# **BIBLE STUDY**

# Announcements

#### 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

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

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 (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.

The flowers on the altar and the Radio broadcast are being sponsored by Arnie and Gerry Renken as they celebrate their 68th wedding anniversary on July 25.

Cancer:

### In Our Prayers this week...

#### Those with Health Concerns:

Jan Arban

Joan Arban

Coralyn Bartok (great-granddaughter of Audrey

Craig Bilburg (co-worker of John Jordan) Steve Bilyeu (brother of Sherri Brown) Loretta Bolar (cousin of Alexis Cunningham)

Tanjila Bolden Doris Boyd

Sheri Brilev

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

Cheryl Ehmke

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Roland Fischer (friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller) Brene Freeman (relative of Alexis Cunningham)

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)

Jade Jett (Summer Camp counselor)

Angela Jones (friend of Georgia Thomas) Jordan Jones (friend of Ervin Wilson) 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)

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

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) Johnnie Spears Dale Ternaprovich (brother of Joyce Lackey)

# Those Who Celebrate:

Arnie and Gerry Renken as they celebrate their 68th wedding anniversary.

Tammy Bushman *(daughter of Mike and Jean* Mueller) Lisa Capehart (niece of Art Williams)

**Those Receiving Treatment for** 

Judy Christian (Rick and Lynda Christian's sister-inlaw)

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) 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)

### ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

#### **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:**

Even surprise pregnancies involve a father. More than 60% of women who undergo abortion report pressure to do so from a man in their life. Jesus extends instead the joy of God himself in a fatherhood that finds beautiful and blessed fulfillment by protecting and providing for the child. The sanctity of life isn't a women's issue – it's a Gospel gift!

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:

Fred Pfleinger – July 30 Jack Plack – July 30

## M\*A\*P\*P GOD'S WORD

Memorize \* Apply \* Pray \* Ponder

**Luke 2:14 -** "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

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## Coming up at Chapel

Monday, July 25 7:00 PM Board of Directors

Tuesday, July 26 6:30 PM Auxiliary Police meeting

Thursday, July 28 7:00 PM Summer Choir

Saturday, July 30 5:00 PM Worship service

Sunday, July 31 8:30 AM Worship Service 9:45 AM Youth & Adult Bible Study 11:00 AM Worship Service

#### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Luke 11:11 – "What father among you, if his son asks for a fish, will instead of a fish give him a serpent?" A generous, giving spirit comes from knowing that you have a generous, giving Father. He will care for our needs. We are therefore free to reflect His generosity in our lives. We can be generous in raising our children, supporting the Church, and serving our neighbor in the community. In these three areas – home, Church, and society – the Lord has called us to show His grace and generosity to those around us.

# HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week's attendance (7/17/2021):

Worship: 160 and 18 visitors

Last week's offering (7/17/2021):

- General Fund: \$18,711
- Building / Capital Fund: \$665
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$61

### YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$368,672
- Building / Capital Fund: \$24,309

### YTD Need:

- General Fund: \$413,946
- Building / Capital Fund: \$50,489