

Jesus Brings Release from the Bonds of Sin, Death and the Devil

The Lord finds those who did not seek Him or ask for Him. He spreads out His hands "to a rebellious people" (Is. 65:2) and calls them to be His people and to dwell in peace upon His holy mountain (Is. 65:9). For wherever Jesus Christ enters in, Satan is cast out. Those who were enslaved and driven mad by the assaults and accusations of the devil are set free by the Word of Christ. He drowns and destroys the old Adam in us with the waters of Holy Baptism and thereby brings us out of death into life. No longer naked in our shame, living "among the tombs" (Luke 8:27), we are brought into the Lord's house, fully clothed by Christ; He has come in "the fullness of time" (Gal. 4:4) to fulfill the Law on our behalf and to redeem us from its every accusation. Therefore, having been justified by His grace through faith in His Gospel, "you are no longer a slave, but a son" (Gal. 4:7).

WORSHIP SERVICE AND BIBLE STUDY INFORMATION

WOMEN'S HOME BIBLE STUDY on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 6:30pm. Please contact Diane Gihring, Kathy Herbst, or the church office for more information.

TUESDAY ZOOM BIBLE STUDY will meet on the first Tuesday of the month during the summer to study the Gospel lessons for the month. If you would like the Zoom link, please contact Jaime Greene at jaimelynn581@gmail.com.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays at 8:30am to study the book of Ephesians and is led by Mr. Tom Wartick.

CHARITABLE INFORMATION

SECOND QUARTER SPECIAL MISSIONS: For our second quarter missions, our Special Mission offering will support LC-MS Disaster Response Ministry. The ministry reaches out to LCMS congregations and their communities with services that include on-site assessment, emergency relief and development grants, pastor care for LCMS church workers and members, and other resources.

CHURCH INFORMATION

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY! We praise God for our Father's and the ways they show us the love of our Heavenly Father. May God continue to bless and keep you!

PORTALS OF PRAYER: The next quarter of Portals of Prayer and Hopeful Living devotionals are now available in the Narthex. Please feel free to take one for you and one to share with a neighbor or friend!

THANK YOU! The LCMS Gathering participants and their families are overwhelmed with your generosity and love following our Envelope Fundraiser. Thanks to your support, we raised \$4,756 towards our trip! Thank you for helping provide this opportunity for our High School students!

LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS: This summer, our Middle and High School youth will be serving in and around the Milwaukee area each Wednesday for the Stay-at-Home Servant Event. We would love to have you join us! We will be going to Feed My Starving Children in Libertyville, IL on Wednesday, June 22, and Soles for Jesus and Blessed Again Resale on June 29. For more information, please contact Jaime Greene.

FELLOWSHIP SNACKS: We are looking for individuals or families to provide some sweet treats for our fellowship time between services. Treats may be homemade, or store bought and should be brought to church prior to the end of the 8am service. If you are interested, please sign up on the bulletin board.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: Summer is a great time to collect items for Operation Christmas Child! Summer clothing, flip flops and summer toys all make great box stuffers, so watch for those great sales all summer long!

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE: The Stewardship Committee will be meeting on Tuesday, June 21st at 6:30pm. If you are interested in joining this committee, or learning more about what they do, please plan to attend. Contact Chairperson Laurie Cataldo if you are unable to make it and would like more information.

MILITARY MINISTRY: We continue to collect cancelled stamps, coupons, and care package items throughout the summer. If you have any of these items to donate, please leave them in the bins in the Fellowship Hall marked "Military".

NEWSLETTER AND BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please note that the deadline for announcements in the weekly insert is Tuesdays at 12noon. The deadline for The Messenger, our monthly newsletter, is the 20th of each month. If you would like items included in either of these, please contact the church office by those dates.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CARE KITS: First up in our collection of items for the Personal Care Kits is a light-weight bath-size towel (size between 20x40 to 27x52, dark color recommended). Towels will be collected through Sunday, July 3rd, and can be placed in the bin in the Narthex. (Coming up next: bars of soap).

CARE AND SHARE INFORMATIONAL MEETING: If you would like to be a part of the Care and Share team, please come to an informational and planning meeting on Monday, June 26th at 7pm. We will be discussing the mission of Care and Share, as well as sharing other ideas on how we can serve our members. Questions? Contact Kelly Adyniec or Diane Gihring.

ALTAR FLOWERS, BULLETINS, AND SPECIAL MISSIONS: If you would like to sponsor the altar flowers, bulletins, or special missions, please sign up on the bulletin board in the hallway. Please also indicate if they are sponsored in honor of a special occasion. There is a suggested donation of \$30 and envelopes can be found below the sign-ups.

SCHOOL KITS: It won't be much longer, and we'll see those school supplies making their summer appearance! These sales are the perfect time to stock up on the following for our school supply kits: single subject notebook, ruler, pencil sharpener, blunt scissors, #2 pencils, blue and black ball point pens, crayons, and erasers. For a more detailed list, please see the church bulletin board.

SAVE THE DATE-CHURCH PICNIC: Mark it on your calendars now because you won't want to miss it! On Sunday, August 21st, we will have one Worship Service at 10am, and it will be held outside. Following that service, we encourage you to stick around for our church picnic. More details are to come.

SAVE THE DATE-YOUTH GATHERING PRESENTATION: Our High Schoolers are just a couple weeks away from attending the long-awaited LCMS Youth Gathering in Houston, TX, and we already are excited to return and share our stories with you! We will host a presentation of our trip on Sunday, August 28th at 10:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Please save the date and join us!

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSIONS

We pray for our members:

Judy Karen Nancy

We also remember in our prayers these friends and relatives of our members:

Bruce Audrey

We pray the Lord to watch over those who are serving in the military.

Elyse Garrett Corwyn Erika Carlos Mary

Altar Flowers are sponsored by Jim and Karen Reigles, in honor of their 56th wedding anniversary.

Bulletins are sponsored by Dale and Jackie O’Neil, in honor of Father’s Day.

Special Missions are sponsored by Gary and Kathy Hintz, in honor of their 56th wedding anniversary.

WEEKLY CALENDAR FOR JUNE 17th-26th

SAT	8:30am Father/Son Breakfast	WED	9:00am Quilters
SUN	HAPPY FATHER’S DAY!		9:00am Stay at Home Servant Event
	8:00am Worship	THURS	7:00pm Worship and Communion
	9:30am Worship	SAT	8:30am Men’s Bible Study
TUES	6:30pm Boards and Committees	SUN	8:00am Worship and Communion
	7:30pm Church Council Meeting		9:30am Worship and Communion

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday, 9:00am-4:00pm

PASTOR STANTON’S OFFICE HOURS:

Thursdays, 2:00pm-6:00pm

Attendance: 135 **Offerings:** \$9,012 **Needed Weekly:** \$11,760

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