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**June 5, 2022 – 8:00 & 10:30 am Pentecost** Holy Communion

 Elder Jim Howard (8), Mark Roller (10:30)

 Video Room Tim & Kathy Pullen

 Count Committee Tim Pullen, Keith Stork, Mark Roller

 Acolyte Bailey Bell (8), Shaymarei Smith (10:30)

 Food Pantry Item Jelly

**June 12, 2022 – 8:00 & 10:30 am Trinity Sunday**

 Elder Dick Bartow (8), Jim Peacock (10:30)

 Video Room Jana Mager, Kathy Pullen

 Count Committee Angela George, Mary Ann Borchert, Bill Borchert

 Acolyte Addyson Jones (8), Teyla Bent (10:30)

 Food Pantry Item Laundry pods/dryer sheets

**June 19, 2022 – 8:00 & 10:30 am Second Sunday after Pentecost** Holy Communion

 Elders David Theilen (8), Todd Hildreth (10:30)

 Video Room Jim & Natalie Peacock

 Count Committee Mark Heard, Cindy Krause, Doug Mueller

 Acolyte Myah Robinson (8), Chloe Bell

 Food Pantry Item Ketchup/mustard

**June 26, 2022 - 8:00 & 10:30 am Third Sunday after Pentecost**

 Elders Jim Howard (8), Terry Brantner (10:30)

 Video Room Jana Mager, Kathy Pullen

 Count Committee Jim Peacock, Jana Mager, Krista Stephens

 Acolyte Caroline Linderman (8), Makenzie Baldwin (10:30)

 Food Pantry Item disposable salt/pepper shakers

**Thank you …**

I wanted to thank each of you for your participation in last week’s Harry's Hay Days events. It was a great day to see the many families lining the streets and adored the many available endeavors. It was encouraging to see the many smiles on children faces as there enjoyed the activities. Your participation was greatly appreciated and instrumental in making the Harry's Hay Days events successful. Regards, Leonard Jones, Mayor, City of Grandview

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**Amelia Roller Raymore-Peculiar High School**

**Marley Hock Lee’s Summit High School**

"Thank you so much to (the Midweek team) involved in making Midweek possible online.  I can't tell you how much it means to us and how much the girls have enjoyed participating. ...We will miss you all over the summer!  Thank you for all you do to bring Jesus to our house!" Stacy C from Wisconsin, one of our Midweek parents

**MIDWEEK 2022/23 was a huge success, and we give God all the glory.** We are looking ahead to our fall classes and could use one more team member to teach the online class. FAIR WARNING: Once you join our Midweek team, you'll never want to leave. If you're interesting in volunteering or finding out more, please visit with Liz Wheeler, Lizronw@aol.com or 816/447-7520.

A NEW PASTOR - Every minister likes to be called "a new pastor."  Especially those of us who have been pastors for many years.  It is both refreshing and challenging to begin time with a "new" church family, and I look forward to the time God gives us together.  While making new relationships, it is important to remember that we all still have the same "old" Good Shepherd, our Lord Jesus Christ, who has been and always will be the shepherd of the sheep, who has laid down his life so that we can enjoy an eternal relationship with him and one another.  -  *Pastor Bart Mueller*

We always have need of plastic Wal-mart type bags for our backsnak program. Any left over are given to HT members Mary Ann Cox and Margaret Gregory who loop them together to create "plarn," plastic yarn used to weave into mats for the homeless. **Plastic envelopes** that Amazon uses to mail smaller items are used to insulate the plarn. If you have some of those, cross our personal information and bring them in. We also learned of a ministry that needs **Chipotle-style brown bags with handles.** We'll pass those along, too. You can leave any of this by the Giving Tree. We'll find it! *May delivery: 14 balls of plarn and too many plastic envelopes to count! THANK YOU.*

**Help needed: Quick task to let them in and out!**

There’s a wonderful Christian service opportunity. The youth group from Christ Church in Otsego, MN has been approved to use our FLC for an overnight stay on Friday, July 1st. We need 2 volunteers (preferably male and female) to let them in the FLC, give a brief tour, and then see them out in the morning. They expect to arrive around 9 pm on Friday evening. There’s no need to stay with them in the evening. If you’re willing, please contact Mark Roller (816-547-8828 or mark.j.roller@gmail.com).

**SUMMER IS BACK AND SO ARE KC BIER FELLOWSHIP NIGHTS**! 5 p.m. Sunday, June 26, at KC Bier, 310 W. 79th St., KCMO. Two tables are reserved. All Dutch treat. If it's nice weather, look for us outside! JUNE *HOSTS: Ron & Liz Wheeler.* We'd love to do this monthly and are looking for July hosts. Volunteer hosts just promise to be there ... maybe a little early ... and greet people. Talk to Liz; she'll set it up. for you.

**GROCERY BARGAINS!** We hand out kid-friendly food to our friends attending Grace Day -- so important as costs have gone up! You can help out by joining the EMAIL LIST: "GRACE DAY GROCERIES." It works just like our "BARGAINS FOR BACKPACKS," which runs during the school year. Each Wednesday, when grocery ads are published, volunteers are alerted via email about a bargain that we could use. If possible, these volunteers donate the item to be distributed during Grace Day. Joining the email list does NOT commit you to purchasing a bargain. Emails are not sent every week, only when there are great bargains. Get on the email list by emailing Liz Wheeler at Lizronw@aol.com. You can track our progress with the food tally posted on the main bulletin board. Thanks to a Thrivent Action Team and some great bargain shopping, we have an amazing start! To God be the glory.

**THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS are a great way to fund ministry**and to offset costs to the church budget. If you hold a Thrivent policy, you might have one to use. Use of it in NO WAY affects your policy or value with Thrivent. Here are some ideas -- add your own!

\*GRACE DAY. To buy items to GIVE AWAY to our guests at this back-to-school celebration.

\*LUMA/GRANDVIEW ASSISTANCE PROGRAM food pantries. To buy food to stock the shelves. Direct positive impact on any organization YOU CHOOSE. These are just two examples.

\*OUR REDEEMER DINNERS. To buy supplies to serve at dinners at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in the urban core. Holy Trinity youth group is schedule to serve in September. Direct positive impact on youth budget.

To find out more information, visit with the leader of each activity or visit with Liz Wheeler, 816/447-7520 or Lizronw@aol.com. She's happy to walk you through the application process. It's easy. Just ask anyone!

**SUNDAY SCHOOL SUBSTITUTE TEACHER NEEDED** - We need one or two helpers to teach the Pre-K through 3rd grade Sunday School classes on June 19th. During the summer, we combine these classes together into one group.  If you've thought about teaching Sunday School, this would be a great opportunity to help - we always need more teachers!  We can help provide information, ideas and supplies for that weeks' lesson.  If you're interested, please contact Jana Mager (jrmager@comcast.net) or Kathy Pullen (katpullen@gmail.com) for more information. Thank you!

**DESPERATELY NEEDED:** A volunteer to livestream Sunday services! This is a great outreach tool. It's easy to do! We appreciate Katrina Huckabay serving this way each Sunday, but she needs a back-up. Can you help? Visit with Katrina to find out more.

**Teenage boys stink!**

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That's why we're collecting deodorant to give to them and to the teenage girls whom we serve at Grace Day 2022. Think Axe, Right Guard, Irish Spring. Anything "sport." Help us help them overcome the stigma of bad hygiene. We'll take bars of soap, too. 100% will be given away at the event. If you want to help eliminate (at least temporarily) teenage smells from this world, throw your donations in the gray bin by the GIVING TREE. We'll find them.

**GRACE DAY EMAIL LIST**

Last year we were blessed to give a sack of groceries to each of the 75 families who came to GRACE DAY, Holy Trinity's annual back-to-school event in August. The estimated value of each bag was $20 (or more). Most of that came from a Thrivent card, bargain shopping and donations. We're setting up an email list to alert people to weekly bargains (food and hygiene) to benefit Grace Day. It will work just like our Bargains for Backpacks email list, if you're familiar with that. Being on the list does NOT obligate you to buy an item. It simply alerts you to needs and when they are on sale. If you choose to purchase the item, simply bring it to church and leave by the GIVING TREE. We will find it. If you'd like to be included on this email list, which will be active only through July, please email Liz Wheeler at Lizronw@aol.com*.*

**THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS can be used for GRACE DAY 2022.** If you are interested in helping to fund this social ministry outreach, please visit with Liz Wheeler. She'll guide you through the process.

**We will need 300 brown paper grocery bags for Grace Day.** If you have some to donate, please leave by the GIVING TREE. Thanks.

Vacation Bible School

June 20th – 22nd | 9am – 12pm

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** will be 3 days this year! (June 20-22) Natalie Peacock (Miss Natalie) and Aly Huckabay (Miss Aly), two high schoolers are our Directors this year!! How fun is that?! Big THANKS to them! You're asking, "How can I help?" Well, thank you to YOU!! Look for the sign-up sheet on the big bulletin board and sign up!! It's lots of fun every year and this year it's 3 days instead of 5. Serve the Lord with gladness! Join us!!

**VBS REGISTRATION IS OPEN!!!** In this wet and wild VBS, kids will learn that what you do today can change the world around you. When you put your trust in Jesus, you can “make waves” because of His Spirit living inside you. Through fun activities, engaging lessons, and God’s Word, we’ll help kids understand how they can share God’s love with the people around them. We would LOVE for you to join us! For ages PreK-5th Grades. Dates June 20th - 22nd | 9:00 am - 12:00 pmRegister here: www.vbspro.events/p/makewavesht

**THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS** can be used for Holy Trinity's 2022 Vacation Bible School! If you're interested in using one of your teams for that mission, please visit with **Liz Wheeler**. She'll guide you through the process.

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***Happy Birthday ! ! !***

6-02 Mitchell Bayless

 Levi Mahan

6-03 Ken Hock

 June Holle

 Kristi Wheeler

6-05 Karen Wissman

Rosa Mars

6-06 Vance Tigges

 Jeremiah Stoneman

 Manoel Jenkins

6-07 Marvin Hanson

 Juletta Hutson

6-09 Chloe Foss

6-10 Linda Cramer

Anissa Trompeter

 David Holle

 Jack Renfro

6-11 Nelson Higdon

 Rayna Weibrecht

 Korie Prowell

6-12 Tami Brown

6-13 Genavie Ruehling

6-14 Shirley Moses

 Tim Ruehling

6-15 Olivia Prough

6-16 Todd Hildreth

 Alyse Huckabay

6-17 Sarah Van Pelt

6-21 Mearle Anderson

6-22 Ursula Rash

6-24 Kimberly Burnes

6-25 Christy Bassett

6-26 Ardith Fisher

6-27 Emily Topi

 Heath George

 Hailey Baldwin

 Jonah Loesch

 Annika Loesch

6-28 Lori Wells

6-29 Betty Krause

 Kari Kuhn

6-30 Elmer Heard

Melissa Baldwin

***Happy Anniversary ! ! !***

6-01 Todd & Laura Hildreth

 Aaron & Hannah Hentges

******6-02 Terry & Kara Gile

6-03 Robert & Judy Hoogensen

6-06 Mark & Candace Roller

6-08 Brent & Angela George

6-11 Ken & Sharon Hock

 Aaron & Mandy Anthes

6-13 Earl & Kristi Wheeler

6-17 Tim & Renee Ruehling

6-19 Gary & Liz Stoffer

6-22 Tony & T. J. Leighton

 Jim & Shawna Peacock

6-25 Dave & June Holle

 Judy & William Peterson

 Rachel & Tyler Huwar

6-28 Pastor Jeremy & Amanda Loesch

 Rebekah & Cameron Glenn

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The JUNE meeting of Holy Trinity Women's League will be Sunday, June 12, right after second service. It will include installation of officers and some items that attention prior to a summer break. We hope you join us as we serve our LORD with gladness. Questions? Visit with President Patti Jordan.

**PRAYER CIRCLE:** Email requests to Sara Hoffmann at tinman1rn@sbcglobal.net or call Mary Ann Cox at 816/761-8454.

Beautiful Savior Nursing Home in Belton always has trash bags for sale. Large yellow and blue trash bags as well as the smaller white trash bags -- $11/roll. See Lee Ann Beatty, Lavonne Hanson or the church office to make your purchase.

**Used greeting cards** of any type are needed for a mission project. Each year, 2,400 crosses are cut from the front of the cards and placed in Christmas and Easter cookie baskets. Place the used cards in the LWML box or give to Mary Ann Cox. She'll make sure they are delivered.

**MITES MISSIONS: Propelling the Gospel**

Amount: $65,000

About this grant: Lutheran Association of Missionary Pilots Ministry Inc. has used small aircraft to deliver the Gospel to the Indigenous people in the most remote areas of northern Canada. Each year, hundreds of volunteer missionaries from the United States travel to teach vacation Bible school to thousands of children in remote northern communities. LAMP's ministry is highly dependent on two aircrafts used to get missionaries to these places. The aircraft has evolved over the years, and upgrades must be made to ensure safety and the ability for LAMP’s missionaries and pilots to reach remote communities only accessible by air. Avionic instrument upgrades in the aircrafts are a costly investment. The Garmin GTX 345 model works best, not only with classical ground-based radar systems, but it also provides ADS-B input and output for both the American and Canadian/Aireon systems. Let's hit new heights with our MITES OFFERING for these pilots! Watch the video at www.[lwml.org/2021-2023-mission-grant-](http://www.lwml.org/2021-2023-mission-grant-)9.

Don't have a MITES BOX? They can be found by the south sanctuary doors. Pick up one this month. If you're not coming to church during the pandemic, save your coins in any container! Bring them to church when you return.

Youth Ministry

**THANK YOU –** The youth group would like to thank the members who donated and who helped make the Shine Servant Event a success. We were able to package 100 sack lunches for Metro Lutheran Ministry. This will help nourish the bodies of our brothers and sisters in Christ.

**SO CLOSE TO THE NYG GOAL!!!!** Our 12 youth and three adults headed to the National Youth Gathering this summer

are working hard to raise money for the trip. They are closing in fast on the goal and need about $3,500 more. If you want

to help, take one of the envelopes from the GIVING WALL in the narthex. Whatever amount is written on the envelope,

you give that amount. Put donations in the green box next to the wall. A more fun way to help is to "ADOPT A YOUTH."

Each youth listed some favorite snacks, breakfast items, etc. If you adopt a youth, you'll provide those items for the trip.

Questions? Visit with Rebecca Jordan.

**Stewardship – June 2022**

What Do You Have That You Have Not Received?

Some of the disciples of John the Baptist were questioning him about the baptism and preaching of Jesus. John the Baptist replies to their questions in this way: “A person cannot receive even one thing unless it is given him from heaven” (John 3:27).

Now, John the Baptist says this to show that Jesus, His teaching, and His baptism are from heaven. But this statement is true of everything – everything that we have and are in body and soul. In fact, this is what we are taught in the meaning of the Apostles’ Creed in Luther’s Small Catechism.

In the explanation of the Creed’s First Article, we learn that God has made us and everything in the universe. Luther says:

“He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them. He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life. He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him.”

In the Second Article of the Creed, we learn that God sent His Son, Jesus, to humble Himself, taking the form of a servant. Luther writes:

“(Jesus) has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity.”

In the Third Article of the Creed, we learn that the fruits of what Jesus Christ, the Son of God, did are given to us through the work of the Holy Spirit in the Church. Luther explains:

“That I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith. In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers. On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ.”

Indeed, a person cannot receive even one thing unless it is given him from heaven. But how easy is this for us to forget about this?

How easy is it for us to think that what we have in this life is because we have earned it? How easy is it for us to forget that even all our skills, the abilities of our hands and minds – the very ethic to work diligently and to seek to get better at these skills – is given to us from heaven, just as John the Baptist said? How easy is it for us to forget that it is Christ alone – and the work of the Holy Spirit – that reveals His salvation to us, delivers it to us, and not our doing?

Sure, we have responsibility for coming to church, for delving into God’s Holy Word, and for praying without ceasing. But even these responsibilities are given to us from heaven, not to earn anything but in response to what He has accomplished for us.

A person cannot receive one thing unless it is given to him from heaven. Everything we have, and everything we are – in both body and soul – are gifts from God in heaven. Let us then respond in thanksgiving and give back to Him as He asks us to – with a first-fruits, generous proportion offering of what He has given to us.

– LCMS Stewardship Ministry: lcms.org/stewardship

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