

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of June 17 - 24, 2018

Communed: Joyce Southward, Reva Ehmen, Marcia Clevenger, Dolly Powers, Bill & Eleanor Schlegl

We welcome into our Christian family Dennis & Pat Baker and Bob Mehl through affirmation of faith.

We also welcome into our Christian family Fred & Marilyn Schroeder transferring from the Lutheran Church of Saint John. Please take time to welcome and meet all five of our new members!

Serving in Special Ways Today

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Rob Edwards

Sunday: 9 AM – Stan Yelton and Larry Foster

Communion Assistants next week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Rob Edwards

Sunday: 9 AM – Steve Schoch and Randy Wolfmeyer

Ushers this week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Bill Haire

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Terry Lannerd, Terry Morse, Alex Schlipman, Larry Ehmen, Brad Ehmen

Greeters:

Sunday: 9:00 AM

East – Dick & Joann Reichert

West – Glenna Nicholson and Wanda Spohr

Birthdays This Week

- 18 Todd Shackelford
- 19 Terry Vaughn
- 19 Marilyn Lehenbauer
- 20 Lee Hyer
- 20 Sandra Peters
- 21 Tory Fitch
- 21 Mike Schoch
- 22 Jamie Louderback
- 22 Laurie Bronson
- 22 Melissa Knapp
- 22 Addison Kuhn
- 22 Jessica Weisenburger
- 23 Betty Blumenkamp
- 23 Raven Bugh

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 17 Mike Vahle
- 21 Gina Eickelschulte
- 21 Dalton Stockdale
- 23 Brandy Gilbert
- 23 Dick Reichert

Anniversaries This Week

- 20 Ray & Donna Johnson

Our families wish to thank all who kept us in their thoughts and prayers during my brother's lengthy illness and death. Your cards and prayers were a great comfort to us during this difficult time. May God Bless all of you. **Joann & Dick Reichert Family and the Greg Meyer Family**

Want Thrivent Choice Dollars directed to the ORLC St. James Tuition Endowment Fund? First, ask your Thrivent representative to direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. Then you must notify the office of the amount you want put into the Endowment account. It can then be transferred to the correct account.

Lutheran Child & Family Service's Back-to-School Drive, For every \$25 given, one child in our care is provided with a complete set of school supplies and a backpack. LCFS partners with the "Kits for Kids" program, which enables us to buy these essential items at a deep discount.

Summer Choir will sing - "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Hymn 770 in LSB on **June 24**. This will be sung in unison; we'll rehearse briefly downstairs at 8:45 a.m. Anyone who enjoys singing even if they are not choir members is invited to join us.



Care Net's 2018 Baby Bottle Blitz Bottles are due back **TODAY**. If you forgot your donation, please bring it in as soon as possible. Thanks!

Ongoing Ambassadors for Christ Travel Team will visit ORLC on **Monday, August 6**. Congregation members are needed for housing on Monday night & canvassing the neighborhood Monday & Tuesday. Please contact Jamie Louderback at (217) 455-3151 if you can help.

Ice Cream Social



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Clayton, IL - **June 19th** – Starts at 5 PM Menu is Barbecues, Hot Dogs, Cake, Pie and Homemade Ice Cream – Free Will Offering.



Special Thanks to Our Redeemer for sending six of our youth to the Camp CILCA Youth Retreat this week. They had a wonderful time and served at local food mission on Tuesday morning. They hope to do this each year to kick off the summer. St. John's is hosting a Youth Night on **Sunday, July 1** from **6-8 pm** and all ORLC Youth are invited to attend.

Thank you to all of the SPLASH CANYON volunteers who served as group guides, lead and assisted at rotation sites, registered and checked in kids each night, security to make sure each child is accounted for at departure! **Thank you** to the kitchen staff who prepared meals for about 100 people each night. Kids, family, and staff enjoy a home cooked meal each night prior to the start of VBS! **Thank you** to the parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, friends, etc. who brought the children each night! **Thank you** to the those who donated food items for the dinners and cookies and kool aid for snacks! **Thank you** to the decorating crew for helping prepare the decor and setting it up! **What a fun week we had!**

Announcing 'WITNESS': The 2019 National LCMS Campus Ministry Conference Jan. 2-5, 2019, Fort Wayne, Ind. Participants will gain a familiarity with the *Every One His Witness*® Lutheran evangelism program and will also have opportunities to explore witnessing in various areas of most interest to them in their collegiate contexts. Online registration opens Aug. 15.

financial assistance as they go through the adoption process. We are asking for churches/Lutheran schools of the CID to prayerfully consider helping us financially to build this fund as well. Once the fund has grown to \$8,000, we would open the fund up for LCMS families to use as they go through the adoption process. Families will be able to submit an application for an adoption grant and Lifesong will review the application. Then Lifesong will give the LFL of IL a recommendation of the amount that could be granted to the adoptive family according to their financial needs. Here is a video link with more information about Lifesong for Orphans: <https://vimeo.com/139492632> (password is **lifesong**). Our hope is to make this fund available by the end of 2018. If you have any questions or are interested in helping in this project, you may contact me, Valerie Boehne, at 309-210-4747.

The Lutherans for Life of Illinois Executive Board is excited to announce a new life-affirming project for Lutheran families in the state of Illinois. Adoption is an expensive endeavor and due to the high costs many couples do not consider adoption as an option in growing their families. The LFL of IL Board would like to work to meet this need for families who have a desire to adopt. We are partnering with Lifesong For Orphans ministry to create an adoption fund to be made available to LCMS families in Illinois who need

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217-222-8267

ATTENTION ALL ST. JAMES ALUMNI – If you know of any former St. James Lutheran School students whose whereabouts might not be known to us, our Marketing Committee needs their information. Please contact the school office if you can help us. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: We are in the process of enrolling students at St. James for the 2018-2019 school year. Pass the word! Satisfied customers are our best advertisement for our school. If you are pleased with our school, please tell others. If not, please contact Principal Landskroener.

THE SCHOOL BOARD is looking for Extended Care aides for the 2018-2019 school year. Hours for the morning aide are 7-8:15 am and hours for the afternoon aide are 3:00-5:30 pm. If you are interested or know someone that may be interested, please contact Principal Landskroener.

ST. JAMES LIBRARY – Please continue to save General Mills Box Tops, HyVee UPCs and Tyson A+ labels over the summer. These help fund our school library. Currently our library has over 8,000 volumes.

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, June 17:

Pentecost 4

Happy Father's Day

9:00 AM Holy Communion
10:10 AM Bible Study



Monday, June 18:

Tuesday, June 19:

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
1:30 PM Holy Communion at Good Samaritan

Wednesday, June 20:

Thursday, June 21:

6:45 AM Bible Study at The Coach House
4:00 PM Newsletter Deadline

Friday, June 22:

11:00 AM Bulletin Crew
Eden - Thewis Wedding in Mellen, WI

Saturday, June 23:

5:00 PM Holy Communion (*Pastor Rempfer preaching*)

Sunday, June 24:

Pentecost 5

9:00 AM Holy Communion (*Pastor Rempfer preaching*)
10:10 AM Bible Study

Upcoming Events

June 30th LWML Serve the blind at St. James
July 19th LWML Birthday Party 6 PM-The Patio

August 6th O AFC Travel Team
August 12th Youth Bowling at Tangerine 1 PM

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

| Attendance | June 10, 2018 | Offerings | June 10, 2018 |
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| Saturday 5:00 PM | 62 | Needed Each Month | \$28,151.52 |
| Sunday 9:00 AM | 119 | Received Last Month | \$22,039.64 |
| Total Attendance | 181 | Received This Month | \$11,235.21 |
| Holy Communion | 156 | Needed This Year | \$337,818.25 |
| Bible Class | 24 | Received This Year | \$142,904.97 |
| | | Received This Week | \$5,210.00 |

Adult Sunday School Collected \$107.32 during the month of May for Lutheran Bible Translators.