# Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus For the week August 17-24, 2014

**Communed:** Gloria Douglas, Mary Hurley **Hospital:** Donna Johnson (Weston, WI)

**Voters:** Here are the 2014/2015 board nominations so far. If you are interested in any of these positions or in serving on the nominating committee, please contact Larry Foster @ 217-434-8708 or fosterml5@gmail.com or Pastor.

President – Chet Vahle
Vice President –
Secretary – Wanda Spohr
Treasurer –
Financial Secretary – Colleen Westberg
Education Board – Randy/Gretchen Wolfmeyer
Elders – Elect 3

- Stan YeltonBrad Essington
- Evangelism Property – Bill Schlipman Stewardship –

#### **Volunteer Disaster Relief (LERT) Training**

- in Quincy, IL on Sat. Aug. 23 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Lutheran Church of St. John. For \$35 you will receive your training manual, LCMS Volunteer vest, other helpful materials and lunch. Upon completion you will receive your LERT certificate of participation & your volunteer badge. There is more information and registration forms on the table in the Narthex.



**Summer Choir** will sing Today, Aug. 17<sup>th</sup>. We will sing hymn #803 (LSB) "Joyful,

Joyful We Adore Thee" (in unison) & will meet downstairs at 8:40 a.m. to rehearse

**Voter's Meeting Report:** Voters adopted a resolution to replace the shingled part of the church roof. The old shingles will be removed and replaced with a 50 year shingle at a cost not to exceed \$55,000. The contract will be given to Tournear roofing.

Food Bank: Know anyone in our church family, who needs help? Contact Cyndi Ott @ 430-0301.

#### **Volunteers Needed for the Altar**

**Committee** This is an easy way to be involved with serving your church and only takes about an hour once or twice one time a year! If you are willing to help contact Stan @ 224-3023 or at stan.yelton@gmail.com

Part time Sunday School Teacher Needed for the upcoming school year in the Pre-K class. If you can help out let Melissa Knapp know or call the church office @ 223-1769.



Church Picnic – upper Moorman @ 4 p.m. on Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>. Bring table service, drinks & a covered dish to share.

Chicken provided. Sign-up in the Narthex so we know how much to order.

#### Retirement reception for Evelyn

**McDowell:** Following worship on August 31, please join us to give thanks to Evelyn for her 10+ years of service at Our Redeemer. A reception with cake and punch will be held in the basement.

## PLuS group Thirty One Fundraiser:

If you are interested in purchasing an item from Thirty One, a percentage of the profits will benefit the PLuS group (and Lutheran Education!) Current catalogs and more information can be found on the Scrip table. The fundraiser will run through the end of August. If you have questions, please contact Melissa Knapp.

"Loved By God: Living with a Purpose"
Lutheran Older Adult Retreat at Pere Marquette
Lodge in Grafton, IL October 22-23, 2014. To
make reservations or ask questions contact Dan
Roth at 618-234-4767 or at <a href="www.sidlcms.org">www.sidlcms.org</a> or
Mary Preuss, at <a href="maryPreuss@yahoo.com">MaryPreuss@yahoo.com</a> or
618-288-9525. See the flyer on the Narthex table
for more information.



**Rada Cutlery** is an on-going fund-raiser & has a variety of products: cutlery, stoneware, soy wax, quick mixes, and candles.

Once we have \$60 in orders, we place the order. Leave completed order forms with payment at the scrip table. Thank you for your support of PLuS.

Career's for Christ Weekend Nov. 14-16 Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors who are interested in becoming professional church workers are invited to attend this event.at

workers are invited to attend this event.at Concordia University in Chicago. For Questions call 708-209-3100 or visit CUChicago.edu/C4C.

**Save the date** –National Lutheran Youth Workers Conference July 12-15, 2015 in New Orleans, LA. Early bird registration rates at <a href="https://www.nlywc.com">www.nlywc.com</a>.

### Explore a vocation as a deaconess -Aug.

1-3 at Concordia Seminary in Ft. Wayne, IN. \$100 covers room, meals & activities for the prospective student and a guardian for the whole weekend. Registration Deadline is July 18<sup>th</sup>. See folder in Narthex or go to <a href="https://www.ctsfw.edu/PAHS">www.ctsfw.edu/PAHS</a>.

**Lutheran Hour Ministries:** Join us for **Five 14** on June 13, 2015 from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. @ Trinity Lutheran Church 1201 W. Jackson Auburn, IL RSVP 217-303-3074 \$10.00 if you register before May 1, 2015. After that it's \$15 until the deadline of June 1, 2015.

2015 Montana Travelers: Because we need to be prepared to purchase plane tickets by mid September 2014 for our July 2015 trip, Pastor Eden needs a \$100 deposit ASAP so that I know who is definitely going. An additional \$400 per adult and \$200 per youth (non ORLC youth will need to pay the full \$400) will be needed prior to September 10, so that funds are available for the tickets. There is still room available if anyone else would like to come with us.

**New letter from our sister congregation** in Great Britain is on the Narthex table

Men's Network Golf Tournament – Feb. 26 – March 1, 2015 in Howey in the Hills, Fla. Meals, Hotel & greens fee all included. \$100.00 off if preregistered by 10/31/14 Regular price deadline 1/16/15.

#### **Birthdays This Week**

- 17 Marion Allen
- 18 Renee Benedetto
- 18 Caleb Buss
- 18 Tanner Clevenger
- 20 James Jones II
- 20 Nicole Kaltenbach
- 21 Abby Hibbert
- 22 Mike Murphy
- 23 Samantha Bowles

### **Baptismal Birthdays This Week**

- 17 Ruth Essington
- 18 Billy Bowles
- 18 Kelsey Valentine
- 18 Jessica Weisenburger
- 19 Anthony Ebel
- 20 Joann Harvey
- 20 Teresa Kemp
- 20 Heather Meyer
- 21 Jesse Leenerts
- 23 Raven Bugh
- 23 Jane Cleaves
- 23 Curtis Cramlett

#### **Anniversaries This Week**

19 James & Stacy Valentine II

# Zion Lutheran Church, Lincoln, IL, invites you to our Regional Youth Conference The Old Testament in the New

**Who:** Jr. High (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade) & Sr. High (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>) youth, their parents, leaders & pastors

**What:** A one day Conference including: worship, presentations by local pastors & laymen, sports, games, and of course...breakfast, lunch & dinner **When:** Saturday, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am to 6:30 pm **Why:** So the youth of our churches can learn more about the Lord and His Word, deepen their

faith, & get to know other Lutherans in their area **Cost:** \$10.00 per person. <u>Please Register ASAP</u> by calling or emailing Pastor Ramirez (217) 732-

3946 or <a href="mailto:david.p.ramirez@gmail.com">david.p.ramirez@gmail.com</a>

**Luther Hostel** October 4-7 for adults 55 & older at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO. \$375 includes all meals & refreshments. Registration dead line is Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>. For more info or to register call 314-505-7286 or go to <a href="mailto:ce@csl.edu">ce@csl.edu</a> or <a href="https://events.csl.edu/reg/reg\_p1\_form.aspx?oc=10&ct=ATTENDEE&eventid=8190">https://events.csl.edu/reg/reg\_p1\_form.aspx?oc=10&ct=ATTENDEE&eventid=8190</a> Flyer on table.

Got an End of the Summer project or want the advantage of some summer clearance sales. ORLC Scrip has 2 - \$100 Lowe's cards on hand! **A New Letter** from the Suggitt's is on the Narthex tables

**OAFC** is a lot of fun and there are many exciting activities, including meeting youth and helping them share their faith through skits, singing, puppets, nursing home and neighborhood visits. There is no charge since housing and food are provided by church who is hosting the event. We get to spread the Good News of Jesus. If you have any questions about upcoming weekends please contact Jamie @ 217-430-4760 or <a href="mailto:jamie62359@hotmail.com">jamie62359@hotmail.com</a>

MISSION U is a new witnessing training program. This workshop will be held at Camp CILCA on Saturday, September 6, 2014, beginning at 9 A.M. The topic will be "Dealing with Tough Questions." Cost is \$25 which includes lunch. Sponsored by the CID Lutheran Laymen's League. Register by August 25 to Delores Blessman, 24202 ECR 1850N, Topeka, IL 61567 or to <a href="mailto:itblssmn@grics.net">itblssmn@grics.net</a> or <a href="mailto:delorisblessman@yahoo.com">delorisblessman@yahoo.com</a>

#### **Camp CILCA Annual Chicken Dinner**

When: August 31
10:30 a.m. Worship
11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Dinner is Served.
\$8 for adults & \$5 for children over 3
1:30 p.m. Auction
8:00 p.m. Campfire & Devotions
Swimming & Camping available Sat. & Sun.

**Marriage Seminar:** Sat., Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Christ Lutheran Church in Normal, IL. Cost is \$40 a couple or \$25 per person & includes lunch. Register at <a href="www.christlutherannormal.org">www.christlutherannormal.org</a> A Schedule is on the Narthex table.

**Devotion Book for Sale** "Breathing Holes: Stories Supplying Fresh Air for Unconventional People" is a devotional book written by Pastor Marty Kaarre. The cost is \$20, and Pastor Kaarre is generously donating \$10 of each book sold to ORLC's youth group. Contact Rev. Eden if you would like to purchase one, or two, or etc.

Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend - Rediscover the one you love in Peoria, IL on Oct. 3-5. Apply now at <u>GodLovesMarriage.org</u> or contact Norm & Deb Lopez at 815-796-2248 or <u>ndlopez@frontier.net</u> for more info. Deadline is Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> After that only space available will be filled. Cost is \$45.00 per couple.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT – Enrollment is continuing at St. James for the 2014-2015 school year. As of today, we have surpassed our anticipated K-8 enrollment by four students. We still have openings in both K-8 and prekindergarten. Tell others about the blessings of attending a Lutheran school and encourage relatives, friends and neighbors to consider sending their children to St. James Lutheran School. Invite them to talk with parents, teachers and principal. Mr. Landskroener would love to make arrangements to meet with anyone who has questions about our school and how their child can become a St. James Eagle! Thanks for getting the word out! St. James Lutheran School....

- provides band instruction through the Parochial Music Organization (PMO) Grades 4-8.
- use field trips as part of our curriculum (Theater, Opera, Symphony)
- uses a trimester school calendar with fall,
   Christmas and Easter breaks)
- has smaller class sizes that allow for more student help and deeper understanding.
- has PTL sponsored activities for students and parents throughout the school year.
- uses well established curriculum that includes Concordia Publishing House for Religion, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (Voyages) for Reading, Saxon Math, Shirley English, Scott Foresman for Social Studies and Science. Curriculum is kept current on a rotation basis.
- > strives to help each child build self-confidence in their own skills socially and academically.

## THANK YOU PARENT TEACHER LEAGUE

(PTL) – During the summer much work around the school has been accomplished to get ready for the new school year. The PTL at St. James makes it possible to update our school by providing funds. This year they provided funding for a new twelve foot white board, carpet in four classrooms, Smart Response Units for Smart-Boards, two new computers, additional technology, library, Fine Arts, tuition assistance... The list goes on and on. Thank you for supporting our PTL with your attendance at activities and especially the Spring Fling.

**TEACHING POSITION AVAILABLE** – St. James is searching for a physical education teacher. Classes meet Monday –Thursday 1:00 – 2:45 pm and Wednesday from 10:00 – 11:00 am. Please contact Mr. Landskroener in the school office for further information.

## **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, Robert Goodwin, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Bryan Meyer, Levi Meyer, Jeremy Myers, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Andy Tipton, Marc Troxel, Kristen Vahle, Brandon VanBastian and Charles Wheeler.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS:** Nick Austin, Becky Bangert, Sutton Perry-Brockemeier, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Richard Grathwohl, Lynda Hinkamper, Lisa Howerton, Elaine Hyer, Kim Long, Michael Morgan, Nancy Ott, Michelle Reinberg-Page, David Rickey, Cole Schullian, Kory Tournear, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener, Jackson Weppler.



**REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:** Norma Baird, Elizabeth Barton, Jim Callahan, Gloria Douglas, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Dorothy Hagemann, Ruth Holt, Mary Hurley, Florence Lavery, Jesse Leenerts, Marilyn Newman, Nancy Ott, Anna Mae Parsons, Don Sass, LaVora Scoggan, Joyce Southward, Ida Utterback, Robert Wemhoener, Lucille Wiskirchen.

## **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.,

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 back in Papua New Guinea

Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough.

Rev. Peter Kolb in Sri Lanka

## **Our Seminary Students**



Concordia Theological Seminary, Vicarage Chris Troxel, 17633 Zinc St., Edmond, OK 73012



Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN: Timothy Wilcoxen, 514 East Washington Center Road, 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**

Superintendent – Melissa Knapp Pre-school – Susan Weiss, Gretchen Wolfmeyer, Katherine Reddick Kindergarten – Suzanne Troxel Grades 1 & 2 – Monica Foster Grades 3 & 4 – Hannah Ajdinovich Grades 5 & 6 - Donna Haire Grades 7 & 8 - Cyndi Ott High School – Steve & Donna Schoch

## Serving in Special Ways Today

Altar Committee: Barb Ellerbrock, Mary Morse

Communion Assistants this week: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Rob Edwards

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. – Brad Ehmen & Stan Yelton

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Sunday: 9:00 a.m. – Chris Knapp & Bruce Burner

Ushers: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. - Bill Haire

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - Terry Morse, Ryan Vaughn, Nathan Hoebing & Gary O'Dell

Greeters: Sunday: 9:00 a.m. – East – Howard & Ruth Ann Snowden

- West - Marilyn Lehenbauer & Eleanor Schlegl

Registration Slips: Jane & Sonny Voepel

Counters: Bill Schlegl & Barb Ellerbrock

Parish Nurse: None

Drivers: Jerry Manton, Steve Hyer, Ryan Vaughn, Ruth Hall & Wanda Spohr

If you wish to help in one of the areas listed below, please contact the church office by email: Secretary@OurRedeemerQuincy.org or at 223-1769 or call one of the following people:

Greeters: Early Service – Sandy Callahan

Late Service -- Ruth Hall

Communion Assistants -- Ryan Vaughn

Altar Care – Stan Yelton

Ushers: Early - Jerry Lunt Late – Terry Morse Saturdays – Bill Haire

Special Services – Joe Cleaves

## Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	Aug. 9 & 10, 2014	Offerings	Aug. 9 & 10, 2014
Sat. Night	54	General Fund	\$4,178.00
Sun., 9:00 a.m.	133	Specials	
Total Attendance	187	Bequests	
		Kleinsorge Income	
Holy Communion	154	Building Fund	
Adult Bible Class	-	Endowment Funds	
Sunday School	-	Memorial Fund	
High School	-	Total	\$4,178.00

\$6,940.15 is needed in General Fund per week to meet budget.

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Sunday: Pentecost 10

Aug. 17 9:00 a.m. Holy Communion

5:00 p.m. PLuS Back to School Swim Party @ Sheridan

Monday:

Aug. 18 5-7 p.m. St. James PTL Ice Cream Social

6:00 p.m. Men's Club - Ladies Night @ Reservoir Park

Tuesday:

Aug. 19 9:30 a.m. Bible Study - Beth Moore

1:30 p.m. Holy Communion @ Good Samaritan

Wednesday:

Aug. 20 First Day of School

Thursday:

Aug. 21 6:45 a.m. Bible Study at the Coach House

Friday: Aug. 22

Saturday: St. Bartholomew, Apostle

Aug. 23 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Disaster Relief Training @ St. John's

5:00 p.m. Holy Communion

**Sunday:** Pentecost 10
Aug. 24 9:00 a.m. Holy Communion

## **Up Coming Events**

Aug. 23 Disaster Relief Training @ St. John's

Aug. 30 CID day at the Ballpark

Sept. 14 Church Picnic – upper Moorman @ 4 p.m.

Oct. 4 Regional Youth Conference in Mt. Zion

Oct. 22-23 Loved by God: Living with a Purpose Conference for Older Adults

Nov. 14-16 Careers in Christ weekend CU- Chicago Jul 12-16, '15 National Youth Leader Conference

## St. James School Important Dates

August 18 PTL Ice Cream Social 5-7 pm August 20 1<sup>st</sup> Day of School (11:30 dismissal) September 5 Grandparents/Special Friends Day **American Heritage Girls Troop IL2014** is collecting items to send care packages to deployed service men and women from Our Redeemer, St. Johns and St. James.

Bryan Meyer, Heather (Wingerter) Meyer's husband, is the first service person the troop is collecting for.

The following items are on Bryan's care package list:

- Socks green, tan or black moisture wicking
- Car, sports, fitness magazines
- Wet wipe
- Hard candy Jolly Ranchers, Life Savers
- Gum mint
- Sunflower seeds
- Cookies Oreos, Chips Ahoy
- Power bars, Protein bars, granola bars
- Pringles
- Pudding cups
- Beef jerky
- Chex mix
- Flavored water packets

If you would like to donate any of the above items, please put them in the box located on the table in the narthex by Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to donate towards the shipping of the box or have questions, please contact Erica Perry-Broekemeier, Gretchen Wolfmeyer, Kari Foulk or Tina Vaughn.

Thank you for supporting our troops while they are deployed and for helping the American Heritage Girls Troop IL2014 with this service project.

Blessings,

AHG Troop IL2014



## **Opening Thoughts:**

August, 2014



As students of all ages head back to classes, we consider the importance of education. We spend billions to educate the children and youth of our nation. Thomas Jefferson wrote, "No government can continue good but under the control of the people; and ... their minds are to be informed by education what is right and what wrong; to be encouraged in habits of virtue and to be deterred from those of vice ... These are the inculcations necessary to render the people a sure basis for the structure and order of government," (Thomas Jefferson to John Adams, 1819). Today there is much disagreement about what children should be taught. This is because as a nation we cannot agree on what is right and what is wrong. *Rev. Jim Wright, Immanuel - Altamont* 

**Prayers for CID Missions** During the next 30 days please remember in your prayers the ongoing Hispanic Outreach of St. John's Lutheran Church, Beardstown to their community. Especially their new Vicar, Jason Gullidge, who is assisting Pastor Doulas Evenson with this ministry.

Anniversary Celebration: Christ Lutheran Church - Waverly will celebrate their 75th anniversary as a congregation. The date is Sunday, September 7, 2014 at 2 pm with guest pastor CID President Rev. Mark Miller. The theme of the celebration is 75 Years of God's Amazing Grace based on 2 Corinthians 4:13-15. A reception will follow the 2pm service. Earlier that morning a Divine Service will be held at 10 am; a potluck will follow this service. Everyone is invited to share in this milestone. For more info. contact Rev. Keith R. Pereira at 217-435-9685 or katco@dtnspeed.net. We hope you will join us.

**Lutheran Laymen's League Retreat**: September 6, 2014 at Camp CILCA. The presentation will be a Lutheran Hour Ministries Mission U class on "Dealing with Tough Questions." Registration cost of \$25 includes lunch. Register by August 25 by contacting Deloris Blessman at 24204 CR 1850N, Topeka, IL 61567 or at <a href="mailto:itolica.net">itolica.net</a> or <a href="mailto:delorisblessman@yahoo.com">delorisblessman@yahoo.com</a>.

#### **Lutheran Early Response Team (LERT) Volunteer Training:**

- Saturday, August 23, 2014 at St. John's Lutheran Church, 3340 State Street, Quincy, IL 62301
- Saturday, September 27th, Trinity Lutheran Church, Coal Valley, IL 61240
- Saturday, October 4, 2014 at St. John Lutheran Church, 509 South Mattis Avenue, Champaign, IL Registration information at <a href="https://www.cidlcms.org">www.cidlcms.org</a>

**Lutherans for Life of IL** is offering to pay the \$100 registration fee for any Pastor in the state of IL who wishes to attend the Lutherans For Life National Conference on October 24-25 at St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Grand Rapids, MI. For more information please contact Mrs. Deb Lakamp by email at <a href="mailto:lakamps@gmail.com">lakamps@gmail.com</a> or by phone at 309.712.9751.

**Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Taylor Ridge**, Illinois will be celebrating the 100th Anniversary of its current sanctuary and 160th anniversary of the congregation on Sunday, September 14, 2014 with a divine service at 10:00 a.m. and dinner at noon, followed by a short program. For more information: phone 309-795-1063 or e-mail zionlcms@qconline.com.

A marriage seminar for the long-time married, recently married, or those intending to marry. Saturday, September 20, 2014 (9am-3pm) Christ Lutheran Church 311 Hershey Road, Normal, IL. Presenter: Reverend Dr. Michael Eschelbach. Registration: Online at <a href="www.christlutherannormal.org">www.christlutherannormal.org</a> through paypal or mail payment with registration form to Christ Lutheran Church. Cost: \$40/couple & \$25/person Catered lunch provided.