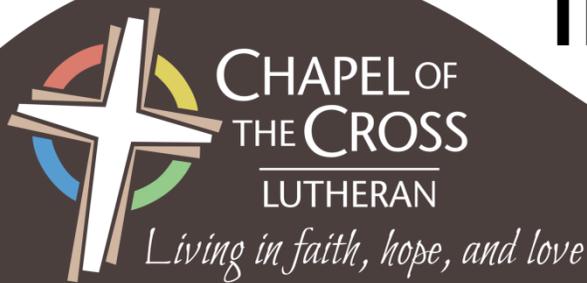


THE CHAPEL Weekly



November 13, 2022

BIBLE STUDY

Sunday Bible classes for:

Sundays at 9:45 am Room #9 Lower level
Senior High Youth at 9:45 am in Room A, Upper level.
Youth Confirmation at 9:45 am in Room #8 Lower level

Sunday school for children:

Sundays at 9:45 am in the lower level

Wednesday studies:

The Epistle to the Hebrews
6:30 pm Room #8

Discovery Class

6:30 Conference Room

Woman's Bible study

1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 10:00 am
Unshakable Hope
A study by Max Lucado – Room #8

Address for Dave Funke:

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Announcements

Cards and cookies for Homebound Members: You are invited to sign Thanksgiving cards to be given to Chapel's homebound members. The cards are located on tables in the Commons Area. Homebound members will receive these cards along with Advent devotions and homemade cookies. If you would like to bake some cookies for the bags, please sign up on the sheet at the Welcome Center Thank You!

Annual Voters' Assembly Meeting: The annual meeting of the Voters' Assembly will be held on Sunday, December 4th at 12:30. This year we will once again hear from our ministry leaders. We will also be conducting our usual business, including the approval of the 2023 budget and the ratification of the new Board of Directors and Board of Elders. That morning we will have a short reception for new confirmands/members after the 11:00 service, so get a cookie or two and join us downstairs after the reception.

Advent Family Nights-Midweek Dinners: How great to gather for food and fellowship at Church each Wednesday in Advent before the 6:30 pm worship service! The dinner is free, all donations will be given to missions! Come to fellowship and eat starting at 5:00 pm in the Gym. Helpers are needed. See Jay Z. or Bill R. for more information and sign up at the Commons display.

Seniors and Homebound Thanksgiving Service and Luncheon. Join us on Monday, November 21, as we thank God at the service and connect with His people. Worship is at 11:00 am and lunch follows in the gym. Sign up at the Welcome Center if you will be coming to attend or to serve. Please contact Jayme Zvirgzdins if you can help serve the meal. Volunteers may be needed with transportation for some of the homebound. Contact Bill if you are able to assist us with this.

The flowers on the altar are in loving memory of Gene Hale from Linda Moellering.

In Our Prayers this week.

Those with Health Concerns:

Jan Arban
Joan Arban
James Bartel
Maureen Bartel
Vivian Berry
Steve Bilyeu (*brother of Sherri Brown*)
Loretta Bolar (*cousin of Alexis Cunningham*)
Tanjila Bolden
Mardell Brown (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
Elizabeth Cash
Ivy Rose Clark (*relative of Alexis Cunningham*)
Kim Cunningham (*daughter-in-law to Alexis Cunningham*)
Donna Dansberry (*sister of Alexis Cunningham*)
Linda Edgington
Cheryl Ehmke
Kymm Fehrs
Aulderay Fields
Brene Freeman (*relative of Alexis Cunningham*)
David Funke
Pastor Ellory Glenn
Susanna Gregory (*daughter of Gale Damm*)
James Haas (*grandson of Bill & Marilyn Miller*)
Carolyn Hanneman
Darryal Hughes (*cousin of Aulderay Fields*)
Diane Hurst (*friend of Diane Timm*)
Dawn Iborg
Angela Jones (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
Jordan Jones (*friend of Ervin Wilson*)
Jimmie Jordan (*brother of John Jordan*)
Linda Keeney (*friend of Nancy Swoboda*)
Dale Kiltz (*cousin of David Eggers*)
Jamie Kirkpatrick (*grandson of Audrey Luedtke*)
Marilyn Koester (*Diane Timm's cousin*)
Joyce Lackey
Alice Lombard
Bella Matakas (*niece of Ken Gerler*)
Duane McCain (*Jay and John Zvirgzdins uncle*)

Elsie Meyer
Katy Moran (*friend of Jon Rogers*)
Greg Pellegrino (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Leona Pellegrino (*god-daughter of Alexis Cunningham*)
Darold Pendleton (*nephew of Georgia Thomas*)
Ethel Pierce (*food pantry*)
Karen Rae (*relative of Maire Trelz*)
Bill Rueckert
Kelly Schlautmann (*food pantry*)
Henry Scott (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
Stef Sims (*friend of Diane Timm*)
Agnes Soll (*friend of Jerri Bolden*)
Johnnie Spears
Sandy Stephens (*friend of Nancy Swoboda*)
Dale Ternaprovich (*brother of Joyce Lackey*)
Jean Thomas
Jerome Tomlin (*cousin of Alexis Cunningham*)
Ola's Ugobo (*friend of Robert Cunningham*)
Gloria Uttley
Lionel Ward (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Hsea Wells (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Carol Whiteaker (*cousin of Mark Petersen*)

Those Receiving Treatment for Cancer:

Terry Balke (*Cheryl Balkes brother*)
Jay Bentzinger (*friend of Nancy Swoboda*)
Tammy Bushman (*daughter of Mike and Jean Mueller*)
Lisa Capehart (*niece of Art Williams*)
Judy Christian (*Rick and Lynda Christian's sister-in-law*)
Jane Curran (*friend of Karen Schaeffer*)
Mike Datillo (*uncle of Jayme Zvirgzdins*)
Mike Dunn (*uncle of Rick Christian*)
Betty Endsley (*mother of Marcy Oliver*)
Diane Goetz-Jordan (*step-daughter of Keith Wetzel*)

Agnes Gray (*friend of Jerri Bolden*)
Tom Hetrick (*nephew of Audrey Luedtke*)
Justin Hodge (*friend of Jon Rogers*)
Tom Krauter, Jr. (*son of Tom Krauter*)
Cheryl Linton (*sister-in-law of Joseph Miano*)
Mary Oberman (*friend of Lisa Hager*)
Marc Openlander (*grandson of Art Williams*)
Martin Rodgers (*cousin of Jerri Bolden*)
Keith Rogers (*cousin of Anne Meyer*)
Ellen Saville (*friend of Keith Neuber*)
Arrión Soll (*friend of Jerri Bolden*)
Candy Summers (*friend of Jayme Zvirgzdins*)
Marilyn-Madison Stinebaugh (*friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller*)
Vicki Williams (*daughter of Bill & Grace Green*)
Bob Woodward (*uncle of Jerry Bowen*)
Norma Young (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)

Those Who Celebrate: Brendan and Tenesha Bowen upon the baptism of their daughter, MaKenna Marie Bowen

Glenn and Joyce Lackey as they celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary on November 16.

Those Who Mourn: Tim and Sherri Brown upon the death of Sherri's brother Steve Bilyeu.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

Friend of Moms thanks you for your donations of socks, wipes, blankets and any other needs are always sincerely appreciated.

The Mary-Martha Guild will meet in room 8 at 6:30 pm. on November 14. Mary-Martha member Judy Kooi will host a showing of some special quilts that she has made. Refreshments and a short business meeting will follow.

Stamps for Missions: Over \$17,000 has been given to LWML missions by selling cancelled stamps to stamp collectors. If you are interested in this project, please pick up a sheet of guidelines as to which stamps are used. The information is on the counter in the Commons. A box for the stamps is located above the coat rack. Thank you for your interest in yet another way to give to missions.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Woman's Bible Study: On the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in Lower Level Room #8. This 12 session study by Max Lucado comes with a book and a Study Guide. Participants can read in advance of viewing the DVD followed by discussion.

"Surviving the Holidays" from GriefShare - The holiday season can be a tough time for those who are grieving the death of a family member or friend. Thoughts of social gatherings, family traditions and obligations can leave you anxious and overwhelmed. Your sadness can seem unbearable. You may wish you could skip these next two months and go straight to the routine of the next year - but you can't. What *can* you do to lessen your stress and loneliness? A special session of GriefShare titled, "Surviving the Holidays" will be offered two times: Tuesday, November 15, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m., and Thursday, November 17, from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Whether you have lost a loved one recently or if it's been years and you can still struggle with the holidays because of that, we encourage you to come to one of these special sessions. You do not need to have attended any of the previous GriefShare sessions to attend. Contact Bill Rusnak at 314-741-3737 if you need more information. Sign up at the Welcome Center for the session you'll attend.

The Epistle to the Hebrews: Join us on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm through November 16 in the lower level Room #8 for a verse by verse in depth study.

LIFE TEAM:

Parents delivering children to death, as in abortion, indicates the end of the age is near. We rejoice that God has given limits to evil, and this will not linger forever. Our neighbors cannot afford for our tongues or talents to grow idle. The Lord moves in surprise pregnancy and terminal diagnosis, turning hearts of parents and children to one another. Let us also be about this the Father's business!

We know that God cherishes life at all stages, from embryo to infant to toddler to teenager to adult to old age. Each week during 2022, the Life Team will be recognizing the birthdays of our older members at Chapel of the Cross. If we miss your birthday or if we have the wrong date, please call the church office to get our records corrected. This week, we recognize the birthdays of the following:

Carolyn Faerber - Nov 14
Paul Freund - Nov 16
Alice Holtgrewe - Nov 17

M*A*P*P GOD'S WORD

Memorize * Apply * Pray * Ponder

John 20:21 – "Then said Jesus to them again, Peace be unto you: as my Father has sent me, even so send I you."

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Coming up at Chapel

Monday, November 14

6:30 PM Mary-Martha Room 9
7:00 PM Elders meeting

Tuesday, November 15

10:00 AM Women's Bible Study
2:00 PM Grief Share

Wednesday, November 16

6:30 PM Bible Study – Hebrews
6:30 PM Children's Handbells
6:30 PM Discovery Class
7:30 PM Chapel Bells

Thursday, November 17

6:30 PM Grief Share
6:15 PM Joyful Noise
7:00 PM Choral Singers

Saturday, November 19

5:00 PM Worship service

Sunday, November 20

8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45 AM Youth & Adult Bible Study
11:00 AM Worship Service

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Luke 21:6 – "As for these things that you see, the days will come when there will not be left here one stone upon another that will not be thrown down." Everything in this world is headed for the graveyard, but some things are also destined to rise from the grave. On that Day of Resurrection – as we look back on our earthly life – what will we see? What will have really mattered? This is a good question to ask ourselves in this season of the church year that focuses on The Last Things.

HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week's attendance (11/6/2022):

- Worship: 218 and 14 visitors

Last week's offering (11/6/2022):

- General Fund: \$13,654
- Building / Capital Fund: \$1,580
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$85

YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$550,985
- Building / Capital Fund: \$44,432

YTD Need:

- General Fund: \$642,330
- Building / Capital Fund: \$78,345