

BIBLE STUDY

Bible class for adults:

Sundays at 9:45 am Room #9 Lower level Tree of Life: God's Promise of Salvation

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm Discovery Class

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm Holden Evening Prayer Services July 6, 20, August 3,17

Sunday school for children:

Sundays at 9:45 am in the lower level

Announcements

Church Directories have arrived! Pick up your copy at the Welcome Center.

Day3 Seed Trip: Mike Mueller has proposed that a group might depart via bus on a Friday at about noon, spend the night at a Drury Inn or Pear Tree in Miner (which is next to Sikeston, right off I-55), and go to dinner Friday evening at Lambert's Café, home of the throwed rolls and voted perhaps the most glutinous restaurants in America....tons of food served! Then Saturday morning, go over to DS3 for a visit and a walk about the campus, seeing some interesting gardening efforts, and perhaps a visit with Pastor Raymond or missionary Dave Crites from Guatemala. Lunch will be provided. Attendees would then get back to Chapel in time for Saturday evening services. If you are interested, please sign the list in the Commons on or before Sunday, July 10, 2022. See Bill Rusnak if you have any questions.

Helping Hands Food Pantry: We have seen an increase in families using the Food Pantry in last month and are running low on the following items; Mac n Cheese, green beans, canned fruit (not individual fruit cups). Thank you for your support!

Evening Prayer: Please join us for Holden Evening Prayer services the first and third Wednesdays throughout the summer month (July 20, August 3 & 17). Join us for fellowship and snacks following each prayer service in the Commons. We will worship at 6:30 p.m. in the small chapel. Mark your calendars to attend!

Lutheran Federal Credit Union: Did you know that there is a credit union for Lutherans? Lutheran Federal Credit Union exists solely to serve the individuals and ministries of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. LFCU offers a complete range of financial products and services at competitive rates and also supports LCMS ministries. Pick up a brochure at the Welcome Center or check out their website at www.LutheranFCU.org.

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In Our Prayers this week...

Those with Health Concerns:

Jan Arban

Joan Arban Coralyn Bartok (great-granddaughter of Audrey Luedtke)

Craig Bilburg (co-worker of John Jordan) Steve Bilyeu (brother of Sherri Brown) Loretta Bolar (cousin of Alexis Cunningham) Tanjila Bolden Sheri Briley Gena Burroughs Mardell Brown (friend of Georgia Thomas) Elizabeth Cash Ivy Rose Clark (relative of Alexis Cunningham) Kim Cunningham (daughter-in-law to Alexis Cunningham)

Robert Cunningham

Donna Dansberry (sister of Alexis Cunningham) Bea Daugherty

Linda Edgington

Kymm Fehrs

Roland Fischer (*friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller*) Brene Freeman (relative of Alexis Cunningham) Charlene Fritsche (niece of Carolyn Manno) Pastor Ellory Glenn Lisa Grady

Susanna Gregory (daughter of Gale Damm) Carolyn Hanneman

Dan Heckel Carole Hetrick (niece of Audrey Luedtke) Alli Jaggie

(wife of Christian Jaggi) Angela Jones (friend of Georgia Thomas) Jimmie Jordan (brother of John Jordan) Linda Keeney (friend of Nancy Swoboda) Marilyn Koester (relative of Diane Timm).

Judy Kreider (friend of Audrey Luedtke) Jovce Lackey Makenzie Lenox (great-niece of Cindy Vogelsang)

Richard Mason (relative of Audrey Luedtke) Bella Matakas (niece of Ken Gerler) Elsie Meyer Katy Moran (friend of Jon Rogers) Bessie Mosley 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) Hannah Seibert (niece of Steve and Julie Seibert) Johnnie Spears Dale Ternaprovich (brother of Joyce Lackey) Jean Thomas Ola's Ugobo (friend of Robert Cunningham) Lionel Ward (friend of Alexis Cunningham) Hsea Wells (friend of Alexis Cunningham) Debbie Welz

Carol Whiteaker (cousin of Mark Petersen) Art Williams

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) Ed Kamphoefner (brother of Kathy Mueller) Tom Krauter, Jr, (son of Tom Krauter) Mary Oberman (friend of Lisa Hager) Marc Openlander (grandson of Art Williams) Martin Rodgers (cousin of Jerri Bolden) Ellen Saville (friend of Keith Neuber) Arrion Soll (friend of Jerri Bolden) Marilyn-Madison Stinebaugh (friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller) Chris Turmenstein (friend of Glenn and Joyce Lackey) Gwen Webb (friend of Mike and Jean Mueller) Bob Woodward (uncle of Jerry Bowen) Norma Young (friend of Alexis Cunningham)

Judy Christian (Rick and Lynda Christian's sister-in-

Lisa Capehart (niece of Art Williams)

Jane Curran (friend of Karen Schaeffer)

Those Receiving Treatment for Cancer: Tammy Bushman (daughter of Mike and Jean

Mueller)

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

Summer Choir: Summer Choir has begun rehearsing! We would love to welcome new faces and new voices – anyone is welcome to join us! Rehearsals are on Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m. in the music room through the end of July. (We will sing through the end of August). Please sign up at the welcome center if you are interested in joining us, or contact Ryan Meyer for more information. Hope to see you there!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Tree of Life: This summer we will spend 10 weeks studying together in Bible class, Sunday school, and in worship in a series called *The Tree of Life: God's Promise of Salvation*. In those ten weeks we will examine God's plan of salvation as it unfolds throughout Scripture and is fulfilled in the life, ministry, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Join us as we worship and study and ponder God's story of salvation.

GriefShare is national faith-based organization that forms grief support groups for those who have lost ones to death to help them in the healing process. Chapel of the Cross is once again offering GriefShare two times, **Tuesdays from 2:00-4:00 p.m., and Thursday from 6:30-8:30 p.m., starting August 9 and 11.** If you have lost a loved one, we hope you will consider exploring the hope and healing that GriefShare has offered to so many others. If you know of someone in a grief situation, tell them about this. It doesn't matter how long ago the loss has been. Contact Bill Rusnak at Chapel of the Cross (314-741-3737) for more information or to register.

LIFE TEAM:

Leviticus 19:15 expresses our Lord's compassion for every human life: "You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great." He has delivered us each from domains of darkness with a grace that receives and preserves no matter what ages, appearances, or abilities. We get to extend the same joy and hope to anyone the culture labels "half-dead"- from the embryo to the elderly!

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:

Judith Benton - Jul 11 Joan Mattmuller - Jul 11 Alan Fruend - Jul 12 Karen Scheffel - Jul 13 Alberta Offutt - Jul 15 Richard Gronemeyer - Jul 16

M*A*P*P GOD'S WORD

Memorize * Apply * Pray * Ponder

Mark 11:24 - "Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours."

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Coming up at Chapel

Thursday, July 14 7:00 PM Summer Choir

Saturday, July 16 5:00 PM Worship service

Sunday, July 17

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

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Luke 10-25b – "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" There is nothing right about this question. What shall I do to inherit? What can you do to inherit the throne of England? You can't do anything to gain it. An inheritance comes by family ties, not deeds. Our deeds follow and result from our family ties. The Father calls us His own children. So we inherit eternal life by grace, and seek to live our new calling as the Father's children with our good works.

HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week's attendance (7/3/2021):

Worship: 194 and 7 visitors

Last week's offering (7/3/2021):

- General Fund: \$11,950
- Building / Capital Fund: \$1545
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$121

YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$338,133
- Building / Capital Fund: \$22,744
- YTD Need:
- General Fund: \$385,398
- Building / Capital Fund: \$47,007