



THE CHAPEL

Weekly

March 29, 2020

BIBLE STUDY

Sunday Education Hour (9:45 AM) Children & Youth

- Postponed for the next two weeks

Adult Bible Classes

- *What is Lent?*, Jim Marriott
(see www.chapelofthecross.org)

Weekday Studies

- Postponed for the next two weeks

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Pictorial Directory! We need YOU to make our directory complete! To celebrate our church family and strengthen the bond within our congregation, we welcome you to be a part of our upcoming new directory.

We are partnering with Lifetouch for this important project. Lifetouch is providing the directory at no cost to our church. Each family photographed receives a **complimentary directory** and a **free 8x10 portrait**. You can sign up for photography at the church office at 314-741-3737

Photography Dates: 9/9-9/15 2:00 – 9:00
9/12 10:00 – 5:00

Lutheran Schools Day at the Ballpark: Lutheran School Day at the ballpark has been postponed pending the MLB schedule. Tickets that have been purchased already will be valid at a future date or can be refunded. Please watch for updates. We are still hoping to celebrate our schools in this special way at a later date.

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK...

The names in bold print are new to the prayer list this weekend. The Elder of the Week will lead a time of prayer, praying for each person on the prayer list by name every Sunday at 10:45 a.m. in the Prayer Chapel. You are invited to come and join him in prayer

Those with Health Concerns:

Jan Arban
Joan Arban
Lois Boemer (*sister of Joann Steinbrueck*)
Loretta Bolar (*cousin of Alexis Cunningham*)
Tanjila Bolden
Stephanie Bollinger-Drennen (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
Sadie Bufford (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Elizabeth Cash
Doris Coffeit (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
Sharon Cox (*sister of Alexis Cunningham*)
Luxora Crawford (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Kimberly Rice Cunningham (*wife of Robert Cunningham*)
Barbara Davis (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Kathy Doherty (*friend of Fred Schroeder*)
John Edgar (*brother-in-law of Kathy Glenn*)
Linda Edgington
Cheryl Ehmke
Lloyd Flint (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Ann Frederick (*aunt of Jerri Bolden*)
Legend Freeman (*God grandson of Alexis Cunningham*)
Kevin Gibbs (*Gloria Uttley's nephew*)
Sara Gibbs (*Gloria Uttley's neice*)
Susanna Gregory (*daughter of Gale Damm*)
Audrey Helsley (*mother of Cathy Crosier*)
LaFrances Henry (*relative of Alexis Cunningham*)
Barbara Kelly (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Frank Lehner
Makenzie Lenox (*great-niece of Cindy Vogelsang*)

Alan Londe (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
Bella Matakas (*niece of Ken Gerler*)
Carson McNeal (*relative of Alexis Cunningham*)
Meghan Manilla (*grand-daughter of Audrey Luedtke*)
Elsie Meyer
Patricia Hayes Mitchell (*sister-in-law of Robert Cunningham*)
Darold Pendleton (*nephew of Georgia Thomas*)
Michael Miguel Pohl (*friend of Rosilyn Cunningham Smith*)
Brad Segal (*grandson of Donna Stewart*)
Wandra Seward
Charlene Shanklin (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Geri Sitler
Jean Thomas
Ted Vogel
Joyce Weidner
Annette Williams (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)

Those Receiving Treatment for Cancer:

Lisa Capehart (*niece of Art Williams*)
Tracey Cottrell (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Mike Datillo (*uncle of Jayme Zvirgzdins*)
Mike Dunn (*uncle of Rick Christian*)
Christy Elfrink (*friend of Mark Petersen*)
Stephen Endsley (*father of Marcy Oliver*)
Betty Endsley (*mother of Marcy Oliver*)
Diane Goetz-Jordan (*step-daughter of Keith Wetzel*)
Agnes Gray (*friend of Jerri Bolden*)
Eddie Hester (*friend of Jay Zvirgzdins*)

Tom Hetrick (*nephew of Audrey Luedtke*)
Denise Hildebrand
Don Kane (*father of Sheri Briley*)
Lyn Lodholz (*daughter of Bill and Annette Rueckert*)
Sherri Mansfield (*friend of Steve and Julie Seibert*)
Mary Moeller (*cousin of Audrey Luedtke*)
Bud Nestor (*friend of the Steinbruecks*)
Marc Openlander (*grandson of Art Williams*)
Martin Rodgers (*cousin of Jerri Bolden*)
Ellen Saville (*friend of Keith Neuber*)
Nick Schmitt (*husband of Rosilyn Cunningham-Schmitt*)
Debra Schoolcraft (*sister of Kathy Glenn*)
Lincoln Scott (*relative of Alexis Cunningham*)
John Seward
Arrión Soll (*friend of Jerri Bolden*)
Richard Steinbrueck (*brother of Leon Steinbrueck*)
Lisa Steinbrueck (*daughter-in-law of the Steinbruecks*)
Joan Wolf (*relative of Alexis Cunningham*)
Bob Woodward (*uncle of Jerry Bowen*)

Those who Mourn:

Family and loved ones of **Marilyn Rau** who died in the Lord March 9.

Family and loved ones of **Ray Bruder** who died in the Lord January 7.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

Support Eric and Linda Funke and family as they have moved back to the U.S. in March. It is recommended that when missionaries return, they take time to intentionally process their experiences as they begin to adjust to life in the U.S. The program they will be a part of costs \$3000. We at Chapel understand the need for this and want to support them in this. If you would like to support them, make checks payable to Chapel of the Cross and write in the memo line: "Funke Re-entry Program." You may put it in the offering plate or bring it to the church office. Thank you for your support.

FAMILY MINISTRY

Confirmation Students: Please continue your confirmation lessons on-line. If you have any questions you can call or email Mr. Rusnak.

LIFE TEAM

Life Thought: Life issues like surprise pregnancy and terminal diagnosis cast long shadows. Sometimes our mortal eyes only behold despair and death in such circumstances. But our Lord Jesus loves nothing more than lost causes (Ezekiel 37:5-6). He walks hope into the darkest valley, and where our resolve ends, His resurrection begins. Trusting His presence and promise and power takes hold of a life not even crisis or cancer can touch (John 11:25).

M*A*P*P GOD'S WORD

Memorize * Apply * Pray * Ponder

For seven weeks we will focus on most of Psalm 51:1-17. This powerful Psalm for Lent and Easter point out who we are as sinners, how God works to forgive us, and our response to His grace

Monday-Tuesday: Psalm 51:10 "Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."

Wednesday-Thursday : Psalm 51:11-12 "Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. ¹² Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me."

Friday-Saturday: Combine the two previous passages

COMING UP AT CHAPEL

All worship services and activities have been cancelled for the next two weeks

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Hebrews 9:12 – "He entered once for all into the holy places, not by means of the blood of goats and calves but means of his own blood, thus securing an eternal redemption." The only price that could redeem us was the very Blood of the Christ. This is the only sacrifice of true worth. His sacrificial giving sets the pattern for our life. For how can we, who are redeemed by the self-giving of God, not also give of ourselves to His Kingdom?

HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week's attendance (3/22/2020):

- Worship:
- Adult Education Hour:
- Students & Adults and Senior High:

Last week's offering (3/22/2020):

- General Fund: \$6010
- Building / Capital Fund: \$525
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions:

YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$123,967
- Building / Capital Fund: \$12,776

YTD Need:

- General Fund: \$171,288
- Building / Capital Fund: \$20,892

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