A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus

For the week of June 2-7, 2019

Hospital: Ken Wiesemann

Communed: Norma Begeman, Martha Canada, Bud Lohmeyer

# Serving in Special Ways Today

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday: Rob Edwards Sunday: 9:00 AM – Stan Yelton and Ryan Vaughn **Communion Assistants next week:** Saturday: 5:00 PM – Rob Edwards Sunday: 9:00 AM – Chet Vahle and Jeff Wolfmeyer **Ushers:** Saturday: 5:00 PM – Dennis Baker Sunday: 9:00 AM – Larry Ehmen, Brad Ehmen, Josh Hennig, Terry Morse, Terry Lannerd **Greeters:** Sunday: 9:00 AM: East – Darrell & Irene Drescher with Melanie and Emily West – Malinda Eden with Julianna

Altar Care: Becky Lunt, Gina Eickelschulte,

Deanna Hibbert, and VOLUNTEER NEEDED Birthdays This Week

## 2 Jim Bangert

- 4 Scott Baird 65
- 4 Irene Drescher
- 5 Larry Bugh
- 5 Trent Douglas
- 7 Marilyn Hanawalt
- 8 Al Ebel
- 8 Kent Schnack
- 8 Kirk Wemhoener

### **Baptismal Birthdays This Week**

- 4 Gary Cramlett
- 5 Linda Go
- 6 Dan Hufendick
- 7 Gary Hyer
- 8 Holly Casanova

### **Anniversaries This Week**

5 Mark and Kari Adams 10 years **LWML Picnic:** The LWML Picnic will be held on **Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup>** beginning at **6:00 p.m.** at the Wavering Park large shelter. Please invite your husbands or other guests to attend! We ask that you sign-up on the sheet located in the Narthex by **Monday, June, 24th**. Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Drinks (water, lemonade, unsweetened tea), and Table Service will be provided. All you need to bring is yourselves and a dish to pass. If it is a downpour or chance of storms we will have our picnic at church. This event is always so much fun and we look forward to seeing you all there! If you have any questions please contact Malinda Eden.

Christian Day at the Ball Park Join the Heartlad Region Member Thrivent Day Network with the St. Louis Cardinals! On July 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM. All tickets purchased at Cardinals.com/thrivent include a free hotdog and soda as well as an invitation to the Thrivent Financial Pregame Party located at Busch Stadium. The pre-game party will feature the following: -The opportunity to meet former Cardinal players - A Thrivent Action Team service project stuffing teddy bears for first responders to give out on calls -A photo booth with a professional photographer -Snacks -And more Visit christiandaydrawing.eventbrite.com to enter to win one of the following prizes that can be used at the game on Sunday, July 14th: -A chance to throw out a ceremonial first pitch -Two seats on the field during the Post Game Program following the conclusion of the Home Game (5 winners). After the game, Paul

Goldschmidt, & other current Cardinals will speak.

Michele Balzer and Steve Schoch invite you to join them at their wedding celebration on Saturday, July 6 at 2 PM A reception will follow at 6 PM at the Holiday Inn on Oak Street. Please see the invitation on the Narthex table for details

#### 2019 VBS Mission and how Our Redeemer

can get involved: The Mission Project once again this year is the Quincy Neighbor Federation. This organization does so many things for our youth but we will focus on their "Back to School" campaign. In 2018 the Federation collected 1,000 backpacks full of needed school supplies. However, this year for the first time we are also going to designate Thursday of our VBS week as Mac n Cheese Day! These boxes of Mac n Cheese will help feed students who may go hungry after school. We want the Our Redeemer Family to get involved as well! For the entire month of June there will be totes located in the Narthex to collect school supplies and Mac n Cheese. School Supplies Needed: Pencils, Pens, Crayons, Markers, Rulers, Folders, Glue Sticks, Spiral Notebooks and Backpacks. VBS Food Donations If you prefer to donate funds for the purchase of food for VBS dinners, we do have some \$10 Walmart/Sam's Club gift cards available at the Scrip table.

**Saint John's Food Pantry** has enough egg cartons at this time. Thanks for all your help!

You are invited to the Quincy Zone LWML Crafternoon. You will be making a woodcraft of your choice. Lots of fun, fellowship and snacks will be provided. You may bring drinks of choice (alcoholic or non) **Saturday, June 15 at 2:30 PM** in Camp Point. Cost is \$25.00. Space is limited to 50 people so make your reservation today by emailing Pat Heinecki at <u>quincyzonepresident@gmail.com</u>

**Thank You** from the Evangelism Committee to Gretchen Wolfmeyer, Conall Wolfmeyer, Clayton Hibbert, Harrison Knapp, and Amy Killday, and Sam Killday for going door to door in the neighborhood delivering VBS flyers.

**ORLC is offering** \$100 scholarships to any child who would like to go to Camp CILCA this summer. Please contact Pastor or Gretchen if interested.

**ORLC St. James Tuition Endowment Fund: Update** on the \$20,000.00 Matching Grant - We have received contributions amounting to \$17,979 which is 90% of the goal. We only need an additional \$2021 to meet the challenge. Thanks to all of you donors for your support of this project. As of now we have about \$178,000 invested with the LCMS Foundation. ORLC Tuition Endowment Fund Committee

**SCRIP NEWS!** We are now stocking \$50 VISA gift cards. (Keep track of your purchases and spend the balance amount first before using another form of payment.)

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Week ending:	12-May	19-May	26-May		
Profit:	\$183.92	\$41.02	\$119.30		
# orders:	20	8	16		
Avg Profit/order:	\$9.20	\$5.13	\$7.46		
Overall Profit:	\$2,134.63	\$2,175.65	\$2,294.95		

**The "Summer Choir "** will sing on **Sunday, June 16**. We will be singing Hymn 571 (LSB) "God Loved the World So That He Gave"; Anyone can sing in the Summer Choir. We sing in unison. There will be a brief warm-up downstairs at **8:45 a.m.** before the service.

**Looking for someone** to play the piano every other month or so when we have services at Good Samaritan. Contact Wanda Spohr at 224-6036.



#### **Miraculous Mission VBS: Jesus Saves the World**

Lift off for an intergalactic adventure and learn about God's plan of salvation from creation to the cross! Just as the earth revolves around the sun, our faith revolves around God's Word. Keep Jesus and His Gospel at the center of your children's VBS experience with *Miraculous Mission*. Registration is open and live! We hope you can join us this year! <u>https://vbsmate.com/events/ourredeemerquincyil/17996</u> ~ *Melissa Knapp* ORLC VBS Director

# ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL

217-222-8267

<u>ST. JAMES ENROLLMENT</u> – Enrollment for the 2019-2020 school year continues. Share this great opportunity with everyone you know. I would love to speak with families about our school and how they can become a part of our St. James family and a St. James Eagle! *Principal Landskroener* 

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL AND GRADUATION is Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>. School will be dismissed after chapel and recognitions Friday morning (about 10:00) and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation is at 7:00 pm in the church. All welcome. CONGRATULATIONS to our St. James Graduating Class of 2019: Ava Jacobsen, Samuel Killday, Grace Schell, Aiden Specht, Lorelai Tallcott and Kirrah VanZile. May God continue to bless you as you have been a blessing to others. Congratulations!

<u>ALL SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE</u>! The School Board and Faculty are sponsoring an All School Open House for prospective students on **Saturday**, **June 1**<sup>st</sup>, **from 9 am-12 pm**. Parents and students will be able to visit the classrooms, meet our teachers, and learn about the curriculum. Please pass this information on to people who might be interested in a quality, Christ-Centered education or have them call the School Office at 222-8267. Thank you for your help in making our school the best it can be!

**SCHOOL ACCREDITATION** – St. James Lutheran School is in the process of becoming accredited through the National Lutheran School Accreditation. We are currently in a self-study to evaluate the actual conditions that are related to school quality which are evaluated and measured in seven specific areas. This is important for our school and we solicit your prayers and help in completing this process. Please talk to Principal Landskroener for ways you can become involved. Thank you!

**POSITION AVAILABLE** – St. James School Board is currently taking applications for school secretary for the 2019-2020 school year. This is a part-time position from 8:15 am – 12:15 pm. If interested, please pick up an application in the school office.

<u>LIFE IS SWEET 5K</u> – St. James is hosting a *Life is Sweet 5K Run/Walk* on **Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am**. We are looking sponsors and runners/walkers to support this activity along with volunteers to help on race day. Additional information will be upcoming. **THIS IS GOING TO BE SUCH A FUN EVENT! DON'T MISS OUT!** Call the school office with any questions you may have.

	This Week at Our Redeemer			
Sunday, June 2:	Easter 7			
	9:00 AM Holy Communion			
	10:10 AM Bible Class			
Monday, June 3:	Miraculous Mission VBS 5:15 PM Meal, 6-8:15 Pm VBS			
Tuesday, June 4:	9:30 AM Bible Study "The Patriarchs"			
	11:30 PM Senior Singles at Tony's II			
	Miraculous Mission VBS 5:15 PM Meal, 6-8:15 Pm VBS			
Wednesday, June 5:	Miraculous Mission VBS 5:15 PM Meal, 6-8:15 Pm VBS			
Thursday, June 6:	6:45 AM Bible Study at the Coach House			
	Miraculous Mission VBS 5:15 PM Meal, 6-8:15 Pm VBS			
Friday, June 7:	11:00 AM Bulletin Crew			
Saturday, June 8:	5:00 PM Holy Communion			
Sunday, June 9:	Day of Pentecost			
	9:00 AM Holy Communion			
	10:10 AM Bible Class			

## **Response Last Weekend to God's Grace**

Attendance	May 26, 2019	Offerings	May 26, 2019
Saturday at 5:00 PM	51	Needed Each Month	\$28,060.85
Sunday at 9:00 AM	94	Received Last Month	\$23,818.62
Total Attendance	145	Received This Month	\$21,385.20
Holy Communion	127	Needed This Year	\$336,730.20
Adult Bible Class	22	Received This Year	\$124,160.31
Sunday School	N/A	Received This Week	\$3,938.76

# **Upcoming Events**

June 3-6: Miraculous Mission VBS: Jesus Saves the World 6:00 – 8:15 pm (Meal at 5:15PM) June 15: LWML Crafternoon - Camp Point

*June 23-27:* VBS at LCoSJ 6:00 PM – 8:30 PM each evening. Dinner served at 5:00 PM, RSVP required. *June 23-July 21:* Lutheran High School Summer Music (LSM) academy – Valparaiso Univ. *June 28-29:* Life is Sweet 5K Run June 30: 6 -7pm. Mandatory meeting at St. John's for National Youth Gathering youth and their parents July 6: Schoch- Balzer wedding July 11-15: National Youth Gathering July 14: Christian Day at the Ballpark July 20: basic LERT training Charleston, IL September 29: Voters' Meeting 11:15 AM October 1: Bring Giving Home Workshop at the Lutheran Church of Saint John October 2-4: National Disaster Response Conference – St. Louis Seminary October 27: Immanuel Lutheran in West Ely, MO 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration February 8: 2020 Altar Care Brunch

Lutheran Child & Family Services need Volunteers for Receptionists, Administrative office workers & Case aides for their Quincy Office. Contact LCFS.org/Volunteer, (708) 488-5558, or <u>Matt\_McDermott@lcfs.org</u> if interested.

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.

BASIC LERT Saturday, July 20, 2019 Immanuel Lutheran Church 902 Cleveland Ave Charleston, Illinois 61920, 9:00 am - 2:30 pm (Sign-in begins at 8:30 am) http://www.cidlcms.org/LERT.Charleston.7.20.19.pdf

**2019 National Disaster Response Conference, October 2–4 •** Concordia Seminary, St. Louis • Registration information will be available soon on the <u>LCMS Calendar page</u>.

**We pray for victims** of the recent tornadoes that ripped through the South and the devastating Midwest flooding that continues today. When disaster strikes, Christians are among the first to roll up their sleeves, open their wallets and look for ways to help neighbors in need. Thrivent members and others in your church can help in the following ways:

### • Lend a hand.

Thrivent members can give of themselves to help recovery efforts by leading a Thrivent Action Team. Members can use promo code "MW Flooding 2019" or "Southern Tornadoes 2019" to have their Thrivent Action Kit expedited.

#### • Donate online; Thrivent will boost it.

For every \$2 donated through <u>Thrivent.com</u> to specific organizations helping with the recovery efforts, Thrivent will add \$1.\* Thrivent will also pay all online processing fees so 100 percent of the donation will go directly to support victims in need.\*\* Eligible members can also direct Thrivent Choice Dollars®.

**KFUO.org\_for the week of June 2**: Listen to the broadcast arm of the LCMS, as we share Christ for you anytime, anywhere via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at <u>kfuo.org</u> and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on **@KFUOradio** on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>Instagram</u>. **This week on KFUO.org**, we move from the Gospel of John into the book of Numbers on Thy Strong Word with host Rev. AJ Espinosa and guest pastors (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), study the Truth in Genesis 31-34 on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and hear God's Word in scripture and hymns during Daily Chapel broadcast live from the LCMS IC at 10:00 a.m. CT. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org!