

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of October 15-22, 2023

Birthdays This Week

15 Darylene Mix
15 Joann Reichert
16 Jim Ott
17 Coby Klauser
17 Gary Herman
17 Maggie Nixon
18 Erik Mix
18 Ashley Brown
18 Sarah Lucas
19 Edwin Murphy
19 David Ott
19 Pat Florey
20 Cindy Baird
20 Jan Colvin
20 Anita Wolfmeyer
20 Robert Gooding
20 Olivia Badamo

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

15 Lynda Hinkamper
15 Heath Heitman
15 Rhonda Hummel
16 Royal Bugh
18 Jim Dice
18 Lily Hayes
18 Phoebe Hayes
18 Denys Stark
19 Amelia Knapp
19 Jamison Knapp
19 Kayzley Parrish
20 Jimmy Perry

Anniversaries This Week

15	Larry and Monica Foster	35 years
15	Nick and Denys Stark	12 years
17	Matt and Valerie Frohn	19 years
17	Bill and Donna Haire	42 years
18	Terry and Carole Lannerd	54 years
18	Adam and Stephanie Yates	21 years
21	Stan and Sherry Yelton	45 years

Junior High Youth All 6th-8th graders are invited to the Lutheran Church of St. John for a live action game of "Among Us." There will also be time to hang out, snacks and a devotion. We meet this Sunday, October 15 from 6:30-8pm. Friends are invited to join us.

Good News for the St. James **School Tuition Endowment Fund**: An anonymous donor has offered to **match up to \$5,000.00 in donations** so whatever you contribute will effectively be doubled! This matching challenge will run until the end of the year. If you have any questions about it, please check with. *Chet Vahle, Marty Otto, Jeff Wolfmeyer, Jerry & Becky Lunt, and Larry Foster*
Checks should be made out to: **ORLC St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund**

Offerings donated to Lutheran Bible Translators from the **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** for the month of **September** were **\$141.00**. Since Alvina Federwitz is now retired, we are contributing to the mission work of Nathan and Sarah Federwitz.

Inviting All Families Trunk or Treat October 16, 6-10 PM at The Quincy Scout Office, 2522 Locust featuring Spooky Crafts, Games & Treats.

Attention Counters! I am working on the schedule for 2024 and am trying to keep it similar to the 2023 schedule. If anyone wants any changes to their schedule please let me know. Thank you, Renee Benedetto 217-242-4085.

College Care Packages - We are already planning the **next College Care Package** that will be sent to students in **late October**. These are being sent to our sons and daughters attending college, locally or elsewhere, or are currently serving in the military. If you have not already submitted the information this school year for your son or daughter, please do so as soon as possible so that we can include them in future mailings. We will need the name of the college student or military member along with their college address or base mailing address.

THANK YOU for your donations thus far this fall for the packages! We have a number of items to fill the next set of packages! We are **still in need of additional Halloween candy** for this package. **About 11 care packages** will be assembled. **Keep an eye out for cards to sign in the Narthex!** Any words of encouragement are appreciated by our college-age youth!

If you would like to **donate items** for care packages, we will have a **collection bin near the south entrance**. Here are some ideas of items: *gum, chocolate candy bars, Skittles, Sour Patch, tic-tacs, mints, Ramen noodle cups, oatmeal cups or packets, granola bars, protein bars, drink mix packets, dried fruit, trail mix, hot chocolate mix packets, pop tarts, individual bags of chips, pens, post-it notes, pudding cups, microwave popcorn, small hand sanitizers, eyeglass cleaner wipes, pocket size Kleenex, travel size hand lotion, cough drops, ponytail holders, toothbrushes, laundry pods, band-aids, mini slim-Jims (beef jerky,) granola bars, fruit/cereal bars, Keurig type k-cups, etc.* Collection of items will be ongoing throughout the year. We have **three care packages planned for the fall** and another **three in the spring**.

If you would like to make a **monetary donation**, please note on your check that it is designated for **COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES**.

If you would like to help the program with a **Thrivent Action Team**, please contact us!

Thank you for your support of the college students and this program to help stay connected and encourage them whether they are near or far from home! - *Melissa Knapp and Malinda Eden*

Dollar for Missions: A Dollar for Missions gathers many small gifts – one dollar at a time! – to add up to a big impact for the spread of the saving Gospel of Christ. Our current project is to **provide payments to churches for pastors visiting 4 new prisons or county jails in 2024**. To watch a video about his next project, follow the link here: <https://youtu.be/JcC9nwejYK8>

The **CID Junior High Youth event**, normally occurring in November, **will not occur this year** because of conflicts with rental space and the fact that Veterans' Day will fall on that Saturday. The CID Youth Committee is **working on another possible event for later this school year**. The plan is to schedule our **Fall event for November 2024**.

Garage Sale - are you doing some fall cleaning and have items you don't need anymore? The school is having a Garage Sale on **Saturday, October 21st**, and is accepting donations on **Friday, October 20th 3 pm - 5 pm** for items. *Donations cannot be accepted prior to 10/20* and we have the discretion to turn away items. A big thank you to Eliza Miller for volunteering to coordinate this event.

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, October 15:

Pentecost 20 (DS IV) Newsletter Deadline

9:00 AM Holy Communion *Streamed online*
 10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School
 5:30 -6:30 PM *Family Game Night at St James*
 6:30 PM *at St. John all Junior High Youth*
 6-10 PM *Trunk or Treat at The Quincy Scout Office*

Monday, October 16:

Tuesday, October 17:

9:15 AM Women's Bible Study
 1:30 PM *Communion Service at Good Samaritan*
 7:00 PM Choir

Wednesday, October 18:

10:00 AM Bible Study *Streamed online*
 11:30 AM **Holy Communion**
 2:00 PM Banner
 5:00 PM Confirmation *(until 6:00 PM)*
 6:00 PM Elders
 7:00 PM Church Council

Thursday, October 19:

Friday, October 20:

Saturday, October 21:

6:45 AM *Coach House Bible Study*
 3-5 PM *St. James Garage Sale Drop-Off*
 8-1 PM *St. James Garage Sale*
 3-5 PM *Trunk or Treat at St. Johns*
5:00 PM Holy Communion Service

Sunday, October 22:

Pentecost 21 (DS I)

9:00 AM Holy Communion *Streamed online*
 10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School
 6:30 PM *High School Youth Activity*

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	Oct. 8
Saturday at 5:00 PM	38
Sunday at 9:00 AM	107
Total Attendance	145
Holy Communion	122
Adult Bible Class	N/A
Sunday School	22

Offerings	Oct. 8
Needed Each Month	\$31,768.90
Received Last Month	\$31,823.88
Received This Month	\$10,347.33
Needed This Year	\$358,605.00
Received This Year	\$220,771.13
Received This Week	\$3,858.00

Scrip Update:

Week ending:	3-Sept	10-Sep	24-Sep	25-Sep	1-Oct
Profit:	\$98.41	\$101.34	\$136.79	\$75.75	\$72.50
# orders:	9	11	16	3	8
Profit/Order:	\$10.93	\$9.21	\$8.55	\$25.25	\$9.06
Overall Profit:	\$2,284.44	\$2,385.78	\$2,522.57	\$2,598.32	\$2,670.82

Note: September 25th is the total amount earned through RaiseRight and Presto Pay from April through August.

Toys for Tots Sign up for Christmas 2023 Assistance. **Online registration October 1 – December 1** at quincy-il.toysfortots.org or in person at Quincy Catholic Charities, 620 Maine, 8:30 am-noon and 1-4:30 pm, November 13-17 and November 27-December 1 or at Toys for Tots, Quincy Office, 436 S. 6th, November 7 & 21, 5-7 pm, November 18 10 am-noon, or November 26, 3-6 pm. *(Photo ID, proof of residence and proof of life for children required)* **Distribution will be December 14 & 15.**

Christ Lutheran in Normal is having a seminar (Hall of Tyrannus) presented by Dr. Ken Schurb on **Saturday, October 21st**, from **10 am-4 pm**. Dr. Schurb's subject is "**The Concordia Walkout: Why & So What**". Check-in starts at 9:30 am. The cost is \$20 per person, which includes a light breakfast and lunch. You may sign up by scanning the QR code on the posters or at <https://www.christlutherannormal.org/events-announcements> If you have any questions, please contact the church office at 309-452-5609, ext. 2 or email, clcms@christlutherannormal.org

For the week of October 22: KFUE Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUE.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. 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 Hebrews 8-10 on Sharper Iron's "The New Covenant in Christ" (*weekdays at 8 AM*), continue studying Mark 1-4 on Thy Strong Word (*weekdays at 11 AM*), and dig into "Confession" in the Augsburg Confession on Concord Matters (**10/28 at 10 AM**). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org and the KFUE Radio app.

Please join us on Tuesday, October 31, at 7 pm, at Trinity Lutheran Church of Bluffs for our circuit **Reformation Service and Soup and Sandwich Meal**. The meal will begin at 6:15 pm followed by Divine Service with guest preacher District President Michael Mohr. There will also be a circuit choir and brass accompanying the hymns. Those wishing to participate in the choir or wanting more information please call or text Pastor Lesemann at (309) 256-6514. **(Please note: Trinity's basement where the meal will be served is not handicap accessible but arrangements can be made for those wishing to partake in the meal.)** For those using Google to assist them in finding Trinity the address is: 1585 Trinity Rd, Bluffs, IL, 62621. Trinity is located at the corner of Neeleyville and Trinity roads, about halfway between Chapin and Bluffs.

Birthright Trivia Night and Silent Auction, November 4th Quincy's BEST Trivia and Silent Auction event is back for year #14! We hope you'll get your team together and plan to join us and more than 500 other participants for an evening of fun supporting a great local charity. It's a great mix of trivia questions so you don't have to be a genius at anything to have a great time. More than 200 silent auction items every year! BYOB, BYO snacks, food and drink for sale from Butcher Block and Refreshment Services Pepsi. \$125 per table of up to 8 players. To easily register, follow this link: <https://birthrightquincyil.org/events/> Sign your team up today! Remember, all entries received by October 22nd are eligible to enter the drawing for a FREE Table Entry! nFor more information, contact Patty Adam at 217.577.8558 or Katie Klauser at 217.430.2690. You can also send an email to help@birthrightquincyil.org. We hope to see all of you there! Thanks for your continued support, now let's have some fun!

Join us for our Small Church Summit in 2024! Please note that there will be two events happening on different dates, but they will be covering the same topics. This will allow those in Central IL and those in Southern IL to attend a session within their district. However, you are welcome to attend both if you would like! **SID -- January 6** (Weather date: January 27) Messiah Lutheran Church, 1091 13th St. Carlyle, IL
CID -- February 3 (Weather date February 10) Faith Lutheran Church, 2320 N Kickapoo, Lincoln IL 62656
Both events will be from 10 am-2:30 pm with Registration beginning at 9:30 am. Please use the following link to register today! <https://forms.gle/aBaprf1qv3wQ9Ths5> Feel free to reach out to amy.holmes@cidlcms.org with any questions.

UPDATE Inkjet Cartridge Recycling: We have had an overflowing response to the ink cartridge recycling project. Recently, **106 cartridges were donated** to the collection box at church and mailed off to Planet Green Recycling. We will be receiving a **check for \$88.75** for our recycling efforts! Those funds will be **sent to the Uganda Mission!** This is **in addition to the \$12.75 check** that we received earlier this year. Each cartridge is examined for its value. Even the ones which they cannot use and refill we will **receive 25 cents** each for our effort. Your combined efforts of simply recycling your inkjet cartridges will result in a larger sum being sent to Uganda. Here are ways you can help:

1. Bring your used INKJET cartridges and deposit them in the collection box outside of the church office. OR
2. If you prefer to mail your own cartridges (*at least 7*) you can do so by using our **PROGRAM ID: 31683** at planetgreenrecycle.com to request a **FREE USPS label** to print and then mail.