Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus For the week of September 29 – October 6, 2024

Birthdays This Week

- 29 Brent Wingerter
- 29 Emily Weppler
- 29 Ginger Heitman
- 29 Denys Stark
- 29 Jessica Hibbert
- 30 Carl Muehring
- 1 Donna Church
- 1 Jeff Blattner
- 3 Bryan Baird
- 4 Angie Nixo

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 30 Debbie Brassfield
- 30 Caroline Weisenburger
 - 1 Donna Eisenbeiss
 - 1 Kadence Perrine
 - 1 Kolten Perrine
- 2 Denise Lucas
- 3 Christopher Schnack

Anniversaries This Week

29 Clint and Michele Gooding
1 Eric and Christina Kaltenbach
27 years
3 Bernie and Cyndi Ott
38 years

5 Bryan and Heather Meyer 11 years

College Care Packages: "Loved by my church even miles away." "They always make me happy and feel very special and supported." These are just some of the responses received when asked, "How has receiving the care packages made you feel?" In the coming months, we will share more responses from the students as well as some information about who we are sending packages to and where! We are preparing for college care packages for the school year! Our inventory starts from scratch each year, and appreciate all donations for the program. The members of ORLC can help by donating items for the packages, making a monetary donation to the College Care Package fund at ORLC (which helps cover supplies and postage costs), signing cards that are sent in each package for every student, and keeping them in your prayers! There will be a collection bin near the south entrance where you can drop in donated items. See the newsletter for a list of ideas

Dollar for Missions the current project is for the replacement of furnaces at Immanuel Lutheran Student Center, Macomb, which is expected to cost some \$25,000 (currently half-funded). The Student Center was built 55 years ago. Equipment replacement like this is important so the Gospel can continue to be proclaimed and students can go on being reached there for years into the future. https://www.cidlcms.org/ministry-dfm-current-project.html

Good News for the St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund Once again ORLC is blessed to have an anonymous donor offer to match up to \$5,000.00 in donations to the endowment fund. This matching challenge will run until the end of the year. If you are not familiar with this endowment or have any question about it, please check with any of the committee members. Checks should be made out to: ORLC St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund

Endowment Committee – Josh Hennig, Marty Otto, Monica & Larry Foster, Jerry & Becky Lunt **LWML SUNDAY:** LWML Sunday will be held on **Sunday, October 13**th. Please help us celebrate by joining us downstairs for a delicious brunch immediately following the Divine Service. There is a signup sheet located in the Narthex to give us an idea of how much food to prepare and please make note that there will be no Adult Bible Class.

For the week of September 29 on KFUO.org:

We will be continuing our study of Numbers on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 AM), and discussing the third and fourth chapters of Revelation on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 AM). Tune in to the Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9 AM) for a conversation with the director of Project 24 in Kenya, a special story in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, and the October edition of Searching Scripture from The Lutheran Witness. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or on the KFUO Radio app!

Camp CILCA's G.R.I.T. Run Saturday,
October 5, 2024 The 5-kilometer course includes
narrow trails, steep hills, creek bed crossings,
scenic views, and stairs. Open Run participants will
be able to take an alternative route for anyone

be able to take an alternative route for anyone nervous about navigating the creek bed. Open run participants ages 6-18 run for \$10, and participants 19+ run for \$30. Check out our website for details on this event. 4124 Camp CILCA Rd. Cantrall, IL

2024 Life Chain Sunday, October 6, 2:30 pm-3:30 pm South Side of Broadway between 14th & 18th Streets, Quincy, IL Right to Life supporters will again join with pro-lifers in hundreds of other U.S. cities in a nationwide observance of the sanctity of life at the 2024 Life Chain. Life Chain is a peaceful and respectful public witness by pro-life Americans standing for one hour praying silently for our nation and for an end to abortion. (Those not able to stand for one hour may bring lawn chairs) Please join the pro-life community in making a visual statement of pro-life solidarity. YOUR participation is crucial. HIGH VISIBILITY--A great opportunity to impact thousands of passers-by with the pro-life message. Please stand two arm-lengths apart. Pick up your sign at the SW corner of 16th and Broadway between 2:00 and 2:30 pm. The National Life Chain signs are provided for each participant by the Right to Life of Adams County.

MUSIC FOR MISSIONS is a sacred music concert and hymn sing in support of Christo Rey (Christ the King) Lutheran Church, East Moline. The event is scheduled for Sunday, October 13, 2024, 2:00 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church, 711 Court St., Pekin. Music for Missions will feature guest organist Samuel Bishop, vocalists Allison Harley and Jennifer Rosa, the Bells of St. John's, St. John's Sanctuary Choir, and ample congregational singing. A free will offering will be gathered to support Christo Rey Lutheran Church, a mission congregation of the Central Illinois District, LCMS. Refreshments will be served following the program. Everyone is welcome! For more information contact the St. John's, Pekin church office at 309-347-2136.

Thank you Chet, Barb, and Kirk Vahle for preparing the food for the church picnic. It was fantastic. Thanks to Kirk Vahle for donating the chicken.

Larry Foster, Church President

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, September 29: Pentecost 19 (DS IV) – Serve at Horizons

9:00 AM Holy Communion Streamed online

10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

11:15 AM Voters' Meeting

Monday, September 30:

Tuesday, October 1: 9:15 AM Women's Bible Study – Heroes of the Bible

7:00 PM Choir

Wednesday, October 2: 10:00 AM Bible Study Streamed online

11:30 AM Holy Communion

2:00 PM Banner

Thursday, October 3: 6:45 AM Coach House Bible Study

6:30 PM LWML Meeting

Friday, October 4:

Saturday, October 5: Camp CILCA GRIT Run

5:00 PM Holy Communion

Sunday, October 6: Pentecost 20 (DS I)

9:00 AM Holy Communion Streamed online

10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	Sept. 27			
Saturday at 5:00 PM	55			
Sunday at 9:00 AM	86			
Total Attendance	141			
Holy Communion	118			
Adult Bible Class	27			

Offerings	Sept. 27			
Needed Each Month	\$32,930.47			
Received Last Month	\$28,908.15			
Received This Month	\$21,537.62			
Needed This Year	\$395,165.69			
Received This Year	\$258,400.91			
Received This Week	\$4,398.62			

Scrip Update:

Week ending:	25-Aug	1-Sep	8-Sep	9-Sep	10-Sep	15-Sep	22-Sep
Profit:	\$42.92	\$73.77	\$63.82	\$92.50	-\$50.00	\$42.39	\$79.47
# orders:	8	11	7	2	1	4	10
Profit/Order:	\$5.37	\$6.71	\$9.12	\$46.25	-\$50.00	\$10.60	\$7.95
Overall Profit:	\$2,049.86	\$2,123.62	\$2,187.44	\$2,279.94	\$2,229.94	\$2,322.34	\$2,401.80

9/8 tally is based on 2 Presto Pay Online orders for July and August and 9/10 reflects the purchase of checks. **Thank you** for your continued support of this program.

Respect Life Dinner, Thursday, October 15, 2024 Right to Life of Adams County again offers you the opportunity to hear a great speaker and to support the pro-life cause. The 2024 annual Respect Life Dinner will feature Alison Centofante, a national pro-life activist with over ten years of experience speaking on abortion and human dignity. Please invite your family, friends, and church members to join you and fellow pro-lifers for a motivating evening. Date: Tuesday, October 15, 2024 Time: Doors open, 5:30 p.m.; Dinner, 6:00 p.m.; Guest speaker, following dinner Location: Holiday Inn, 4821 Oak Street, Quincy IL Price: \$25 per person; \$40, 2 persons; \$150, table of 8 By reservation only; no tickets available at the door. Reservations must be made by Monday, October 7. Call or text Lyn Schlipmann, 217-653-0075 for reservations and information, or download invitation at rtlac.org. You are invited to hear the speaker at approximately 7:00 p.m. if you are unable to attend the dinner.

Christ Lutheran, Normal, will be having a Hall of Tyrannus seminar on Saturday, October 19th, from 10 am-4 pm. The guest presenter will be Rev. Dr. Alfonso Espinosa and he will present "Faith That Shines In The Culture", which is one of his books. The cost is \$15 and a light breakfast and lunch will be provided. You may sign up for the seminar using the QR code on the attached poster or go to https://www.christlutherannormal.org/events-announcements and scroll down the page.

St. John's Lutheran church of rural Bath will be celebrating their 175th Anniversary on Sunday, October 20. Our guest speaker for the 10:30 service will be the Rev. Art Schauer pastor of St. John's from 1970 to 1975. After the 10:30 service there will be a catered meal followed by a picture of the gathering in the sanctuary. At 2:30 there will be a service of thanksgiving and song with guest organist Brenda Donoho. The guest speaker for the afternoon service will be District President Rev. Michael Mohr. Following the service the celebration will conclude will be a reception in the church basement. If you plan on taking part in our celebration please let us know and RSVP by October 1, 2024. Let us know if you are going to attend the catered meal and/or reception following the 2:30 service by emailing us at: Stjohnslutheranbathil@gmail.com Thank you, Pastor Brian Lesemann

As part of an Encore retreat weekend for DOXOLOGY-enrolled pastors and lay leaders November 15-17 at the Lindenwood Retreat Center in Donaldson, Indiana, DOXOLOGY is hosting a Hymn Festival after the close of the retreat in the beautiful Neo-Gothic sanctuary of the retreat chapel. Dr. Paul Grime of the Fort Wayne seminary will be the organist and I will be serving as Hymn Commentator. The Hymn Festival will be held at 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time. Donaldson is located just east of Valparaiso, so it will not be within range of

many of your congregations and workers, but some in the eastern part of the district may be interested in driving over after their morning services. In addition, Pastors who are graduates of the DOXOLOGY classic program are always encouraged to enroll additional laity in succeeding Encore weekends, so there may be quite a number of pastors who would like to enroll their lay leaders in the entire Encore weekend and then stay after for the Hymn Festival. Details on the program for the weekend and registration information will be posted shortly at www.doxology.us Please contact by phone with any additional questions. In Christ's service, Dr. Harold L. Senkbeil, Executive Director Emeritus; Collegium Fellow, DOXOLOGY: The Lutheran Center for Spiritual Care and Counsel, 2125 Broken Hill Rd. #2, Waukesha, WI 53188, 262-716-8575

Save the Date! - 2025 LCMS Youth Gathering July 19-23 in New Orleans, LA

Bella Ease Join the guys for good food and good discussions. **All Dads are welcome!** 3rd Thursdays from 6-7:30 PM, 707 Broadway. Child care available. RSVP to <u>bellaease.com/event</u> or call 217-209-0632.

Bella Ease Care Closet Open Monday-Friday 8:30-4:30 PM, 707 Broadway, for personal Hygiene Products.

Bella Ease Motivation Mondays at 10 AM Set Goals, Create a Plan, Overcome Obstacles, Make Life Happen at 707 Broadway.

Inkjet Cartridge Recycling. Each cartridge is examined for it's 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's how 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 mail.

For the week of October 6: KFUO Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on KFUO.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: @KFUOradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUO.org: Continue studying Numbers on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 AM) and the book of Revelation on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 AM). Tune in for an interview with author Matt Richard (Will the Real Church Please Stand Up?) on The Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9 AM). Don't forget to join us for KFUO Radio's Centennial Celebration broadcast, October 12 at 10 AM! Tune in at kfuo.org or on the KFUO app!