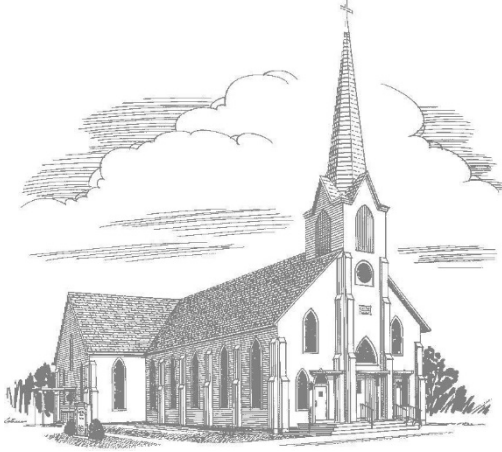


145th Year

June 1 & 2, 2019

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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Welcome, Guests!

*We have a gift mug for you available
at all three of our entrances.*

Please pick one up after the service.

We are glad to have you in worship today.

May God bless you with his love and grace.

--Board of Evangelism

Special Prayers

Rev. Gary Schultz

Continuing Prayer Concerns

Leslie Duvall

Elijah Rabacchi

George Salger

Debra Guebert

Ann Vallett

Ali Gerlach

Alice Knop

Linda Ethridge

Delbert Koen

Julie Heil

Tiffany Troue Denyer

Jim Mevert

Connie Kirkland

Sondra Mahnken

Dale Schnoeker

Don Ritter

Delbert Joost

Judy Wedemeyer

Arnold Mueller (father of Alice Wydeck)

Rick Mathis (Bruce Mathis' brother)

Genna Biermann (Connie Kirkland's sister-in-law)

Andy Schorr (Carol Mayer's brother)

Roy Thornton (Vicky Potter's father)

Daniel Bell (Lisa Greatting's brother)

Robert Holley (Norlyn & Jane Kingsten's grandson)

Care Center Residents

Delores Doss

Elizabeth Ernsting

Norma Wolters

Irma Wente

Eileen Clements

Mildred Eggemeyer

Norma Rodewald

Judy Clasen

Lavera Biermann

Wayne Mueller

*We respect the privacy of our members and friends and will not pray for you
publicly unless it is requested, and we know we have your permission.*

Military Personnel & Their Families

Justin Asbury	Casey Vallett	Matt Kraus
Tim Eichenseer	Bill Ingles	Justin Parker
Andrew Grab	Cory Jeffers	Richard Thompson
Denny Ernsting	Kevin Kahre	Ethan Pierce
John Magelitz	Zach Mogavero	Rodney Anderson
	Chasten Lindenberg	

Mission Prayer

Remember God's work in the Dominican Republic as you pray:

- for seminary students and their families, that they would have a smooth transition to life in a new place away from family and friends. Praise God for these dedicated students who are willing to leave home to obtain a solid theological education.

Needed for Youth Group Trip

The Youth Group is asking if anyone has 7-8 passenger van with a hitch, they could use for the Youth Gathering the week of July 8-16. They are able to trade vehicles for the week if needed. Call Rhonda Wilson (618) 559-0964 for more information.

Bible Study Opportunities

Wednesday @ 10:00 a.m. in Meeting Room

Sunday @ 10:15 a.m. in Fellowship Hall

Bible Readings

From *Lutheran Service Book* Daily Lectionary, pp. 299-304

Sunday, 6/2	Numbers 14:1-25; Luke 18:18-34
Monday, 6/3	Numbers 14:26-45; Luke 18:35-19:10
Tuesday, 6/4	Numbers 16:1-22; Luke 19:11-28
Wednesday, 6/5	Numbers 16:23-40; Luke 19:29-48
Thursday, 6/6	Numbers 16:41-17:13; Luke 20:1-18
Friday, 6/7	Numbers 20:1-21; Luke 20:19-44
Saturday, 6/8	Numbers 20:22-21:9; Luke 20:45-21:19

Our Stewardship of Time & Talents

June 1/2

Organist: Carol Lowe

Altar Guild: Carol Mayer, Kim Ruebke

Acolytes: *Sat.*—Ellie Buch, Kathrine Pierce; *Sun.*—Ellie Markley, Cooper Wasson

Greeters: *Sat.*—Karen Chamness; *Sun.*—Scot & Sheila Alms

Elders: *Sat.*—Rick Ebers; *Sun.*—Mike Mayer, Brian Smith

June 8/9

Organist: Carl Handel

Altar Guild: Kim Ruebke, Julie Tiemann

Acolytes: *Sat.*—Savana Link, Andrew Welten; *Sun.*—Colin Vallett, Canon Ruby

Greeters: *Sat.*—Ruth Waeltz; *Sun.*—Olin and Erna Edler

Elders: *Sat.*—Verlin Lorenz, Steve Smith; *Sun.*—Jim Mevert

Attendance

Worship, 5/25-26; Sat.: 56; **Sun.:** 98

Bible Study: Sun.: 9; Wed.: 7

The Board of Stewardship is asking for input on a few issues this year:

- We are looking for a volunteer or volunteers to chair this year's Wurstmart! If you are interested in helping to organize this fundraiser, please let Misty know and she will get you in touch with one of the board members. We always have a great turnout and lots of people helping to make this dinner a success, so it's not all on one person. We just need one or several people to oversee the details. Please consider what you might be willing to do!
- We would like to consider offering vacation bible school this year. Again, there's always plenty of help for whoever might want to get the ball rolling.
- How do parents with young children feel about a Children's Bible Study? This could take place at the church during part of the Sunday morning worship service. A short lesson and craft could be offered, if there is interest.

Please stop one of us and tell us what you think of our ideas or what you feel called to help with. Your board members are: Sharon Vallett, Elaine Knop, Kathy Kretschmer, Travis Deterding, Janet Bollman and Karen Chamness

Christ Our Savior

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

Summer Office Hours: In June and July, office hours will be 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Monday to Thursday and 9:00 – noon on Fridays.

Parade Help Needed: *COS* likes to have a presence in area parades. This summer, we would like to participate in the Red Bud Fireman’s Picnic Parade (June 30) and the Steeleville 4th of July Parade. If you have a vehicle and/or trailer that could be decorated and used for these two parades, please call *COS*. We also need volunteers to walk in the parade and to decorate our parade entry.

Annual Rummage Sale: Our annual rummage sale will be July 19 & 20. We will accept donations starting July 1.

It’s not too late! Registrations are still being accepted for all classes for 2019-2020. Financial assistance is available. For more information, check our website or contact Matthew Foster at mfoster@coslhs.org.

Host An Exchange Student: By hosting an international student, you have the chance to share God’s love with a young person from a different part of the world. Exchange students help provide our students with a glimpse into another culture. For more information about full time or part-time hosting for 2019-2020, call school or send an email to mfoster@coslhs.org.

St. Mark's 4th of July Float Funding and Construction

There will be a door offering this weekend, June 1 & 2, to support construction of St. Mark's 4th of July Parade Float.

Would you like to help construct the float for the 4th of July parade? A fourth grade student "SADIE CONWAY" won the St. Mark's school float design contest. Construction usually takes 3-4 nights during June. Your help would make the construction go even faster. The first organization and work date will take place Wednesday June 5 at 6 PM. We will meet in fellowship hall first, and then walk over to the float location. Just show up & help in the construction. Any questions? Contact Bill Stegmann (534-0646)

Church Supper, Concordia Lutheran, Frohna

On Sunday, June 23 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. a supper will be held in the school gym at Concordia Lutheran Church, 10158 Hwy C, Frohna. The menu will consist of: Fried Chicken, Catfish Filets, Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, a Vegetable and Homemade Pies & Desserts. The cost is \$10 per plate for adults, \$5 for children 6-12 and under 6 may eat free. Carry outs are available for \$10 per plate. A country store will be available.

Blood Drive @ Steeleville American Legion Tuesday, June 4th, 1-6:00 p.m.

**Ham & Chicken Dinner @
Immanuel Lutheran @ Shiloh
Sunday, June 9th, 11-1:00 p.m.**

St. Mark's Weekly Calendar

Sat., June 1

6:00 p.m. Worship Service

Sun., June 2

9:00 a.m. Worship Service w/Communion

10:15 a.m. Bible Study

Mon., June 3

1:00 p.m. Coulterville Care Center

7:00 p.m. Board of Trustees

Tues., June 4

7:00 p.m. Board of Evangelism
 Board of Stewardship

Wed., June 5

10:00 a.m. Bible Class

Thurs., June 6

7:00 p.m. Board of Elders

Fri., June 7

Sat., June 8

6:00 p.m. Worship Service w/Communion
 Guest Preacher—Rev. Sean Smith

Sun., June 9

9:00 a.m. Worship Service

10:15 a.m. Bible Study

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, through worship, education, outreach, fellowship, and service.



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturdays @ 6:00 p.m.

Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.

Accessible Service @ 10:00 a.m. on 2nd Thursdays

HOLY COMMUNION

Holy Communion is celebrated every weekend, the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month at the 9:00 a.m. service and at the 6:00 p.m. Saturday evening service before the second and fourth Sundays of the month.

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We believe and confess the doctrine of the Evangelical Lutheran Church is faithful and true to the Bible and we strive for a balanced Law/Gospel practice of same.