

GRACE NOTES

Schedule for August 7, 2016 through August 14, 2016

Today Sunday – August 7th

8:30 am *Sunday School and Adult Bible Class*
10:00 am *Divine Service ~12th Sunday after Pentecost*

Monday – August 8th

6:00 pm **Church Council Budget meeting**
7:00 pm **Board of Elders**

Tuesday – August 9th

10:15 am Sing @ Benefis SNC
2:00 pm **Golden Agers**

Wednesday – August 10th

9:30 am Ladies Bible Study
4:00-7:00 pm **Wee Disciples' 25th Anniversary Celebration**
7:30 pm *Divine Service*

Thursday – August 11th

9:00 am Quilters @ Peace
10:00 am Sing @ Park Place
11:00 am **Hymn Planning meeting**

Friday – August 12th

Church Office Closed

Saturday – August 13th

Nothing Scheduled

Next Sunday – August 14th

8:30 am *Sunday School and Adult Bible Class*
10:00 am *Divine Service ~13th Sunday after Pentecost*

Today's Sunday School lesson is "**Joseph Forgives His Brothers**" Despite their sins against him, Joseph forgave his brothers. Despite our sins, God forgives us for Jesus' sake and helps us forgive others. *Consider asking, "To whom do you need to offer forgiveness?" "Why is it difficult to forgive those we know well?"*

LUTHERAN HOUR - August 14th "In Spite of Everything " Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz. "Archives August" continues, as Pastor Gregory Seltz preaches another classic sermon by Dr. Oswald Hoffmann. (Romans 8:28). Tune in on the radio or at www.lutheranhour.org The Lutheran Hour can be heard on **KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or XM Radio 170 at 10:00 am-(EST).**

Celebrating a Wedding Anniversary This Week

August 8th
August 14th

Albert ♥ Evelyn Pearsall (52)
Keith ♥ Janice Bicsak (40)

Celebrating a Birthday This Week

August 9th

Caden Bicsak

August 10th

Kristie Nelson

August 11th

Robert Nommensen Sr (80+)

August 12th

Kat Blumhorst, Barbara Going

Wallace Thompson (80+)

August 14th

Olivia Martello

This Week's Baptismal Anniversaries

August 7th

Stacie Olson

August 10th

Mattie Young

August 12th

Christian Johnsten

August 14th

Joel Kempff Jr, Aimee Sybrant

Looking for an alternative web-based LCMS supported radio station?

KFUO is the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod answer. On the web at www.kfuam.org they broadcast seven days a week from 6:00 am to 8:00 pm Mountain Time (times vary by month). Check them out on the web at www.kfuam.org.

ISSUES ETC. - Educating a New Generation of Lutherans...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. *This week's topics include: The "For You" of Biblical Christianity; Mary Mother of Jesus; The Temptation of Jesus; Sexual Morality in a Christless World and more.* You can listen to what you want when you want at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

LUTHERANS for LIFE - August 7th “Will you, experienced believers in Christ, who have passed through a world of tribulation, lie down in despair, or give up your profession because you are at the present moment passing through some light affliction? Let your past preservation inspire you with courage, and constrain you to brave all storms for Jesus’ sake. Courage for the present is strengthened by the memory of past deliverances.” *C. H. Spurgeon, 19th century English preacher – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life* • www.lutheransforlife.org.

The Great Falls Rescue Mission’s new Cameron Family Center is about 70% done and is slated to open in October. They are currently looking to hire part-time supervisors. These positions are 20-28 hours per week with various shifts throughout the day and evening. They are also looking for two people who would be interested in dorm-like resident advisory positions. These people would be given free room and board and would be on call from 11:00 pm to 6:00 am. If you are interested contact Bill Salonen at 406-761-2653 ext 153.

An Update on Giving and Attendance

Comparison of actual giving through July 31st

2015 ~ \$99,624

2016 ~ \$104,385

UP \$4,761

from last year's giving ☺

Comparison of Income to Our Goal

Our Goal (\$3,178 x 31) = \$98,518

Actual Giving = \$104,385

\$5,867 ABOVE

what was pledged. ☺

The offerings for July 31st \$2,907

Bills paid ~ \$2,203

TLC has an estimated **\$2,100** after paying bills.

The next payroll (\$4,700) is scheduled for Monday, August 15, 2016

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Comparison of Attendance Thirty-first Sunday of the year

Sunday worship, Wednesday worship, Bible classes & Sunday School

2015 - 93

2016 - 105

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Old Testament - Genesis 15:1-6

Epistle - Hebrews 11:1-16

Holy Gospel - Luke 12:22-34 (35-40)

THIS WEEK	08/07/16 12 th Sunday after Pentecost	08/10/16	08/14/16 13 th Sunday after Pentecost
Acolyte	Elders	Elders	Elders
Altar Guild	Denise Wegner	Denise Wegner	Denise Wegner
Audio	NOA	Maryanne Chapman	NOA
Video	Blaize Wegner	NOA	NOA
Duty Elders	Jerry Grosenick Roy Arves	Bob Nommensen	Dennis Philipp Len Koelbel
Organist	Joy Suek	NOA	Joy Suek
Trustee On-Call	NOA	NOA	NOA
Counters	Shawn & Jenny Shaw		Shawn & Jenny Shaw
Ushers	Alan Wegner		Alan Wegner

PRAYER REQUESTS

For prayer requests, please call the church office 452-2121 or email us at trinity@trinity-mt.org

We pray for:

~the people affected by the Roaring Lion and Copper King fires and those who are working to protect them and their property.

~**Gary Shelden** who has received a diagnosis of prostate cancer and will begin treatment soon.

~**Rose Shelden** who is recovering from hip replacement surgery.

~**Lenny Koelbel** (Len Koelbel's son) who had neck fusion surgery on July 11th.

~**Sandra Baranko** who fell recently and broke her leg.

~**Chris Wallace**, LWML district president, who has received a clean scan following chemo.

~**Janet** (Jerry Grosenick's sister) who is dealing with an infection following her reconstructive surgery.

~**Kat Blumhorst** who is recovering from foot surgery.

~**Sherrie Blomstrom** who was hospitalized recently but is doing better.

~**Harry**, (Penny Hill's brother) who is having some medical issues and needs prayers for health and healing.

~**Marek Wojak** (son-in-law of Rose & Gary Shelden) whose biopsy results came back non-malignant but who is dealing with a urinary tract infection.

~**Debbe Wojak** (Gary & Rose Shelden's daughter) who is undergoing testing for whooping cough.

~**Patsy Clark**, (Justin Lee's mother-in-law) who had a bone marrow transplant.

~**Ruan Paul** (the son of a friend of Pastor Paul's in South Africa) who is struggling with depression and recovering from self-inflicted wounds.

~**Kim Mansch** (sister in law of Scott Mansch) who had a brain tumor removed.

~**Freddy** (Rose & Gary Sheldon's daughter Debbe and son-in law Marek's 3 year old nephew) who had a brain tumor removed.

~**Reverend Erich Kaelberer** who is battling ALS.

~**Kristal Dawson** (Jenny Shaw's sister) who has been diagnosed with CLLQ11 Leukemia. The treatment is to watch and wait.

~**David** (Ellen Carpenter's son) that he may stay true to his faith in God and start coming back to church again.

~**Jennifer** (friend of Judy and Keener Boyce's niece) who has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon and liver cancer at age 34.

~**David & Gloria Polley** (Ellen Carpenter's brother); David has progressive Alzheimer's and his symptoms have worsened.

We pray God's peace and comfort for our members who continue to battle health issues and for our shut-ins:

Paul Birkholz, Ilene Leishman, Betty Quickenden, Betty Tynes (Sherri Blomstrom's mother), **Gary Adams Alice Irion, Lydia Laubach Evelyn McNaight Emma Millet Alene Morrell Gladine Nehus Alvina Presler** (Millie Birkholz's mother) **Audrey Remus Ruth Schwartzenberger Myrtle Storhaug and Ted Young.**

We pray for those serving in the military: **Tech Sgt Tanner Tilton**, (Millie Birkholz's grandson) US Air Force; **Senior Airman Brady Toole**, US Air Force; **Tech Sgt Jared Dudden**, US Air Force; **Steffen Meeks** (grandson of Sherrie Blomstrom), US Army; **Michael Somerfeld**, (son of Gary & Mary Somerfeld) US Navy Nuclear Submarine Tech

HAPPY 25TH BIRTHDAY WEE DISCIPLES!

***Come and help us celebrate at our
open house on August 10th***

from

4:00 to 7:00 pm



***Jesus said, "Let the little children come to
me..."***

Matthew 19:14





Come join us for

“Sunday Worship in the Park”

Sunday, August 28, 2016

IN

ODDFELLOWS PARK!

Service will be at 10:00 am



Following the service stay and join us for a potluck picnic.

*Bring your lawn chairs,
eating utensils (plates, forks,
cups, etc.)*

and

*A salad, side dish or dessert
to share*



The church will provide the chicken and lemonade.

Come share in the fellowship and fun.