

Weekly News for the week beginning 10/3/2021

Luther Memorial Church

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Weekly Calendar

TODAY

10a Worship followed 8p
Search for Serenity (FH)

Monday, October 4

8p Phoenix

Tuesday, October 5

Wednesday, October 6

6:30p Choir
8p Grope Group

Thursday, October 7

8p YAMPS

Friday, October 8

Saturday, October 9

3p Grope Group (FH)

Sunday, October 10

10a Worship
8p Search for Serenity (FH)

19th Sunday after Pentecost

Today's gospel combines a saying that makes many of us uncomfortable with a story we find comforting. Jesus' saying on divorce is another of his rejections of human legislation in favor of the original intent of God's law. Jesus' rebuke of the disciples who are fending off the children should challenge us as well. What does it mean to receive the kingdom of God as a child does?

Commemorations

10/4 Francis of Assisi, renewer of the church, died 1226
Theodor Fliedner, renewer of society, died 1864
10/6 William Tyndale, translator, martyr, died 1536
10/7 Henry Melchior Muhlenberg, pastor in North America, died 1787

The Altar Flowers today are given to the glory of God by Tom & Sue Bowman in memory of Paul S. Bowman.

Ushers: Jim & Donna Platt

Lector: Carol Little

Communion Assistant: Mary Carol Boldt

Altar Guild: OPEN

Broadcast: Becca Thiec

Helpers, Flowers & Scripture for October 10

Flowers: Jim & Lois Anderson

Ushers: OPEN

Communion Assistant: Becca Thiec

Acolyte: Mara Jade Thiec

Lector: OPEN

Altar Guild: Rosemary Badders & Amy Kitner

Broadcast: Mike Poster

Scripture: Genesis 2: 18-24, Hebrews 1: 1-4; 2:5-12, Mark 10: 2-16

WELCOME TO LUTHER MEMORIAL

Your presence makes a difference as we listen to the Word of our Lord. If you are visiting, we invite you to sign our guest book or complete a pew card so that we may have a record of your visit. Worship booklets may be found in the pews.

OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF OCTOBER 4

Jen will be working from home October 4—8 since the parking lot is getting redone that week. If you are in need of assistance, please call the church office and let a message. Jen will call you back once the message has been retrieved.

Miracle Sunday

As of
October 1,
the Miracle
Sunday total is

\$42,806

Thanks and glory
be to God!



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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES. CAN YOU HELP?

OPEN WORSHIP ROLES

Sign up for the following worship duties on the bulletin board to the right of the glass narthex doors:

- ◆ **After worship Fellowship Hosts:** set-up, provide refreshments, and clean up providing parishioners
The month of August & beyond is very open for fellowship
- ◆ **Ushers:** greet those coming in to worship
- ◆ **Altar Guild:** serve to set up and clean up the altar for worship
- ◆ **Lectors:** read the lessons during worship
- ◆ **Communion Assistants:** Assist by pouring wine
- ◆ **Worship Broadcast:** putting worship on Zoom for home viewers

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to sponsor the weekly altar flowers, please sign up on the chart in the Narthex or call the church office at 717-854-1219. The cost is \$37.50 per week.

All dates open at publication:
October 24, November 7, December 26

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCES

On Sunday, November 7, we will remember those we lost from the congregation in the last year. If you have loved ones you would like to be remembered during the All Saints service, please give the names to the church office by Sunday, October 31. You may call, email or let a note on the office desk

CALL COMMITTEE

We would like to introduce you to the members of the call committee. The committee chair is Karl Boldt and the members of the committee are Nancy Poster, Council Liaison, Jerry Kern, Betsy Page & Becca Thiec. The committee is presently working on the mission site profile that shares information about Luther Memorial so the congregation can be paired with a suitable candidate determined by the Lower Susquehanna Synod to interview. As the process moves along, we will share updates with the congregation.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR THE PASTOR

Pastor Doug Johnson may be reached by phone (515) 321-4582 or by email dougjohnson79@comcast.net Please feel free to call or email me at any time.



For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.

-Matthew 25:35-36

WE OFFER THANKS AND APPRECIATION..

Thank you to all who participated in Miracle Sunday.

To all who help keep us informed of those in need of spiritual care.

To the staff and Council for keeping the operations of the church running.