

ANNOUNCEMENTS – SEPTEMBER 24, 2017

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Wednesday: 4:30PM 5th/6th Grade Confirmation
5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation
7:30PM Choir
Thursday: 11:00AM Seminary Home Chapel
No Women's Bible Class Today
Friday: St. Michael and All Angels: Dan. 10:10-14; 12:1-3; Rev. 12:7-12;
Matt. 18:1-11
10:30AM KWNG Recording Session
Saturday: 9AM-5PM Stampin' with the Spirit
6:30PM-10:00PM Youth Pizza/Movie Night
Next Sunday: The 17th Sunday after Pentecost
9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class
9:45AM Fellowship Time
10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Steven Schmitz, Doug & Ruth Dankers, Todd & Darla Stumpf
Monday - DaWayne Wichern
Friday - Kayla Stumpf

IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Melissa Barbey, Pat Banitt (struggling with Disembarkment Syndrome), Bob Langhans, Jack Vold, Gloria Stehr (recovering from a dislocated shoulder), former member Kelli Boles/Schmitz (facing terminal cancer), Roy and Jane Krueger (recovering from auto accident injuries), and the victims of hurricanes and storms.

GIVING TO SUPPORT HURRICANE VICTIMS

The LCMS is at work to give hope and help to the victims of the hurricanes. To make a donation by mail, make a check payable to "**The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod**" or "**LCMS**". Write "**Disaster Response**" in the memo line and send your check to:

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod
Mission Advancement
P.O. Box 66861

St. Louis, MO 63166-6861

To make a credit card gift by phone, you can call the LCMS toll-free between 8 AM and 4:10 PM Central time at: [888-930-4438](tel:888-930-4438). For further giving options, please visit lcms.org.

FELLOWSHIP TIME TREATS

A sign-up sheet has been posted for those who would like to bring treats for Fellowship time on Sunday mornings (9:45 AM to 10:00 AM). Please avoid items with nuts as we have people with serious allergies. Sara Sorenson makes the coffee and lemonade. You bring the cookies or bars or fruit.

YOUTH PIZZA/MOVIE NIGHT - RESCHEDULED

The Youth Night, scheduled for this coming Saturday evening, is being rescheduled due to youth conflicts with the date. Pastor wants to know if September 30th at the same time would work out better. Let him know this morning, if possible. The sign-up sheet is still posted on the bulletin board for those who are able to attend on the 30th. Please bring \$5 for pizza.

CATECHISM REVIEW

The Second Article: Redemption

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. This is most certainly true.

LWML FALL RALLY

The Lake Pepin Zone LWML would like to invite the men and women of the Whitewater Conference to the LWML Fall Rally on Saturday, October 14th at Bethany Lutheran Church in Lake City. The theme for the morning is "Our Hope is in Christ Jesus," based on 1 Peter 3:15. The speaker will be Rev. Donovan Riley who will share a presentation entitled, "From Atheist to Pastor." There will also be a Bible study ("How to Know the Bible is True...from History) led by Pastor Tyge Zucker, Lake Pepin Zone LWML Counselor. Registration is \$10 (includes lunch) and begins at 8:30 AM; the rally will start at 9 AM and end with lunch. For the "Gifts from the Heart" we will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Lake City Food Shelf. We would love to see you there!!!

NOVEMBER 12 - GERMANY TRIP PRESENTATION/GERMAN POTLUCK

Mark your calendars! Following the worship service on November 12th, we will have a presentation by the members of Hay Creek who went to Germany during July. In conjunction with the presentation, we will also have a German potluck. So pull out your favorite German recipes to share! If you need ideas for what to bring, Pastor Sorenson is willing to offer some suggestions for you!

PASTOR SORENSON IN "THE RED WING SINGERS"

Congratulations to Pastor Sorenson who was asked to audition for "The Red Wing Singers." He passed the audition with a German solo piece by Robert Schumann, "Ich Grolle Nicht," as well as sight-singing and range testing. He began rehearsing last Monday night. Pastor will let you know when the holiday concert will be held.

LIFE QUOTE

September 24 "We have been freely received by the Lord God ... Since He generously extends compassion and forgiveness to each human being, we receive as freely, respect as fully, and defend as fiercely as we have been received, respected, and defended." *Rev. Michael W. Salemink, executive director of Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life •*
www.lutheransforlife.org

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, October 1, 2017

6:05AM on WCCO-AM (830), Minneapolis

6:00PM on KDHL-AM (920), Faribault

"Power to Overcome Worry and Anxiety"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz

Thanksgiving and anxiety are two opposing forces. Have you ever thanked God for your problems, pains, and suffering? (Philippians 4:4-13)