

ANNOUNCEMENTS June 3, 2018



WE WELCOME YOU as honored guests or treasured members.

Before the service, speak to the Lord in prayer.

During the service, listen as the Lord speaks to you through His Holy Word.

After the service, speak to one another.

(If standing or kneeling during any portion of the worship service is a problem, you may sit or remain seated.)

VISITORS & MEMBERS... Please be sure to sign the **Attendance Register** in the pew so that your visit can be noted.

ORDER OF WORSHIP is a printed Divine Service with the Lord's Supper. Refer to the *Worship Insert* for readings, hymns and to guide you through the service. A triangle Δ preceding a hymn stanza indicates that we stand for the verse(s).

CHANCEL PARAMENTS are green for the season of Pentecost to symbolize the new life in Christ's church.

CHANCEL FLOWERS... are given to the Glory of God with love by **Ron & Cheryl Geik** in celebration of their 49th wedding anniversary on June 14. Congratulations!!

PARENTS, FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE... **A CRY ROOM** is located at the back of the nave. Please do not leave children unattended. All the restrooms are equipped with changing tables.

SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES... meet at 9:30 a.m.

- **ADULT CLASS**... meets in Classroom A. All ages are welcome and encouraged to attend. *Please join us as we study and learn together.*
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL**... is meeting in the choir loft for opening each Sunday.

PLEASE LIFT UP IN PRAYER

Jennifer Beatty

Nina Blake

Earl Buchert

Harold Cox

Don Day

Elizabeth DuVall

Melanie Espich

Mid Grolich

Trudie Hovarter

Pat Jaeger

Larry Merkel

Maxine Myers

Tom Schleg

Mel Sims

Marlis Snyder

Carolyn Tanner

Jean Taylor

James Wolf

Polly Wolf

The Family of Ruth Eckman

Miller's, Plymouth: Ted Decker

Military: Haley Hampton, Jeremie Espich

Pilgrim Manor, Plymouth: Jim Allen, Bill Satorius

Don & Marlene Day wish to thank God for the many blessings over the years as they celebrate their 62nd wedding anniversary.

PRAYER LIST

Anyone whose name is on the prayer list and wishes to have it removed or anyone wishing to be added to the prayer list, please contact the church office.

PASTOR OUT OF THE OFFICE...

Pastor Ahlemeyer will be out of the office Tuesday, June 5, through Thursday, June 7. If you have a Pastoral need during this time, please contact an Elder or the church office.

WE REJOICE AND SHARE in the joy of our sister in Christ, **Ruth Eckman**, as she is now with her Lord Jesus. **Ruth** was called to her eternal rest on **Wednesday, May 23**. Her viewing and funeral was **Friday, May 25**, here at Calvary. Please keep **Dusty and her family** in your prayers. **"I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand"** – John 10:28

NO MORE PLASTIC CAPS

At this time, please discontinue bringing in your plastic caps. The Plymouth School Corporation is no longer collecting them. Thanks for your past efforts with this project.

NO BLUE JEANS

At this time, Operation Quiet Comfort **ONLY** needs **dark** blue 100% cotton jeans. Thank you for your past donations.

CHALLENGE NEWSLETTER

The June – August newsletter is out. If you have a mailbox, a copy has been placed in there. Extra copies are located on the cabinet in the Narthex. Be sure to check out Pastor Ahlemeyer's article regarding the summer Old Testament sermon series. This will be a great time to refresh your soul during the summer.

VBS PLANNING MEETINGS

Mark your calendar with the following VBS planning meeting. All who will be helping, please try to attend.

Thursday, June 7, 6:30 p.m.

PRESCHOOL GRADUATION

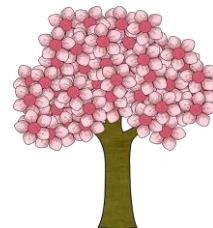



Our Preschool held graduation for the 2017-18 school year. Calvary graduated 30 preschoolers. Each graduate received *The Story Bible* to help each to continue to grow in Christ. **CONGRATULATIONS!!**

NARTHEX GIVING TREE

The Giving Tree is collecting donations to help pay for a new electronic sign for out front. The sign will be able to be changed from a computer, which will allow it to stay more current with upcoming events.

Located on the giving tree and on the bulletin board are sketches of the possible sign.



 Place your donation in an envelope and place it in the offering plate. Thank you for your continued support, it is greatly appreciated. - - **Board of Stewardship**

WORSHIP SERVICE SURVEY RESULTS

The Board of Elders have tallied the results of the worship service survey. The results will be presented at the **Special Voters' Meeting after second service on June 10**. A discussion will follow on the possibility of changing the number of worship services and times. It will also be decided what the next step should be - if there is a next step. Please plan to attend.

WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS & CO.

The Widows and Widowers & Co. will be meeting on Thursday, June 14 for a picnic and boat ride. We will leave from the church about 11:00 a.m. The picnic will be held at Lake Maxinkuckee Park in Culver at 11:30 a.m. We will bring picnic food to share. Mike Hennessy will bring his boat and will be giving boat rides.

There will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Get ready to enjoy our time together.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Pastor Ahlemeyer will be offering an Adult Confirmation class. This will be an accelerated class due to out of town participants. The dates are listed below.

Sunday, June 3 at Noon

Sunday, June 10
(after Voters' mtg.)

GRADUATION SUNDAY

Graduation is just around the corner. Calvary will recognize and offer a blessing for our 2018 High School graduates.



We will honor our graduates on Sunday, June 10, during both services.

YOUTH CANOE TRIP

The Youth will be going canoeing on Sunday, June 24. Members of the congregation are welcome to join the fun. Chaperones and drivers are needed. Please sign up on the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

Youth are asked to bring a sack lunch to eat after the 2nd service. Youth may also want to bring a snack or drink for after canoeing. We will plan to leave the church by 12:15 p.m. If you have any questions, please speak to Cindy Merton or call the church office.





Plunge in to VBS 2018! At *Splash Canyon* VBS, your children will learn God keeps His promises on life's wild ride! They'll look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, and explore five Bible accounts where our faithful God keeps His promises to be with us and gives us life and hope through Jesus, our Savior. **VBS IS JUNE 18-22, 9:00-NOON. REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 8:30 A.M.**

Registration forms are located in the Narthex on a table. Pick up one for each child. Be sure to pick some up for friends who will be attending.

Be a part of *Splash Canyon* VBS! Life is full of thrills and spills! We don't know what's around the bend, but God does! At *Splash Canyon* VBS, God's children of all ages learn the good news that God is with us and keeps His promises to us on life's wild ride! As staff members for *Splash Canyon* VBS, you have fun and share the *Splash Canyon* message with the kids! If you can help full or part time, we have many ways to be involved to suit your schedule and interests. Contact Sarah Rippey, Bev Brummett or the church office for more information.

Plunge in for VBS fun at Splash Canyon!

CONGREGATION SUPPORT

We appreciate your prayers for *Splash Canyon*, our Vacation Bible School being held on June 18-22. Ask God to bring children to our program so they can know and grow in Jesus, our Savior! Ask God to provide leaders and helpers for this important mission.



SNACK DONATIONS

Donations are needed for the snacks each day. A list is displayed in the Narthex on a easel. Please take a moment to sign up. Thank you for your generosity in advance.

LOOKING AHEAD



- June 12 Braille 9:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m.
Board of Trustees 6:30 p.m.
- June 14 Widows & Widowers Picnic/Boat Ride @ Lake Maxinkuckee 11:30 a.m.
(meet at the church at 11:00 a.m., if you want to carpool)
- June 14-15 IN District Convention @ Fort Wayne
- June 17 VBS Volunteers' Commissioning (both services)
- June 18-22 VBS 9:00 a.m. – Noon
- June 21 Women's Guild Picnic @ Dawn Seifer's home at 6:00 p.m.
- June 24 Youth Canoe Trip
- June 29-July 1 IN District LWML Convention
- July 7 Ewing/Ritter Wedding Rehearsal 5:00 p.m.
- July 8 Board of Youth and Youth Families meeting (after 2nd service)
Ewing/Ritter Wedding 2:00 p.m.
- July 10 Board of Trustees 6:30 p.m.

THOSE WHO SERVE TODAY (6/3)

ACOLYTE: Shella Ahlemeyer (10:45)
ALTAR GUILD: Pat Jaeger, Jan Rusch
ELDER: John Ott (8:15)
Adam Beery (10:45)
GREETERS: Jane Allen (8:15)
Dan & Jeanne Tanner (10:45)
ORGANIST: Sarah Rippy
TELLERS: Jan Rusch
USHERS: Gene Matzat, Jim Ross (8:15)
Jack Holm, Paul Skibbe (10:45)

THOSE WHO SERVE NEXT WEEK (6/10)

ACOLYTE: Bowen Meyer (10:45)
ALTAR GUILD: Pat Jaeger, Jan Rusch
ELDER: Gene Matzat (8:15)
Ron Geik (10:45)
GREETERS: Ed & Teri Schoof (8:15)
Rich & Michelle Buchert (10:45)
ORGANIST: Linda Matzat
TELLERS: Angie Brummett
USHERS: Adam Beery, Ralph Wille (8:15)
Mike Hennessy, Devin Straka (10:45)

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE (June 3 - 10)

TODAY **Divine Service with the Lord's Supper, 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.**
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
Adult Confirmation Class Noon

MONDAY Board of Elders Meeting 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAY Winkle @ Trinity in Elkhart
Braille 9:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m.

THURSDAY VBS Meeting 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY **Worship, 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.**
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
Graduation Sunday
Special Voters' Meeting (after 2nd service)
Adult Confirmation (after Voters' meeting)