

Coming Events

MON	SEPT 23	12:00	Luncheon Bible Study
		7:00	Choir Practice
WED	SEPT 25	7:00	Evening Bible Study
THUR	SEPT 26	6:45	Bell Choir
SUN	SEPT 29	<u>16th Sunday after Pentecost</u>	
		8:00	Worship
		9:15	Sunday School
		10:30	Worship
		11:45	Confirmation Lunch & Session
MON	SEPT 30	12:00	Luncheon Bible Study
		7:00	Choir Practice
TUES	OCT 1	10:00	Lord & Ladies Bible Study
		11:00	Property Meeting
WED	OCT 2	7:00	Evening Bible Study
THUR	OCT 3	6:45	Bell Choir Practice
SAT	OCT 5	2:00	Gadley Memorial/Reception
SUN	OCT 6	<u>15th Sunday after Pentecost</u>	
		8:00	Worship
		9:15	Sunday School
		9:30	Auction Meeting
		10:30	Worship

BETHANY ANNOUNCEMENTS 9-22-19

Faith Formation Meeting – There will be a Faith Formation meeting TODAY, Sunday, Sept. 22nd after second service (around 11:45) in the adult bible study room (Rm. 8/9) for all those who are involved with youth ministries or would like to be involved with youth. On the agenda are both an overview of how our youth are “plugged in” here at Bethany, as well as planning for the upcoming year.

Service for Doris Gadley – The memorial service for Doris Gadley will be on Saturday, Oct. 5th at 2:00 PM here at Bethany Lutheran Church. Please let Nancy Woodward know if you can bring cookies or bars and/or help with the reception.

A Request to Bethany Ministries – Would your specific ministry like to donate to the All Church Auction? Could you, as a team, come up with an inspired idea for auction items? Perhaps a theme-based basket, an awesome donation from a local business that reflects something about your ministry, or some other group effort?? Be part of the fun! We are looking forward to seeing what each ministry donates! Bethany Connect, Bethany Quilters, Yahweh Yarners, Sunday School, Youth Group, Property, Choir, Bell Choir, Senior Social Group, Bible Study Groups, or any others not mentioned!!

New Christ In Our Home – The 4th quarter edition of the Christ In Our Home devotionals are available now on the table in the narthex, both regular and large print.

Auction Meeting – There will be an All Church Auction meeting, Sunday, October 6th at 9:30 AM in Litzer Hall. Creig Kuwitzky will be there to answer food questions, and the Property Committee will be there to answer logistics questions. All interested in helping with the auction in any capacity, please plan to attend. Thank you!

Newsletter – The October newsletter will be prepared next week. Please have submissions into the office by Wed. Sept. 25th.

Lutheran Disaster Response – Hurricane Dorian has hit the Bahamas with devastating force, leading to major damage and a growing number of reported deaths. The storm is now moving along the southeastern coast of the United States, threatening our neighbors with dangerous winds and life-threatening storm surge. Your gifts made out to Bethany Lutheran Church and designated for "Hurricane Response" will be used entirely (100 percent) for direct response until it is complete. Together, we can help provide immediate and long-lasting support for those whose lives have been impacted by hurricanes.

Beginning Tai Chi – Are you looking for a gentle but effective form of exercise? The traditional form of Tai Chi with its coordinated breathing – the direct, concise pushing of breath in and out, and directing it to various parts of our body that need invigoration, coupled with physical movements that accent or enhance those energetic intentions help to strengthen muscles, improve flexibility, and restore physical vitality. There is space available at the beginner classes held here at Bethany on Tuesdays at 3:30 PM. Please contact the office for more information.

Food Bank Focus – The "urgent need" for September is peanut butter. It is especially helpful for children, homeless and senior clients. Thank you!

Lutheran Marriage Encounter - FALL IN LOVE AGAIN! Fall is a busy time of year. School starts, kids have new activities, time to do those things you put off over the summer. *Don't forget to take some time as a couple!*

- re-kindle the love you have for each other
- appreciate the gift you have in each other
- fall in love all over again

Marriage Encounter provides a private way for married couples to maintain a deep and lasting relationship with each other, with family and with God. Upcoming event: November 1-3, 2019, Vancouver, WA. For more information, see www.GodLovesMarriage.org. Or contact Carl & Dallas Anne Presley carl.presley@comcast.net, 206-522-6849.