

JULY NEWSLETTER 2021

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On a summer day in 1967, three groups of children arrived for their first Vacation Bible School experience. I was one of those children. The new mission congregation my family was part of was holding worship and educational activities at a local elementary school in Pierre, South Dakota. In some ways, that VBS was very much like every VBS I have been a part of, first as a child, and for the past 23 years as a pastor. Bible stories, music, crafts, games, and snacks filled each day. But in other ways, it was different from any other VBS. Among the children with whom I learned and played that summer were Native Americans from a nearby reservation and Episcopalians from a nearby congregation. In 1967, bringing these three groups of children together was a groundbreaking experiment by a new congregation that had yet to break ground for a building. And so, we learned and played and worshiped between two basketball hoops in the school gymnasium. And I remember it to this day. We were safe and loved and happy learning about the God who loves us.

That is what I am hoping for this month as Our Lord's holds its first post-pandemic VBS. Over the years the ways of teaching the Bible stories, Bible verses, and biblical themes have changed. Videos of skits, music, and animated characters add to the fun. Outdoor venues for stations which the children rotate through make the whole experience feel more like summer camp. But the basics remain the same. So, I invite you to pray for all the volunteers preparing for VBS here at Our Lord's. And once you've offered a prayer for them and their work, please mark your calendars to pray each Wednesday morning in July for the children, especially those experiencing VBS for the first time. Pray that they will be safe, loved, and happy as they get to know the God who loves them.

-Pastor Kratzer



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JULY SERVICES

GIVING EMPHASIS: LUTHERAN CAMPUS MINISTRY OF ILLINOIS

Schedule of Outdoor Summer Services

Saturday Outdoor Services

July 17 | 5 pm

August 21 | 5 pm

September 18 | 5 pm

Sunday Outdoor Services

July 11 | 9 am

August 8 | 9 am

September 12 | 10:45 am

Peace In The Pines

Thursday, July 1 | 6:30 pm

Thursday, July 8 | 6:30 pm

Thursday, July 15 | 6:30 pm

Thursday, July 22 | 6:30 pm

Thursday, July 29 | 6:30 pm

Thursday, August 5 | 6:30 pm

On those weekends when there is a Saturday outdoor service, there will not be an online "Traditional Contemporary" service.

In July and August, there will not be an online Sunday style service on the weekends when we worship outside in the Chapel in the Pines.

All Saturday services at 5 PM and all Sunday services at 9 AM (except outdoor Saturday services) will also be livestreamed and available to view as usual on Our Lord's YouTube channel.

Scriptures for Weekend Worship Services

In-Building Saturday Services

5 PM

In-Building Sunday Services

9 AM

July 3 & July 4

Sixth Weekend after Pentecost:

Ezekiel 2:1-5

2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Mark 6:1-13

Guest Preacher: Pastor Elise Rothfusz,
Director of Evangelical Mission, C/S
Illinois Synod

July 10 & July 11

Seventh Weekend after Pentecost:

Amos 7:7-15

Psalms 85:8-13

Mark 6:14-29

On Being a Threat to Power

July 17 & July 18

Eighth Weekend after Pentecost:

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Psalms 23

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

When the Needs are Too Great

July 24 & July 25

Ninth Weekend after Pentecost:

2 Kings 4:42-44

Psalms 145:10-18

John 6:1-21

Five Loaves and Two Fish

VBS 2021



Welcome to this year's joint VBS with Our Lord's Lutheran and St. Luke's United Methodist! VBS will be run by Lisa White, Kathy Nehrt, Pastor Tabitha Nelson, Pastor Darla Ann Kratzer, and the wonderful volunteers from Our Lord's and St. Luke's!

Sessions will take place on Wednesday nights in July from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Signup and a volunteer survey are currently live and available online.

To sign up for VBS, please visit: https://ourlords.org/vbs_signup

To let us know how you would like to volunteer, please visit: <http://tinyurl.com/vbstimetalents>

Donations may be left at Our Lord's Life Center (contact Lisa White if you would like to arrange a pickup of a donation), and may include:

Pre-packaged snacks (juice, chips, cookies, fruit snacks, etc.)

Bottled water and ice

Craft materials (paper, pens, tape, clips, cardboard, fabric, egg cartons, pom poms, scissors, velcro, buttons, felt, glue, string, wire, pipe cleaners, etc.)

Paper plates (small and large)

Utensils, cups, napkins, straws, inexpensive food storage containers, ziploc bags

Cleaning supplies (paper towels, disinfectant, hand sanitizer, wipes, etc.)

Large plastic tote bags for storing snacks, paper products, study materials, and craft materials

Financial donations can be made by check to Our Lord's Lutheran Church with "VBS" in the memo line

GENERAL INFORMATION:

VBS will take place both outdoors in the Chapel In The Pines and also indoors in the Life Center directly next to Our Lord's Lutheran Church. The Life Center contains multiple classrooms and a large basement where we may appropriately social distance.

Registration will take place at the ticket station booth at the entrance to the Chapel In The Pines. Please take the time to register your child when arriving if you have not already signed up online.

Please invite any who would be interested in attending VBS! We will have a total of 4 sessions in July - you are welcome to attend however many you are able. All are welcome!

If you have any questions, please contact

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Lisa White: jellyneubauer53@gmail.com

GIVING EMPHASIS



Lutheran Campus Ministry of Illinois (LCMI) is the Giving Emphasis for the month of July. LCMI works to support the Lutheran Campus Ministries of the C/SIS Synod (University of Illinois and Illinois State), the Northern Illinois Synod (Northern Illinois U) and the Metro Chicago Synod (Northwestern, University of Chicago, and South Loop Campus Ministry).

Campus ministries provide a place for worship and fellowship with other students, but that is not all they do. In recent years, the campus pastors of LCMI have helped students with food insecurity and providing a safe haven from the many pressures of college life.

Our congregation has two members who are active in these ministries: Garrett Short at Northwestern and Kate Henderson at U of I. Campus ministry has played an important role in my life as well. My parents met at a Lutheran Campus Ministry Event in 1949 when my Dad was an engineering student at Illinois Institute of Technology and my Mom was a nursing student at St. Luke's Hospital in Chicago. I was active in Lutheran Campus Ministry at Purdue, and in 1993, a Lutheran Campus Pastor officiated when Tim and I were married.

One final point, I participated in the "Growing Young" book group earlier this year. The book emphasizes the need to prioritize young people and to fuel a warm community. Lutheran Campus ministries do both of these things as well as what the book calls "unlocking keychain leadership".

Lutheran Campus ministries encourage young people to be involved in worship and in organizing activities. Lutheran Campus ministries play an important role in keeping young people engaged in the church and in inviting new members to our fellowship.

Peace,
Laura Schoenecker

UPDATED BUILDING USE POLICIES

Masks and social distancing are no longer required during indoor worship services, meetings, and other gatherings. Capacity limits for worship services, meetings, or other gatherings are now simply the maximum number the space is designed to hold (per the Fire Marshall). You may sit wherever you want during worship services. Spaces in the Worship Center and Life Center Buildings may be reserved for group meetings by contacting our Administrative Assistant, Olivia, at 618-345-5692, and we ask that you continue to disinfect the space after your group has used it.

Contact the office to reserve your date and time:

(618) 345-5692

love2haveu@ourlords.org



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

RESTORING OUR LORDS HOUSE

The end is in sight! The remodel is nearly complete, at least most of the mess has been finished!

The kitchen is fully functional and looks wonderful! The women's restroom has been updated with paint and new cabinetry; and the men's restroom has been painted. The nursery remodel is complete and the space is being filled with toys for the little ones. The narthex and commons remodel are finished and the spaces are waiting for furnishings. Furniture for the narthex will be ordered by the end of June with a 6 month ETA. Once additional funds are received fellowship and coffee service furniture, new table tops along with new chairs will be ordered for the commons. The youth room has undergone an update during the remodel as well. Thanks to an endowment received from the Harry Thiel Estate, new furniture for the youth room was purchased. There are still a few items to be ordered for the space but the room is looking great. The latest addition to the remodel includes the purchase of two hip high chairs for the sanctuary. Designed for individuals who have trouble sitting at common chair seat angles, these chairs will reduce the angle of an individual's hips in relation to the floor and make it easier to sit and rise.



Thank you to everyone that has worked on the remodel, it has taken a great deal of time and effort on the part of many individuals. And thank you for your financial contribution to "Restore Our Lord's House." Funds collected to date exceed **\$95,000**. Although we have accomplished a great deal, there are still funds to be raised and work to be done. Please prayerfully consider making a contribution to "Restore Our Lord's House" to allow the remodel to move forward.



New chairs in the sanctuary



Our Lord's new kitchen

STEERING TEAM

The primary focus of the May Steering team meeting was calendar planning. Each ministry area shared gave input into themes, activities, fundraisers, and giving opportunities for the 2021-2022 program year.



The Steering Team supports members in using their God-given gifts in the ministries of the congregation. We know that members use their spiritual gifts in many areas of daily life, but the purpose of the Steering Team is to equip and support members who are utilizing their gifts in the core ministry areas of this congregation.

Members who are ready to engage in using their ideas and their spiritual gifts to start a new ministry are encouraged to contact a Steering Team member so that resources to support you in this new venture can be mobilized.



JOIN CHOIR AT OUR LORD'S!

"It is the voice of the Church that is heard in singing together. Help us willingly and gladly to join our singing, be it feeble or good, to the song of the church."

- Dietrich Bonhoeffer



Handbell Choir

When: Thursdays @ 7 pm
starting September 2nd



Adult Choir

When: Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm
starting August 18th



Email cadythomas@ourlords.org to RSVP to the first rehearsal!

EDUCATION MINISTRY

MORNING GLORIES BIBLE STUDY

2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 10:00 am

"Just love part 2: Just L.I.F.E. (Liberation Is For Everyone!)" Gather Bible study by Angela Khabeb



This three-session summer Bible study series is inspired, in part, by Jesus' proclamations: "If the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed" (John 8:36) and "I came that they might have life, and have it abundantly" (John 10:10).

Session 1 was covered in June. Session 2 (July) explores "Just Truth." We will travel with Paul on the road to Damascus and experience his life-changing transformation. We will also take a closer look at how our Savior chose to share difficult truths with God's people, and we will witness his boldness in speaking truth to power.

Morning Glories will be held in the Chapel in the Pines. In case of inclement weather, we will meet in the Life Center conference room.

FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

LATE BOOMERS



The next location and of time of Late Boomers will be announced soon! Keep an eye on the weekly Church announcements for details. We have some fun times planned!



SERENDIPITY BOOK CLUB & OTHER BOOK LOVERS

Our next meeting will be **Monday, July 19th at 11:30 am** in the Life Center conference room. Bringing your lunch is optional. We will be brainstorming future books for discussion. The meeting will also be available on zoom for anyone who may find that more convenient.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86728416039?pwd=NVI2VGh2QmU5NVJ2czZFd24xUjVMUT09>

Meeting ID: 867 2841 6039 Passcode: 388782

TUESDAY TEA

Time: 3:00 PM Central Time - every week on Tuesday. All are welcome to join us for fellowship.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86839398550?pwd=cTZUVi8ycjNJS296ZnZ4U3ErTGtwQT09>

Meeting ID: 868 3939 8550 Passcode: 511171



MONTHLY BIKE RIDE

We will cycle together once a month on the dates below. We look forward to some fun and safe outdoor fellowship!

Cycling Dates: July 18th (2 pm), August 8th (2 pm), September 19th (2 pm), October 17th (2 pm)



The Fourth of July holiday is a chance to remember and appreciate the independence we enjoy in our country. We at Faith in Action are also reminded of our purpose to help people over the age of 60 and people with disabilities remain as independent as possible in their homes and in their community.

How do we meet this purpose? We do it in partnership with you!

We offer three core programs to help our neighbors remain independent: Assisted Transportation, Elder Connection, and Answers on Aging services. All of these are offered at no cost to our clients. We remember that each client has different needs to maintain his or her independence. While some clients may need a ride to a doctor's appointment, others drive themselves but may need a volunteer to do minor home repair. Some clients are at risk of social isolation, so volunteers phone them each week for a friendly chat. We also have many clients requesting help from our Answers on Aging professional so that they can choose the right Medicare plan. It is your continued support and involvement working with our staff that means we can meet the varied needs of our community.

For more than 23 years, Collinsville Faith in Action has recruited, trained, and organized volunteers from area churches. We call upon you now to renew your partnership with us. We ask church leaders to help us recruit volunteers. We ask church members to put their faith into action.

Prospective volunteers may call 618-344-8080 to discuss the most suitable volunteer positions. Just as each client has unique needs, each volunteer brings unique gifts and interests. We need volunteers and board members from our Partner Churches to have the greatest impact in the community. We are also re-launching our capital campaign so that we can maintain our office building and serve others as a non-profit organization well into the future. Thank you to pastors and church leaders for helping us recruit volunteers, stay fiscally responsible, and remain a strong organization.

Please note that our office will be closed Monday, July 5. We wish you a happy Independence Day.

In gratitude,

Lisa C. Brennan

FINANCIAL NEWS

Total receipts for May 2021	\$41,083 (anticipated budget amount of \$30,583)
Total disbursements for May 2021	\$26,368 (anticipated budget amount of \$31,748)
Total receipts for 2021 as of 5/31/2020	\$180,745 (anticipated budget amount of \$152,915)
Total disbursements for 2021 as of 5/31/2021	\$205,204 (anticipated budget amount of \$158,743)
Mortgage principal paid in May 2021	\$967
Total mortgage paid in 2021	\$15,788
Remaining principal on mortgage	\$60,610
Cash - Unrestricted	\$52,130 (CD \$25,000 matures in December 2021)
Cash - Designated	\$78,985

ZACH NOGA'S EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT

Dear Members of Our Lord's Lutheran Church,

I am very happy to announce that **I have reached my fundraising goal** to complete my Eagle Scout project in the Chapel in the Pines. I wanted to reach out and say thank you to everyone who donated time, money, words of encouragement, and any other support to my project. I can't even describe how much it means to me. The bench work is now complete and I hope everyone will be more comfortable on the newly improved outdoor benches with back supports.

Your support through all my years in scouting has helped me make it this far. I can't thank you enough. I have enjoyed serving in our church over the years and have looked up to so many of you as great examples of servants of Christ. I appreciate it so much.

Sincerely, Zach Noga

Before:



After:

COUNCIL BRIEFS

Your Church Council held its regular monthly meeting on Monday, June 21. Listed below are some of the highlights of our meeting.

- OLLC is looking for someone to help with sound for weekend services. The pay rate would be \$40 per service (Saturday service and one Sunday service). Although we prefer to fill this position internally, we will also advertise at SIUE and Lewis and Clark Community College. If you are interested in this opportunity, or if you know of someone who might be interested, please contact Jacob Davis or one of the Council members.
- In the upcoming months, efforts will be made to help OLLC members better understand the roles and responsibilities of your Church Council and your Steering Team. How are ideas from the church body brought forward? How are decisions made? Which team makes these decisions? These are important questions that will hopefully be addressed in the very near future!

Our next Council meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 19. Please contact any of the Council members (Pastor Darla Ann, Laura Schoenecker, Linda Hester, Max Eakin, Dana Callahan, or Tom Steinmann) if you have any concerns that need to be addressed. A link to the approved minutes from the previous month's Council meeting is provided here: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FAmulvhUXW-xVq9ioD3sW9gi0J-EbKw/view?usp=sharing>

REMINDERS

PRAYER LIST - Please let Olivia know if you would like to add a new person, remove a current person, or change the status of anyone on our prayer list.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE - Reminder: Newsletter Deadline (to submit articles for August's Newsletter): Thursday, July 15.

WHEN YOU HAVE CHANGES - Please let the church office know of changes to e-mail address, mail/resident addresses, telephone numbers, job, college, graduations etc.

PRAYER VENTURES - Two pages of monthly prayer support for ELCA ministries are available in printed copy in our Worship Center and Life Center or accessed at www.elca.org/prayerventures.

CENTRAL SOUTHERN ILLINOIS SYNOD (CSIS) WEB SITE: www.csis-elca.org

ELCA WEB SITE: www.elca.org

If you would like to receive text message updates regarding outdoor services, special events, and emergency notifications such as cancellations, you can now sign up for Remind. Simply follow the instructions below to be added to our list.



To sign up for updates regarding weekday outdoor services, text **@ollcpines** to **81010**.

To sign up for updates regarding Saturday services, text **@ollcsat** to **81010**.

To sign up for updates regarding Sunday services, text **@ollcsun** to **81010**.



ANNIVERSARIES & BIRTHDAYS

BIRTHDAYS

Pr. Bob Downs
Tesla Krueger
Lynn Thiel
Randall Helms
Hazel McGuire
Connie Nyland
Sarah White
Ruth Ann Blotevogel
Forrest Hancock
Susan Perkins
Nicole Williams
Connie Wyvell
Mary Ann Fritz
Gail Jorgenson
Roberta Maue
Sharon Bruhn
Randy Peters

Don Simonson
Megan Corrie
Danny Schrader
Evan Blind
Leighton Morris
Elaine Baden
Chuck Pugh
Tom Steinmann
Lia Kampwerth
Tonia Bridenbaugh
Bruce Fritz
Laurie Hensley
Brian Lotz-Manns
Courtney Litton-McGuire
John Huster
Emerson Morris
Don Schlonat

Barbara Stahlheber
Tyler Wyvell
Kathy Shemwell
Alice Azure
Ezekiel Huster

ANNIVERSARIES

Jim & Marcine Lemke
Donald & Jackie Schlonat
Scott & Michelle Mihalich
Matthew & Elizabeth Blind
Tim & Laura Schoenecker
Michael & Loretta Williams
Lee & Barb Werne
David & Caryl Kassing
Don & Elaine Baden



PRAYER CONCERNS

PRAY FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Larry
Harleigh Johnson
Bob Meyer
Joy
KC Jensen
Pastor Tim Kennedy
Zach Zwaga

Jim Tilashalski
Joyce Bush
Donnie Kroll
Frank Pendelton
Lori H
Kevin Wyvell

PRAY FOR MEMBERS OF OUR CONGREGATION

Rudy Kantola
Kim Payne
Dan Homes
Linda Spencer
Jim Lemke
Bill Davidson
Vicki Lottes

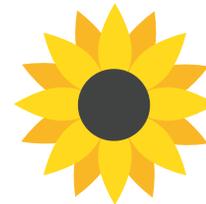
Robin Wellener
Lisa White
Mike Williams
Steve Perry
Karen Tilashalski
Brad Bush
Linda Hester

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE GRIEVING

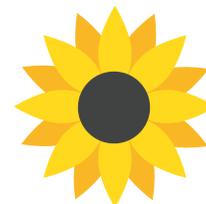
*We pray for all those who grieve,
especially those who have lost loved ones
due to the current pandemic.*

PRAYERS OF JOY & THANKSGIVING

Bob Meyer, the brother of **Mary Ann Fritz**, has completed his first round of chemotherapy and also his first round of surgery. The latest biopsy of his lymph nodes showed no signs of cancer cells.



Cady Thomas got engaged to **Adam Potts** on June 7, 2021. Congratulations, Cady and Adam!



PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL

Lance Cpl. Clayton Campbell
Major James Carmichael
Capt. Blake Crosby
Airborne Ranger Keegan Crosby
Staff Sgt. Tyson Crosby
SPC Bill Homes
Charles Homes
Zach Huff
SrA Lucas Maue
John Meyer
Zachary Neubauer
Amador Ochoa
Josh Pace
Scott Prengel
Jake Randall
Jack Scoles
PFC Eric Shelton
Staff Sgt. Skipper Smith
Sgt. Matthew Spencer (Ret.)
Staff Sgt. Stephan Spencer
Erica Webb, US Private E-3

LIVING INTO A CULTURE OF MISSION AND ACTION REPORT

A "BIRD'S EYE" VIEW OF THE PROCESS



The Mission and Action Team was convened to prepare a plan which will chart the future direction of the congregation's ministry programs, services, operation, and funding.

The team began by attending cohort meetings on Zoom with a team of 4 consultants from GSB and people from five other congregations serving on their congregational Mission and Action Teams. We began by learning the importance of understanding our particular congregation's identity. We held internal team meetings to prepare three customizable areas of a congregational survey to be used by all the congregations. The rest of the questions in the survey were the same for all congregations in this process.

After members of Our Lord's completed the survey, our consultant met with us by Zoom to share the survey results. We have been working with those answers during the past two months as we identify the core values of this congregation.

We are also looking at what members tell us as they read the weekly Wednesday devotional and answer the three questions. Listening to God is a major part of the process. Thankfully, every member of the congregation can participate in that step.

The next step is to identify the Ministry Result Areas (which are the strategy/major initiative items in our strategic plan). Then the goals, objectives, person responsible, sub-objectives, funding needed, and funding source will be identified for each Ministry Result Area.

When completed, the resulting plan will clearly convey Vision 2025 and the steps needed to move our Lord's Lutheran toward that vision.

SERVICE TO CONGREGATION

Men's Club

Our Lord's Mower & Trimmer Schedule

July 2021



July Chefs

Don Baden
Tim Schoenecker

Riding Mowers

Trimmers

July 1-3	Tony DiBartolo	Rod Orr
July 8-10	Ted Nemsky	Tom Messina
July 15-17	Scott Comrie	
July 22-24	Chuck Jorgenson	Steve Hoelscher
July 29-31	Jim Spencer	Tom Steinmann

Men's Club Meeting and Breakfast is on Saturday, July 3rd at 7 am in the Fellowship Hall. If you feel comfortable, please come out for fellowship and church work. If you plan on attending, please confirm by email or text to Steve Hoelscher.

LOOKING AHEAD

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events and special observances.
All events are subject to change due to COVID-19.

AUGUST

- Blessing of the College Students, Aug 1
- Blessing of Backpacks & School Supplies, Aug 7
- Outdoor Traditional Service & Blessing of Backpacks & School Supplies, Aug 8
- Mary, Mother of Our Lord, Aug 15
- Newsletter Deadline, Aug 16
- Outdoor Praise Service, Aug 21

SEPTEMBER

- Labor Day, Sep 6
- God's Work. Our Hands. Sep 12
- Homecoming/Rally Day, Sep 12
- Outdoor Traditional Service, 10:45 AM, Sep 12
- First Day of Hispanic Heritage Month, Sep 15
- Newsletter Deadline, Sep 15
- Outdoor Praise Service, Sep 18

OCTOBER

- Francis of Assisi, Oct 4
- Columbus Day & Indigenous People's Day, Oct 11
- Newsletter Deadline, Oct 15
- Monthly Bike Ride, Oct 17
- Reformation Sunday, Oct 31
- Halloween, Oct 31

← **Monthly Giving:
School Supplies**

Fair Trade

Mike Williams | vablu2@aol.com

Sunday School

Lisa White

**THANK
YOU**

Newsletter

Olivia Cross | love2haveu@ourlords.org

Facebook - Katie Noga

facebook.com/ourlordslutheranchurch

OUR MINISTRY TEAM

OLLC Staff

The Rev. Dr. Darla Ann Kratzer, Pastor
Olivia Cross, Administrative Assistant
Jacob Davis, Director of Non-Traditional Music
Cady Thomas, Director of Worship Music for
Sundays and Special Services
Dr. Rhonda Comrie, Organist
Chery Sides, Organist
Katie Noga, Facebook Coordinator
Matt Gross, Streaming Tech

Church Council

Tom Steinmann, President
Dana Callahan, Vice President
Laura Schoenecker, Secretary
Dr. Max Eakin, Treasurer
Linda Hester, At Large
Darla Ann R. Kratzer, Pastor

LICMA

Laura Schoenecker
(Council Representative)
Rhonda Comrie
(Steering Team Representative)
Brian Henderson
Mike Hester
Stacie Kirk
Pastor Darla Ann Kratzer

Steering Team

Ed & Laura Foppe, Steering Team Coordinators
Lyn Kampwerth (Education)
Rhonda Comrie (Fellowship)
Matt Blind (IT)
Harvey Chiles (Service)
Kalony Short (Worship)



Summer's gifts

Summer brings longer days, warmer nights and — for many people — time spent near water. Complete this puzzle to find out who's behind all those summertime joys.



Directions: Read Jeremiah 31:35 (NIV) below. Draw a around words describing God's actions. Draw an around words that describe day. Underline words that describe evening. Draw under words that describe the ocean.

He who appoints the sun to shine by day,
who decrees the moon and stars to shine by night,
who stirs up the sea so that its waves roar ...



Directions: Circle the capital letters. Then write them from left to right on the lines below to reveal God's name in this Bible verse.

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e D q r s t c e a t o n a h f z z v u A w y L
a v n M q z l s k y z G u w H h m o T k j k Y



JULY CALENDAR

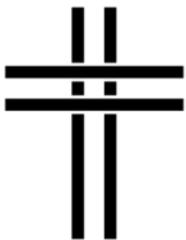
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>MONTHLY GIVING EMPHASIS:</p> 				<p>1 4:00 PM Music Lessons, C. Thomas - WC 6:30 PM Peace In The Pines</p>	<p>2 Pastor's Sabbath 3:00 PM Music Lessons, C. Thomas - WC</p>	<p>3 7:00 AM Men's Club 3:45 PM Praise Band Practice 5:00 PM Worship: In-Building Praise Service</p>
<p>4 Independence Day 9:00 AM Worship: In-Building Traditional Service</p>	<p>5 Independence Day Observed Office Closed</p>	<p>6 10:00 AM Resurrected To Eternal Life Book Study 3:00 PM Tuesday Tea - Zoom 7:00 PM NAR-ANON - LC Conference Room 7:00 PM Narcotics Anon - LC Basement</p>	<p>7 6:00 PM VBS - OLLC & St. Luke's</p>	<p>8 10:00 AM Morning Glories 6:30 PM Peace In The Pines</p>	<p>9 Pastor's Sabbath</p>	<p>10 3:45 PM Praise Band Practice 5:00 PM Worship: In-Building Praise Service</p>
<p>11 9:00 AM Worship: Traditional Service Chapel In The Pines</p>	<p>12 6:30 PM LICMA Meeting with Steering Team</p>	<p>13 10:00 AM Resurrected To Eternal Life Book Study 3:00 PM Tuesday Tea - Zoom 7:00 PM NAR - ANON - LC Conference Room 7:00 PM Narcotics Anon - LC Basement</p>	<p>14 6:00 PM VBS - OLLC & St. Luke's</p>	<p>15 Newsletter Deadline 6:30 PM Peace In The Pines</p>	<p>16 Pastor's Sabbath</p>	<p>17 3:45 PM Praise Band Practice 5:00 PM Worship: Praise Service Chapel In The Pines 7:00 PM Ice Cream Social</p>
<p>18 9:00 AM Worship: In-Building Traditional Service 2:00 PM Monthly Bike Ride</p>	<p>19 11:30 AM Serendipity Book Club 3:00 PM Music Lessons, C. Thomas - WC 6:30 PM Church Council Meeting</p>	<p>20 10:00 AM Resurrected To Eternal Life Book Study 3:00 PM Tuesday Tea - Zoom 4:00 PM Music Lessons, C. Thomas - WC 7:00 PM NAR - ANON - LC Conference Room 7:00 PM Narcotics Anon - LC Basement</p>	<p>21 6:00 PM VBS - OLLC & St. Luke's</p>	<p>22 10:00 AM Morning Glories 4:00 PM Music Lessons, C. Thomas - WC 6:30 PM Peace In The Pines</p>	<p>23 Pastor's Sabbath 3:00 PM Music Lessons, C. Thomas - WC</p>	<p>24 3:45 PM Praise Band Practice 5:00 PM Worship: In-Building Praise Service</p>
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