



THANK YOU to Evelyn Lough for special music in our 8:30 am service today.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the second quarter are available in the narthex this morning. Please take yours to save us postage.

WOMEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY will be held on Thursday, July 19th at 10 am in the Parlor. The theme is Prayer. All are welcome!

PARISH EDUCATION POTLUCK

Everyone who helped with Sunday School or Mid-Week Ministry is invited to a cookout on Saturday, July 21st at 5pm at the home of Rod and Corina Smith. Families are encouraged to attend. Please bring a dish to share and a lawn chair. Meat and beverage will be provided. RSVP to Mrs. Raylee Brown by **today** with the number of people attending.

COFFEE HOUR HELP: A team is needed to host coffee and donut fellowship this fall. Sign up this summer to "shadow" Jon Davis and learn how it's done. The sign-up sheet is in the gym.

FELC Cross Generational Event



Quilting with the Grannies Tuesday, August 7th 9AM-3PM

Bring a sack lunch. Snacks are provided.

Everyone is welcome to this day of quilting!

The FELC Quilters are hosting this fun, educational day for all ages and skill levels. Kids and adults will try their hand at quilting, complete a project of their own and contribute to a LWR quilt to be sent overseas.

Children do not need a parent or grandparent present, but they must be able to focus and stay engaged in the activity.

For questions or additional information, please contact Char Davis or Mrs. Brown.

Sign up and pay \$10 fee by Sunday, July 29th.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST ENGLISH

Today, July 15

- 8:30 am TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
- 9:30 am Coffee Hour
- 11:00 am CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

Monday, July 16

- Family Core Camp Mon-Fri 9-3
- 4-7 pm Communication Junction

Tuesday, July 17

- 9:00 am Quilting
- 9:00 am Text Study
- 4-6 pm Richwoods Cheerleading

Wednesday, July 18

- 9-11 am Communication Junction

Thursday, July 19

- 10:00 am Women's Bible study
- 4-6 pm Richwoods Cheerleading
- 4:30 pm All Staff meeting

Saturday, July 21

- 9:00 am God's Work Our Hands
planning meeting at Faith,
Washington
- 5:00 pm Parish Ed. Staff potluck at
Rod & Corina Smith's home

Next Sunday, July 22

- 8:30 am TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
- 9:30 am Coffee Hour
- 11:00 am CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

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SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR AUGUST WORSHIP

ASSISTANTS are now posted on the bulletin board near the office.

Hospitalized This Week:

Methodist: Robert Caldwell

If you or a loved one are hospitalized or hear of a member who is, please let the church office know.

Altar Flowers are given by Kitty Willman in loving memory of Quentin's birthday on July 19th.

Memorial: Sympathy is extended to David and Patti Stoens on the loss of David's sister, Connie Jenkins, on June 30th. Please remember the family in your prayers.

Prayer Requests: Requests for the prayer chain may be submitted by filling out a prayer request card and placing it in the offering plate or call/ e-mail Martha Schmitt at mschmitt9911@yahoo.com.

Loose Coins: All loose coins in the offering today go to local hunger. The loose coin offering for last week was \$16.52.

Attendance: Last Sunday (July 8):
8:30 am – 65; 11am – 80; Total – 145
Sunday School: 26

ALTAR FLOWERS: There are open dates to donate flowers for Sundays in the next few months. If you would like to donate, please sign up on the bulletin board near the church office. Cost is \$28.

CARE CARDS: Please remember in prayer youth and adults attending Leadership Lab from July 23-28. Care cards are available in the narthex if you wish to make out care cards and notes of encouragement for those attending:

Allie Dewey	Kelsey Brown
Gavin Dewey	Kejuan Jones
Imani Hester	Kelsey Perkinson
Conrad Mayer	Katlyn Reimer
Kristina Perkinson	Nathan Reimer
Julianna Rees	Brodie Wileman
Hannah Rich	Raylee Brown
Kate Setti	

Care cards should be placed in the care card bin in the narthex. Cards are due **today**.

Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

**SEE YOU AT THE BALL PARK
CROSS GENERATIONAL EVENING
Peoria Chiefs Game
August 31st – 6:30 pm**

Let's all enjoy some fun at Dozer Park and watch the Peoria Chiefs take on the Kane County Cougars. We'll meet at 6:30pm, with fireworks after the game. We will be getting a group of Dugout Box Seats. Tickets are \$10 each. Invite your friends and family.

Please sign up by August 12th. The sooner you sign up the better. If you have questions please contact Kari Gosteli - kari@gosteli.org.

**"2018 FOR CHANGE" CAMPAIGN
East Bluff Neighborhood Housing
Services**

From now until the end of July, we are collecting loose change to benefit the East Bluff Neighborhood Housing Services. The mission of the EBNHS is to strengthen the East Bluff Neighborhood by providing resident support services. The collection can is located on the Welcome Table in the main FELC entrance. For more information see www.ebnhs.com.

DID YOU KNOW...

- Two of the eight ELCA seminaries are located in Region 5—our region? They are the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago and Wartburg Theological Seminary, Dubuque, IA. For more information about ELCA seminaries and Colleges and Universities, visit the synod website at www.csis-elca.org.
- According to a Reader's Digest blurb (April, 2016), \$77,000 in assets puts you in the world's wealthiest 10 percent? "And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything you may share abundantly in every good work." (II Corinthians 9:8)
- A Mission Interpreter can help your congregation stay informed about ministry in your congregation, the synod and across the ELCA? To see how you can serve your congregation as a Mission Interpreter, contact Doreen Klages at (618) 632-0448 or dklages@att.net

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

	8:30 am	11:00 am
Asstg. Minister	Kathy Neptun	---
Lectors	Lee Maki	Steve Brown
Comm. Assts.	Marilee Tilly, Mark Neptun	Raylee and Steve Brown
Ushers	Hans Engel, Allen Mayer, Emma and Mark Rees	Steve Brown, Rod and Corina Smith
Acolytes	Gabe Ross	JoLyn Allison
Altar Guild	Marcia Lough	Kathy Yocum
Altar Guild – Set up July 21: Laurie Judd		

SERVING IN WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, July 22

	8:30 am	11:00 am
Asstg. Minister	Beth Stalker	---
Lectors	Pam Anderson	Art Patay
Comm. Assts.	Pam Anderson, Gigi Kinkade	
Ushers	Hans Engel, Allen Mayer, Emma and Mark Rees	Steve Brown, Rod and Corina Smith
Acolytes	Grace Therkildsen, JoLyn Allison	Gavin Riggins
Altar Guild	Mark Rees	Keri Dodson
Altar Guild – Set up July 28: Kathy Neptun		

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