

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of May 28 – June 4, 2023

Birthdays This Week

- 28 Stacey Gruen
- 29 Nick Allen
- 30 Melanie Drescher
- 31 Alischia Langan
- 31 Arianna Fischer
- 1 Kitty Schuckman
- 2 Hannah Ajdinovich

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 31 Wanda Spohr
- 31 Amy Edwards
- 1 Ruth Snowden
- 3 Marcia Clevenger

Anniversaries This Week

- 28 LeRoy and Donna Goodwin 56 years
- 2 Gary and Carol O'Dell 16 years

CareNet Baby Bottles are now available! The fundraiser will run from Mother's Day until Father's Day. Please return filled bottles to the church office.

On behalf of myself and my family, I want to extend my **sincere thanks** for the acknowledgment of my Ordination Anniversary. I am so blessed to have been called into the Holy Ministry and even more blessed to have been called to serve here at Our Redeemer. Every time I pray before I step into the pulpit, I thank God for the opportunity to serve in this place. I thank you for your generous gifts, your prayers, your acknowledgment of this milestone, and for the friendship and grace which everyone has extended to the Eden family.

Pastor Eden

Graduation Cards are now in card rack by office.

Dollar for Missions: A 12-passenger van for University Lutheran Church, Champaign would have uses besides getting college students to church on time. This is the current Dollar for Mission project in the Central Illinois District. The vehicle would also facilitate travel for UniLu students to events such as campus ministry retreats. Project cost: \$35,000. See the short video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HxvdS8wkwe0>

Hog Roast Dinner on **Saturday, June 3** from **4:30 - 6 PM**, 900 S. 17th St., Quincy, IL. Menu: Roast Pork, Loaded Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Dessert, and Drink. Adults \$10, Students \$6, and Children 5 and under are Free. Tickets are available by calling the School Office at 217-222-8267. *Fundraiser for St. James Lutheran School Technology Committee*

Old Fashioned School Picnic, Sunday, June 4, 2023, at Immanuel Lutheran Church, West Ely, Missouri, **Sunday School at 9:30 AM**, **Worship Service at 10:30 AM**, **Fish Fry at Noon** (*Free Will Donation*) **Carry-Out Available**, **Activities for all Ages**, Pie Auction, Games for Children, Petting Zoo, "What Is It?" Guessing Game, **Vespers in the school at 4 PM followed by a Light Evening Meal**. *Everyone Welcome!* Bring old photos to be scanned and returned that day!

Whoever placed the TVs in the LWML storage room for donation to our rummage sale needs to pick them up, please. Unfortunately, we cannot take TVs for the rummage sale, and they cost us money to dispose of.

LWML will hold its 9th annual **rummage sale Friday and Saturday, July 14 & 15**. We appreciate donations for this project where all proceeds go to missions! A great way to get rid of things you no longer need or use. In the previous years, we have raised and donated more than \$20,000. We are thrilled and truly blessed. Again we will no longer be accepting clothing or TVs. Please be sure all donations are in sellable condition. If you have items you need to move now, we can accept them in a room in the Sunday school area for LWML. Preferably we would appreciate you holding on to them until June. *Thank you for your donations! We're looking forward to another successful sale!*

For the week of May 28: CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE.org: Study Revelation 7-11 on Sharper Iron's "Come Soon, Lord Jesus!" (*weekdays at 8 AM*), study 1 Samuel 22-25 on Thy Strong Word with a Free Text Friday on **6/2** (*weekdays at 11 AM*), and study the Ecumenical Creeds on Concord Matters (**6/3 10 AM**). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org and the KFUE Radio app!

Immanuel Lutheran Church & Preschool in Springfield, Illinois is hiring. Immanuel is a DCFS-licensed **school** Day Care Center (preschool). They are currently accepting applications for the following position: **Full-Time Preschool Teacher/Assistant Director for Three to Five-Year-Old Students** Start date to be determined. Pay would be determined based on experience and degree level. This position includes a benefit package. If you are interested, please send your resume and a letter of recommendation to Immanuel's Chairman of Christian Education, Debbie Negangard, at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 2750 E. Sangamon Avenue, Springfield, IL 62702, or at debbienegangard@gmail.com **no later than June 1st**.

Super Slide Youth Night All **junior and senior high youth** are invited to join the youth from The Lutheran Church of St. John, Our Redeemer, and St. James for a super-sized slip-n-slide down the hill at the Baker's home. We will meet on **Sunday, June 4 from 6-8:30 pm** at 7006 N. 12th Street in Quincy. Come for the BBQ—we will provide hot dogs. Boys bring drinks (*single-serve cans please*) and girls bring chips, snacks, or desserts. Bring a towel and invite a friend. Let's kick off summer together!

For the week of June 4: CHRIST FOR YOU on KFUE.org: Search Scripture with us in the June/July issue of the Lutheran Witness on The Coffee Hour (**6/5 at 9 AM**), study Revelation 11-13 on Sharper Iron (*weekdays at 8 AM*), and study 1 Samuel 26-30 on Thy Strong Word (*weekdays at 11 AM*). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or the KFUE Radio app!

Enrollment - 2023-24 registration is right around the corner. Do you know someone looking for a faith-based education? If you do, have them call the school office at 217-222-8267 to schedule a tour!

The **2023-23 academic calendar** has been approved by the Board of Education. Anyone wanting a copy, please contact the school office. School families will receive an electronic copy in the upcoming Eagle.

This Week at Our Redeemer

- Sunday, May 28:

Day of Pentecost - Pastor Out of the Office
9:00 AM Holy Communion Streamed online
10:15 AM Bible Class
- Monday, May 29:

Memorial Day (Office Closed) - Pastor Out of the Office
- Tuesday, May 30:

Last Day of QPS - Pastor Out of the Office
- Wednesday, May 31:

Pastor Out of the Office
- Thursday, June 1:

Pastor Out of the Office
- Friday, June 2:

Pastor Out of the Office
- Saturday, June 3:


5:00 PM Holy Communion Service
- Sunday, June 4:

Holy Trinity
9:00 AM Holy Communion Streamed online
10:15 AM Bible Class
6-8:30 PM Youth Event at the Bakers

Another way to Give to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

1. Open your phone camera

2. Scan the QR Code



3. Click the link displayed

4. Donate

Thank you for your donation!

Response Last Weekend to God’s Grace

Attendance	May 21, 2023	Offerings	May 21, 2023
Saturday at 5:00 PM	42	Needed Each Month	\$31,768.90
Sunday at 9:00 AM	94	Received Last Month	\$31,662.88
Total Attendance	136	Received This Month	\$14,605.88
Holy Communion	118	Needed This Year	\$358,605.00
Sunday School	15	Received This Year	\$103,093.93
Adult Bible Class	29	Received This Week	\$3,459.26

Scrip Update:

Week ending:	23-Apr	30-Apr	7-May	14-May	21-May
Profit:	\$116.67	\$71.35	\$43.63	\$55.67	\$25.26
# orders:	14	12	8	7	8
Profit/Order:	\$8.33	\$5.95	\$5.45	\$7.95	\$3.16
Overall Profit:	\$1,162.97	\$1,234.32	\$1,277.95	\$1,333.62	\$1,358.88

Thank you for your support!

Sunday School Attendance Awards for the Spring 2023 Term were presented on May 21st.

- Jack Ajdinovich

Savannah Edwards

Allie Hastings

Lily Hayes

Phoebe Hayes
- Laken Heinecke

Paige Heinecke

Amelia Knapp

Archer Ott

Auggie Ott
- Evan Sass

Alex Smith

Connor Smith

Certificates of Appreciation were also presented to our Sunday School Teachers and Staff:

- Gina Eickelschulte - PK/Kindergarten

Donna Haire - 1st to 4th grade

Cyndi Ott - 5th to 8th grade

Gretchen Wolfmeyer - 9th to 12th

Wanda Spohr - Opening Pianist
- Howard Snowden - Opening Leader

Ruth Ann Snowden - Opening Leader

Lily Hayes - PK/K Substitute Teacher

Phoebe Hayes - PK/K Substitute Teacher

NOTICE OF SPECIAL VOTERS ASSEMBLY MEETING on June 4, 2023, at 10:15 am

The Church Council has called for a special Voters Assembly meeting in the Sanctuary immediately following the Sunday morning service on June 4, to consider the following questions:

1. Should the Congregation transfer \$270,000 from Assets line item 121, the Bequest Fund checking account, to invest in three \$90,000 certificates of deposit, laddered in six-month terms, so as to take advantage of much higher current interest rates? (This would leave over \$43,000 in that account if needed for the purpose of the Bequest Fund, to make purchases for or improvements to the church, but still have additional monies available for that purpose if needed, within a relatively short term without early withdrawal penalty.)
2. Should the Congregation secure a church credit card with a \$1,000 limit for use by the Pastor and Office Administrator so that they do not have to advance their own funds, and then seek reimbursement, for office supplies, postage, petty cash, necessary travel expenses, or other routine expenditures?

Please make plans to attend, ask any questions, and vote your opinion. Thank you. [May 24, 2023]