

St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Bible Passage for the Month

“My zeal consumes me, because my foes forget your words. Your promise is well tried, and your servant loves it”. Psalm 119:139-140

Calendar for Week of May 7, 2017

Monday – Wednesday: SELC Ex Board Meeting

Monday: “Bad Girls” Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday: Early Childhood Center Chapel 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday: LWR Quilters 10:00 a.m.

Next Sunday: Mother’s Day Worship Service 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Mother’s Day Waffle Bar Brunch and Sunday School Activities 9:15 a.m.

In Our Prayers

We remember in prayer and express our deepest sympathy to those who mourn the loss of, Edwin Seematter, brother of Marilyn Hrabovsky, and Larry Frie, former member of St. Lucas, who were called to their eternal rest on Monday May 1st. We commit those who mourn into God’s keeping. May the promise of life in Christ strengthen and comfort them.

St. Lucas News

Baptism: Madison Ann Vitale, daughter of Nick and Kim Vitale, will be received into the Body of Christ through the Sacrament of Baptism on Sunday May 7th. Serving as sponsors, Nick and Jessica Vitale. We celebrate with this family and thank God for the gift of grace received through Baptism.

Thank You: The St. Lucas Women’s Guild’s rummage sale collected \$585.00 Thank you to everyone that helped setting up, working the sales and more. Thank you for all the donations for the sale.

We're Gathering Gear For VBS! The committee is planning to make the Maker Fun Factory decorations very hands-on and exciting! There is a display on the wall in the narthex with pictures of some of the decorations and activities, and Post-It notes for **supplies we will need**. If you would be willing to donate any of these supplies, please take a note (or 2 or 3!) and return the item(s) with the sticky note attached by May 14. Donations are always welcome and greatly appreciated. Please see Cindy Riley 636-942-3363 or Amy Kube for more information.

Building/Assembling VBS Decorations!

The decorating committee is planning to assemble our VBS decorations from all the gear that has been gathered, and we are looking for volunteers to help. We will be meeting in the gym on **Saturday, May 20** at 10am. We will need to borrow some tools, and volunteers who know how to use the tools! Please contact Cindy Riley 636-942-3363 or Amy Kube for more information. Thank you very much!

A WOL Covenant Meeting will be held on **TODAY** after the late service in the Pastor's Office. At least one parent from each family sending children to Word of Life or Lutheran High School South must attend this meeting. Please contact Sharon Majoros at 314-922-4678 or sharon.m3845@yahoo.com if you would like information on our Christian school program.

KDO/SUMMER CAMP: Summer is fast approaching and we are super excited to announce that Kids Day Out Summer Camp is also on the new website. Starting June 5th - July 28th. Monday - Friday, Ages 3-10 year-olds, Hours 9-3 for \$30.00, or 9-12 for \$20.00, extended hours available from 7-9am, and 3-6pm for an additional fee. What a great way to be an outreach for parents who are looking for a fun-filled Christian based atmosphere for their child care needs. Contact us at 314 832-2307 for an application or go to our **website** at "stlucaslcm.org" to register on line. Look us up on **facebook** also at "St Lucas Early Childhood Center"

Helping Hands: Russel Stover and Witman's Chocolate: boxes of chocolate are available for \$8.00 a box. Proceeds will help raise funds for the program.

Thank You for the all the cards and condolences on the passing of my husband.
Pat Carlton

Serve the Lord with Gladness

Those Serving May 7th 2017

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Mark Larson
Organist: Mark Dunajcik
Lay Readers: 8:00 – Steve Kulifay
10:30 – Nancy Roach
Lay Ministers: 8:00 – Joe Pyatek
10:30 – Ron Shebik
Greeters: 8:00 – Sharon Majoros
Ushers: 8:00 – John Christopher, Dennis Lee
Carolyn Crump, Sharon Majoros
10:30 – Leslie Werner, Tony Werner
Ted Belko, Al Belko
Nurse: 10:30 – Josh & Wendy Robin

Those Serving May 14th 2017

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Mark Larson
Organist: Mark Dunajcik
Lay Readers: 8:00 – Marilyn Hrabovsky
10:30 – Don Baggett
Lay Ministers: 8:00 – Mel Nierdieck
10:30 – Justin Leitner
Greeters: 8:00 – Stacey Wellman
Ushers: 8:00 – John Christopher, Dennis Lee
Carolyn Crump, Sharon Majoros
10:30 – Leslie Werner, Tony Werner
Ted Belko, Al Belko
Nurse: 10:30 – Stacey Wellman

Our Response to God's Blessings

Church Attendance: 8:00 – 34 10:30 – 57 Total - 91 Bible Class – 12 Sunday School - 7

Offerings: Plate: \$21.00 Envelope \$2424.40, Building Repair/Maint. \$335.00 Memorials and Gifts to Church: \$465.00, VBS \$50.00 Use of Facilities \$10.00, Bible Class \$7.00 Total: \$ 3312.40
Needed weekly: \$4900.00

Special gifts: *In Memory of Jim Carlton:* Earl & Judy Willenbrock, Jim & Barb Morrison, Carole Franke, Jack & Margaret Grothe

In Memory of Shirley Dunajcik: Jim & Shirley Vuch, Earl & Judy Willenbrock, Evelyn Yonka, Mary Fortuna,

To VBS: Myrna Land



Celebrating a Birthday This Week

7 – Niki Christopher

8 – Donald Bretz

12 – Vivian Kramer

13 – Lawrence Pirtle

Celebrating an Anniversary This Week

11 – Michael & Barbara Baranovic 49 yrs

THE GIFTS OF THE RESURRECTION

Sermon Series

Faith * Peace * Security * Life * Presence * Unity



The celebration of Easter continues. Join us each week as we explore the gifts that Christ has given to us by His resurrection. Next Sunday: Our mothers gave us life. Jesus is the source of all life, especially eternal life. *He is risen, indeed!*

Mother's Day May 14
Waffle Bar Brunch 9:15am

Join us next week at 9:15am in the gym for a delicious Waffle Bar Brunch and fun activities sponsored by the Sunday School children during Bible Class Hour. You don't have to be a mother to attend; all are invited. Free-will offering accepted. Don't miss the fun and delicious event. Be sure to invite your someone special to this event. Mother's Day is only surpassed by Easter as the Sunday for which people are most likely to accept your invitation. You can help us create momentum by indicating that you are "going" in response to our Facebook event!