

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of March 17 - 24, 2019

Welcome Jane Haschemeyer as our newest member of the Our Redeemer family! She is transferring from Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Golden, IL.

Prayers & Christian Sympathy for the family & friends of **Lucille Redman Wiskirchen** who went to her heavenly home on Wednesday, March 13.

Hospitalized: Larry Post **Communed:** Elaine Hyer, Martha Canada

Serving in Special Ways Today

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Dennis Go

Sunday: 9 AM – Chet Vahle and Steve Kaiser

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Saturday: 5:00 PM – Dennis Go

Sunday: 9 AM – Gary Hyer and Brad Ehmen

Ushers for Wednesday, March 20: Dave Pellman,
Randy Wolfmeyer, Gary Hyer, Kathy Hyer

Ushers this month:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Bob Mehl

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Gary Cramlett, Darrell Drescher,
Brad Essington, Jeff Smith, Ryan Vaughn

Greeters:

Sunday: 9:00 AM

East – Darrell & Irene Drescher with Melanie, Emily

West – Laurie Bronson and Michele Clevenger

Altar Care this month: Kari Foulk, Carolyn Cramlett,
Rosie Meyer, and Laurie Bronson

Birthdays This Week

17 Obediah Church
17 Ellen Hines 60
17 Mary Morse
17 Katie Voepel
17 Jeff Wolfmeyer
18 Ella Ehmen
18 Erin Fischer
20 Ciera Clevenger
20 Connor Clevenger
21 Aaron Boerema
22 Michele Austin
22 Don Blattner
22 Tiffany Hines
22 Lauryn Sharrow
23 Clayton Hibbert

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

17 Emily Drescher
17 Marty Otto
17 Chad Purcell
18 Amy Buss
18 Jan Mueller
19 Donna Haire
20 Jessica Scharnhorst
21 Phillip Baker
22 Sophia Brown
22 Jane Voepel
23 Layne Bent

SCRIP NEWS! A check for \$2,000 has been written from the Scrip account and delivered to the church. This includes the \$1,000 profit thus far this year, and an additional \$1,000 from additional profits earned towards the end of 2018. THANK YOU for your continued support and use of the ORLC Scrip program, as well as support of Lutheran education.

Week ending:	24-Feb	3-Mar	10-Mar
Profit:	\$81.87	\$179.21	\$113.80
# orders:	14	23	17
Avg Profit/order:	\$5.85	\$7.79	\$6.69
Overall Profit:	\$882.65	\$1,061.87	\$1,175.67

2018 Thrivent Choice Dollars must be directed by the end of **March 2019**.

SCRIP SALE! We have two \$25 ShopKo cards in stock. If you purchase BOTH cards, the reduced price will be \$45. First come, first serve. This only applies to those two cards in stock.

Easter and Confirmation Cards are now available.

SHAMROCK POPCORN & TREATS BAKE SALE in the lounge **Sat. and Sun.** Along with some Shamrock popcorn (and some Choco-Mint, too!) there are some other baked goodies available. Free Will Donation will help benefit Sunday School projects: purchase a quiz bowl buzzer set and renovate the High School Sunday School classroom.

The CID Lutheran Layman's League: Dr. Tony Cook, VP of LHM Global Ministries will speak at their 2019 Annual Convention. Dr. Cook will highlight findings of the Barna Group study on Spiritual Conversations in the Digital Age. You will discover ways to apply these findings in sharing your faith. Catered lunch with Music! When: **Saturday, March 30** Location: Lutheran Church of St John, Quincy Cost: \$7.50 **Deadline: March 18th**

YOUTH GROUP NEWS! The next National Youth Gathering team bonding time will be **TODAY, 6:00 to 7:00 PM**, at The Lutheran Church of St. John. The ORLC Youth Group will serve a meal before Lenten Services on **March 20**. The congregation is invited to attend and participate in Christian fellowship, but **please sign up for Lenten meals in the Narthex** so we can get an accurate count for supper. Each youth member should talk to Jamie & find out how to help.

Fellowship Opportunity During Lent! This Lenten season ORLC will offer a time of fellowship with a delicious dinner being served before each of the evening Lenten services. **Please sign-up in the Narthex if you plan on attending so that enough food may be prepared.**

A number of items have been cleaned out of the storage closet in the northwest corner of the basement and placed in the hallway in front of the basement bathrooms. If anyone knows of a reason to keep any of these items please notify Gary Hyer by **March 25th**. Any remaining items will be donated to the Church Rummage Sale. Contact information 217-257-2437 or glhyer@comcast.net.

HORIZONS: ORLC will be serving the homeless on **March 31** and **June 9**. 12 Volunteers are needed from **3-7 PM** each time. March 31 is full but help is still needed for June. Please sign-up in the Narthex.

The CID congregations Next month we're celebrating the 50th Anniversary of *your* Student Center at WIU. Join us at **2:00pm Sunday, March 31, 2019**. Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer will be preaching. The address of The Lutheran Student Center is 303 N. Clay St., Macomb, IL. 61455.

The 2019 clean-up of Calvary, St. Boniface & St. Peter's Cemeteries, will be held April 1st-April 5th. You must have everything off the graves by Sunday **March 31st**. You may place flowers back on when cleanup is over or April 6th.

Upcoming Dates for the St. James School 7th grade and 8th grade Chicago trip fundraisers:
Thursday, April 4th, from 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm - Culver's night - no vouchers needed.
Wednesday, May 8th, from 4:00 p- 8:00 pm - Panera night - please give paper or digital voucher to cashier

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL 217-222-8267

ST. JAMES ENROLLMENT – Enrollment for the 2019-2020 school year has begun. Please share this great opportunity with everyone you know. I would love the opportunity to talk with families about our school and how they can become a St. James Eagle! Current St. James families, please return your Student Enrollment Form to the school office. Thank you if you have already done so.

Principal Landskroener

OUR ANNUAL PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP is scheduled to be held **Monday, March 25nd, from 6-7PM**. Parents and prospective students are invited to attend this special event! St. James offers Preschool for three and four-year-old children. Our Preschool 3 class is offered for either a five day or three-day enrollment. Preschool 4 is a five-day morning program. Kindergarten is full time. A child must have turned five by September 1st to enroll in our Kindergarten program. Invitations will be sent home soon. Any questions regarding our Roundup? - Call the School Office, 224-8267.

SAVE THE DATE for our Technology Committee's upcoming **Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, April 6th**. Seating will be at **5:00 and 6:00 pm**. This is an annual event for the Technology Committee. Money raised will be used to help update our computer lab and classrooms.

Still COLLECTING LIDS and BOXTOPS AND UPC LABELS

AVENGER'S CAMP-This 4-hour event will be held on **Saturday, April 13th from 9 Am to 12:30 PM** a cost of **\$10 per attendee**. The camp is themed after popular super heroes and includes door prizes, refreshment, carnival games, drawing class, 2 stem classes, martial arts and an escape room. This event is open to the public. As with the last two years, our sponsors make this event possible! Sponsor's monetary donations assist in covering the cost of decorations, activity supplies, and food. Sponsorships of \$100 or more includes: names listed on event fliers that go to Quincy and some surrounding schools; advertisement of your business on the school's Facebook page; opportunities to put a flier, business card or promotional items from your business in the events goody bag that is given to all participants; and two event passes. Money raised by this event in previous years went to assist 7th & 8th graders in paying for their end of the year trip and purchased a color printer for the school. For more information, contact Desiree Epping or the School Office.

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, March 17:	Lent 2 - St. Patrick's Day
	9:00 AM Holy Communion
	10:10 AM Adult Bible Class & Sunday School
Monday, March 18:	
Tuesday, March 19:	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
	1:30 PM Holy Communion at Good Samaritan Home
	6:00 PM Elders Meeting
	7:00 PM Senior Choir
Wednesday, March 20:	1:30 PM Bible Study
	4:15 PM Youth Choir
	5:00 PM Confirmation
	5:45 PM Meal by Youth Group Please RSVP – Serving until 6:45 PM
	6:15 PM Church Council
	7:00 PM Lent 2 - Midweek Service – A God with A Mother
Thursday, March 21:	6:45 AM Bible Study at Coach House
	4:00 PM Newsletter Deadline
Friday, March 22:	St. James No School
	11:00 AM Bulletin Crew
Saturday, March 23:	10:00 AM AHG Meeting
	5:00 PM Holy Communion
Sunday, March 24:	Lent 3
	9:00 AM Holy Communion
	10:10 AM Adult Bible Class & Sunday School

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	March 10, 2019	Offerings	March 10, 2019
Saturday 5:00 PM	53	Needed Each Month	\$28,060.85
Sunday 9:00 AM	98	Received Last Month	\$23,771.69
Total Attendance	151	Received This Month	\$13,657.15
Holy Communion	169	Needed This Year	\$336,730.20
Adult Bible Class	26	Received This Year	\$63,199.46
Sunday School	12	Received This Week	\$7,002.15
Ash Wednesday Attendance	74	Ash Wednesday Communion	68

Upcoming Events:

March 27 Lent 3 Midweek Service at 7 PM with Pastor Hayden: A God Who Thirsts
 April 3 Lenten Meal by Youth Group 5:45 PM to 6:45 PM
 April 3 Lent 4 Midweek Service at 7 PM with Pastor Rempfer; A God Who Prays
 April 4 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm - Culver's Night for St. James School Class Trip - no vouchers needed
April 7 New Member Carry-in and Confirmand Questioning at 5:15 PM
 April 10 Lenten Meal by Senior Choir 5:45 PM to 6:45 PM
 April 10 Lent 5 Midweek Service at 7 PM with Pastor Eden: A God Beaten
 April 14 Palm Sunday 8:00 AM
April 14 Confirmation 10:15 AM

April 18 Maundy Thursday 7:00 PM: A God Who Loves
April 19 Good Friday 7:00 PM: A God Who Bleeds, Dies
April 20 Easter Vigil 5:00 PM: God Buried
April 21 Easter Sunday 6:30 AM & 9:00 AM: A God Who Rises
May 8 4-8PM - Panera Night for St. James School Class Trip - please give paper or digital voucher to cashier.
May 19 Armed Forces Sunday
July 11-15 National Youth Gathering
February 8, 2020 Altar Care Brunch

PORTIONING BAGS COLLECTION & PAPER PRODUCTS at Lutheran Church of St John: A

Thrivent Action Team has formed to collect ziplock plastic bags for portioning bulk frozen and dry items for the Food Pantry. If you would like to donate gallon size freezer or quart size storage bags, you can place them in the Boat in the narthex or bring to the LCOSJ office in February. They will also be collecting napkins, little plates, Styrofoam cups (6-8 oz), coffee, sugar, and creamer to be used by those patrons of the Food Pantry. Volunteers will be able to offer a cup of warm coffee which provides a relaxed opportunity to share the Gospel or take prayer requests. Our food pantry serves over 1000 people each month.

Lutheran Child & Family Services is in need of **Volunteers** for their Quincy Office. They are looking for Receptionists, Administrative office workers & Case aides. Contact LCFS.org/Volunteer, (708) 488-5558, or Matt_McDermott@lcfs.org if interested.

For the week of March 17, 2018:

Listen to Worldwide KFUE.org, your radio station for practical Lutheran talk, daily Bible and Confession studies, daily worship opportunities, and current issues from a Lutheran worldview. Programs are archived at KFUE.org for 24/7 on-demand listening. You can also find our programming wherever you get your podcasts! Have a question or comment? Find us at @KFUEradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

This week on KFUE.org, hear from Tim Young Eagle of Lutheran Indian Ministries on The Coffee Hour about the future of Native Ministry (**3/18** at 9:00 a.m. CT), get in depth in Genesis chapters 4-7 on the Sharper Iron Series "In the Beginning was the Truth" (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), continue in our study of Ezekiel on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), and worship with us during midweek Lent Worship broadcast from Peace Lutheran Barracksvue in St. Louis, MO (**3/20** at 11:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfue.org!

Prayer Service: Anyone attending the "Pro-Life Rally and Lobby Day" at the state capitol in Springfield on **Wednesday, March 20** might be interested in a Prayer Service at Trinity Lutheran Church (220 S. 2nd Street, Springfield) (just across the street from the capitol to the north and east), from 11:30 until noon on that day. CID President Mark Miller will preach. Also, Trinity's church building will be open for prayer before and after the service, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on March 20.

For the week of March 24:

This week on KFUE.org, we celebrate the Annunciation of our Lord in Chapel with Divine Service on **3/25** at 10:00 a.m. CT, continue digging into the Truth in Genesis on Sharper Iron with Rev. Jonathan Fisk and guest pastors (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and study the book of Ezekiel on Thy Strong Word with Rev. William Weedon and guest pastors (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfue.org or wherever you get your podcasts.

Lutheran Summer Music (LSM) is the nation's premiere faith-based music academy for high school 78 students. *LSM 2019 will take place **June 23-July 21** at Valparaiso University.*

Save the Date: October 27, 2019, Immanuel Lutheran in West Ely, MO 150th Anniversary Celebration.