



CHAPEL OF
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Living in faith, hope, and love

THE CHAPEL

Weekly

April 5, 2020

BIBLE STUDY

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

- Posted weekly on-line
(see www.chapelofthecross.org)

Adult Bible Classes

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

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 by calling the church office at 314-741-3737

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

Simply Giving Electronic Giving: Chapel of the Cross offers the convenience of electronic giving. Direct Debt Giving is used to automatically transfer funds from your checking or savings account to the church's bank account. It is convenient for Chapel's members and provides donation consistency for our congregation. Authorization forms and additional information are available at the Welcome Center or from the church office. Call the church office if you have any questions.

Prayer Chain: If you have a prayer concern or request, please call Alice Holtgrewe (314)741-3125.

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
Peggy Miller
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 Sittler
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*)
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: The family and loved ones of **Alan Mader** who died in the Lord on March 29.

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: Not the form of a superhero. Not a sultan or celebrity. Not pretty, popular, or prosperous. God showed Himself to the world in the form of a servant (Philippians 2:6-7). He gave Himself as peasant, dependent, and embryo to begin with. He selected humble, gentle, fragile, mortal. This makes human life of every age, appearance, and ability precious-elderly, unborn, and the least of these too!

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 51:13 Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will turn back to you.

Wednesday-Thursday : Psalm 51:14 Save me from bloodguilt, O God, the God who saves me, and my tongue will sing of your righteousness.

Friday-Saturday: Combine the two previous passages

COMING UP AT CHAPEL

All worship services have been moved on-line. All scheduled activities have been postponed. Check www.chapelofthecross.org for links to worship services and updates on rescheduled events.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Matthew 21:3 – “if anyone says anything to you, you shall say, ‘The Lord need them,’ and he will send them at once.” Did Jesus really *need* the donkey? If the man had refused to give the donkey, would the work of salvation have been derailed? Of course not. But what an honor for the man who owned this donkey and foal! Likewise, the Lord needs none of us, but what an honor for God to choose to use our generosity in the work of His Church.

HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week's offering (3/29/2020):

- General Fund: \$11,031
- Building / Capital Fund: \$905
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$25
- 1-1-1 total for March: \$308

YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$134,999
- Building / Capital Fund: \$13,681

YTD Need:

- General Fund: \$185,562
- Building / Capital Fund: 22,633

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