

Pilgrim's Progress Weekly



Pilgrim Lutheran Church, 2155 N. Oakland Ave.,
Decatur, Illinois 62526

**"Where the Bible is the inspired,
inerrant Word of God"**

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Worship Service and Bible Study Times:

Sunday Service at 8 and 10:45 A.M.
Sunday Bible Study Hour for All Ages 9:30 A.M.
Wednesday Service Year-Round 7 P.M.
[September through April] . . .
Wednesday Adult Bible Study 6 & 9:30 A.M.
Wednesday Midweek School Gr 1-8 at 4:15 P.M.
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www.unitedlutheranmission.org and www.wtsem.org

Newsletter Editor: Patti Newlin

Newsletter Deadline: 9 A.M. Wednesday

Worship Folder Deadline: 9 A.M. Tuesday.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thurs: 7 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Fri: 7 a.m. to noon

ULMA Mission Congregations

Listed are the names and addresses of the mission congregations, along with the mission pastors, of our United Lutheran Mission Association. The request was made to list them so that those of you who would like to write to our brothers and sisters and encourage them could do so. The mutual support and encouragement through such contact would truly be a blessing to all.

Agnus Dei Lutheran Church Rev James Shaw
(Physical location - Sunday mornings only): Germanna Community College, Facility II (Workforce Development & Technology Bldg) Room 105A, 10000 Germanna Point Dr., Fredericksburg VA 22408 (Mailing/Contact Address): 9820 Bartley Ct., Fredericksburg VA 22408-9226 (540) 446-0777

Christ the Rock Lutheran Church
Rev William Mack (cell 920-203-2544) Tamarack (North) & College Blvds. Carlsbad CA (10:15 a.m. worship)

May 29, 2016

SUN 5/29

8:00 Worship/Communion
9:00 WSOY Broadcast
9:30 Sunday School All Ages
10:45 Worship/Communion

MON 5/30 Church Office
Closed in observance of
Memorial Day

TUE 5/31
8:00 Quilting

WED 6/1
7:00 Worship/Communion

THU 6/2
8:00 Quilting

FRI 6/3

SAT 6/4



IN THE WORD Galatians 1:9-10

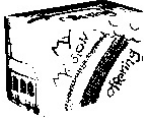
As we have said before, so now I say again: If anyone is preaching to you a gospel contrary to the one you received, let him be accursed. For am I now seeking the approval of man, or of God? Or am I trying to please man? If I were still trying to please man, I would not be a servant of Christ.

ATTENDANCE

Sunday Services 5/22: 325 ... Sunday Bible Classes: 151 - Adults 119; High School 4; Children 28
Wed Service 5/18: 45

OUR RESPONSE TO CALVARY 5/22

General: 7,493.00 ... Sunday School: 12 ... Memorials Marge Ellis: 75 ... Loose: 10 ... CDs: 22
VBS Shirts: 80 ... Donuts: 43.50 ... ULMA: 150 ... Higher Things Youth Conference: 100
Total: \$7,985.50



MITE OFFERINGS go to various missions Pilgrim Lutheran supports. **JUNE mites** will be used for the United Lutheran Mission Association. You can pick up a mite offering box on the table in the narthex, in front of the Guild bulletin board. Pilgrim members, women AND men are encouraged to use a mite offering box to collect their coins. When your mite offering box is full, place it in the decorative box on the table and take an empty mite offering box home. Thank-you!

VISITORS . .Bob Teela; Lily Harding; Grace Goeddel; Art Ohlwine; Sabré Smith; Roger Ellis



CONGRATULATIONS 2016 GRADUATES!

May 15: **Cameron Letterly** - University of Illinois, Champaign with Bachelor's Degree
May 23: **Sam Greenwood** - Mt. Zion High School
May 28: **Rebekah Carlson** - Des Moines University, Iowa with a degree in Doctor of Physical Therapy

THANK-YOU FROM . . .

Bonnie Engel thanks all who helped deliver Meals on Wheels. Your effort and time is most appreciated!

John & Karen Svendsen and family wish to thank everyone for your thoughtfulness, cards, and prayers during John's recent surgeries. We especially want to thank Pastor Brock and Pastor Bill for their hospital visits in Springfield.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEMORY VERSES 5/29

N-K: [Jesus said,] "Let the children come to Me . . . for to such belongs the kingdom of God." Mark 10:14
1-3: Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. Romans 10:9
4-6: Let the children come to Me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. Mk 10:14
7-8: But when Jesus saw it, He was indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to Me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God." Mark 10:14

UPCOMING EVENTS

6/6-10 9 a.m. to Noon Vacation Bible School Week
6/16 10:30 Shut-In Service
6/20 6:30 Council
8/27 Seminarian Matthew Schmidt Graduation at Pilgrim Lutheran Church

8/28 Seminarian Matthew Schmidt Ordination and Installation at Our Redeemer Lutheran, Forsyth
11/1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10, 11, 12 - Lifetouch will be here taking member photos for our new Pictorial Directory.
More information as we get closer to the event.

SERVING THE LORD

Acolyte Sun 6/5 To Be Announced

Coffee Servers Sun 6/5 Loren & Melinda Hiser

Communion Set-Up/Clean-up Wed 6/1 Barbara Buesking; Jo Ames

Sun 6/5 Shirley McMillen; Linda Beals; Dian Centers; Bev Myrvold; Linda Ripple; Tim & Lynn Block

Trustees 5/23-6/5 Larry Wolf; Ray Beals; Gene Wise; Terry Massey; Brett Stenger; Dave Ireland

Altar Flower Delivery 6/5 Sherry Egan

Communion Assistant Wed 6/1 Ron Kelm Sun 6/5 8:00 Gary Quandt 10:45 Greg Collingwood

Financial Secretaries Sun 6/5 Mike O'Bryan; Terry Massey; Rick Perkins; Mike Williams

Greeters Sun 6/5 8:00 Jim & Linda Snow 10:45 Ray & Linda Beals

Nursery Sun 6/5 To Be Announced

MAY BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES

5/30 Ruth Thompson

5/31 Gerda Fields; Parker Kilzer; Lois Ruwe; Brenda Workman

JUNE BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES

6/1 Ashley Whisnant

W Paul & Pamela Haynes 25 yrs - Jim & Pat Rodgers 43 yrs

6/2 Marge Beach; Kelly Carlson; David Pressley

6/3 Pat Luka; Joe Marsaglia

W Joe & Sarah Marsaglia 21 yrs

6/4 Emily Williams

6/5 **W** Ray & Linda Beals 52 yrs

6/6 Sue Black

W Cody & Ashley Lofland 1 yr

6/7 Alexis Cassell

W Scott & Sherri Hays 30 yrs - Dave & Julie Pangrac 36 yrs - Brett & Emily Stenger 8 yrs

6/8 Debbie Taylor

6/9 Andrew Scott

6/11 Leslie Roberts

W Terry & Chris Massey 39 yrs

6/12 Roger Letterly; Babe Reich (103)

6/13 Bill Roarick

6/14 Carol Harres; Gary Workman

W Doris & Bob Teela 30 yrs

6/15 **W** Craig & Jackie Goepfinger 20 yrs

6/17 Orville Fulk; Nancy Grischow; Paul Zeck

W Don & Jo-Anne Mast 18 yrs

6/18 Shannon Binder; Maryann Kissel

W Dale & Linda Workman 34 yrs

6/20 Lucas Abbott; Jim M. Snow

6/22 **W** Stan & Gail Lange 20 yrs - Paul & Donna Phillips 37 yrs

6/23 Renee Hunt; Emily Luka; Ian Rhode; Lizzie Snow; Lucy Snow

W Cory & Jan Ritter 9 yrs - Paul & Patti Zeck 48 yrs

- 6/24 Stan Mierek; Bev Myrvold
6/25 Rick Leach; Carolyn Rau; Amber Saul
6/26 Gary Quandt; Adam Rutherford
 W David & Erin Ireland 16 yrs
6/27 Jackie Goeppinger; Mason Perry
6/28 Derek Ames; Judy Greenwood; Connie Henry; Braeden Lee; Ken Wrigley
 W Mark & Paula Scott 30 yrs
6/29 Barb Luka; Nancy Quandt
6/30 Amanda Block; David Bryan
 W David & Erica Bryan 15 yrs - Greg & Michele Collingwood 26 yrs

YOUTH GROUPS UPCOMING EVENTS

PKC Grades 1-6 and their Families and PYC Grades 7-12

Sign up for activities on the PKC or PYC bulletin boards or call 877-2430 to leave a message or email kaytolly@pilgrimlutherandecatur.org or call or text 358-4401. Just a reminder that a parent or adult must attend PKC (Gr 1-6) activities with their children and everyone in the family is welcome to attend.

6/6 Vacation Bible School Week 9 a.m. to Noon

7/5-8 Higher Things Youth Conference