

## Weekly Reminders & Announcements Page July 15, 2018

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS FOR YOU...

- \* The only preparation for tomorrow is the right use of today!
- \* Swallowing angry words is much better than having to eat them!
- \* People who try to whittle you down are trying to reduce you to their size!

**Martin Luther on THE CHRISTIAN.** In a sermon on Matthew 8:23-27 on January 31, 1546, Luther emphasized the exclusiveness of the Christian faith as opposed to the belief in the "universal fatherhood of God".

**We Are Christians, Not by Birth but by Rebirth.** We are called Christians solely because we believe in the Lord, who is true God and man at the same time, not simply because we believe that God has created us, as He has created other creatures. For the heavens, too, are God's, and in this respect they are just as good as we are; so are the Turks, the heathen, the Jews, aye, the devil himself, so far as his nature as an angel is concerned. The mere fact that we have been created by God makes us no better and gives us nothing better than it does others. But we are Christians and are so called because we believe in the Son of God, who with the Father is true, eternal God and yet also true man, born of the Virgin in order to become our Lord and Savior and who was given and revealed to us as such that we should believe and call on Him together with the Father. This, then, is the article which separates the faith of the Christians from the religion and the faith of all other men. This article makes all other religions false and futile.

### OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE...

**Total Offerings Received July 8<sup>th</sup> = \$41,786.82**

* General Offering	\$ 33,154.76
* Master's Plan	\$ 3,359.06
* Lutheran Witness	\$ 88.00
* LWML Mission	\$ 180.00
* Altar Flowers	\$ 75.00
* School	\$ 80.00
* Agape	\$ 4,850.00

!!!! **The Agape Fund** is our HTLC benevolent fund intended to help members and non-members in emergencies. It is **totally** funded by monetary gifts from members. The need has been great and the Agape Fund is **VERY LOW**. Please consider giving towards it.

**Attendance Last Week = 519    Communing = 95**

### IF YOU WISH TO PREPARE FOR NEXT SUNDAY.

**Next Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> is the Ninth Sunday after Pentecost**

~ Morning Psalm	>>>	<b>Psalm 23</b>
~ First Reading	>>>	<b>Jeremiah 23:1-6</b>
~ Second Reading	>>>	<b>Ephesians 2:11-22</b>
~ Holy Gospel	>>>	<b>Saint Mark 6:30-44</b>

### THOSE WHO WILL BE SERVING NEXT SUNDAY

	<u>8:15 - Liturgical</u>	<u>9:30 - Liturgical</u>	<u>10:45 - Liturgical</u>	<u>11:00-Modern</u>
<b>Preaching:</b>	Pastor Meyer	Pasator Meyer	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer
<b>Assisting:</b>	Pastor Henke	Pastor Henke	Pastor Henke	Vicar Lahue
<b>Organ/Piano:</b>	Stephen Wurst	Debbie Gerling	Stephen Wurst	Resonate Team
<b>Elders:</b>	Duane Becker	Aaron Finley	Keith Swanson	Keith Swanson
<b>Communion:</b>	Jerry Ehner Robert Kastens	Duane Becker Aaron Finley Nathan Davis	Wendell Holland Ron Allie	Mark Wyckoff ~
<b>Crucifiers:</b>	Drew Scott Elizabeth Nance	~	Logan Hedrick Gryphon Dellaughter	~
<b>Ushers:</b>	<b>Jonathan Klein - Captain</b> Steve Kukuk Steven Johnson Charlie Herman Mark Yates Steven Barker Nathan Johnson	~	<b>Jerry Ehner - Captain</b> Jeff Seeliger Keith Swanson Charlie Niemeyer John Parkinson Tommy Ryel	~
<b>Lectors:</b>	Kyle Young	Steven Johnson	Max Mears	~
<b>Children Lesson:</b>	Pastor Meyer	~	Pastor Meyer	~
<b>Greeters:</b>	Steve & Marilyn Miller	Audra Kedy	Barbara Shell Ryel	Andrea Monismith
<b>Counters:</b>	Loretta Gonzalez & Connie Lewellen			
<b>Nursery:</b>	~	Sandra Erickson & Heidi Mattson	Katy Krueger	~
<b>Acolyte &amp; Lighting Coordinator:</b>	Benny Drmson			
<b>Sound Technicians:</b>	Jeff Adams, Keith Miller and Dennis Paul			
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	<b>Setup:</b>	Carol Ford	~	~
	<b>Reset:</b>	Iva Drmson, Chloe Becker	~	~
	<b>Reset 10:45:</b>	Rita Paul, Sara Paul, Carol Payne	~	~
	<b>Clean up:</b>	Lisa Kelley	~	~
	<b>Resonate Service:</b>	Wendy Kappers, Jennie Hentges, Kelleigh Dies & Kristi Jeffers	~	~



Please lift up the following in prayer

### Our military personnel & government workers:

- ✘ Bruce Avriett, Brandon Chapman, Mark DeLory, Alex Eck, Greg Emde, Mark Erwin, Daniel Herm, Jennifer Howell, Anthony Kuczynski, Chris & Stephanie Means, Anthony & Kelsey Payne, Nate & Maggie Phillips, Dan & Stephanie Scherd, Larry Sull, Mathew & Rachel Young, Eric & Erin Young, Madison Neumann, and Gwyneth Cantu.
- ✘ Don & Paulette Owens & family as they mourn the passing of her brother in law Jerry Davis.
- ✘ Everett Casto - recovering from hospitalization due to a fall at his home.
- ✘ Jeff Cyr - prayers following an auto-pedestrian accident on Friday morning.
- ✘ Kali Freniere - recovering at Mercy Rehab as she regains usage of her right side.
- ✘ Mindy Fulsebakke - recovering from surgery in her battle with colon cancer.
- ✘ Pauline Henke - continued prayers for successful rehab to restore her walking ability.
- ✘ Philip Isett - continued prayers in his recovery.
- ✘ Georgette Jurczewsky - recovering from breast cancer surgery.
- ✘ Michelle King - continued prayers as she recovers at home from severe kidney problems.
- ✘ Chad Langager - continued prayers as he deals with stage 4 lung cancer.
- ✘ Eunice Langager - continued prayers that God will give her strength for each new day.
- ✘ Brenna Lewis - prayers of thanksgiving that God's healing hand prevented any surgery thought needed to repair the drainage shunt for her brain.
- ✘ Charlie & Angie Niemeyer - Prayers of thanksgiving as Angie has returned safely from teaching VBS in Alaska.
- ✘ Rita Paul - Preparing for right shoulder surgery on July 17. Continued prayers for healing from carpal tunnel surgery on both hands as well as surgery on her left shoulder.
- ✘ Gary Quick - Continued prayers for God's mercy in his battle with Parkinson's
- ✘ Meagan Raddatz - continued prayers for complete healing from thyroid cancer.
- ✘ Patricia Steffens - continued prayers as she deals with some ongoing medical issues.
- ✘ Alice Braver - long time missionary to India supported by the LWML who sustained a broken hip and fractured upper femur in a fall on her return to India.
- ✘ Mary Jeanne Frey - mother of Kathy Kastens, who is hospitalized in Tulsa and starting dialysis.
- ✘ Ruth Gable - friend of Tommy & Barbara Ryel who has lost part of her eyesight due to an infection. Prayers for no more loss.
- ✘ Daisy Krill - friend of Dennis & Rita Paul, adjusting to assisted living. Her husband and brother are adjusting to the move from home.
- ✘ Carl Lindquist & family - prayers as Carl's father has been admitted to hospice at the age of 95
- ✘ Carol Mueller - sister in law of Darren & Michelle Hara suffering from paralysis & nerve cell damage due to Guillain-Barre' syndrome. Praise for successful surgery and continued prayers for Carol and her family in her long recovery.
- ✘ Elliott Navejas - grandson of John & Peggy Grunow. Praise and thanksgiving for answering the many prayers for healing through a series of successful surgeries! GOD IS GOOD! .
- ✘ Irene Pennington - sister in law of Loretta Gonzalez, prayers for strength & healing as she continues her battle against ovarian cancer. All chemo options have been exhausted; new treatment is a PARP inhibitor. Prayers that this will be the treatment that is successful.
- ✘ Don Priboth - step father of Andrew Scott (grandpa of Devon, Drew & Courtney) battling stage 4 liver cancer that has spread; also prayers for his wife Sue Ann as she cares for him.
- ✘ Scarlett Rogers - 5 year old daughter of Adam & Emily (friends of the Raddatz family) undergoing daily chemo and radiation for stage IV kidney cancer.
- ✘ Betty Warren - friend of Angie Niemeyer battling cancer and struggling with chemo treatments
- ✘ Dr. Mike Williams and family (friends of Christi Bieber) prayers for strength and healing as they battle Mike's extensive health problems & physical injuries.

Please contact the church office with updates on prayer requests for friends and loved ones.

## ★ VICAR LAHUE FAREWELL ★

Join us as we say goodbye to  
Vicar Alex Lahue, Erin and Jax.

Farewell Lunch July 29 | 12:30  
Family Life Center

Lunch will be provided.  
A card basket will be located in the Narthex during morning services and at the luncheon

Come Bid farewell and share your favorite memories!!



### LUTHERAN WITNESS RENEWAL TIME

Renew your Lutheran Witness Subscription by completing an envelope outside the church office. **Deadline is TODAY.**

**VBS Setup: TODAY at 12:30pm**

# 2018 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

**JULY 16-20 | 9AM-12PM**  
**AGE 4-GRADE 5**

Register at  
[holyltrinityedmond.org/vbs](http://holyltrinityedmond.org/vbs)

## YOUTH NEWS

**Youth Summer Bible Study:**  
**July 17, 31 & Aug. 14**  
**6-7:30pm**

Entering your sophomore-senior year of High School and want to be a part of **YouthFORCE?** For more information, questions, or applications visit our website or contact DCE Lindsey Duerr at [lduerr@htlcok.org](mailto:lduerr@htlcok.org). Applications are due **July 29<sup>th</sup>**.

## Week of July 15, 2018

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>July 15, 2018</b>
8:15 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Education Hour for All Ages
10:45 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
11:00 AM	Modern Worship Service
<b>12:30 PM</b>	<b>VBS SETUP</b>
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<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>July 16, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	<b>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (9am-12pm)</b>
5:45 PM	Body & Soul
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<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>July 17, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	<b>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (9am-12pm)</b>
7:00 AM	Men's Bible Breakfast @ Around the Corner
9:30 AM	Braille Ministry
1:00 PM	Braille Ministry
6:00 PM	Board of Elders Meeting
	Summer Youth Bible Study
7:00 PM	Resonate Rehearsal
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<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>July 18, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	<b>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (9am-12pm)</b>
9:00 AM	Knotty Ladies Quilting Group
6:00 PM	Adult Bible Study – "Bless These Lips"
7:15 PM	<b>Midweek Worship Service w/Holy Communion</b>
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<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>July 19, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	<b>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (9am-12pm)</b>
12:00 PM	Banner Ministry
5:45 PM	Body & Soul
7:00 PM	Praise Band Rehearsal
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<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>July 20, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	<b>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (9am-12pm)</b>
5:30 PM	VBS Closing Ceremony & Picnic
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<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>July 21, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	Lutheranism 101 Class – Room 106
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<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>July 22, 2018</b>
8:15 AM	Traditional Worship Service
9:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service
9:30 AM	Education Hour for All Ages
10:45 AM	Traditional Worship Service
11:00 AM	Modern Worship Service w/Holy Communion

# YOUTH LOCK-IN

**August 10-11 | 8:00pm- 8:00am**  
**Holy Trinity Youth Room**

Special performance by Holy Trinity Resonate Band

I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge – that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.  
 Ephesians 3:16-19

## UPCOMING SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

**9:30 am in Luther Commons**  
*(These presentations will take the place of Adult Sunday School on these two dates)*

**TODAY - July 15: West African Missionaries**  
 Rev. Gary and Steph Schulte, missionaries in West Africa, will be here presenting on their mission efforts. We've supported the Schultes through our VBS Offerings for the past three years, and will do so again this year.

**July 29: Guatemala Mission Team**  
 Come listen how God was at work through this year's Guatemala team. The group will be presenting their trip – highs, lows, and everything in between.

## NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

The scholarship program awards scholarships to students enrolled in a LCMS college or university, pursuing a career in the ministry or another church related career.

**COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN TO THE FRONT OFFICE BY AUGUST 31.**

For more info visit [holyltrinityedmond.org/scholarship](http://holyltrinityedmond.org/scholarship) or stop by the information center

## Celebration Corner

<b>BIRTHDAYS</b>	
July 15	Danielle Costilla, Sandra Erickson, Jared Jeffers, Sawyer Kreienbrink, Angela Mattson, Sandra Miodov
July 16	Linda Bradford, Chelsea Casey, Robert Kastens, Sara McKisson, Melvin Schemm, Andy Scott, Sloane Walker
July 17	Holly Inman, Logan Johnson, Tanya Nielsen, Kelsey Magers-Thompkins, Sara Olstad
July 18	Kelly Baker, Linda Sheehan
July 19	Neil Aeschlimann, John Collison, Rachel Hagemeyer, Michael Jordan
July 20	Carrie Cyr, Isabella Giannakopoulos, Robert Namken, TJ Schallner, Londyn Yates
July 21	Ethan Zaitshik
July 22	Chris Dellaughter
<b>ANNIVERSARIES</b>	
July 15	Peter & Athena Curry
July 19	Bob & Cathy Jackson ; David & Louise Main ; Russel & Penny Voss
July 21	Keith & Laura Griesel ; David & Jennifer Thielke

## RALLY DAY 2018

# AUGUST 19

10:45 AM Worship Service followed by food, fellowship & fun for the whole family!

Schedule of day's events at [holyltrinityedmond.org/rallyday-2018](http://holyltrinityedmond.org/rallyday-2018)

**Holy Trinity's 4th Annual Penny Wars are starting NEXT Sunday. Small groups will battle it out to see who will get a pie in the face! Bring your loose change to help raise funds for our school!**