



St. John's Lutheran Church

Sharing God's Grace, Serving Through Love

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost - Sunday, July 23, 2017

THANKS FOR GRACE...

Family Promise

Thanks be to God for the many volunteers who helped make the Family Promise host week run smoothly. If you were unable to volunteer, the next opportunity will be the week of October 29, 2017.

Wednesday Nights Together Picnic

Thanks be to God for all who gathered on Wednesday evening for a picnic! Spending time together is a great joy and gift from God. Thanks to all who cooked and brought dishes to share!

Wild Goose Festival

Pastor Shannon says thanks be to God for the opportunity to attend this amazing, progressive Christian festival held in the mountains of NC! He attended numerous worship services and workshops at this 3-day event which featured over 200 different speakers, musical events, and worship opportunities. It was very inspirational and nourishing. Thanks for making this possible through providing continuing education time and dollars.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE...

"Adopt a Backpack"

Donations needed by July 30

All members are invited to consider a special gift of \$15 to "Adopt a Backpack" which will be prepared for children who are attending summer school camp at the Franciscan Center on St. Helena. The Monday morning

sewing group has used donated fabric to make backpacks for the children. A donation of \$15 will help purchase school supplies in bulk for each of these backpacks. Please place your donations, marked Adopt a Backpack, in a Sunday offering envelope. You may also donate online; look for the adopt a backpack line item. You can check-out the sample backpack in the narthex. If you have any questions, contact Melinda Ellis in person or email her at mmellism@gmail.com.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW...

Wednesday Nights Together

Summer Schedule UPDATE:

August 16 & 30

Supper 5:30 pm, Program 6:15 pm

Note that in July and August we are NOT following a normal schedule. All are invited for dinner and program! Please join us for fellowship and faith formation.

ELCA Youth Gathering Meeting

Youth in Grades 8-12

TODAY, July 23, 9:30 am and Noon

The next ELCA Youth Gathering will be held in Houston, Texas in June 2018! Registration begins this September. TODAY, July 23, we will hold two PARENTS' meetings to share information about registration for the Gathering, immediately after each service, in the Mission Building. If you cannot attend one of these meetings, contact Pastor Shannon or Laura to schedule an alternate meeting.

South Carolina Lutheran

Copies of the July/August issue of the SC Lutheran are available in the narthex. Please pick up a copy today.

Lutheran Men in Mission

Wednesday, August 2, 6:30 pm

All men are invited to the LMM monthly meeting for fellowship and Bible study.

Young Adult Monthly Gathering

Friday, August 11, 6ish

Location to be announced

This month we gather on August 11, at 6ish. Bring an appetizer or dessert to share. If you would like to host this week, contact Jordan or Pastor Shannon. SjBft.org/YoungAdultInfo

Sergeant Jasper Park

Sunday, August 20-2-6 pm

This picnic is for all ages and everyone is invited to participate! We will meet at Sergeant Jasper Park, 1458 Red Dam Road, Hardeeville, SC. The Picnic Shelter has been reserved for us. We will be grilling and everyone should bring an accompaniment or dessert to share. Mark your calendar, you won't want to miss this great outing.

Stand4land Taxpayer

Empowerment Workshop

Saturday, July 29, 9 am-4 pm

The empowerment workshop, which is free and open to the public, will be held here at St. John's this coming Saturday. The workshop will provide information related to land ownership, taxes, and many other property issues.

This Week's Calendar

Today	July 23
8:15 am	Worship
9:30 am	Youth Gathering
	Meeting-Mission Bldg
10:30 am	Worship
12:00 pm	Youth Gathering
	Meeting-Mission Bldg
2:30 pm	Threshold Singers
3:00 pm	Helena House Bingo
Monday	
9:30 am	Sewing Group
6:45 pm	Harbormasters
Tuesday	
6:00 pm	Softball St. John's vs Decibel at the Burton Wells Rec Center
6:30 pm	LCC Board Meeting
Thursday	
2:30 pm	Writer's Group
Saturday	
9:00 am	Taxpayer Empowerment Workshop
Next Sunday	July 30
8:15 am	Worship
10:30 am	Worship
3:00 pm	Helena House Bingo

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ATTENDANCE, 7-16-17	
8:15 - 37	10:30 - 64
OFFERINGS RECEIVED	
7-16-17	
Toward Budget	\$ 5,732.15
(weekly budget needed is \$8,367)	
Toward Designated Funds	\$ 670.00

Prayer List

<i>Our Deepest Sympathy to the family of Logan Agnew who died July 6. Logan was the great-nephew of member Carol Hunter.</i>	Scot Cooler	Alice Miller
<i>Our Deepest Sympathy to the family of Lynette Sheffield who died July 18. Lynette was the sister of Jan Wiersma and aunt of member Jeri Casper.</i>	John Corriher	Anna Minich
Homebound	Brian & Sherri Cowan	Ed Moser
Tom MacNew , Victory House	Kailey Crochet	Beverly Mullen
Lucy Sox-Gruel , Colorado	Belinda Crout	Macy Mullen
Elsie Watson , New York	Linda Dale	Heather Mullins
Dorothy Zinser , Maryland	Dave & Ruth	Rebekah North
Deployed	Grant Davenport	Carl & Sandi Patty
T. DeWayne Ryherd	David Dean	Karla Peterson
Special Needs	Marlene Deeter	David Pettigru
Nic Abrams	Ryan Denny	Betty Pfister
Nathan Adams	Ken Deprez	Dorothy Pierson
Pat Adams	Temple Erickson	Daniel Purcell
Donna Arand	John Farraro	Dawn Ramsey
Diane Baker	Ron Gann	Joy Rice
Boubou Barry	Angela Gearhart	Linda Richards
Jeanie Bassett	Wilma Goertz	Mikki Rolain
Buddy Beam	Harold & Rexi Grayson	Elaina Ruchstaetter
Peggy Belcher	Payton Green	Ellen Rundle
Sean Blackburn	Stone Gurley	Amanda Russell
Felicia Blankenship	Gus Gustafson	Mathew Selby
Steve Blaschke	Penny Jo Gustafson	Mike Setzler
Beth Boblasky	Wallis Hallman	Diana Sheffield
Bob Bougher	Ellis Hamm	Wayne Smith
Hal Bridges	Patti Hanville	Tim Snell
Christy Brown	Ken Harwood	Chris Snuffer
George Brown	Dale Hayes	Jerry Snuffer
Jerry Byrd	Betty Herrod	Renee Spears
Dan Camp	Scott Hershberger	Holly Knotts Stites
Will Campbell	Hogan Hildreth	Ricky Taylor
Dwayne Car	Charles Holley	Glenn & Amy Thompson
Rick Chapman	Ardith Holzmacher	Dr. Patricia Thompson
Matt Clancy	Carol Hunter	Kyleigh Tokar
James Collins	Ruth Igney	June Vest
Sarah Colwell	John Jolly	Belle Vogl
Pat Cooler	Jamie Jones	Edd Wicker
	Guy Kimball	Lee Witter
	Lori Klein	Mary Ellen Witter
	Allen Kuehn	Bob Ziemmer
	Deb Kulcher	
	Lary Leonard	
	Michile Lorenzo	
	Lily Malphrus	
	Bruce Marshall	
	Clara McKee	
	Clara Meetze	
	Virginia Mickey	