



Weekly News and Notes

Mission: *Serving the loving Christ by serving and loving others.*

Vision: *Shepherd of the Coast Lutheran Church is a place where all are welcome. Our ministry helps others see Jesus through Christ-centered worship, education, ministry, and outreach.*

Sunday, June 9, 2024

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Summer is two weeks away and we sure can feel it outside. Friday June 7th was our last day of VPK and our VPK graduation. We are so

proud of these students, and the growth they have made from the beginning of the year when they did not know how to write their names to writing their full names by the end of the year and now doing simple math equations. We want to thank all the parents for their support throughout the year.

We are so proud of these youngsters who will be ready to start kindergarten in the fall. Six of the nine 2024 graduates will continue here at Shepherd of the Coast. We can't wait to see all the amazing things they will accomplish in the future.

Monday will be Moving Up day, when we move the children to the next classroom so they continue to make advancements and learn important life skills. We have a lot of things planned this summer. A few of these things are a visit from the Fort Lauderdale mounted police, water play days, bounce house, and a back to school ice cream social.

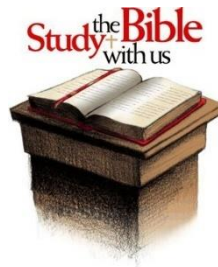
Have a great summer everyone!
Mrs. Faith Grambow
Early Learning Center Director



Sunday Morning Bible Study

We continue our look at the book of Romans. Please join us in the Sanctuary at 9:30 to continue the discussion.

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We continue our study of Luke's Gospel. Luke relates many stories, teaching us about the life and works of our Savior, Jesus Christ, and more importantly, the message he wants us to learn. We read, question, and discuss God's Word every Wednesday morning at 10:00. Visitors and guests are welcome.

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This Week's Lessons

June 9, 2024

First Reading: Genesis 3: 8-15

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13 -18

Gospel Reading: Mark 3:20-35

Next Week's Lessons

June 16, 2024

First Reading: Ezekiel 17: 22-24

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:1-10

Gospel Reading: Mark 4:26-34

Work Day - June 15th



We are putting together a list of tasks for Saturday morning June 15th. We will start at 8:00 am and finish by noon. There will be indoor and outdoor jobs available. All are invited to help. If you know of a particular project that needs

attention, please let Mark McGuire or Pastor know so it can be included. Looking ahead, we will also have workdays on July 13th and before school starts (August 12), either August 3rd or 10th.



This Week's Calendar

Sunday, June 9, 2024

8:30 am- Traditional Service

9:30 am – Bible Study

10:30 am – Contemporary Service

Wednesday, June 12, 2024

10:00am - Bible Study – Luke

Saturday, June 15, 2024

8:00 am – Workday

10:00 am – Lydia's meeting

Next Week's Calendar

Sunday, June 16, 2024

Fathers' Day

8:30 am- Traditional Service

9:30 am – Bible Study

10:30 am – Contemporary Service

Wednesday, June 19, 2024

10:00am - Bible Study – Luke

Thursday, June 20, 2024

7:00pm – Church Council

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Upcoming Events:

Confirmation Service – June 30

5th Sunday Service ~ meal to follow – June 30

July Church Council Meeting – July 11

Workday – July 13

Annual Voters' Meeting – July 28

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Budget information

We will be providing a weekly 'snapshot' of our giving compared to our annual budget. Our current budget runs from August 2023 through July 2024.

Last week's giving: \$3,063.00

Average weekly need to meet budget: \$2,742.90



Those Serving This Week

June 9, 2024

Ushers: 8:30 am-Scott Burnett, Duane Timm, Mike Solley

10:30 am-Jo Bellhorn

Lector: 8:30 am -Randy Laser

10:30 am- Andrea Canora

Counters: Carolyn Atchison/Roberta Murphy

Altar Guild: Diana Nickel

Security: Jay Aamodt

Those Serving Next Week

June 16, 2024

Ushers: 8:30 am-Scott Burnett, Duane Timm, Mike Solley

10:30 am-Jo Bellhorn

Lector: 8:30 am -Duane Timm

10:30 am- Gayle Hansen

Counters: Joanne Fries/Barbara Junge

Altar Guild: Diana Nickel

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School Endowment Fund

The SOTC School Endowment Fund was established in 2020 with three specific purposes.

Proceeds from the Fund are to

- a) provide tuition assistance to school students,
- b) support school staff education activities, and
- c) fund school capital improvements.

The Fund was made possible through a Kaleidoscope Grant that was funded jointly by The Lutheran Church Extension Fund (LCEF) and the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod Foundation.

Contributions were matched by the grant on a one-to-one basis. Many thanks to our members that made donations to meet the requirements of the grant. The goal is to have the Fund continually grow and have a greater and greater impact for years to come. Donations to the School

Endowment Fund are always welcome and encouraged. Please consider how you can help. Contact Larry Ueltzen at luelzen@prodigy.net or call the office at 954-772-8010.



Altar Flowers

Remember a loved one with flowers on the altar. Mark the calendar with your name on the chosen date. Each arrangement is

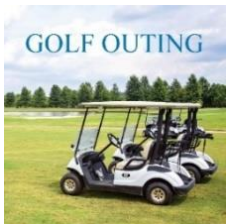
\$20. Complete an envelope with your name and place payment in the offering plate (to the right of the chart) **This week's Altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Paul and Barbara Sparks in recognition of their 55th wedding anniversary.**



Thrivent members and guests attended

Faith Night at Miami Marlins Park. Thrivent provided food vouchers, t-shirts, significant savings and a great time for fun and fellowship to those who attended. Thank you, Thrivent, for this great opportunity!

'Fore' the Kids – 2024 Golf Outing



This year's Golf Outing, on Monday, November 4th will be here before you know it! We are looking for golfers, volunteers, and your support for this event. Support the event by asking local businesses or restaurants to

donate merchandise, gift cards, bring a foursome, or sponsor part of the event. We have letters and information available to help them learn more about the opportunity. If you have any questions, need copies of the letter, or desire to participate the day of the event, please speak with Cliff Higley or Debbie Lorenz after church or call or text Cliff at 773-230-4322, or Debbie at 954-647-9586. From the website you can sign up, purchase raffle tickets & see various sponsorship opportunities: <https://bit.ly/ForetheKidsSouth-2024>
The link is case sensitive.



RaiseRight.

Our next RaiseRight order will be placed in

mid- to late June. RaiseRight is a great way to contribute a gift card or two to the upcoming **Golf Outing** while earning a few dollars for the school from your purchase. Find an order form on the board across from the mailboxes or the table at the back of the church.

LCMS Foundation

TODAY | TOMORROW | FOREVER

Most of the congregations that the Apostle Paul planted on his missionary journeys did not last for centuries. It may very well be that ministries in the Lord's Church are meant to be changing and nimble to reach the world as it changes. Nonetheless, we often become attached to ministries that have played a significant role in our life in the Kingdom of God. Maybe those ministries have been connected with our families for multiple generations. We thank God for the spiritual blessings but can't help but feel a twinge of sadness as what we knew in the past, passes away in the present.

That sense of change in this fast-paced world may make us apprehensive about planning gifts for future ministry. Maybe that apprehension is the Lord's sign to you to consider making some ministry gifts today, instead of waiting until He calls you home.

Yet some of your assets might not be available for a gift until that glorious day. What plan makes sense for you? More importantly, what is the eternal plan for which God has placed His gifts in your life to manage?

Talking about these plans and praying about them is the way in which we arrive at confidence about what to do. Your LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor can be your friend to walk with you on this journey. For help, contact Tony Hunt 260-222-1291 or tony.hunt@lfn.org

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Have you ever asked, "what can I do?"



Take on the role of being a prayer warrior. Paul tells us to pray unceasingly, and we need faithful people fulfilling

this type of call to prayer. Can you pray? Can you help? Be a Prayer Warrior!

Want more from Shepherd of the Coast?

Please provide your phone number and email address on the attendance sheet and we'll add you to OneCall notifications and News & Notes list.



In Our Prayers

- ❖ Robert Pierre - Leukemia
- ❖ Noah Curiel - personal safety
- ❖ LaKeisha & her children - struggling financially.
- ❖ Kayler Gleason (2-yr old) rare health issues - wisdom for doctors to diagnose/treat
 - ❖ Jackie Hardin - serious injury from a fall
- ❖ Addison Czischke - niece of Pastor Chad and Jen, health concerns
 - ❖ Evelyn Gayhart - health following heart attack and 4 stints
- ❖ Sherry Khan, Winston and Ruth Jaipershad - autoimmune disease
 - ❖ Jenna Teachman, age 10 - cancer
- ❖ Our Country - principled leaders to govern wisely.
- ❖ Shepherd of the Coast - that we may reach those who need Christ
- ❖ Our school teachers and workers that they are refreshed and renewed during their break
 - ❖ Daniel Strickland - health/well-being
 - ❖ The troops around the world, for their continued safety
 - ❖ Congregations waiting for a Pastor
 - ❖ Those struggling with homelessness
 - ❖ Those struggling with mental illness
 - ❖ Those struggling with addiction
 - ❖ Jeff Farnella - Loneliness
 - ❖ Lorry Huza-Health Concerns
 - ❖ Jay Mindlin-Serious health issues
 - ❖ Ted Welfelt-Serious Health Concern
 - ❖ Mark Williams-Brain Cancer
 - ❖ Joe Jimison- Continued Good Health
 - ❖ Our homebound members:
 - Marion Bement -Carolyn Griesse
 - Vera Crusco - Wanda Guy
 - Sue Dalena -Joan Saunders
 - Ruth Galinat -Barb Scott
 - Joyce Garing



The LWML will be collecting items for the Troops through June 12th and we appreciate your help! Please bring any additional items your items to the collection box at church. Thank you for your tremendous support.

Personal Care Items:

- Over the counter medications (Tylenol, Advil, acetaminophen, ibuprofen, Aleve, Tylenol PM Nyquil/Dayquil gelcaps, Excedrin, ZzzQuil gelcaps, etc)
- Chap-stick, blistex
- Non-medicated eye drops
- Lens cleaners
- Foot powder
- Disposable razors 3-blade or more (for men and women)
- Shaving Cream
- Deodorant
- Body Soap/body wash, shampoo, Conditioner
- Nail clippers
- Dude wipes or similar (avoid baby wipes)

Food/Snacks:

- Pringles (all flavors)
- Chex Mix
- Pretzels
- Salsa & Canned Dips (not refrigerated)
- Popcorn
- Microwavable soup, Ramen noodles
- Pre-packaged cookies, cupcakes, etc.
- Trail Mix
- Beef Jerky

Hot Beverages (individual packages):

- Flavored Instant Coffee & Teas (herbal)
- Powered Coffee or Gourmet Ground Coffee
- Instant Hot Cocoa Mix
- Spice Apple Cider Mix
- Instant Oatmeal (fun flavors)

