

NEWS AND NOTES

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Pastor: The Rev. Terry L. DeGiovanni (785 396 4411)

Organists: Pam Steinmeyer and Gloria Falk

Chairman: Bruce Abitz Vice Chairman: Alan Fischer

Elders: Tom Kasten and Martin Henneberg

Altar Duty April: Ireta Schwant

April 13 and 14, 2024

Attendance: Saturday, April 6: 9 Sunday: April 7: 33

THEME OF THE WEEK: He is Risen to be the Shepherd of the Church God in Christ is our Good Shepherd. He makes sure we are fed and watered. But the way He does this is chiefly through His Word. He speaks, and with this speaking, gives us the true bread from heaven and the true and living water. Through this speaking He guards us against the wolves and lions. Through this speaking He raises us from death to life. And through this speaking He brings us into life immortal. This is how our Shepherd cares for us, how He acts as our Good Shepherd.

We continue to pray for those unable to worship with us who are residing in a care facility:

Onaga Health and Rehab: Reneta Fischer, Cynthia Althouse

Eastridge (Centralia): Janice Loughmiller and Gary Kolterman

Remembering in our prayers: Otto Zillman, Cynthia Althouse, Joe Harder, Kevin Haefner, Delbert Kufahl, Mary Kay Jeanneret, George Jeanneret, Thomas McKinsey and Francee Kasten

Sunday School and Staff April Birthdays: Emma Rose Leonard, Kamryn Thorson, Harley Leonard

Hazel Ubel, Jaime Schlegel, Holdon Stout High School: Rachel Leonard, Addison DeChant,

Wyatt Figge Staff: Brenda Schlegel

Sunday School Staff this year 2024 Linda Falk and Ireta Schwant, Co-Supts.

Nursery, Kindergarten and Grade 1: Jenny Donnelly and Cindy Pedersen

Grades 2,3,4,5: Joy Zabel, Tracy Meyerkorth and Bailey Starns

Grades 6, 7, 8: Brenda Schlegel and Dixie Revell

As of March 10: 20 Sundays: Rayna Meyerkorth and Clancy Revell

March 17: 5 Sundays: Luke Wren 20 Sundays: Ellie Starns and 35 Sundays: Hazel Ubel

March 24: 20 Sundays: August Falk and Kody Krohn

As of March 31: 5 Sundays: Donn and William Spevacek 25 Sundays: Rory Starns

As of April 7: 20 Sundays Remington and Westin Donnelly 25 Sundays: Zoey Starns

April 14 – Easter III – With St. Peter and the Pentecost Apostles, we confess Jesus Christ alone as “Author of life” (Acts 3:15). This means no one else has right or responsibility to decide what kind of life a neighbor may have or when any human life ought to end. Rather, we rejoice to repeat the message of repentance and forgiveness (Luke 24:47) for every sinner and every sin – abortion and assisted suicide included.

Note from Karen Harder, church treasurer: March Operating Income: \$8,361.43
March Operating Expenses: \$7,496.42 March Operating Net Cash Flow: \$865.01

Wheaton Senior Citizens will meet on Monday, **April 15, 2024**, at the Wheaton Center at 6:30 p.m., for a potluck meal, business meeting and a game of Pitch. Everyone welcome to attend.

Today: Voters’ Meeting Sunday, April 14th after worship.

The LWML met on Saturday April 6, in Duluth for the Zone Meeting. Those who attended from Wheaton were Jan Kufahl, Susan Magnett, Ruth Kasten, Ireta Schwant, Linda Falk and Pastor Terry. We had an enjoyable program about the Petal Pushers at the Rose Bowl Parade. Rev. Grimm and his wife Gayle showed film and photo albums and told us all about their experiences helping construct the floats they were assigned to help build.

LWML will meet on Wednesday, April 24 at 2:00 p.m., in the church basement. Susan Figge will be hostess. Opening Devotions and Closing: Betty Koch Roll Call: Ice Breaker game

Pastor Terry will be at Trinity, McFarland on Thursdays.
If needed, please call his cell # 412 334 4280 or Trinity church office at 785 766 3755

Church Cleaning Schedule

April 20 and 21: Woody Henneberg, William and Martin Henneberg

April 27 and 28: Gary Krohn and Jason Krohn

May 4 and 5: Lynn Krohn and Mark Krohn

The Lutheran Hour WIBW 580 a.m. at 7:30 a.m., Sunday Morning
“Bringing Christ to The Nations”

April 14 "Breathe In, Breathe Out" Guest Speaker: [Rev. Dr. Leopoldo Sanchez](#)

The Holy Spirit breathes life into the Church and the Church breathes that life out to the world, with the love of Christ. (Acts 2:42-47)

April 21 "More Than He Bargained For" Lutheran Hour Speaker: [Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler](#)

Whatever we ask of Jesus is probably too small, because Jesus provides more than what we expect. (Acts 3:6)

April 28 "We Can't Stop Talking" Lutheran Hour Speaker: [Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler](#)

Jesus calls His followers to undergo transformation, endure opposition, and engage others in conversation. (Acts 4:20)