

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of December 1-8, 2019

We rejoice with **Byan & Heather Meyer** in the **baptism** of their daughter, **Nora Leann Meyer** on **Saturday, November 30th** at our **5 PM** service. **We welcome Nora to the Our Redeemer family!**

Serving in Special Ways Today

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Dennis Go

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Steve Kaiser and Ryan Vaughn

Communion Assistants next week:

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Bob Frink

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Steve Schoch and Larry Foster

Ushers: Saturday: 5:00 PM – Rob Edwards

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Jerry Manton, Gary Hyer,
Ryan Vaughn, Chet Vahle, Barb Vahle

Wednesday: 7PM – Jerry Manton, Randy Wolfmeyer,
Jeff Wolfmeyer, Don Blattmer

Greeters: Sunday: 9:00 AM:

East – Dennis & Brenda Fleming with Denys Stark

West – Kathy Hyer and Mary Lazzeri

Altar Care: **Mona Fischer**, Amy Killday,

Wanda Spohr, and a **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

Birthdays This Week

- 1 Kaitlyn Fischer
- 1 Larry Foster
- 1 Harrison Knapp
- 1 Max Showman
- 1 Kayla Terstriep
- 2 Brian Manton
- 3 Tad Douglas
- 3 Morgan Longcor
- 3 Cheryl Newbrough
- 3 Carol O'Dell
- 3 Jeff Wemhoener
- 4 Phyllis Cook
- 4 Cindy Klingele
- 4 Allan Murphy
- 4 Allan Struve-Murphy
- 6 Tony Bowles
- 6 Barb Ellerbrock 83
- 7 Linda Go
- 7 Olivia Showman

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 3 Donna Johnson
- 3 Jaela Vaughn
- 3 Emily Weppler
- 4 Alexis Hibbert
- 4 Clayton Hibbert
- 4 Janice Tronsgard
- 6 Sarah Lucas
- 7 Brady Essington
- 7 Heather Feinstein

Anniversaries This Week

- 4 Richard and Mary Lazzeri 48 years
- 5 Bob and Kriss Frink 49 years

You can help earn rebates for the ORLC Scrip Fund that will benefit the education of children attending St. James Lutheran School. As you plan your weekly and monthly purchases, keep SCRIP in mind! Stop by the SCRIP table: 1) for a full list of retailers, or go to: shopwithscrip.com, 2) for additional order forms as you plan your purchases, and 3) to ask any questions you have about the program. We are happy to help you learn how to use scrip!

Week ending:	10-Nov	17-Nov	24-Nov
Profit:	\$101.92	\$93.67	\$132.83
# orders:	17	11	20
Avg Profit/order:	\$6.00	\$8.52	\$6.64
Overall Profit:	\$4,528.07	\$4,621.74	\$4,754.57

A Soup-and-sandwich supper will be served by LWML on **Wed, December 4**, prior to the first Advent service, serving from about **5:30 to 6:45 pm**. Come and join us for food and fellowship! The **Youth Group** will serve the meals on December 11 & 18 as a fundraiser for the next National Youth gathering.

Quincy Neighborhood Federation – Christmas

Items: Now we can help fill those shoe boxes we donated with Christmas gifts for the children who attend the Federation. They are in need of white socks of various sizes and gloves that stretch to any size of any hand. Our goal once again will be to collect at least 100 pairs of socks and gloves. There will be a tote located in the same spot we collected the mac n cheese and shoe boxes for the other donations. Please donate only new socks and gloves as these are their Christmas presents.

American Heritage Girls are now **collecting new clothing and personal care items** to be donated to Quincy Public Schools. Often children do not come to school adequately dressed. Often they need personal care items to take care of daily needs. We will be helping children from Pre-School through 6th grade. After the holidays we will be going out to shop the bargains, so if you do not like to shop we will gladly accept monetary donations. Watch for our Christmas tree and box. See Donna Haire if you have questions. Donation suggestions include the following and all sizes are needed: Personal care items like toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, Winter boots, Coats, Gloves and Mittens, Hats, Gym shoes, Sweatpants and shirts, Underwear, & Socks.

Sunday School needs someone to *play the piano* during the Sunday School opening. It would be from approximately **10:10 AM until 10:30 AM**. Please talk to Melissa Knapp to check out a packet that you could take home and look over.

Thrivent Members' BAKE & GOODIES SALE

is December 7 & 8. Profits go to the Concordia Seminary Food Bank in St. Louis. The future of the LCMS depends on the willingness of these men to enter our seminaries and study for the ministry. This can create challenges for them and their families. Our sale will be held before and after all services on **December 7 & 8.** **All ORLC members** are encouraged to help make items for the sale (*please bring items before either service*), purchase goodies and/or make a monetary donation. All funds collected will be sent to the food bank before Christmas to help these families celebrate.

Thank you for your generous donations at the bake sale to support the St. James 7th & 8th grade Marine Lab Trip. We hope you enjoyed the delicious treats.

Hy-Vee/Open Hands Food Pantry Festival of Lights Night – Monday, December 2nd Hy-Vee is partnering with the St. John's Open Hands Food Pantry to provide food for those in need during the Christmas season. There will be a discount of \$1.00 for admission if a non-perishable food item is donated, and a discount of \$2.00 for admission if two or more non-perishable food items are donated (up to \$2.00 discount). It is a great chance to see the lights, and help out the LCOSJ Food Pantry. Regular admission is \$12 per vehicle.

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CHRISTMAS TREES NEEDED – We are in need of 3 Christmas trees (5-7 ft.) to decorate for the Christmas programs **December 10th and 12th**. If you have one to donate or lend, please contact the school office.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US for chapel every **Wednesday at 8:45 am** in the church.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS – Our **Pre-K – Kindergarten** program (*Hooray for Baby Jesus!*) will be **Tuesday, December 10th**. The **1st – 8th Grade** program (*Red-Letter Christmas*) will be **Thursday, December 12th**. Both programs will begin at 6:00 pm. Please plan to join us.

FOOD DRIVE CONTINUES–For Chapel offering this month, school and church families are encouraged to bring nonperishable food for the Food Pantry. The class who brings in the most items will receive a free recess! Thank you for helping to serve others.

EAGLE VISION EVERYONE deserves our respect **ACT** with kindness **GOD'S LOVE** is our greatest strength **LOVE** one another **EVERY DAY** live for Jesus **SHOW OTHERS** we are Christian.

This Week at Our Redeemer**Sunday, December 1:****Advent 1****9:00 AM Holy Communion**10:10 AM Bible Class & Sunday School (**Assign Christmas Program Parts**)*Hy-Vee/Open Hands Food Pantry Festival of Lights Night***Monday, December 2:****Tuesday, December 3:**

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study

11:30 AM Senior Singles Lunch at Sprouts Inn

7:00 PM Senior Choir

Wednesday, December 4:

1:00 PM Bible Study

4:15 PM Youth Choir

5:00 PM Confirmation

5:30-6:45 PM meal by LWML

7:00 PM Advent Service**Thursday, December 5:**

6:45 AM Bible Study at the Coach House

Friday, December 6:

11:00 AM Bulletin Crew

6:00 PM LWML Christmas Party

Saturday, December 7:

10:00 AM AHG Meeting

Thrivent Bake Sale for the Concordia Seminary Food Bank**5:00 PM Holy Communion****Sunday, December 8:****Advent 2****Thrivent Bake Sale for the Concordia Seminary Food Bank****9:00 AM Holy Communion**

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School

3:00 PM Christmas Caroling to Shut-ins until 5:00 PM

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	November 24, 2019	Offerings	November 24, 2019
Saturday at 5:00 PM	49	Needed Each Month	\$28,060.85
Sunday at 9:00 AM	127	Received Last Month	\$24,824.13
Total Attendance	176	Received This Month	\$25,054.49
Holy Communion	145	Needed This Year	\$336,730.20
Bible Class	27	Received This Year	\$271,153.42
Sunday School	26	Received This Week	\$4,448.00

Upcoming Events**December 11:** Advent 2 Meal at 5:30 PM hosted by Youth and Service at 7 PM "Women of Advent – Sarah"**December 16:** Poinsettia Deadline**December 18:** Advent 3 Meal at 5:30 PM hosted by Youth and Service at 7 PM "Women of Advent – Mary"**December 21:** Mobile Food Pantry at Lampe 10:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.**December 31:** New Year's Eve service at The Lutheran Church of Saint John 6 PM**January 5:** Serve at Horizons**January 26:** Annual Banquet at Camp CILCA**February 2:** Lutheran Hour Ministries Sunday**February 8:** 2020 Altar Care Brunch**March 29:** CID Bible Bowl**March 29:** Confirmation Questioning and New Member Dinner**April 5:** Confirmation and Palm Sunday**April 22 - 25:** Church Directory Pictures (2 to 9 PM on weekdays and 10 AM to 5 PM on Saturday)**May:** LWML Rummage Sale**July 20-30:** Montana Adventure**September 20:** Church Picnic 2 PM – 7PM**July 9-13, 2022:** National Youth Gathering in Houston, TX

Volunteers Needed: Anyone not presently serving as **ushers, communion assistants, or altar care helpers**, please contact the church office or Larry Foster (319) 572-9558. We are making the 2020 schedules.

Sunset Home is looking to make the holiday season joyful for their residents. Please send gifts or cash donations to purchase gifts to Sunset Home, 418 Washington, Quincy, IL 62301. We would like to have all donations by **Monday, December 16, 2019**. Thank you for making our resident's Christmas special. Thanks, Tasha Rothweiler, Life Enrichment Coordinator (*There is a list of items they are looking for on the bulletin board.*)

Two Springfield schools are hiring teachers. Visit the ORLC website for more information (under Sunday to Sunday).

There are **GOOD NEWS** magazines available in the Narthex for only **\$3.00 each**. These are a great way to witness to your neighbors, friends, and family. Thank you – The Evangelism Committee

Contemplate March 5-7, 2020: St. Louis Seminary for college-age or older potential students. It provides an opportunity to learn more about life at the seminary & the preparation that leads to service as a pastor, missionary, chaplain or deaconess in The Lutheran Church.

Adopt a Lutheran School Student This fund is to help the families of children that are currently attending St. James school. If making a donation, please specify if it is for our children in need or for the tuition Endowment Fund which we are building to help the church and families with tuition in the future.

Concordia Lutheran School in Springfield is seeking a part-time teacher for middle grades to work three afternoons a week for 3 hours per day. Please contact Jan Burmeister or the school office at 217-529-3307 or school@concordiaspfld.org.

CID youth Bible Bowl coming on **March 29, 2020:** The Topic is "The Acts of the Apostles." Study this Bible book with your youth (6th-12th graders) and learn about the spread of the gospel of Jesus Christ and God's power and protection for His people. Then participate in your District Bible Bowl in Springfield.

Camp CILCA for Christmas! 2020 Summer Camp registration opens December 1! Give the gift of camp this Christmas to someone you love. Register by *Christmas Day* and receive a *10%* discount. You can also order camp swag (hoodies, hats, & more) if you contact the office before **December 15th**.

January 26, 2020: Annual Banquet Join Camp CILCA at Our Savior's in Springfield to celebrate 70 years of outdoor blessings with Guest Speaker **Rev Jonathan Fisk!** The night includes great food from Nelson's Catering, musical entertainment, Rev Fisk, and a presentation about the camp. Tickets are \$40 and can be reserved by contacting the camp office by **January 23rd**.

Please join Christ Lutheran, Normal for a **Journey To the Manger** on **Sunday, December 8th, from 5-7pm**. This will include free tours with live animals, singing and music with both indoor and outdoor scenes. Please view the flyer on the bulletin board for more information.

Save for next year's LWML Rummage Sale in May of 2020. Call Mary Morse with any Questions

Trinity Lutheran School in Springfield, Illinois is hiring. They are currently interviewing candidates for the following two early childhood positions: **Part-Time Lead Teacher for Two-Year Olds** and **Part-Time Teacher Aide for Two-Year Olds** (with potential for additional hours in other early childhood classrooms). Hours would be Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday mornings from 7:30 AM - noon starting in **January 2020**. Pay would be determined based on experience and degree level. If you are interested, please email your resume and a letter of recommendation to Trinity's Early Childhood Director, Alicia M. Klug, at aklug@trinity-lutheran.com. If you have any questions about either of the positions, you can call the Early Childhood office at (217)787-2323, extension 3. Thank you for your consideration.

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*For the week of **December 1:*** We wish you a blessed Advent! Hear the Coffee Hour Choir demonstrate how to simply go Christmas Caroling this season (**12/4** at 9:00 a.m. CT), begin the book of 1 Thessalonians on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and worship with us in chapel service from the LCMS International Center (weekdays at 10:00 a.m. CT). Find programs on demand at kfuo.org or wherever you get your podcasts!

*For the week of **December 8:*** **This week on KFUO.org**, continue in the new "Christ is Surely Coming" series on Sharper Iron in 1 Thessalonians (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), hear about the new "Making Disciples for Life" resource on The Coffee Hour (**12/11** at 9:00 a.m. CT), and hear reassurance in God's Word on Moments of Assurance (weekdays at 12:00 p.m. CT). Find programs on demand at kfuo.org!

March for Life, Chicago, January 11, 2020 The largest pro-life event in the Midwest. Join thousands of pro-lifers in speaking out for life. Right to Life of Adams County is organizing a 1-day trip to the March for Life Chicago via Amtrak. The day will include leaving at 6:12 a.m. on January 11, 2020, arriving at Union Station at about 10:40 a.m., walking about .8 mile to Daley Plaza, (stopping for lunch on the way), attending the Rally from 1:00-1:45, and walking in the March from 1:45-3:00 back to Convention Headquarters at the Congress Plaza Hotel. There should be time to attend the convention exhibits for about an hour before walking back to Union Station and taking the 5:58 p.m. train back to Quincy. Arrival in Quincy is at about 10:20 p.m. Participants will need to be able to walk about 3-4 miles (total from and to the train and in the March). Participants should purchase their own round-trip train ticket(s). (www.amtrak.com) Prices on Amtrak increase as the date approaches, so it would be wise to purchase tickets early. Right to Life of Adams County will subsidize a portion of the cost of the train. Be sure to sign up for the free convention fast pass, www.marchforlifechicagoconvention.org as there will probably be time to visit the exhibits at the convention for about an hour before leaving to catch the train. Everyone needs a pass to enter the exhibits, and having this pass ahead of time will make entry easier and faster. If interested in attending, please call Lyn Schlipmann, 217-653-0075 or Jane Haas, 217-257-0533.