Ripples of Faith

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 8/1 Mary Circle WLC
- 8/2 WELCA StP
- 8/2 Dorcas Circle
- 8/6 StP Congregational 'update' meeting
- 8/9 **Goldfinch** Communion Parish Council **TLC Council**
- 8/13 WLC Council
- 8/21 StP Council

Tuesdays: Men's Sunrise Bible Study.

Thursdays: Women's Sunrise Bible

Sundays—8:30 Worship & StP& WLC

Wednesdays—6:30 pm Worship TLC



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August Worship Schedule

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		St. Peter	Trinity	Waverly
8 th Week after Pente-				
cost <i>Altar: Green</i>	Wednesday, August 2 nd		Worship w/Comm 6:30 PM	
9 th Week after Pente-	Sunday, August 6 th	Worship w/Comm 8:30 AM		Worship w/Comm 8:30 AM
cost Altar: Green	Wednesday, August 9 th		Worship w/Comm 6:30 PM	
10 th Week after Pente- cost <i>Altar: Green</i>	Sunday, August 13 th	Worship 8:30 AM		Worship w/Comm 8:30 AM
	Wednesday, August 16 th		Worship w/Comm 6:30 PM	
11 th Week after Pente- cost <i>Altar: Green</i>	Sunday, August 20 th	Worship 8:30 AM		Worship w/Comm 8:30 AM
	Wednesday, August 23 rd		Worship w/Comm 6:30 PM	
12 th Week after Pente- cost <i>Altar: Green</i>	Sunday, August 27 th	Worship w/Comm 8:30 AM		Worship w/Comm 8:30 AM
	Wednesday, August 30 th		Worship w/Comm 6:30 PM	

THIS SUMMER

Throughout the summer, our worship services will focus on hearing the Old Testament stories (some familiar, some maybe not so familiar). Below is a list of the stories that you can look to hear throughout the summer during our Sunday morning and Wednesday evening services:

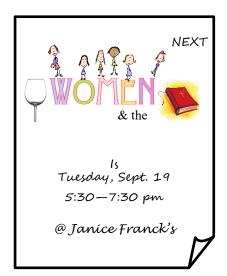
- Noah and the Flood The Story of Joseph Joshua Elisha Heals Naaman Isaiah and Hezekiah
- The Call of Abraham Deliverance at the Red Sea David and Nathan The Prophet Micah The Call of Jeremiah
- Israel into Exile Queen Esther The Call of Jeremiah The Return from Exile

August worship times:

St. Peter - 8:30 am Sundays / Communion 1st and Last Waverly - 8:30 am - Sundays / Holy Communion Trinity - 6:30 pm - Wednesdays / Holy Communion

The September Ripples will have changes for Confirmation and also for Trinity Sunday school classes.

Be sure to read the Ripples next month.







There were no council meetings the month of July.



The idea of a spiritual heart transplant is a vivid image to me; once you have the heart of somebody else inside you, then that heart is there. Jesus' heart is inside me, and my heart is gone. So if God were to place a stethoscope against my chest, he would hear the heart of Jesus Christ beating.

—Max Lucado



"Actually, sir, the rules *were* chiseled in stone."

2017 marks the 500th anniversary of Martin Luther nailing the 95 Theses to the doors of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany. Please join Pastor Anthony and Pastor Stephanie as we walk in the footsteps of Martin Luther and the Protestant Reformation beginning in Rome and ending in Germany in the summer of 2018. Brochures are available in all three churches. For more information talk to Pastor Anthony.



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Ushers & Worship Assistants

DATE	LECTOR	USHERS			
AUGUST					
6 Jordan Petshcke		Bernice Lehmann / Sherry Schmidt			
13 Muriel Klenz		Larry W Schmidt / Bob Nelson			
20 Jeannine Rasmussen		Larry R Schmidt / Jeff Petshcke			
27 Bernice Lehmann		Darrel and Muriel Klenz			
SEPTEMBER					
3	Jeff Petshcke	Jeff and Jordan Petshcke			

DATE	LECTOR	USHER	COMMUNION
AUGUST			
Wednesdays 2	MaryAnn Frerichs	Todd Williams Larry Puhrman	Bocky Borchardt Tony Truesdell
9	MaryAnn Frerichs	Audrey Swanson Velma Schaal	
16	MaryAnn Frerichs	Sun and Henry Borchardt	
23	Liz Stahl	Richard Traetow Lon Oelke	
30	Liz Stahl	Marty and Wayne Burmeister	Brian Burmeister Jon Saxen
SEPT. 3		Lonnie and Bob Moffitt	Velma Schaal John Frerichs

Waverly

DATE	LECTOR	CHILDREN'S TIME	ACOLYTE	COMMUNION ASSISTANT
AUGUST				
6	John Sherman		Ushers	Gwen Matz
13	Don Nordstrom		Ushers	Gwen Matz
20	Mim Potter		Youth	Gwen Matz
27	Scott Peterson		Ushers	Gwen Matz
SEPT.				

August Ushers: Steve Williamson, Troy Schmidkte, Todd Rathman, Will Hecht September Ushers:





Next meeting: August 2nd @ 9 am. Bernice Lehmann—hostess. Bible Study: Session 2 "Stand with the Least of these" was in July when we had no meeting. Whenever God does a new thing, it happens in, through and with people who live on the margins. Session 3 helps us think about things a little differently and empowering us to what we see in ourselves, our congregations and the world.

August 4th there will be a Scandinavian Feast with quilt viewing at the Okoboji Bible Camp. The next day the auction will be held at 1 pm with a meal beginning at 11 am. This is the 29th year for the quilt auction.

The Ingham Camp will host the annual Hog Roast on August 27th. Dinner—4-6 pm, pontoon rides—4-5:30 and the pie auction—6pm. The new chapel will be dedicated that day also. The chapel is one of the big projects planned through the "Beyond" campaign. This campaign is designed to make Christ known to all by raising \$2 million for program expansion, debt reduction, and facility improvement. \$830,000. of the debt has been paid down preparing the way for even stronger future ministry.

Bible camp at the 2 camps is winding down. There were over 2000 campers again this summer. The theme is "Rooted" based on Colossians 2:6-7. To celebrate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation, each day of the week focused on one of the five phrases: grace alone, Christ alone, faith alone, scripture alone and to God alone be the glory. These phrases help summarize the core essentials of the Christian faith.

Next work duty: Group 2; August altar care: Sherry Schmidt August birthdays: Ardis McKean - August 20th

"So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in Him, Rooted and built up in Him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness."

Colossians 2:6-7

Love, Jeannine



On Sunday, August 6th, there will be a Congregational 'update' meeting following the worship service.



Church services in August are on Wednesday evening @ 6:30 pm

Coming next month: New times for Sunday school.







Waverly will be welcoming friends and family to our Harvest Homecoming on Sunday, Sept 17. Our Gloria Dei Buddies will arrive about 9:45. Harvest Worship will begin at 10:30. Everyone is welcome to come for a day of Faith, Family, Farming and Fun.





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
happy &	oj <i>r</i> thday	l Darrel & Muriel Klenz	2 Gloria Martin Todd Rathman Amy Morrow	3 Cody Leiding	4 Brian & Joanna Sandberg	5 Jean Hatch Rachelle Kruse Chad Harder
6 Joanne Sherman Josh & Becca Johnson David & Mandy Brosnahan	7 Troy & Abbey Loveland	8 Becca Johnson	9 Tom & LuAnn Peterson	10 Brayden Moeckel	II Josh Petshcke	12 Diane Korte
13 Jeff Matz Craig Senne Joe Newville	14 Mary Thompson Neil & Cara Hansen	15 Mary Muller Darrell Miller	16 James & Dianne Korte	17 Joel Detert	18 Alex Winter Doug Gerhardt Duane & Kari Anderson	19 Rhoda Odegaard Erin Schmidt
20 Ardis McKean Howard Jorgenson Laurie Burmeister	21	22 Michael Casias	23 Cindy Roberts Paul & Deanne Gaalswyk Doug & Tami Gerhardt	24 Heidi Clow Keith & Sandy Winter	25 Muriel Armbrust Robert & Lonnie Moffitt Don & Marilyn Stelter Jeff & Gwen Matz	26 Brannon Paplow Loren & June Schultz Randy & Deborah Schneider
27 Norm & Norma Schley	28 Roger Rezac Matthew Hansen	29 Becky Detert Susan Rathman Leah Kruse Christine Hansen Braedy & Melissa Lueth	30 Jeannie Rahm	31 Neil Hansen		

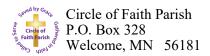








Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
VACATION 6:30—8 pm @	BIBLE ST. PAUL'S	I SCHOOL	2 9 am WELCA StP 1:30 pm Dorcas Circle @ TSL	3	4 Parish Office Closed Ingham Okoboji Quilt Preview 5-7 pm Scandinavian	5 Ingham Okoboji Quilt Auction 9:30—noon Auction - I pm Pie and Ice
		7 pm Mary Circle @ Gwen Matz	6:30 pm Worship / Holy Communion TLC		Feast 5:30— 7:30 pm	Cream in the afternoon
6 8:30 am Worship / Holy Communion StP WLC StP - Congregational 'update' meeting following worship	7	8	9 2 pm Goldfinch Comm 5:30 pm Parish Council mtg @ TLC 6:30 pm Worship / Holy Communion TLC Trinity Council mtg following worship	10	l I Parish Office Closed	12
 13 8:30 am Worship / Holy Communion WLC Council mtg following worship 8:30 am Worship StP 	14	15	16 6:30 pm Worship / Holy Communion TLC	17 Aug. 14–20	18- Parish Office Closed INNESOTA'S OTHER GEAL	19 R
20 8:30 am Worship / Holy Communion WLC 8:30 am Worship StP	21 August Ripples articles due St. Peter Council	22	23 6:30 pm Worship / Holy Communion TLC	24	25 Parish Office Closed	26
27 8:30 am Worship / Holy Communion StP WLC Ingham Lake Hog	28	29	30 9:00 am Assemble Ripples 6:30 pm Worship /	31		Jublick CORE
Roast 4-6 pm			Holy Communion TLC	Sunday school	school is right a	around the corner



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Mark your calendars for Sunday, Sept. 17. All are invited Worship starts at 10:30 am @ Waverly.