph Cleaves
27 Matthew Weppler
28 Ella Ehmen
29 Andrew Fodor
29 Bonnie Hallerberg
30 Zachariah Schweitzer

Anniversaries This Week

28 Allen & Miliss Ebel

Thrivent Members: From March 1- April 30th you are being asked to vote on extending Thrivent's "Common Bond" to include all Christians and not just Lutherans. Information on voting on line, by mail or by phone will be mailed out soon. This decision must be voted on! It cannot be made by the leadership alone.

Stitches in Time Quilt & Needlework Show
Friday, April 5th (11 a.m. -7 p.m.) & Sat. April 6th (9 a.m.- 5 p.m.) - 125 Quilts on display; Special Exhibit of 1930's Quilts; Raffle Quilt; Lunch available Admission \$5.00 Quincy Senior & Family Center, 639 York St. Lunch or desserts available. Call 224-7763, Judy Milfs with questions or if you want to display quilts.

Quilters need old sheets and fabrics for making quilts. If you have any to donate, just bring it to the church office or call 223-1769.

Beth Moore Bible Study on Daniel meets @ 9:30 a.m. Tuesdays through April 16nd.

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 Cyndi Ott @ 430-0301.

Big SALE St. James Lutheran School Cookbooks **50% off!** These are hardcover, 3-ring bound cookbooks listing hundreds of recipes submitted by LCMS churches and school families. The cost is now only \$10 per cookbook. They make great presents!! Checks should be made out to St. James Lutheran School PTL. They are on display in the old Chapel.

ROC – Lutheran Hour Ministries' Regional Outreach Conference. October 18-19, 2013, Omaha Marriott, Keynote Speaker: Dr. Robert Newton. Join hundreds of other mission-minded individuals to be inspired, energized and equipped to share God's love, nurture your family and witness to the Community. For Conference registration, lodging and program details log on to www.lhm.org/roc.

The Great Lake Scrip Company will be closed for Spring Break April 1st – April 5th. Please plan card purchases accordingly. We are very blessed and thankful for the ongoing support the congregation gives to the ORLC Scrip Program. Many thanks, *The PLuS Parents*



**Wednesday - Thursday
April 24-25, 2013
Pere Marquette State Park
Grafton, Ill.**

**Sponsored by:
Older Adult Ministry
LCMS Southern Illinois District
and
Lutheran Senior Services
"Older Adults Living Life to the Fullest"**

St. James Lutheran School News
CHAPEL – This being Holy Week, we will not have chapel on Wednesday but will have it on Maundy Thursday and Good Friday. Chapel begins at 8:45am both days. Everyone is invited to worship with us!

EASTER BREAK – No School April 1st – 5th. Classes resume Monday, April 8th.

"HAVE A NEW FAMILY BY FRIDAY" is a series produced by Dr. Kevin Leman to help families grow stronger. This program is being offered at St. James beginning Wednesday, April 10 at 6:00pm in their Fellowship Hall and will continue the following six Wednesdays with the final session being May 22nd. Topics include how the influence of marriage, mom, dad, discipline, attitude, birth order and grandparents affect a family. The cost is \$9.00 for the workbook (one per couple). To help us with ordering, please call the school (222-8267) or church office (222-8447) if you are interested in attending or sign up on the bulletin board in the back of church.

PEPSI CAPS – We're still collecting caps!! Bring in your Refreshment Services Pepsi caps until April 30th. St. James will earn 5 cents for every specially marked yellow cap on 1-Liter, 2-Liter, 16 oz. and 24oz. 6 Pack bottles and 20 oz. bottles of various Pepsi products. We will have the chance to earn hundreds of dollars for our school. As you buy Pepsi products, please save the yellow caps and send them to school with your child. Our goal is to raise \$200 (that's 4000 caps). We can do it!

PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER – We are in the process of finding a new PE teacher for the 2013-2014 school year. If you, or you know of anyone who, might be interested in this position, please contact Mr. Landskroener in the school office.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT for the 2013-2014 school year has begun! Please return your child's enrollment form along with their book fee as soon as possible. If you know of any family that might be interested in a quality Christian education, please have them call the school office.

PB&J'S are singing "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" at the Cardinals/Diamondbacks game on Monday, June 3rd at 7:15 pm and you can be there to support them. Tickets are \$22 and can be purchased from any PB&J'S (choir) member. Deadline for orders with payment is March 25th. Tickets will be distributed the week of April 8th. Join us at the ballpark on June 3rd!!!

FAMILY SHOW LAUNCHED: Have you listened yet on your Lutheran Radio Station Worldwide KFUE? **Faith'n'Family** is a weekday, 11am-12pm CST live, call-in show with guests, and a different family issue every week. This week's topic is "What to do with your kids on their Spring/Easter break?" Get answers to your family questions: **email them to family@kfuo.org or call them to 314.505.7839 or www.facebook.com/KFUORadio.** Find it at www.kfuo.org --- live streaming on your computer, laptop, tablet, iPhones, smartphones, WiFi radio, and archived.

Our Quilters recently sent about 80 quilts to Lutheran World relief. A letter of thanks is on the Narthex Table.

Sunset Home Auxiliary Spring Bazaar - Fri.
April 12, 2013, 9 am – 2 pm



The Kantorei of Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, will present an Easter Choral Vespers at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Moline on Wednesday, April 3 at 7:00 p.m. Members and friends of all district congregations are cordially invited.

Alzheimer's Association is having an educational conference on Tues., April 30 from 8:15 – 4:30 p.m. in East Peoria, IL. Cost is \$15.00. Continuing Education credits can be received. Call 1-800-272-3900, Nancy Sweitzer, with questions or email nsweitzer@alz.org

Chris Troxel has sent a newsletter about his family and classes. It is also on the table in the Narthex for all to read.

Regional Youth Conference *"The Holy Spirit and Pentecost"*

Greetings pastors, parents, and youth leaders in the CID, NID, or SID

On Saturday April 27th from 9:00 am to 6:30 pm, the congregations of Faith and Zion in Lincoln will be hosting a Regional Youth Conference. The theme is *"The Holy Spirit and Pentecost"*. This spring we will be learning about whom the Holy Spirit is, what His particular work is, and what the day of Pentecost is all about. We will also be talking about problems with Pentecostalism, the importance of the Means of Grace, the Word of God and the Holy Spirit, and what "speaking in tongues" truly is. At the conference, presentations and sectionals on these and other topics will be led by local pastors and lay leaders. Also, we are intentionally planning a sectional or two specifically for the Sr. High youth who attend. During the day we will have a healthy balance of worship, learning, and fun; the first half of the day at Zion Lutheran Church and the second at Zion Lutheran School.

Jr. High Youth (6th-8th) and Sr. High Youth (9th-12th): Cost will be \$10.00 a person, which will include donuts and juice in the morning, lunch, a Grill-out in the evening, and all activities. Several churches from the Central Illinois District and Northern Illinois District are already planning to attend. Please encourage your Jr. and Sr. High parents to send their children to this conference, and I would especially encourage pastors to attend along with their youth.

High School Helpers: Older high school youth are also welcome to attend as helpers. We are looking for Sr. High youth to help out with activities, sports, and crowd control that day. If you have some older youth who are interested, please call or email Pastor Ramirez.

Chaperones: Make sure that you bring an adequate number of chaperones, at least one chaperone for every 10 youth.

Registration: Please have parents complete the individual registration form. As you get a count of how many are attending, email or call with the number of youth and chaperones attending from your church. (We of course appreciate you telling us ASAP) If you are far away, and you cannot make the 9:00-9:30 registration time, don't worry, you can come late, just inform us and we'll work something out. Same applies if you need to leave early. Remember to bring completed and signed individual registration forms with you to Lincoln.

Feel free to call or email me with any questions. Pastor David Ramirez, Phone: (217) 737-8650
Email: david.p.ramirez@gmail.com, Zion Lutheran Church, 205 Pulaski Street, Lincoln, 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, Michael Goodwin, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Levi Meyer, John Miller, Jeremy Myers, Amanda Schwartz, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Marc Troxel, and Kristen Vahle.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS: Nick Austin, Gary Baker, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Elaine Hyer, Roger Hyer, Kim Long, Michael Morgan, Nancy Ott, Michelle Reinberg-Page, Cole Schullian, Kory Tournear, Janet Terwische, Doris Vahle, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener, Patricia Weppler, Jackson Weppler, Judy Wessel.



REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS: Norma Baird, Maxine Delven, Lela Dodd, Gloria Douglas, Barbara Ebel, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Ruth Holt, Merle Kuntemeier, Florence & Dorothy Lavery, Jesse Leenerts, Bob McGartland, Jacqueline Mickens, Marilyn Newman, Dorothy Pflantz, LaVora Scoggan, Ike Shaffer, 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, St. Louis, MO:
Chris Troxel, 21 Founder's Way, Unit R, St. Louis, MO 63105-3088
Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN:
Christopher Suggitt, 7506 Conifer Place, Ft. 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

Sunday School Staff

Superintendents – Melissa Knapp & Hannah Ott	Grades 3 & 4 – Hayley Ott
Pre-school – Susan Weiss, Gretchen Wolfmeyer & Olivia Hoebing (assistant)	Grades 5 & 6 - Donna Haire
Kindergarten – Suzanne Troxel	Grades 7 & 8 - Cyndi Ott
Grades 1 & 2 – Monica Foster	High School – Steve & Donna Schoch

Serving in Special Ways Today

Altar Committee: Kriss Frink, Chris Schaller, Carolyn Cramlett, Amy Killday

Communion Assistants this week: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Bill Haire
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Clint Gooding & Larry Foster
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Terry Morse & Chet Vahle

Communion Assistants next week: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Bill Haire
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Gary Hyer & Bob Jording
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Jeff Wolfmeyer & Stan Yelton

Ushers: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Gary McElfresh
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Gary Cramlett, Terry Lannerd, Bernie Ott, Larry Post
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. – Bill & Alex Schlipman, Ray & Kathy Miklius

Greeters: Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - East – Larry & Monica Foster
 -West – Rachel & Kate Foster
 Sunday: 10:15 a.m. - East – Evelyn McDowell
 - West – Marilyn Lehenbauer

Registration Slips: Ruth Essington

Counters: Barb Ellerbrock & Marry Lazzeri

Parish Nurse: None

Drivers: Jerry Manton, Roger & Steve Hyer



Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	March 17, 2013		March 17, 2013
Sat. Night	73	General Fund	\$4,526.50
8:00 a.m.	71	Specials	\$45.57
10:15 a.m.	126	Kleinsorge Income	
Total Attendance	270	Building Fund	
Holy Communion	175	Endowment Funds	
Sunday School	23	Memorial Fund	\$250.00
High School	5		
Adult Bible Class	31	Total	\$4,822.07
Wednesday – Mar. 20 th	54		

\$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 **February** was \$149.34.

✠ This Week at Our Redeemer ✠

Sunday:

March 24

Palm Sunday

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion
9:10 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Class
10:15 a.m. Holy Communion & Confirmation

Monday:

March 25

The Annunciation

3:00 p.m. Banner Committee
4:00 p.m. NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Tuesday:

March 26

9:30 a.m. Beth Moore Bible Study on Daniel
7:00 p.m. Senior Choir

Wednesday:

March 27

1:00 p.m. **NO** Bible Study
1:00 p.m. **Newsletter Crew**
4:00 p.m. Youth Choir

Thursday:

March 28

Maunday Thursday

6:45 a.m. **NO** Bible Study @ the Coach House
7:00 p.m. Holy Communion

Friday:

March 29

Good Friday

7:00 p.m. Worship Service - Tennabrae

Saturday:

March 30

Easter Vigil

5:00 p.m. Holy Communion

Sunday:

March 31

Easter Sunday

6:30 a.m. Holy Communion
7:30-8:45 Youth to serve Easter Breakfast
9:00 a.m. Holy Communion

Upcoming Events

April 4 – The LWML is hosting a Ladies Bible Study

April 3 at 7:00 p.m. - The Kantorei of Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne

April 10 at 6:00 p.m. – Start of “HAVE A NEW FAMILY BY FRIDAY” at St. James (Wed. for 7 weeks)

April 12-14 – OAFCC @ St. John, Green Valley, IL

April 24-25 – Seniors – Pere Marquette State Park “Older Adults Living Life to the Fullest”

April 26-28 - Lutheran Marriage Encounter

June 3-6 - VBS

June 27-30, 2013 - LWML Convention, Pittsburgh, PA

July 1-5, 2013 - San Antonio, Texas. LCMS youth & adult leaders Youth Convention

August 9-10, 2013 – Lutheran Hour Ministries ROC Event in Cleveland Ohio

October 18-19, 2013 - Lutheran Hour Ministries ROC Event in Omaha Nebraska