

TRINITY TIDBITS ~ OCTOBER 9, 2016

SERVANTS IN WORSHIP

ELDER OF THE MONTH

Clyde Schroeder

ALTAR STEWARD

Lisa Benjamin

GREETERS

Susan Smiley & Linda McCormick

USHERS

Tim Hartley & Bill Pfingsten - Center Aisle

Rick & Zach Halliburton - Side Aisles

ACOLYTE

Gabriel Alvarado

CLEANING

October 9 - 15 – Cheatham

DISCIPLESHIP FOR CHRIST

Weekly Budget Needs – \$2,488.62

Last Week's Tithes & Offerings – \$5,733.00

Attendance Last Sunday – 74

70 Members, 4 Visitors

LIFE THOUGHTS – Jesus' Gospel gives us God as Father and a whole family as well. True faith and real joy recognize and receive "Your people [as] my people" (Ruth 1:16-17), witnesses who sympathize and strengthen us (2 Timothy 2:2), however impaired or dependent they may be (Luke 17:12-14). *Good Shepherd, lead us to love Your people as You love us through them. Amen. Life Thoughts are based on the appointed readings from Lutheran Service Book*

LIFE QUOTES – "Your witness can speak for the speechless. Your words can give value to people considered disposable. Remember that in heaven these disabled folks will be your equal in every way. What will they say to you when you meet there? God's stars see God's handiwork in all people." *Rev. Mark Jeske, www.timeofgrace.org – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

STEWARDSHIP - Luke 17:19 And He said to him, "Arise, go your way. Your faith has made you well." Only one of the ten lepers cleansed returns to give thanks to Jesus. Why is that? Surely the rest were indeed thankful to be freed from such a terrible disease. But only the Samaritan leper had faith: and his faith turned into action, as all true faith does. Our generosity to God's work in the Church is likewise our faith in action. *Stewardship bulletin blurbs are provided by LCMS Stewardship Ministry*

THIS WEEK ON ...Issues, Etc.

The topics to be discussed on this week's Issues, Etc. include: *Who Is the Main Actor in Lutheran Worship?, The Sacrament of the Altar, The Parable of the Persistent Widow, Ruth, Philip the Deacon, & more.* Listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY – OCTOBER 9

9:30 a.m. - Worship & Communion

10:45 a.m. - Bible Study & Sunday School

12:30 p.m. - Confirmation

MONDAY – OCTOBER 10

8:30 a.m. - Bible Study

6:00 p.m. – Elders' Meeting

7:00 p.m. – Church Council Meeting

TUESDAY – OCTOBER 11

No Parents' Day Out

Fall Break

WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 12

10:30 a.m. - Bible Study

THURSDAY – OCTOBER 6

No Parents' Day Out

Fall Break

SATURDAY – OCTOBER 15

8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. - Church Bazaar

ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers on our altar today are given by Clyde & Carolyn Schroeder in celebration of their 7th Wedding Anniversary

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING/OCTOBERFEST

There will be a congregational meeting on Sunday, October 30, immediately following the worship service. Following the meeting, we will have our 5th Sunday Potluck celebrating Octoberfest.

FALL CHURCH BAZAAR & BAKE SALE

Our Fall Bazaar is this Sat., Oct. 15 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Items donated for the sale should be clean & in good working condition. Handmade crafts to sell would be greatly appreciated. Please bring these items in by Wed. Oct. 12 and leave in the designated room across from the kitchen. We also need donations of baked goods to sell. Please bring your baked goods in on Friday, Oct. 14 and place in the kitchen. Hotdogs, chips and a drink will be available for \$5. Proceeds will go to Pastor Shaw's son-in-law, Peter Adelson, who is attending Concordia Seminary in St. Louis. If you have any questions, contact Debbie Scott at 615-642-3400. Thanks for your help! Let's have a great sale!

SEND ITEMS TO MATTHEW BENJAMIN

Matthew Benjamin, who is presently serving in the U.S. Navy, has been deployed. We are collecting items to send to him and his fellow sailors. Here is a list of items we will be collecting: travel size toiletries; snacks such as beef jerky, Slim Jims, protein bars, nuts, and dried fruit. Also sports magazines, encouraging notes and cards would be greatly appreciated.

Let us pray

**That the Good News of Jesus Christ
will be heard and accepted throughout the world.*

** For our country, that we may be true to our spiritual
heritage and become truly 'one nation, under God.'
May our leaders seek God for guidance and strength.*

**For those who are serving in our military... watch
over and protect them as they serve our country to
keep our nation safe.*

CANCER PATIENTS

- *John Bain (Gramse) - lung cancer
- *Helen Dunsing (Al & Doris Mann's daughter)
- *Brandi Cajudo (Cheatham)
- *Don Copley (Replogle) – bone cancer
- *Shirley Duke, (Rosalie Replogle's daughter's
mother-in-law) – breast cancer
- *Janet Edwards (Debbie Scott's Aunt) lung, liver &
Spleen cancer
- *John Hall - esophageal & stomach cancer
- *Lisa Hampton (Gramse) – Hospice
- *Kimberly Heaney (Linda Pfeiffer's daughter-in-law)
- *Margaret Henson (Halliburton) - breast cancer
- *Kendra Jackson (friend of Kaia Howard)
- *Joyce Jewell (Irelan)
- *Karin Jones (Shaw) – lung surgery
- *Lori Landry (Bush) – in Hospice care
- *Bob Price (Norm Kraemer's brother-in-law)
- *Mary Alice Riesterer (Tom's mother)
- *Brandi Shrum (Replogle)
- *Carol Simpson (Adelsen)
- *Ted Stenberg (Rosalie Replogle's brother)
- *Karen Walsh (Shaw) - pancreatic cancer
- *Harley Danielle Watts (granddaughter of Rob
Benjamin's co-worker)
- *Helene Welches (Replogle)
- *Karl Woodard (Replogle)

MILITARY

- *Matthew Benjamin - deployed
- *Zac Enko (son of Emmanuel Lutheran's pastor)
- *Christopher Greenwood (Cheri Buttrey-Jenkins'
Nephew)
- *Adam Rachuy (son of Prince of Peace's pastor)



HEALTH CONCERNS

- *Beverly Bell (Bush) – aneurism
- *Titus Davenport (Bush) – infant – brain surgery
- *Tom Edwards (Debbie Scott's uncle)
- *Keith Engblom (Benjamin) - rheumatoid arthritis
- *Betty Gragg – recovering from surgery
- *Mary Jo Hall (Teara Scott) – heart attack
- *Mary Hammond (Teara Scott's aunt)
- *Max Hampton (Gramse) – back issues
- *Charlene Harwell (Jeremy Owen's grandmother)
- *Victor Hooge
- *Max Irelan (Jeanne's husband)
- *Kilian (Benjamin) – infant with heart problems
- *Kathy Martinez (Loftis) - corneal neuropathy
- *Nicholas Maura (Clinard) – depression
- *Nancy (Susan Gramse' sister) – pacemaker
- *Jessie Nelson - hospice care
- *Bobbie Newby (Replogle)
- *Greg Nienaber - kidney issues
- *Gus Olsen (Bush) – heart problems
- *Rosalie Replogle - shingles
- *Betty Ruemler (Randy's Mother) – recovering from
additional surgery
- *David Sokol (Lisa Benjamin's father)
- *Ruth Sokol (Lisa Benjamin's mother)
- *Marie Wall

THANKSGIVING

*For God's ever-present and undeserved
protection and for the freedom and liberty He has
so graciously given us.

OTHER NEEDS

*Couples whose marriages are experiencing
difficulties