

ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 20, 2016

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

STEPHEN'S MINISTRY – Our Stephen's Ministry is going well. Leaders are Susan Spicer and Sherril Hunze, and members are Wendy Slifka, Tiffany Smolter, Sally Collver, Beth Buckner, Dan Jordan, and John Mueller. Remember that they are available to help anyone, including families of our school children who are not members of FLC. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue their ministry.

EASTER LILIES – Today is your last chance to order Easter lilies. Order forms can be found on a table at the back of the sanctuary. Please have your order and check made payable to First Lutheran Church in the amount of \$13.00 for each lily to the church secretary by Monday, March 21.

55 ALIVE – Douglas Rodenbeck, our member at FLC, will give a presentation on "The National Debt, How it Affects You Personally" on Thursday, April 14, at 12:00 noon with a delicious luncheon at \$7.00/person. He was a government official for over 30 years with responsibility for financial administration. Mr. Rodenbeck was also an Extension educator with Purdue University in the Department of Consumer and Family Science. What a special time to fellowship and learn more how to manage our pocketbook!

REPEAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

USHERS REQUIRED – Many members of the usher team have worked together for a long time and FLC is blessed to have these people. There are 4 usher teams and additional men are required to fill some vacant positions within the usher groups. Training will be provided and a suit is not required to be worn. If you can help or would like more information, please speak to any usher or leave Keith Hodson a note in his mailbox #57.

ONLY A FEW pecans and cashews left! New crop (no cold storage):

Pecan Halves (Mammoth) -- \$10.00

Pecan Pieces -- \$8.00

Cashews -- \$9.00

Shellia Byrd

GREETERS NEEDED – Volunteers are needed to

be greeters, especially for the 10:30 service. If you are interested, please let Marilyn Waldeck-Wing know, e-mail marilynwaldeckwing@gmail.com or phone 938.4532

LUTHERAN WITNESS – A member has provided 25 copies of The Lutheran Witness for use by the congregation. If you would like to have a copy, please see an usher.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE LAST WEEK

Sunday Attendance – 190

Wednesday Attendance – 95

Total Attendance – 285

Offering Needed – \$6,086.54

Total Offering Received – \$2,900.84

Year-to-date Needed – \$216,778.06

Year-to-date Received – \$229,610.68

THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN March 21-27, 2016

Monday	6:00 p.m.	Book of Isaiah
	6:00 p.m.	Soccer
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	School Chapel
	3:45 p.m.	Word & Song
	5:30 p.m.	Luth. Ring. Rehears.
	7:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Worship Service
Friday	NO SCHOOL / NO ECE	
	9:00-9:00	Prayer Vigil
	12:00 p.m.	Worship Service
	8:00 p.m.	Service of Darkness
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Mission Serve
	3:00 p.m.	Soccer
Sunday	7:00 a.m.	Sunrise Service
	8:00 a.m.	Breakfast
	9:15 a.m.	SS & Bible Classes
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service

SERVING US NEXT WEEK

Duty Elder:

Ushers: Group 4 (Keith Hodson, Head)

Communion Assts:

Acolytes: Caleb Davis & Paul Hunze

OVER

PRAYER LIST

If you would like to add or delete an item on the Prayer List, please call our office at (865) 524-0366 by Wednesday noon each week.

Homebound (*Nursing Home): Margot Bridges, Gladys Frankenberg, Evelyn Haynes, Ralph & Dottie Mertz, Blaine Smith, Harold & Katherine Whitaker, *Jerry Wing

Serving Our Country: Brett Anthonijs, Robert Boatman, Isaac Davis, Chad Keiser, Matt Kaiser, Adam Smith, Jeff Stone

Other Prayer Requests:

Members with Sickness or Burdens

Inez Anderson (cancer) Kim Robinson (liver disease)
Brion Bissell (blood disorder) Carl Testerman (cancer)
Connie Bowling (cancer) Judy Testerman (cancer)
Gene Franklin (having tests) Bob VanDervort (cancer)
Judy Kelley (hip surgery) the Varner family
Arnold & Donna Korte Don & Carolyn Weaver
Sharon Mueller

Non-Members with Sickness or Burdens

Gabe Blake (Kara Sircy's friend), cancer free after 6 rounds of chemo; pray for continued healing
Vicki Basler Booth (Shirley Watson's niece) with cancer of the ear
Diane Baum's mother, who is ill
Julie Brummitt (Jim & Rosa Beck's daughter)
B. Cox (Mary Acuff Croes' friend) experiencing health diagnostic procedures
Carroll DeArmond (Karen's husband) with dementia
Steven Dew (Carolyn Weaver's friend)
Dawn Duckett (Wendy Slifka's friend), undergoing surgery and 8 weeks recovery
Susan Elseroad (Pastor Elseroad's wife) with lung cancer
James Flanigan (Eric's brother)
Jenny Frazier (Carla Poore's boss's niece), needs your continuing prayers of supplication and intercession as she will be undergoing aggressive radiation treatment at UAB prior to being evaluated at Vanderbilt for an 18-month immunotherapy clinical trial, and prayers of thanksgiving for these beneficial opportunities.

Andy Fultz (the Rodenbeck's relative) who is facing serious health issues
Madison Haynes (Joy Witt's relative)
Brian Hinkel (Art Poisal's friend) with complications after back surgery
Helen Linderfelt (Lynda Graves' friend)
Joyce Lipscomb (the Elmores' friend)
Ammette Lotivio (Marc Blais's friend) with pancreatic cancer
Beryl Lusbay
Joanne Mattingly
Barbara Mills (the Rodenbeck family's friend), having emergency surgery in Nashville
Phil Moore (Mary Acuff Croes' friend)
Darlene O'Brien (Art Poisal's co-worker) with lymphoma
Tom O'Brien (Marissa Wilson's co-worker's husband) with prostate cancer
Evie Ortmeier (Mary Acuff Croes' relative)
Tom Roberts (Sara's grandfather) with Alzheimer's
Susan Rodenbeck's sister, with cancer
Daniel Rule (the Slifkas' friend) suffering from RSD
Jason Rutledge
Connie Warren (Slifka family friend), undergoing breast cancer treatment
Jennifer Wells (Bob Hotaling's co-worker) having 2-3 hour surgery for brain & spine injuries with 6-8 weeks recovery time
Lorrie (Tiffany Smolter's mother)
The family and co-workers of Rich Poff (Marissa Wilson's co-worker) who committed suicide
Jackson (Art Poisal's friend) with leukemia
Joel (newborn son of Jennifer Elmore's customer) struggling with health problems