

ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 24, 2016

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

55 ALIVE will meet at noon on Thursday, May 12, with a delectable luncheon at \$7.00/person. Pastor Bushur will speak on "Something from His Heart." Hope to see you there!

NO MORE CHOIR PRACTICE for now. We will resume again in the fall.

REPEAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW FIRE ALARM SYSTEM for our school needs funding: The Fire Marshall is requiring that our school fire alarm system must meet the current code standards for the safety of our children and the new system **MUST** be installed by May 8, 2016; otherwise, the school is at risk of being shut down until they are up to code. At the February 23rd Voters' Meeting the motion to authorize the Trustees to get this work completed was approved at a cost of \$25,000. Since the school is a critical part of our Ministry to our community, we as members are being asked to raise this amount by the end of May. Please pray for our school and make a gift to keep our school safe for our children. A progress chart will be posted on the bulletin board across from our mail boxes showing weekly updates.

STEPHEN'S MINISTRY – Our Stephen's Ministry is going well. Leaders are Susan Spicer and Sherril Hunze, and members are Wendy Slifka, 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.

ONLY A FEW pecans and cashews left!
New crop (no cold storage):
Pecan Halves (Mammoth) -- \$10.00
Pecan Pieces -- \$8.00

Cashews -- \$9.00

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

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE LAST WEEK

Sunday Attendance – 229

Wednesday Word and Song – 58

Wednesday Attendance – 45

Total Attendance – 332

Offering Needed – \$6,086.54

Total Offering Received – \$4,026.21

Year-to-date Needed – \$247,343.78

Year-to-date Received – \$275,453.60

THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN

April 25-May 1, 2016

Monday	9:30 a.m. Quilting
	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.
	6:30 p.m. Worship Service
	7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
Friday	6:15 p.m. Athletic Banquet
Saturday	3:00 p.m. Soccer
Sunday	9:15 a.m. SS & Bible Classes
	10:30 a.m. Worship Service

SERVING US NEXT WEEK

Duty Elder: Greg Buckner

Ushers: Group 1 (Barry Lyke, Head)

Communion Assts: John Mueller

Acolytes: Paul Hunze & Timothy Toomire

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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)
Toni Capparelli (Lawrence Capparelli's father)
Elizabeth Clabaugh (Doug Rodenbeck's sister-in-law) in intensive after emergency surgery and not doing well
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) was accepted into the clinical trial at Vanderbilt University Medical Center and has already received a week of oral medication and one infusion treatment; please continue to pray for her pain relief and a positive response to treatment

Andy Fultz (the Rodenbeck's relative) who is facing serious health issues

Glen Haynes (member of Richard Haynes' family), who is very ill

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)

Annette 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 Ortmeyer (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

Renate Wille (Elisabeth Krueger's sister in Germany) who had a bad fall

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