

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of July 25 – August 1, 2021

Communed: Dick & Joann Reichert

Birthdays This Week

26 Madelynn Jones
27 Stacy Luker
28 Stacy Kuhn
29 Zoey Klauser
30 Mandy Creely
30 Rachel Foster
30 Ray Johnson

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

25 Henry Holtman
27 Emily Becker
27 Briana Linder
27 Brad Scharnhorst
29 Lynn Sharrow
30 Brett Baird
30 Madison Frohn
30 Donna Goodwin

Anniversaries This Week

26 Jeff and Heather Wolfmeyer 18 years
27 Kent and Karen Knoernschild 36 years
28 Sheldon and Kari Foulk 9 years
31 Bill and Linda Waterkotte 14 years

Scrip Update:

Week ending:	8-Jul	11-Jul	18-Jul
Profit:	\$64.80	\$61.80	\$95.43
# orders:	1	8	13
Profit/Order:	\$64.80	\$7.72	\$7.34
Overall Profit:	\$2,189.86	\$2,251.65	\$2,285.28

The profits earned on **July 8th** are from online orders through the Raise Right (*Shop with Scrip app.*) These are from purchases for e gift cards that have been made with our unique code. Thank you to those who utilize this option!

RADA Cutlery We will be placing a re-order soon for some in-stock items. RADA will increase prices after **July 31, 2021** with their new catalog, so now is a great time to start thinking about any upcoming RADA gifts you might need for Christmas, wedding showers, weddings, and birthdays too!

LWML rummage sale August 20 and 21.

Starting **Monday, July 19**, we will be accepting items for the rummage sale. Please use the Sunday School opening area for your items. **Please do not put anything in the Fellowship Hall.** Once the opening room is full, you can put items at the end of the hall into the Sunday School room area. *No TVs.* Thanks to everyone who have helped us raise over \$13,000 in the last six years. All of this for missions! Thanks again. Let's keep up the Lord's work!!

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Registration for families is available to help us prepare for staffing, curriculum, classrooms, and supplies for the fall term. If you have children that are **3 years old up to 12th grade** range who will be attending Sunday school, then please fill out the registration. A link to the online form will be sent to all families, as well as posted on our website. Paper copies of the survey will be available in the Narthex as well. Please complete one registration per family by **Sunday, Aug 8th**. Multiple children can be registered on the same form. The form will include some information about precautions and procedures that will be taken as we return to offering Sunday School this fall. We understand that families may have concerns, and will make decisions based on what is best for their children.

Hospital: Todd Schroeder, Mike Weiss

Thank You for your kindnesses and prayers. My surgery at Univ of Iowa Hospital was **July 22**, expected to take 8-12 hours. God willing, we will return to Waukee on **July 26**. I will need several weeks to recover, followed by about 6-7 weeks of radiation, 5 days/week. We very much appreciate your concern and prayers. God is **so** good.

Larry D. Troxel

SERVING OUR COMMUNITY: In August, we will be collecting various snack items that will be donated to Quincy Neighborhood Federation. Donations may be dropped off in the tote by the south entrance (*by our Serving the Community bulletin board!*) After **August 29th**, the items will be delivered to the QNF. Here are some snack ideas: Cups of Ramen

Cups of Mac n Cheese Juice boxes
Fruit Snacks Chips (*individual bags*)
Pop Tarts Popcorn (*individual bags*)
Pudding Cups Granola Bars
Mini Beef Jerky Snacks Cups of Fruit

The Quincy Neighborhood Federation appreciates all of your support!

Request for Ideas from the Congregation

ORLC has received a federal payroll tax refund of \$8,926.15 due to a law passed last March as a result of the Covid crisis. The Church Council is considering what to do with this unexpected income, and would like to hear ideas from the Congregation before making a recommendation at the next Voters Meeting. Among the ideas being considered are:

Just keep the money in the general fund for future needs; Pay it into the ORLC St. James School Endowment Fund; Donate it to selected mission project or charity such as the St. John's Food Pantry, the Quincy Neighborhood Federation, or similar entity; Provide additional assistance to the church in Uganda, or others in need; Divide the total amount and allocate it to two or more of such entities.

If you have an idea for good use of the funds, please communicate it to a member of the Church Council **before August 18**. At that meeting the Council will consider the issue and what to **recommend to the Voters on September 26**, at which time the Voters will make the final decision. Thank you. *Chet Vahle*, Council President

Crafting for the Community is on hiatus until Sept. Currently, we have another bundle of items that will be delivered to CareNet at the **end of July**. Volunteers from the Sew Masks for Quincy IL group have been busy making various items for Care Net. You can see the array of burp cloths, baby blankets, booties, hats, etc. outside of the Sunday School office. If you have any additional items you would like to contribute to Care Net, please add them to our pile.

Please remove items from your back pockets (*keys, money clips, etc.*) We have a few pews that have been damaged on the right side of the church

Thrivent tshirts are available on the Scrip Table near the south entrance. Please help yourself.

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL <https://www.stjamesquincyschool.org> 217-222-8267

School Summer Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday's, 9am – Noon. If you need to make an appointment with the office, please do so via a FastDirect email or at schooloffice@stjamesquincy.org.

The **2021-22 Academic Calendar** has been approved and is available. We appreciate the input from the Satisfaction Survey regarding the academic calendar. Please know we heard you and have made changes to the upcoming school year that reflects that input. The calendar will also be on FastDirect under the *Links* section.

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, July 25:

Pentecost 9

9:00 AM Communion Worship Service (RSVP) Streamed on Facebook
10:15 AM Bible Class

Monday, July 26:

Tuesday, July 27:

Wednesday, July 28:

Thursday, July 29:

Friday, July 30:

Saturday, July 31:

5:00 PM Worship Service (RSVP) Brandon Metcalf Preaching-Pastor Gone

Sunday, August 1:

Pentecost 10 Brandon Metcalf Preaching- Pastor Gone

9:00 AM Worship Service (RSVP) Streamed on Facebook
10:15 AM Bible Class

Upcoming Events

August 2: Women's Bible Study – *Esther* - 9:30 AM

August 4: LWML Meeting at 6:30 PM

August 18: Elders at 6 PM

August 18: Church Council at 7 PM

August 20 & 21: LWML Rummage Sale

September 1: LWML carry-in at Reva's at 6 PM

September 9: Quilters

September 14: Quincy Zone Rally at Holy Cross in Golden, IL

September 14: Pastors' Conference

September 19: Church Picnic

September 21: Pastors' Circuit Meeting

September 23: Quilters

September 26: Bible Translation Sunday

September 26: Voters' Meeting

October 3: LWML Sunday

October 6: LWML Meeting

November 3: LWML Meeting

November 12-13: CID Junior High Lock in Five Points –Washington, IL

December 3: LWML Meeting

July 9-13, 2022: National Youth Gathering in Houston, TX

July 17- 19, 2022: CID District Convention Crowne Plaza –Springfield, IL

SERVING OUR COMMUNITY For the month of July, we will be collecting items for the Quincy Neighborhood Federation Back-to-School event. **Until Aug. 1st**, you may bring items to the collection tote by the south entrance. All items will be delivered to the QNF on Aug 2nd. On August 3rd, from 5 to 7 pm, they will host a back to school fair.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES:

Pencils

Pens (*blue, black, red*)

Binders (*1 inch and 2 inch*)

Notebooks (*spiral and composition*)

Loose leaf paper

Glue and Glue sticks

Markers

Crayons

Colored Pencils

Backpacks (*full size*)

They are also collecting new and gently used clothing and shoes. They may be taken to 812 Payson Ave, Monday to Thursday from 9am until 1 pm.

For the week of July 25: **KFUO Radio**, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUO.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on **@KFUOradio** on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/kfuo), [Twitter](https://twitter.com/kfuo), and [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/kfuo). **CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE.org:** Hear a missionary story from Kenya on The Coffee Hour **7/29 at 9 AM**, study Jeremiah 41-46 on Sharper Iron's "A Time to Destroy and a Time to Build" (*weekdays at 8 AM*), and study Nehemiah 9-13 on Thy Strong Word (*weekdays at 11 AM*). Find these programs on demand at kfuo.org or on the KFUE Radio app!

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Offerings	July 18, 2021
Needed Each Month	\$27,296.67
Received Last Month	\$26,868.53
Received This Month	\$30,869.62
Needed This Year	\$327,560.00
Received This Year	\$190,358.76
Received This Week	\$6,936.00

Attendance	July 18, 2021
Saturday at 5:00 PM	55
Sunday at 9:00 AM	75
Total Attendance	130
Holy Communion	
Bible Class	21

SENIOR (OLDER ADULT) RETREAT Southern Illinois District and the Missouri District will hold the 19th Lutheran Older Adult Retreat on **October 20 (Wednesday) and October 21 (Thursday)** at the Pere Marquette Lodge & Conference Center in Grafton, Il. The theme is "20/20 Perfect Cross-Eyed Vision" ("Cross Eyed" simply means that our **Eyes** are focused on the **Cross** of Christ!) Our theme is based on John 12:21b ... "we want to see Jesus."

Dr. Rich Bimler, expert on aging & humor, will be our Keynote Speaker on Wednesday. Retired Seminary Professor, Rev. Dr. Jeff Gibbs, will be our Bible Study Leader on Thursday. His study is also based on John 12:21b. His title is "It Doesn't Look Like Glory to Me: Seeing Jesus as He wants to be Seen."

Each day features an Opening Devotion, followed by 8 one-hour workshops, which seniors may choose 2 each day. Wednesday dinner will be followed by Musical Entertainment from "The 60's Chicks", performing popular songs from the 1960's. During the Retreat you will also have time to relax, enjoy the sight, and fellowship.

The Retreat cost is \$100/per person for both days, \$75 for Wednesday only, & \$50 for Thursday only. Meals included are Lunch & Dinner on Wednesday, Breakfast & Lunch on Thursday. The cost for Lodging, however, is **NOT** included. Make your room reservations by calling the Lodge at 618-786-2331.

Tell them your reservation is for "Lutheran Older Adult Retreat" at a rate of \$99 for a single or double, plus 11% tax. **This rate is good until 10/06/21.**

The Retreat Brochure/Registration Form can be found at www.sidlcms.org. Click on Forms/Registration. You will need to download and print the Registration Form and mail it. Each district congregation has been mailed a copy too. If you have questions call Margo Wolf at 618-979-3376.

LERT Chainsaw Training Event To be held at: Immanuel Lutheran Church, 902 Cleveland Avenue, Charleston, Illinois 61920 **Saturday, August 7, 2021 9 am to 5:00 pm** The registration fee (\$35.00) will include breakfast and lunch. You must be a certified LERT member to attend this class. If you are already LERT chainsaw certified, the event is considered continuing education (no charge). *Chainsaw Training Registration Online Link:* https://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need_id=590681

For churches outside the St. Louis area for the **week of August 1: KFUE Radio**, a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUE.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: **@KFUEradio** on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/kfuo), [Twitter](https://twitter.com/kfuo), and [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/kfuo).

CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE.org: Study practical application of our Lutheran Confessions on Concord Matters (**8/7 at 10 AM**), finish the book of Jeremiah on Sharper Iron's "A Time to Destroy and a Time to Build" (*weekdays at 8 AM*), and hear conversations about faith and family on Moments with KFUE Radio (*weekdays at 12 PM*). Find these programs on demand at kfuo.org or on the KFUE Radio app!