Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus For the week of October 8-15, 2017

Special Thanks to Pastor Peter Kolb and his family for joining us this weekend!

Hospice: Special prayers are sought for Bill Dicks and his family (Krista, Lisa, John). He has taken a sudden turn for the worse and is in hospice in St. Louis.

Serving in Special Ways Today **Communion Assistants this Week:**

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Bill Haire Sunday: 9:00 AM – Brad Essington and Steve Kaiser

Communion Assistants next week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM - Bill Haire

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Jerry Lunt and Stan Yelton

Ushers this week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Bob Frink

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Randy Wolfmeyer, Jeff Smith, Larry Post, Eldon Schoch, Steve Schoch

Ushers next week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM - Gary McElfresh

Sunday: 9:00 AM - Randy Wolfmeyer, Jeff Smith, Larry Post, Eldon Schoch, Steve Schoch

Greeters

Sunday: 9:00 AM

East - Larry & Monica Foster West - Sonny & Jane Voepel

Birthdays This Week

- 8 Bob Frink
- 9 Jan Mueller
- 11 Eben Fischer
- 12 Jessica Campbell
- 13 Shirley Foster
- 13 Beth Lucas
- 13 Jerry Westberg
- 14 James Jones III

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 10 Gary Gooding
- 11 Steve Kaiser
- 12 Abbie Wolfmeyer
- 13 Maxine Fink
- 13 Abby Hibbert
- 14 Scott Baird

Anniversaries This Week

- 10 Zachary & Kayla Terstriep
- 12 Rod & Deanna Hibbert
- 13 Chris & Michele Clevenger

Please help the ushers by making sure that the offering plate is passed all the way through each row. There have been complaints from congregation members that they are not getting the plate passed to them, so please do your part to help!

Sunday School children will meet for opening in the old chapel this morning. There will be a presentation about Operation Christmas Child.

ORLC is in need of additional Ushers and Communion Assistants - If interested, please see Larry Foster or call 217-434-8708.

Pastor Peter Kolb will be here October 7th & 8th to speak about his mission work and we will host a potluck dinner at **11:30 AM** for his family on Sunday.

American Heritage Girls Troop IL2014 will meet again on Saturday, October 21st at 10 AM. Girls will pack their Operation Christmas Child boxes.

Fall Cookout will be held at Steve Schoch's on Sunday, October 22nd at 4 PM.

As part of the special Reformation service for the Quincy Circuit churches held at St. James Church on Sunday, October 29th, a combined choir will be singing an anthem. Even if you are not a member of our choir, you are welcome to join us sing at this special service. Rehearsals will be on Tuesday, October 17th & 24th at 6:30 PM at St. James. If interested, please see Reva Ehmen for copies of the music "Fanfare and Concertato on A Mighty Fortress is our God".

In celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the posting of the 95 Theses on October 31, 1517, there will be a Special Reformation service for the churches of the Quincy Circuit at St. James on Sunday, October 29. The service will begin at 3:17 PM (which is 1517 in military time) followed by a potluck dinner.

Quincy Area Shoebox Packing Party – 3rd Annual Sunday afternoon, October 29, 2017 at 2:30 PM at St. John's, 3340 State Street to introduce new groups to Operation Christmas Child & pack 500 shoeboxes.

With the 500th anniversary of the Reformation in mind, the Quincy Concert Band presents a truly uplifting concert "LUX" celebrating the idea of light in the church, in the world, and in the soul. This FREE CONCERT takes place in the Morrison Theater in the Quincy Junior High School Auditorium on October 29th at 2:30pm. The concert band, under the baton of conductor, Dr. Trent Hollinger, will open in true Renaissance style with a Giovanni Gabrieli brass choir work from 1597. Canzon Septimi Toni No. 2 from Sacrae Symphoniae will be performed by two groups of brass instruments on both sides of the auditorium, replicating the original way this work would have been heard in St. Mark's Cathedral in Venice. Also in the first half, you will hear Bach's If Thou Be Near; Kathryn Salfelder's Cathedrals; Lux Aurumque (Light and Gold) by Eric Whitacre; and Rejouissance by James Curnow. The second half of our concert will be dedicated to the composer David Maslanka, who died in August of this year. The Quincy Concert Band will perform his entire 2006 two-movement symphony, Give Us This Day.

ORLC St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund Don't miss the opportunity to double your contribution to the Endowment Fund due to the \$5000.00 matching gift challenge. Please consider your donation to this fund as we continue to prepare for the future of Christian education for our children who attend St. James School. It will be matched until the end of October. Please make checks payable to ORLC St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund. So far we have raised \$5,515 in funds - 110.3% of our goal! Thank you for your donations!

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ENROLLMENT STILL OPEN! We are still accepting enrollment applications for the current school year. Pass the word! Satisfied customers are our best advertisement for our school. If you are pleased with St. James School, please tell others. If not, please tell Principal Landskroener.

ST JAMES STUDENTS are **singing this morning at the 8:00 service at St. James**. They will sing next at Our Redeemer on November 5th at 9:00 am.

TRUNK OR TREAT – Mark your calendars now! You are invited to come to the parking lot at St. James for Trunk or Treat **Friday, October 27**th **from 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm** sponsored by the faculty at St. James School. Come dressed in your favorite costume and visit the many different vehicles for a treat. This is a way to help our neighborhood to get to know St. James too! We need many bags of candy for this event. Please bring them to your church office or to the school office. Serving in excess of 300 people last year, we ran out of candy, so we want to make sure we have enough this year. You are also invited to decorate your trunk/truck-bed and hand out candy. Please let the school office know so we can reserve you a space. We hope you will participate and enjoy some time with us! Tell you neighbors, friends, relatives and enemies! They are all invited!

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED – St. James Lutheran School is compiling a list of substitute teachers for the upcoming school year. If you are interested (or know of someone who might be) please contact Principal Landskroener at 222-8267.

BOXTOPS AND UPC LABELS – Please continue to save General Mills Box Tops, Hy-Vee UPCs and Tyson A+ labels throughout the summer. They help support our school library! Thank you!

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, October 8: Pentecost 18

Pastor Peter Kolb Visit

8:00 AM K-8 Sing at St. James Church

9:00 AM Holy Communion

10:10 AM Bible Study & Sunday School

11:30 AM Pot Luck Dinner for Pastor Kolb & Family

Monday, October 9: St. James No School

Tuesday, October 10: 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study

7:00 PM Senior Choir

Wednesday, October 11: 8:30 AM St. James School Chapel

1:00 PM Bible Study 2:00 PM Banner 4:15 PM Youth Choir 5:00 PM Confirmation

Thursday, October 12: 6:45 AM Bible Study at Coach House

9:00 AM Quilters

Friday, October 13: 11:00 AM Bulletin Crew

Saturday, October 14: 5:00 PM Holy Communion

Sunday, October 15: Pentecost 19

9:00 AM Holy Communion

10:10 AM Bible Study & Sunday School

Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 22nd Fall Cookout at Steve Schoch's Sunday, October 29th Reformation Sunday

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	October 1, 2017	Offerings	October 1, 2017
Saturday 5:00 PM	57	Needed Each Month	\$27,120.75
Sunday 9:00 AM	124	Received Last Month	\$22,960.98
Total Attendance	181	Received This Month	\$6,791.13
Holy Communion	167	Needed This Year	\$325,449.00
Adult Bible Class	23	Received This Year	\$229,849.28
Teen Bible Class	5	Received This Week	\$6,791.13
Sunday School	25		

Adult Bible Class collected \$143.82 for Lutheran Bible Translators during the month of September.