

# **Weekly Messenger**

## Reaching UP-IN-OUT

Ministers: All Members of Peace Lutheran  
Pastor: Ralph Kirkpatrick



June 7-14, 2017

## **The Holy Trinity**

### **June 11, 2017**

Worship with Holy Communion  
9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship

## *Peace Weekly Calendar*

### **Sunday, June 11**

#### *Lifting of Silver*

9:30 a.m. Worship w/Communion  
10:40 a.m. Congregational Meeting  
10:50 a.m. Zeller-Best Shower/  
Brunch  
2:30 p.m. Al-Anon  
4:00 p.m. KADA Meeting

### **Monday, June 12**

1:30 p.m. Shake Your Soul Dance  
5:30 p.m. Al-Anon  
6:00 p.m. VDC Men  
7:00 p.m. Tai Chi

### **Thursday, June 15**

12:00 p.m. S-Anon Meeting  
7:00 p.m. Tai Chi

### **Saturday, June 17**

12:00 p.m. Al-Anon  
2:00 p.m. Portrait Art Class

### **Sunday, June 18**

#### *Father's Day*

9:30 a.m. Worship w/Communion  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School  
2:30 p.m. Al-Anon

### ***Serving Today***

*Worship with Holy Communion*  
6/11/2017

#### **9:30**

**Assisting Minister:** Deb Buckley  
**Lector/Comm Asst.:** Bill Larson  
**Sound:** Klukken  
**Ushers:** Stephansen, Klukken  
**Greeter:** Bob Storm  
**Altar Guild:** Buckley, Kratts  
**Bread & Wine:** Simon  
**Tellers:** Ellstrom, D., Tevault  
**Coffee:** English, Toby

### ***Serving this Sunday***

*Worship with Holy Communion*  
6/18/2017

#### **9:30**

**Assisting Minister:** Bill Larson  
**Lector/Comm Asst.:** Jan Larson  
**Sound:** Barnes  
**Ushers:** Etzler, Stegner  
**Greeter:** Stegner  
**Altar Guild:** Buckley, Kratts  
**Bread & Wine:** Ried  
**Tellers:** Anderson, Schuller  
**Coffee:** McLemore, Stegner

# *Peace Prayers*

*Please let the church office know of any changes in the prayers.*

**Members:** Cassie Barnes, Margaret Blombach, Ernie Dickson, Tony Kampwerth, Gary Kratts, Bill McCamy, Stacy Nelson, David & Charlene Ottinger, Noreen Quirand, Carla Schirmer, Ruth Stallmann, Ginger Tevault

**Prayers of Thanksgiving:** Recent wedding of Lydia Zeller and Christopher Best.

**Family & Friends:** **Samantha Adamson** (niece of Eva Kratts); **Rosemary Aumaugher** (mother of Gary Aumaugher); **Courtney & Marlon Beverly** (friend of Marianne & Andy Stephansen); **Jeff Brig & Vincent Briguccia** (Eileen Zetterberg's sons); **David Brondos** (missionary to Mexico); **Rosemary Clause** (Sue Carlson's cousin); **Jeff Davidson** (friend of Janet Barnes); **Maryann Dusbabek** (Eva Kratts aunt); **Al & Lois Etzler** (Pete's brother & sister-in-law); **Brooke Evans** (daughter of Chuck Evans); **Kristyn Farley** (daughter of Marianne Stephansen's friend); **Amy Franken** (sister of Kristi Shedden); **Andy Hedberg** (cousin of Simone Hedberg); **Sarah Kane** (friend of Stegners); **Adele Krans** (John Stegner's sister); **Jan Law** (Sue Nevedal's mother); **Kenneth Lee** (son of Eric Carlson's friend); **Lysa Lyford's Family** (on the death of her aunt Muriel); **Wendy Mallaber** (Gary Kratts' sister); **Ann Miller & Karen Milanc** (friends of the Carole & Tom Mustaleski); **Marjorie Miller** (mother of Darlene Smolik); **Linda Millis** (Rosemary Ried's daughter); **Paul Montgomery** (friend of Mike Nelson); **The Morrison Family** (friends of Chuck Evans); **Mike Murrell** (former co-worker of Allan Ellstrom); **Sue Noonchester** (Friend of Carla Schirmer), **Lisa Oakley** (co-worker of Nancy Simon); **Jeff Ortman** (brother of Deb Stegner); **Greg Pfahles** (Cousin of Sue Carlson); **Taylor Ramsey** (friend of Carlsons); **Charles Savas Family** (friends of Rosemary Ried); **Mel Schulz** (Eva Kratts' uncle); **Stasiunus family** (friends of the Stegners); **Kitty Thompson** (Adele Soucy's sister); **Sandy White** (friend of the Hendersons); **Ben Williamson** (grand nephew of Gary Kratts); **John Witz** (Pam Kish's brother-in-law)

**Military:** **Erik Aderman** (nephew of Allan Ellstrom); **Tarren & David Barrett** (daughter & son-in-law of Janet & Tom Barnes & granddaughter of Bob and Evalyn Storm); **Timothy Brig** (grandson of Eileen Zetterberg); **Taylor Dobson** (grandson of Bob & Evalyn Storm); **Paul Newpher** (Jim & Susan McLemore's son-in-law); **Jeff Smolik** (son of Darlene & John Smolik)

# *ELCA Prayer Ventures*

*June 7-14*

**7**

Ask for God's blessings on the many volunteers, staff and resource people who are busy planning and making final preparations for ELCA events and gatherings this summer and that participants will be enriched, equipped and inspired through their experiences and each other for their ministries and lives back home and in the world.

**8**

We remember in our prayers the Central States, Upstate New York, Grand Canyon and Northwestern Minnesota synod assemblies, that the Spirit will strengthen, guide and excite their leaders and members for God's work and witness in the world.

**9**

We remember in our prayers the Southwestern Minnesota, Metropolitan Chicago, Northeastern Ohio and New England synod assemblies, that the Spirit will strengthen, guide and excite their leaders and members for God's work and witness in the world.

**10**

We remember in our prayers the Western Iowa, Northeastern Iowa, La Crosse Area and Virginia synod assemblies, that the Spirit will strengthen, guide and excite their leaders and members for God's work and witness in the world.

**11**

*Holy Trinity Sunday*

Give thanks for our baptism in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit for being marked as children of God, welcomed to the body of Christ and set on our faith journey surrounded by the care and support of others.

**12**

More than 7 million people in South Sudan are suffering because of drought, famine and civil war. Pray for their relief, well-being and lasting, just solutions for the turmoil and challenges they face daily; give thanks for the ELCA's long-term commitment to work with church partners and agencies in the region to deliver life-saving assistance and develop future sustainability and resilience.

**13**

Pray that children, youth and adults with limited mobility, special needs or limited resources have opportunities to experience the beauty and enlivening spirit of outdoor summer activities in their communities and in nature.

**14**

Offer gratitude, praise and recognition for the majesty, love, mindfulness of humankind and handiwork of God reflected in the world and all creation.

## Happy Birthday

6/12 Ellie Bachmann  
6/14 Steven Rosch

## Baptismal Anniversary

6/8 Marla Crossley  
6/9 Andrew Kroninger  
6/12 Charlene Ottinger  
6/13 Ben McClanahan  
6/6 Marlene Klukken

## Wedding Anniversaries

6/7 Lori & John Burnett  
6/7 Susan & Jim McLemore  
6/8 Rodney & Andrea Holloman  
6/12 Marlene & Gary Klukken



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## *DISCIPLESHIP*

### Summer Sunday School

After a break June 11 for the congregational meeting and wedding shower, we continue with adult Sunday school June 18. On that Sunday, our own Kristie Toby will talk about her work with public housing, KCDC. Learn from an expert insider how this program works. See the Outreach Board for other summer speakers.

- **June 18** - Kristie Toby, public housing
- **June 25** - Marjorie Thigpen-Carter, Justice Knox, an organized way to address issues of justice in our community
- **July 2** - Bruce Spangler, Volunteer Ministry Center, working with homeless and formerly homeless people

### Vacation Bible School

VBS is scheduled for July 10-14, and we are doing it at Good Samaritan again this year. All are welcome! For more information, contact Anne Hudnall.

## *OUTREACH*

### Thank You FISH Delivery

Nancy Simon took the calls on June 3 for the one dedicated FISH team to deliver. Mary Ellen Kangas and Deb Buckley made the six deliveries all over Knox County. Their last delivery was a bit confusing as the bedridden client was out “walking” when they arrived. According to a neighbor he often left his apartment in his wheelchair for an outing. Fortunately that neighbor could accept the groceries for him.

### Lifting Of Silver

June 11 is a second Sunday Lifting of Silver for the ministry of Pastor David Brondos in Mexico City. Your spare change and your green bills help us reach our goal of \$1200 annually.

### **Working at Second Harvest**

Second Harvest Food Bank can always use volunteer labor to bag cereal, check for outdated canned and boxed food, tally surveys, etc. The women's group has done this quite often, but sometimes the standing on concrete, bending and lifting are just too much. We will schedule a work day, probably on a Tuesday at the end of June or early in July, if there are enough young people who would like to do this. Older people are welcome also, but be warned of the possible lifting and bending. Let Donna Ellstrom know of your interest: When 5 or more want this, a date will be scheduled.

### **Steps House**

The Steps House basket has moved to the hallway. At this time, the men especially need towels and small appliances. Remember when you are cleaning and sorting that your "stuff" can help Steps House or KARM thrift stores. There's no need to toss gently used items.

## ***NURTURE***

### **Women's Book Club**

On Tuesday, July 11, at 10 a.m., we will discuss Lab Girl, a memoir by Hope Jahren.

**NOTE CHANGE OF DATE.** Looking ahead: August 1, The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-time Indian by Sherman Alexia.

### **Move-In Kits**

In August the Women of Peace plan to pack one or more move-in kits to help people who are moving from homelessness to apartment dwellers. If you would like to help by donating helpful articles, you can bring them to Peace and put them into the "move-in" basket. We could use toilet paper, laundry detergent, dish detergent, sponges, trash bags, and paper towels. We will be assembling these things and more August 15 at our meeting here at Peace.

## ***MISCELLANEOUS***

### **Commissions**

Due to summer and Pastor's vacation, commissions will meet on their own as needed. No formal commission night will be held tonight.

### **TGIF**

The next TGIF will be at the newly opened Corner 16 on June 16 at 6:00 p.m. Corner 16 is across Middlebrook Pike from the Food City. It is part of the Copper Cellar chain and has a menu similar to their other restaurants. The Ellstroms are the hosts; sign up on the provided sign-up sheet or call them at 865-690-1050.

### **Women of Peace**

We will be doing our "field trip" in June. We will gather at the church at 10:00 a.m. on June 20 to carpool to Townsend to visit the Heritage Museum. At this museum there are

indoor and outdoor exhibits. We will stay as long as we are comfortable there and then go to Miss Lily's for a fantastic lunch. We will probably be back in Knoxville by 3:00 p.m. All women, and even men, are invited; please sign up in the hallway so we know whom to expect.

**Congregational Meeting—THIS SUNDAY!**

There will be a special Congregational meeting on Sunday, June 11, immediately following the worship service. All members should plan to attend.

**Zeller-Best Shower June 11**

Lydia Zeller and Christopher Best were married on May 27. Peace is planning to Shower Lydia and Chris with wedding wishes and gifts on June 11 following the service. We will be serving a light brunch. The happy couple is registered at Bed Bath & Beyond and Target. Contact Eva Kratts for more information.

**Life Line Screening Returning to Peace**

Register today for the Friday, July 7 Stroke, Vascular & Heart Rhythm package, which includes four screenings: carotid artery, abdominal aortic aneurysm, peripheral arterial disease and atrial fibrillation. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle) or text the word circle to 797979.**