



## BIBLE STUDY

### Sunday 9:45 am Bible classes:

#### Lower Level

Weekly Readings 9:45 am Room #9  
Children's Sunday School Room #2 & #4  
Senior High Youth Room  
Youth Confirmation Room #8

#### Upper Level

Luther's Large Catechism Room A,

### Wednesday 6:30 pm

Hebrews Room #8.

Through May.

Printed Lesson Copies are at the  
Welcome Center

## Announcements

**Summer Evening Prayer:** Please join us for Holden Evening Prayers services this summer in the small chapel. Services will be held at 6:00 p.m. on the first and third Wednesdays of June, July, and August. Please mark your calendars to attend these brief, but special services! **June 21; July 5 & 19; and August 2 & 16**

**LAMP Mission Trip:** Would you like to fuel the LAMP Mission Teams by providing food items for the teams to use during their time leading Bible School in Northern Canada? We are sending 12 people in two teams to lead Bible School in two communities July 19-31, 2023. We are able to keep costs down by bringing our own food for meals through this time. You can help us by picking up a few extra items at ALDI or WAL MART in the next couple of weeks. See the display in the Welcome Center. Joy in Jesus! Michael Kehe

**LAMP Fundraiser:** Thank you for supporting our LAMP ministry teams as they prepare to travel to northern Manitoba, Canada. The TJs pizza, pie, and cookie dough orders will be available to pick up on Friday, June 30 or Sunday July 2. Thanks to Thrivent for sponsoring this event!

**God's Living Water Vacation Bible School:** All children ages 4-11 are invited to God's Living Water Vacation Bible School! VBS will be held Sunday, June 25 through Thursday, June 29 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Chapel of the Cross, Blessed Savior, and Grace Chapel are partnering to make this VBS triple the fun! VBS will be held on the Grace Chapel campus: 10015 Lance Drive St. Louis, MO 63137. Register in person at Chapel or online at [vbsmate.com/BlessedChapelGrace](http://vbsmate.com/BlessedChapelGrace). Volunteers and donations are also needed and appreciated! Sign up and register at the Welcome Center!

**The Helping Hands Food Pantry** needs canned tuna and cereal as our numbers are increasing. We are no longer taking egg cartons or plastic bags. Thank you for your continued prayers and support. Diane Timm.

**The flowers** on the altar are in celebration of Lois Hoffman's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday on June 17<sup>th</sup> from Christi and Kenneth Leesmann.

**Thank You** to everyone for your cards, thoughts and prayers during my recent surgery and hospitalization. I am grateful for you all! Julie Seibert

## In Our Prayers this week...

### Those with Health Concerns:

Jan Arban  
**Joan Arban**  
Willie Ball (friend of Alderay Fields)  
Tracy Ball (friend of Alderay Fields)  
Vivian Berry  
Loretta Bolar (cousin of Alexis Cunningham)  
Tanjila Bolden  
Mardell Brown (friend of Georgia Thomas)  
Sharon Casey (friend of Julie Griffith)  
Ivy Rose Clark (relative of Alexis Cunningham)  
Ortez Crawford  
Kim Cunningham (daughter-in-law to Alexis Cunningham)  
Donna Dansberry (sister of Alexis Cunningham)  
Linda Edgington  
Kymm Fehrs  
Alderay Fields  
David Funke  
John Gasner (cousin of Gloria Uttley)  
Bill Green  
Susanna Gregory (daughter of Gale Damm)  
Carolyn Hanneman  
Rita Hayes (sister of Jim Crosier)  
Darryal Hughes (cousin of Alderay Fields)  
Angela Jones (friend of Georgia Thomas)  
Althea Jackson (sister-in-law to Vernida Summers)

LaVoe Jackson (friend of Vernida Summers)  
Jordan Jones (friend of Ervin Wilson)  
Paul Kelly (father of Rosalyn Cunningham Schmitt)  
Jamie Kirkpatrick (grandson of Audrey Luedtke)  
Marilyn Koester (Diane Timm's cousin)  
Joyce Lackey  
**Manfred Loesch**  
Bella Matakas (niece of Ken Gerler)  
Elsie Meyer  
Katy Moran (friend of Jon Rogers)  
**Jewel O'Neil** (friend of Alexis Cunningham)  
Leona Pellegrino (god-daughter of Alexis Cunningham)  
Darold Pendleton (nephew of Georgia Thomas)  
Karen Rae (relative of Maire Trelz)  
Tara Reimann (granddaughter of Audrey Luedtke)  
Henry Scott (friend of Georgia Thomas)  
Bud Shultz  
Gail Shultz  
Rosilyn Smith (friend of Alexis Cunningham)  
Agnes Soll (friend of Jerri Bolden)  
Johnnie Spears  
Dale Ternaprovich (brother of Joyce Lackey)  
Jean Thomas  
Charles Ward (friend of Alexis Cunningham)  
Lionel Ward (friend of Alexis Cunningham)  
Hsea Wells (friend of Alexis Cunningham)

### Those Receiving Treatment for Cancer:

Tammy Bushman (daughter of Mike and Jean Mueller)  
Lisa Capehart (niece of Art Williams)  
Mike Datillo (uncle of Jayme Zvirgzdins)  
Janet Dickhudt (friend of the Luedtke family)  
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)  
Bianca Jackson (friend of Vernida Summers)  
Stan Jones (cousin of Marilyn Miller)  
Bob Krauter  
Tom Krauter, Jr. (son of Tom Krauter)  
Ken Leesman (husband of Christy Leesman)  
Cheryl Linton (sister-in-law of Joseph Miano)  
Mary Jo Loberg  
Gary Mantei  
**Amy Marler** (friend of Caroline Moss)  
Mary Oberman (friend of Lisa Hager)  
Marc Openlander (grandson of Art Williams)  
Rick (friend of Jon Rogers)  
Martin Rodgers (cousin of Jerri Bolden)  
Ellen Saville (friend of Keith Neuber)  
Arrion Soll (friend of Jerri Bolden)  
Candy Summers (friend of Jayme Zvirgzdins)  
Bob Woodward (uncle of Jerry Bowen)  
Norma Young (friend of Alexis Cunningham)

**For Those Who Mourn:** The family and loved ones of **Denise Hildebrand** who died in the Lord this week.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

**Sunday Fellowship Donuts:** We have resumed our order and need people to join our **Donut Delivery Crew!** Old Town Donuts 510 N New Florissant Road Florissant, MO 63031 Sunday 8:00 am. Sign-up at the Welcome Center.

## MUSIC

**Summer Choir:** Chapel will once again be offering a special choir during the summer months. We will begin practices on **June 8**, and will rehearse through the end of July (we sing through the end of August). Rehearsals will be each Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the choir room located on the lower level. Please sign up at the welcome center or contact Ryan Meyer if you are interested in joining us!

## SUMMER CAMP

**12:00 Friday Features:** Members and friends to lead a 45-minute session each Friday afternoon on a topic or area of interest and skill of the leader's choice. Potential Feature ideas could range from the sciences, line, hip hop, and square dance, story time, music, sports drills and games, needlepoint, to sock puppets, crafts like making bug catchers, and bird feeders, to mosaic tiles, and the arts! Also, we are hoping to have an aerial drone photograph of our campers on one date. Please consider how you might bless our kids on one or more of our ten Fridays! See Kathy Glenn, our Friday Features coordinator, for more information.

**3:30 - Snack Leaders:** Members and friends are invited to lead a 30-minute snack session each afternoon for approximately 36 people. Snacks can range from pretzels, chips, Graham crackers, and popcorn, to cookies and rice crispy squares. Please consider how you might bless our kids on one or more of our camp days from May 30 to August 4! Perhaps consider your recurring help such as every Wednesday, etc. Please see Kathy Glenn, our snack coordinator for more information. Our camp is a nut-free zone.

**Thrivent Members:** Summer Camp is looking for more Thrivent Action Team gift cards for specific areas. If you are willing to help in this way speak with Bill Rusnak.

## LIFE TEAM

Godly fatherhood involves protecting the vulnerable like a shepherd guards his sheep. This makes abortion more than a personal matter or a women's issue. Compassion for the weak in both words and works is God's concern, a Gospel affair, and a Christian issue. Since the Lord has spoken it, we need not hesitate to do it.

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 2023, 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:

Mel Neustadt – June 21  
Gene Weidner – June 21  
Paul Brameier – June 22  
Kenneth Schulte – June 22  
Sharon Crecelius – June 23  
Norman Mattmuller – June 24  
Doris Bachmann – June 27

## Coming up at Chapel

### Wednesday, June 21

6:00 PM Holden Prayer Service

### Thursday, June 22

7:00 PM Summer Choir

### Saturday, June 24

5:00 PM Worship Service

### Sunday, June 25

8:30 AM Worship Service

9:45 AM Youth & Adult Bible Study

11:00 AM Worship Service

## STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

**Romans 5:8 – “But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”** God did not wait for mankind to make the first move. He did not wait for Adam and Eve to come looking for Him – He went and found them. And while we were still sinners, still enemies of God, still set against Him, God looked on us with kindness and generosity, and so loved us that He sent His Son Jesus to suffer, die and rise for us. We now seek to grow up into His image as loving, generous and kind sons and daughters of our Heavenly Father.

## HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week's attendance (6/11/2023):

- Worship 175 and 13 visitors

Last week's offering (6/11/2023):

- General Fund: \$18,841
- Building / Capital Fund: \$675
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$44

YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$297,692
- Building / Capital Fund: \$24,101

YTD Need:

- General Fund: \$342,576
- Building / Capital Fund: \$41,784

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