



THE MESSENGER

2008

Worship Schedule
 Sunday: 8 AM and 10:30 AM
 Sunday Church School for all ages:
 9:15 AM

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Four Things Every Christian Needs

Lately we have been talking a lot at Grace about what is truly necessary for us to successfully and faithfully live out our mission to Help People Know Christ, Live like Christ, Share Christ and Be One in Christ. There are countless programs, studies, opportunities, and approaches that can contribute to that mission but we have to keep a close eye on how each of them fit within the big picture and allow members, visitors, leaders, individuals, and families to connect in meaningful and manageable ways. We've basically narrowed it down to four things that will become the focus of what we do and who we are in ministry at Grace.

- 1. Worship and Study:** As Christians we worship God everyday of our lives. Our times of worship together on Sunday morning become essential times for us to hear the Word of God, receive the Gifts of Grace in baptism and communion, pray with and for one another and the world we serve, and listen to God's call to each one of us as we are sent out in mission. That's a lot to take in during worship so we also have Sunday School to give us an opportunity to dig deeper into the Bible and the calling God gives to each of us as we engage in faith forming and enriching conversation with one another. There should be no question that we need that each and every week.
- 2. Faith-filled Relationships:** We are called to live in Christian community, not to live in Christian isolation. That means it is also essential that we take advantage of every opportunity to form deep, meaningful, supportive, and prayerful relationships with our Christian brothers and sisters. We will be working hard at this one through the formation of Neighborhood Life Groups and through the ongoing development of our Youth, Women's and Men's ministries. These relational groups give us opportunity to see in each other the many ways God continues to shape and direct our day-to-day lives.
- 3. Service:** Jesus Christ continuously called his followers to put others first and to find ways to be a blessing to those in need. It is essential for every Christian to have a way to serve someone else regularly and in keeping with his/her God given gifts, abilities, and interests. There are countless ways to serve both within the congregation and outside in the community, but we will be working hard to help you identify your gifts and discover ways for you to serve others in powerful ways so that the world might see in our service the example of Jesus Christ who served and saved us all.
- 4. Celebration:** As Christians we always have reason to celebrate. We live in God's Kingdom and nothing in the world can overcome it. We will be calling the whole congregation together periodically to celebrate with one another the great gifts God has given us in each other. And we will be inviting the whole community to join us in celebrating the unique and life-changing relationship Jesus has brought to us all when he became human and dwelt among us. God is present in us, around us, and works through us and that's good reason to celebrate!

Four things every Christian needs, are you ready to work with us to make them happen for every person who attends Grace? Let's get started!

Peace and Prayers,

Pastor Jim

Pastor Jim Lewis, Senior Pastor

Pastor Marlin Drake, Visitation Pastor

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Thank You to Everyone Who Helped With VBS 2008!

The rooster has crowed his last cock-a-doodle-do and the sun is setting on our SonHarvest County Fair VBS. The week was filled with excitement as kids heard Bible stories, played games, sang songs, and made great crafts. They dug right in to the Word of God and learned how to grow the fruits of the spirit in their lives' and live for Jesus!



The week wouldn't have been possible without a GREAT group of volunteers. Over 70 people gave of their time to help in the classrooms, games, crafts, drama, music, and in the kitchen. Many more helped behind the scenes doing decorating, marching in the parade, cleaning, praying and various other things that are key to making the week run smoothly. Those people are:

Beckie Grafe	Hannah Marlowe	Bob McCullouch
Esther Philabaum	Molly Bauer	Jen McCullouch
Dana Lewis	Michelle Haverfield	Francis Moser
Sue Seifert	Dave Haverfield	Bradley Gigax
Katie Hootman	Michelle Hallman	Olivia Bauer
Shelby Seifert	Betsy Morris	Noah Tinlin
Linda McFadden	Lisa Morris	Lindsey Jerles
Denise Carpenter	Glenda Sclater	Tina Bartholomew
Elizabeth Herman	Bobbie Myers	James Hallman
Ashley Jerles	Barb Thompson	Liz Nelson
Kristen Miceli	Ruth Stein	Ethan Nelson
Aaron Sergent	Sue Herman	Anthony Miceli
Becky Swartz	Jim Lewis	Hannah Lewis
Morgan Swartz	Ron Philabaum	Isaac Lewis
Toni Ferritto	Sue Grafe	Abby Lewis
Jen Gigax	Pastor Drake	McKenna Rose
Wendy Mady	Betty Huffman	Courtney Rose
Elizabeth Mady	Marie Lorson	Taylor Rose
Evan Cameron	Jane Lanz	Christine Rose
Ashley Eick	Carolyn Price	Shane Porter
Jim Morris	Tom Price	Cori Antonelli
Cody Jerles	Patty Stull	Dewey Grafe
Marci Tinlin	Pat Petricola	Steph Zinck
Jaclyn Sergent	Cindy Jerles	Adrian Mathias
Chris Sergent	Noah Hallman	Larry Wallick

A big thank you goes out to the many people who donated items to help make the church turn into a farm and fairgrounds, those who provided the tasty food for our daily dinners, and those of you who prayed for this ministry to be a success. It couldn't have been done without every last one of you. THANK YOU!

MOSER FAMILY MISSION



Word of Life
 Steve & Tina Moser August 19, 2008

Where do we go from here?

Summer camps are over, and this place feels empty. The Moser family will be spending a few days in the Adirondacks as tourists, and then head to Ohio. On September 12th we will be back up here, not as staff, but as parents dropping off their son to attend the Word of Life Bible Institute. Yes, plenty of tissues will be needed.

Please pray for Stuart as he begins this new chapter in his life, and for the rest of us, as we continue to press on to the goal of being full time in El Salvador by this January. Remember our families favorite verse:

Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ. Philippians 1:6



Here we are with our "boss" Roy Dalolio (next to Tina) and another WOL missionary in El Salvador, Marcel Rodriguez. We had a great time sharing plans and dreams for the ministry down in El Salvador.



What a great looking family!!

We are using this picture for the new ministry brochure. We would love to give you one when we see you next.

MOSER FAMILY MISSION

Thank you for your continue support with the Moser Mission. Steve and Tina are so thankful for the help the we are giving to them each month. Our goal is \$200 a month which we have meet each month. There are envelopes in the pews now marked with a red cross on the corner so that they will be easily seen in the pew. Continue to pray for this family as they do God's work.

We have met our goal every month so far, lets keep it up. Steve, Tina and family have been amazed and very thankful for your continuing support which has now even surpassed the support they have received from their home congregation.





The First Moravian Church of Dover is sponsoring Mainstreet Brass Quintet in concert on Saturday, September 20, 2008 at 7:00pm. Mainstreet Brass originates from the Lehigh Valley area of Pennsylvania and is a skilled group of professional musicians who perform at a very high level of artistry. Mainstreet Brass presents varied repertoire spanning the centuries -- from florid 17th century canzons and Bach transcriptions to memorable show tunes and blues classics from Jelly Roll Morton, W.C. Handy and Fats Waller. Their concert schedule spans the United States and England.

It is important to note that Mainstreet's tuba player is former Dover resident and Moravian, Allen Frank. Allen graduated from Dover High School, was a "Trumpet In The Land" cast member, toured with the Marine Band and the national tour of "Blast".

You are cordially invited to join us for this inspiring, musical event. Please mark your calendars and invite a friend.

THANK YOU!!!

A huge thank you to Paul Stein for landscaping around the front entrance of the sanctuary. The plants really add a wonderful welcome to all who enter and will continue to give a good impression to all who pass by our church on 3rd Street.



Thank you to the following people who helped assemble the August Messenger: Art Siber, Dorothy Morrison, Ruth Halter, Donna Fox and Marie Lorson.

Placing people on the Prayer List

Our weekly prayer list in the bulletin announcements provides a great way to support each other in prayer throughout the week. However, there have been several times when a person has been placed on the list with little information about who s/he is or what her/his needs are. This makes it difficult for us to know how long to keep a person on the prayer list and where or if they would like a visit, card, phone call, etc. In order to improve our ability to support one another we have developed a simple form for putting people on the prayer list. Blank forms will be available on the narthex table, at the office, and soon will be on the website. You can still call the secretary with names as well, but she will ask for the information on the form to keep on file here. Only the names will be printed in the bulletin as we have been doing, the additional information is simply for office use as we seek to serve you better. Here's a sample of the form we will be using.

Name _____

Reason for request _____

Location for pastoral visit _____

Mailing Address _____ Phone # _____

How long should s/he be included on prayers 2 weeks 1 month 2 months until...

May we share this information with people from the church who call to request it? Yes No

Requested by: _____ Phone # _____

EVANGELISM BOARD

EVANGELISM NEWS... HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO BE A BLESSING TO OTHERS

We at Grace have volunteered to provide one meal per month — **the 4th Sunday of each month** — and need volunteers to provide the meal and to deliver it to the *Friends of*



the Homeless of Tuscarawas County which is a group of concerned citizens from various churches and social service agencies in the county who have recognized the need to assist persons experiencing homelessness. The residents eat dinner at 6:00 each evening. All tableware is provided by the shelter, and they ask that if we are just dropping the food off to bring it in disposable pans.

If you are unable to deliver your portion of the meal, please contact someone else who has signed up to deliver food.

Let's continue to work together as the body of Christ and serve our brothers and sisters in need.

Thank you to the following volunteers who will prepare and deliver food for the **Homeless Shelter on September 28th by 6:00 PM.**

Hamburger gravy for 15: Gale Limron

2 STILL NEEDED

Mashed potatoes for 15:

3 STILL NEEDED

Vegetable of your choice for 15: Elaine Margo

2 STILL NEEDED

Tossed salad for 18 & 2 Dressing: Sue Grafe

1 STILL NEEDED

Italian Bread & Butter (Soft spread) 4#:

STILL NEEDED

2- 2lb. 2.5 oz. Can of Regular Coffee:

Darlene Bonta

2 Gallons of Milk: Connie Lahr

Dessert for 15: Darlene Bonta, Dana Lewis

1 STILL NEEDED



A Great Big Thanks to all of you



FEED THE HUNGRY

A Great Big Thanks to all of you who signed up to prepare food for the Homeless Shelter and the Wednesday Free Lunch and for the food that is received to pack grocery bags. The people who receive these cooked meals and grocery bags are truly thankful. Without your support in providing food for these programs, our outreach ministry could cease to function. Please prayerfully consider signing up ahead of time before it is necessary to pass the clipboards in the pews. The sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board in the Narthex. May God continue to Bless us as we reach out to others.

EVANGELISM BOARD

GROCERY BAG MINISTRY

Thanks to all who have volunteered to help with the Grocery Bag Ministry for this year. We have the year filled!

May we continue to bring in our food items each Sunday. If every family attending church would bring 1 or 2 items weekly, the pantry would be overflowing. May God's Blessings be with each and everyone of you.

We are in need of meat, fruit, peanut butter pasta noodles, soup, and cereal.



FOOD PANTRY Thank you to all who bring food in for the grocery bags that are filled each month. We are seeing a great increase in the number of people benefiting from this ministry.

What goes into a bag to feed the hungry? The food items are peanut butter, canned meat, vegetables, fruit, cereal, soup, macaroni & cheese, spaghetti sauce and spaghetti. **We are in great need of peanut butter, meat, cereal, pancake mix, pancake syrup, oatmeal, and fruit.**

Thank you to the following volunteers who will help serve our free lunch on **Wednesday, August 20th.**

Leader: Dorothy Morrison

Helpers: Shirley Grafe, Betsy Morris, Barbara Marshall

Volunteers for the Free Lunch should deliver their food donations to the church to the Luther Hall kitchen on **Tuesday, September 19th.**

Thank you to the following volunteers:

9x13 Mac & Cheese: Holly Vesco

3 STILL NEEDED

Smoked Sausage 16:

Jen McCulloch (3)

3 Bags of Chips: Connie Lahr

4 doz hot dog buns: Dana Lewis

2 Lg. cans fruit cocktail: Marcie Tinlin (2)



GRACE CHURCH POSTCARDS—Are you missing someone who has not been here for awhile?

There are now postcards available on the narthex table for you to send to someone you have missed. Stop by and take a few home to send.

ELCA NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING

We had a blast meeting everyone from the various churches that will be attending the National Youth Gathering from our area last month. Now it is time to make a decision about whether you will be part of the group that goes to New Orleans next July to worship, serve, and connect with 36,000 other Lutheran youth from around the country at the gathering called Jesus, Justice, and Jazz.

Grace will be hosting a meeting for youth currently in 8th-12th grade who are highly interested in attending the gathering so that we can discuss preferences for types of service projects while we are in New Orleans, travel options, costs and fundraising options, and other details about the gathering. Parents are asked to attend this meeting with their youth if at all possible. We will be gathering all necessary registration information and establishing a group covenant to guide us throughout the year of preparation for this fantastic trip.



Join us Sunday, September 7
at 3:30 PM at Grace in Fellowship Hall.

For the most up-to-date info on Grace's Youth & Family Ministry,
on-line forms, photos, games and more, go to:

graceyouthandfamily.org

Pack Your Lunch With Grace

You are invited to join Pastor Jim for a weekly time of fellowship and Bible Study. Pack your lunch and meet with friends at Luther Hall where you can eat together, share stories, and then spend a half-hour in Bible study as we look together at one of the lessons for the upcoming week. I hope you will join me for this excellent opportunity to be fed with the Word of God each week.

The group will meet on Thursdays from noon to 1:00 p.m. in Luther Hall.



LEADERSHIP

PLANNING COUNCIL**Tuesday, September 2nd****7:00 pm****MINISTRY NIGHT****Tuesday, September 9th****6:45 pm**

Neighborhood Life Groups

Have you seen the map in the connecting room? Beginning this month we would like for you to take a few moments while you are at church and place a pin (available in a cup next to the map in the connecting room) on the map that indicates as closely as possible the location of your home. After you have placed the pin on the map also write your name on address, phone, and email on the list provided on the table. We will be using this information to help us establish neighborhood zones that incorporate a reasonable number of people within a small geographic area as we seek to connect every person and family in our congregation with one another through Neighborhood Life Groups.

The Neighborhood Life Groups will be intergenerational fellowship groups that provide an opportunity for our members to build close Christian relationships with one another. When they begin, they will offer a monthly gathering time that includes a simple 5 minute devotion that addresses the themes we will be hearing about in worship, a time for the group to share prayer concerns and praises with one another and support each other in prayer, and an opportunity for the group to enjoy an activity, meal, outing, or other fellowship opportunity with one another.

Once the neighborhood zones have been established we will be looking for individuals and families that would like to serve as group coordinators. The coordinators main responsibility will be communicating with the neighborhood and the church office regarding gathering times, and helping to provide a welcoming, affirming, and positive atmosphere for all involved. Coordinators will receive ample training before any of the groups begin to meet. Please pray about your role in this ministry and pray for all those who will help to put it together as well as those who will be served by it.

Women of the ELCA

SOAP COLLECTION

Soap is a luxury for millions of people suffering from drought, civil strife or poverty. Soap is unavailable in many parts of the world. Often in places where it is available, soap is too costly for poor people to buy.

Without soap, maintaining the level of cleanliness necessary to reduce disease and infection is very difficult. The soap we collect can be a life-saving gift to people in dire circumstances.

We are continuing to collect bath size bars of soap in its original wrapping.

Place in basket in the Narthex.



KNOTTERS

Tuesday, **Sept 9th**

9:00 a.m.—Luther Hall

Please note that knotting will be on the second Tuesday of each month rather than on the third Tuesday.



DR. MARY BAER CIRCLE

Wednesday, **Sept. 11th**

7:00 pm

Hostesses: Swingles

Quarterly

GLOBAL MISSIONS

Our global missions are coming along!

Quilts: 53

Soap: 239

Health Kits: 9

Layettes: 20

School Kits: 17

We are continuing to collect bath size bars of soap in its original wrapping. Place in basket in the Narthex.

SCHOOL KIT UPDATE!

WELCA would like to thank everyone for their continued support in helping provide school kits. At this years Dress A Child we provided 169 school kits. Holy Trinity of Bolivar sent 32 kits to help us get ready for next year. Thank you to Kim Ernest and Father Edward Keck for your support!



REMINDER!!!

Look for the upcoming Fall Retreat at Tuscora Park in October. The date will be coming soon!

WELCA will be moving the quarterly from September 10th to September 11th at 7 pm in Luther Hall.

Come listen to the Rejoice Women, who have been in the Outreach Center since the beginning!!! They are at the ORC the second Tuesday of every month from 12-4 pm. Hope to see you there!!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Each month we will gather youth from five congregations participating in Cooperative Confirmation together for an afternoon of active learning and relationship building. The first gathering will take place here at Grace in Fellowship Hall on Sunday, September 21 from 3:30 - 5:00 PM.

We will be learning about the Apostle's Creed during this opening session. Each gathering begins with some hang-out time with great food and your sparkling personalities. After that we'll get you moving, thinking, and interacting with an activity, game, or challenge that gives you a memorable way of engaging the topic for the day. Then we finish things off with the learning lab where you will think, discuss, question, and pray with one another as we learn about the foundations of our faith together. WOW! Talk about a great way to spend 90 minutes!

Be sure to mark your calendars for the upcoming Cooperative Confirmation events listed below.

- October 19 - 3:30-5:00 PM The Ten Commandments
Emmanuel, New Philadelphia
- November 14-15 CONFIRMATION RETREAT AT CAMP BUCKEYE,
in Beach City led by students at Capital University
- **Every Sunday morning at 9:15 AM we have Bible Study together in the High School Room at Grace!**



Raising a Healthy Baby—Faith Stepping Stones Program

For most parents, during the first few hours after birth as they hold that precious new baby in their arms, even the harshest critics of the church are often touched with wonder and mystery at such a miracle. It is said the hardest day in an atheist's life is when she finds herself profoundly thankful and has no one to thank. At Raising a Healthy Baby, young parents are invited to spend three weeks together sharing, laughing and growing as they learn about their babies' physical, emotional and spiritual health...as well as their own.

The course is designed...

- To teach parents to care for the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of their baby
- To teach parents to nurture their own physical, emotional, and spiritual needs during this stressful period.
- To spawn the formation of a supportive small group network for young parents
- To call parents to add the practice of blessing babies and putting them to sleep with music featuring God's Word to their nightly bedtime ritual

If you'd like to attend or help with this Faith Stepping Stones course to be offered September 13, 20, 27 at 9:30 AM please pick up a registration brochure today in the narthex or at the church office. You may also register for the event by calling the church office or register online at graceyouhandfamily.org/steppingstones.htm.



GRACE ENDOWMENT FUND PROVIDES AID TO VICTIMS OF FLOODING & TORNADOS

The Grace Endowment Board met this past Tuesday and approved a request for support of ELCA Domestic Disaster Response in their efforts to assist individuals, families, and communities who are recovering from the devastating flooding and tornadoes that impacted a large portion of the Midwest this spring and summer. We are glad to report the decision to send \$10,000 to be applied where the need is greatest. Let us all join in prayer for the continued work towards recovery in all of these areas and give thanks for the opportunity we had and have taken to be a blessing to those in need.



More about the work of ELCA Domestic Disaster Response in the Midwest

'All Hands On Deck' Needed for Flood Recovery in Midwest

CHICAGO (ELCA) -- Recovery efforts in the flood-ravaged Midwest will require an "all hands on deck" approach, according to the Rev. Kevin A. Massey, director, Lutheran Disaster Response (LDR). Every program and project Lutherans have will be needed given the extent of flood damage there, he said. LDR is a collaborative ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) and the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

Massey traveled June 25-27 to flood-affected areas of Iowa and Wisconsin. He said the number of flood-affected towns in these states "is overwhelming. Simply realizing the number of households that are coping with flooding is astonishing." According to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, an estimated 25,000 homes in Iowa were damaged and/or destroyed.

Especially hard hit is Cedar Rapids, Iowa, said Massey. "Looking at the high water marks on houses as far as the eye can see was overwhelming. The only other place where I felt like that was in New Orleans following Hurricane Katrina. Cedar Rapids will be an epicenter of our response," he said.

LDR's long-term disaster response plan in the Midwest "will take some time to design, but it will certainly include the coordination of volunteers and the provision of resources like case management," said Massey. Flood-affected communities have not yet prepared themselves to host outside volunteers at this time, he said. LDR is in conversation with faith-based organizations and partners to secure housing for visiting volunteer groups.

"Lutheran congregations are already serving in flood-affected communities," particularly in Wisconsin, said Massey. Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ripon, Wis., and St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Wausau, Wis., are some congregations assembling flood buckets to be used by people to clean up their households, he said. Lutheran Social Services of Wisconsin and Upper Michigan, Inc., Milwaukee, an LDR affiliate, is coordinating the production of flood buckets.

"Flood buckets -- a big plastic bucket that contains a myriad of cleaning supplies, gloves, face masks and all kinds of other stuff -- are available at designated pick-up sites," said Massey.

Massey met with the Rev. Bruce Burnside, bishop, ELCA South-Central Synod of Wisconsin, Madison, to provide support and discuss the synod's disaster response efforts.

"Lutherans really do serve automatically in disaster," said Massey. "It is exciting to see how the different expressions of the ELCA -- from congregations to synods to the ELCA churchwide organization -- turn out in times of disasters," he said.

"Of everything we do, 'job one' in disaster response is to support the spiritual and emotional needs of our bishops and pastors, because the work that our leaders do in disaster is the most powerful Lutheran witness for communities affected by disasters. The way they care for congregations and the wider community is marvelous," he said.

"Leaders, when called upon to serve in disaster, can very naturally be themselves overwhelmed. We will be organizing opportunities for respite and direct personal support for leaders through these very difficult months to come," Massey said.



WORSHIP

ATTENTION GALLERY CHOIR MEMBERS AND OTHER INTERESTED VOICES!!!

The first rehearsal of the new season will be Thursday, September 4th at 7 pm in the Choir Room. New members are asked to contact Bobbie Myers (330-343-3268) so that music folders can be ready for you.



OPEN ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to provide altar flowers in memory or in honor of loved ones, please either sign up on the list in the Narthex or call the church office at 330-343-6915.

The cost for one vase is \$18. You will be billed by Blossom's Florist.

Altar Flowers are available on the following dates: Sept. 21st.



ALTAR FLOWER NOTICE!!!!

Blossom's will be raising the price of Altar flower vases from \$15 to \$18 as of September 1st.

<p>Order of St. Luke Tuesday, September 30th 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Altar Guild Tuesday, September 30th 9:00 a.m.</p>
<p>Nursery Sept. 7 Betsy Morris, Lisa Morris Sept. 14 Elaine Margo, Carol Betche Sept. 21 Molly Bauer, Olivia Bauer Sept. 28 Juanita Page, Carrie Yeager</p>	
<p>Children's Church Sept. 7 Marcie & Noah Tinlin Sept. 14 Cindy & Cody Jerles Sept. 21 Esther Philabaum, Elizabeth Herman Sept. 28 Chris Sergent, Ashley Jerles</p>	

Worship Readings

Sunday, Sept. 7th

Ezekiel 33:7-11
 Romans 13:8-14
 Matthew 18:15-20

Sunday, Sept. 14th

Numbers 21:4b-9
 1 Corinthians 1:18-

Sunday, Sept. 21st

Jonah 3:10-4:11
 Philippians 1:21-30
 Matthew 20:1-16

Sunday, Sept. 28th

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32

September

SUNDAY 8:00 AM WORSHIP



ACOLYTES

Sept 7 Kristin Miceli
 Sept 14 Hunter Stein
 Sept 21 Jordan Miller
 Sept 28 Jacob Reidenhach

LAY READERS

Sept 7 Steve Zimmerman
 Sept 14 Dale Weaver
 Sept 21 Larry Lloyd
 Sept 28 Lynn Foust

DEACONS

Sept 7 Dale Weaver
 Sept 14 None
 Sept 21 Sue Grafe
 Sept 28 None

USHERS

Michael Thomas-Moore
 Tom Patton
 Tim Keplinger
 Richard Elliott
 Steve Zimmerman
 Jim Heller
 Scott Ebert

SUNDAY 10:30 AM WORSHIP

USHERS

September 7 John Lorenz, Larry Wallick, Tom Margo, Art Siber
 September 14 Jerry Nelson, Jack Marshall, Ron Philabaum, Jim Gibb, Kent Philabaum, Mike Sergent, Aaronn Sergent
 September 21 John Stahl, Robert McCulloch, Keith Lands, Phil Hammerstrom
 September 28 Art Keener, William Page, Jeff Keller, Jeff Hootman, Joe Van Fossen

LAY READERS

Sept 7 Carolyn Delphia
 Sept 14 Nathan Vaughan
 Sept 21 Jim Gibb
 Sept 28 John Stahl

DEACONS

Sept 7 None
 Sept 14 John Stahl
 Sept 21 None
 Sept 28 Jim Gibb

ACOLYTES

Sept 7 Ashley Jerles
 Sept 14 Andrew Yeager
 Sept 21 Anthony Miceli
 Sept 28 Seth Carpenter



ALTAR GUILD

JoAnn Hammond, Norma Buehler, Jean Geyer, Sue Case, Holly Vesco

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 CHURCH OF- FICE CLOSED 630 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Valley Voices	2 630 pm Cub Scouts	3	4 12 pm Sr. Fun Day 12-1 pm Bible study 5 pm Wedding Reh. 6 pm Handbell Chior 7 pm Gallery Choir	5	6 11 am Clinton ORC— bridal shower 430 pm Wood/Harding Wedding
7 8 am Worship Communion 915 am SCS 1030 am Worship 3:30 pm ELCA National Youth Gathering Meeting	8 930 am Staff Meeting 3 pm Communion Park Village 630 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Valley Voices	9 9 am Knotters 12-4 pm Rejoice Women ORC 630 pm Cub Scouts	10	11 12 pm Sr. Fun Day 12-1 pm Bible study 6 pm Handbell Chior 7 Quarterly LH 7 pm Gallery Choir	12 6 pm Brittany Domer ORC	13 1-8 pm Sandy Gibb Show 930-11 am Stepping Stones 8-1 pm Head Start ORC
14 8 am Worship 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship Communion	15 10:30a Communion Park Village 7:30-4:30 Holly Hall 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Valley Voices	16 930 am Full Staff 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	17 7:30-4:30 Holly Hall 11-1 pm Free Lunch ORC	18 12 pm Sr. Fun Day 12-1 pm Bible study 6 pm Handbell Chior 7 pm Gallery Choir	19 7 pm Scrapbookers	20 6 pm Penny Huff Deco- rate ORC 8-1 pm Head Start ORC 930-11 am Stepping Stones
21 8 am Worship 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship 3:30 Cooperative Confir- mation	22 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Valley Voices	23 9:30 am Full Staff Meeting 6:30 Cub Scouts 7 pm Order of St. Luke	24 4-830 pm Head Start FH 9:00a news- letter assem- bly—Luther Hall	25 12 pm Sr. Fun Day 12-1 pm Bible study 6 pm Handbell Chior 7 pm Gallery Choir	26	27 930-11 am Stepping Stones
28 8 am Worship Communion 9:15 am Rally Day 10:30a Worship 6 pm Meal to homeless	29 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Valley Voices	30 9 am Altar Guild 6:30 Cub Scouts 6-8 pm Job & Fam- ily Services ORC				