



## Faith Friends & Family Announcements and News for June 17- June 30

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### **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

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Please lift up in prayer this week:

† Members—Ellen Milne, Darrell Neves and Janice Taschner.

† Friends and family—

Harriet, Todd Barriklow, Carol Coyer, Kay Coker, Chris Cotter, Terrie Becker, Brian Fent, Allyson, Heather, Erin, Al, Sai, Jeanne Hicks, Emily, Rod Kaschner, Eshwar Lingamgunta, Jenn Leitch, Brian Johnson, Meredith, Jeanne and Leonard, Johnathon Manitta family, Loretta Milne, Bethany Robison, Karen Smiley, Jean Smith, Scott & Lisa Seeley, “Little Zee” (3 yr. old daughter of a friend of Brenda Kopf’s), the White family and Max Whitmyer.

† Our mission partner congregation—Lansing Redeemer Lutheran Church

† Those in military service—Jon Schoepf, Lani Yearicks, Landon Belanger Melody and Adam Wright and Joe Galvin.

† Samaritas children who seek adoption. Pray for each to be adopted and for Jesus to be their lifelong friends

### **NORTH/WEST LOWER MICHIGAN SYNOD PRAYER PARTNER**

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June 17: As Jesus calls us to be one, even as he and the Father are one, please include Rev. Julie Schneider-Thomas and the congregation of Hope Lutheran Church of Rockford, Michigan in your prayers of intercession this week.

June 24: As Jesus calls us to be one, even as he and the Father are one, please include Rev. F. Laraine Sundin and the congregation of St. James Lutheran Church of Rogers City, Michigan in your prayers of intercession this week.

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NEXT TWO WEEK'S CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS

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Sunday, June 17<sup>th</sup>

10:00 a.m.      Worship/Noisy Offering  
11:30 a.m.      Mutual Ministry  
                    Special Congregational Meeting  
6:00 p.m.        Loaves & Fishes

Monday, June 18<sup>th</sup>

7:00 p.m.        Church Council Meeting

Tuesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>

Noon Study in Pastor's office

Wednesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>

7:30 a.m.        Men's Study  
9:30 a.m.        Quilting and Samaritas ACTION

Thursday, June 21<sup>st</sup>

5:30 p.m.        Golf League  
7:00 p.m.        R.I.C Meeting

Friday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>

Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>

Sunday, June 24<sup>th</sup>

10:00 a.m.      Worship  
11:15 a.m.      Evangelism & Outreach Meeting  
4:00 p.m.        Service at Burcham Hills

Monday, June 25<sup>th</sup>

2:00 p.m.        Women's Study  
7:00 p.m.        Green Team Meeting

Tuesday, June 26<sup>th</sup>

Noon Study in Pastor's office

Wednesday, June 27<sup>th</sup>

Youth Leaves for Houston  
7:30 a.m.        Men's Study  
9:30 a.m.        Quilting and Samaritas ACTION  
11:30 a.m.      60 +/- at Coral Gables

Thursday, June 28<sup>th</sup>

**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**

11:00 a.m.      Dobie Road  
5:30 p.m.        Golf League

Friday, June 29<sup>th</sup>  
**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**

Saturday, June 30<sup>th</sup>

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**FINANCIAL UPDATE**

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Weekly Offering

Year to Date as of 4/30/2018

**June 3, 2018**

Loose Cash	\$ 40.00
World Hunger	\$ 25.00
Flowers	\$ 50.00
General Fund	\$5515.00
Youth	
Garage Sale	\$1373.73
Facility Rental	\$ 50.00
Subtotal	\$7053.73
Simply Giving	<u>\$2406.00</u>
Total	<b>\$9459.73</b>

Income	\$89,040
<u>Expenses</u>	<u>\$105,093</u>
Net	\$(16,053)

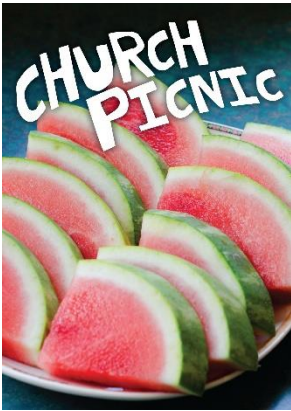
**June 10, 2018**

Loose Cash	\$ 28.00
Loose Checks	\$ 5.00
World Hunger	\$ 76.00
Youth	
Gath. Spon.	\$ 60.00
Garage Sale	\$ 65.00
Blast/Books	\$ 10.00
Flowers	\$ 25.00
Capital Repairs	\$ 25.00
Facility Rental	\$ 100.00
General Fund	\$4375.00
Parish House	\$ 536.69
Vision 2020	\$ 500.00
Subtotal	<u><b>\$5805.69</b></u>
Total	<u><b>\$5805.69</b></u>

## Parish House Updates/News

To help enable independence and encourage important life skills for budgeting and planning meals, we will be collecting gift cards to Meijer and cash donations for the youth for groceries. They have been working on these skills and we will continue to work with them as they move here beginning next week. Donations can be given at the regular offering time in a separate envelope marked "Groceries".

## COMMUNITY PICNIC



### **ANNUAL COMMUNITY PICNIC**

**Plan to join us for our Annual Community Picnic on Saturday, August 25. Join us for fun, food, music, games and fellowship!**

## WAYS TO HELP

D&W in Williamston is participating in "Direct Your Dollars"

Place your entire receipt in the D&W box in the narthex and help us earn money for the church. Please direct any questions to Pastor Ellen



**Sixty Plus or Minus friends,** mark your calendars for our summer lunch get-togethers! The 4th Wednesday of each summer month, we will gather for lunch and fellowship at Coral Gables, so make a note for 11:30 a.m. on June 27, July 25, and Aug. 22! We will order from the menu and share our summer experiences.

Regular 4th Wednesday programs resume on Wednesday, September 26, at 11:30, in the church social hall when Peggy Crum will present "Eating Well with Flavors You Love." Peggy plans demonstrations and flavor sampling using herbs from her own wonderful garden. Pencil in this date for sure!



July 12<sup>th</sup> – Caring and Sharing Day

August 9<sup>th</sup> – Sarah Jones will speak on Caregiver Fatigue

Come join us on the dates above at 11:30 for a lite lunch and discussion.

**All are welcome!**

## June:

27<sup>th</sup>: Leave for National Gathering!!

### VBS

**VBS: Save The Date 2018 VBS  
“Shipwrecked, Rescued by Jesus”  
Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup> – Thursday,  
August 9<sup>th</sup>  
5:30-8:00 p.m.**



**Light Dinner from 5:30-6:00 p.m.  
VBS from 6-8 p.m.**

If you are interested in volunteering, please email [Katie Klove](mailto:klove@faithlutheranokemos.org) or use this link!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b084daeaf28a6fb6-vbsleaders>

Please register your child/ren using the link below  
<https://goo.gl/forms/juWcDCKMpgLGqngB2>



# FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NIGHT!



## Lugnuts vs. South Bend Cubs — Friday, August 3rd @ 7:05pm

- Family Faith Night!
- Seniors Eat FREE! - Adults 55 or better will receive a voucher for a hot dog, popcorn, and a drink!
- Postgame LAFCU Firework Show!
- Delta Dental's Smile Shot Group Photo
- Group Raffle - One lucky member from your group will win a special prize!

## TICKET ORDER FORM

Order Deadline: Friday, July 20th

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Box Seat Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$11.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to: Michelle Ransom  
Hurry! ...The absolute last day to order is: July 20th  
Please make checks payable to: Faith Lutheran Church  
For more information please contact:  
Michelle Ransom at [mlr5402@yahoo.com](mailto:mlr5402@yahoo.com)





## **TWO TENORS AND A BASS – A fundraiser for Michigan Refugee Hope**

You are invited to join us for a Cabaret performance on **Friday, July 20, upstairs at the Williamston Pub & Grill.** This event will be a fundraiser for Michigan Refugee Hope. Michigan Refugee Hope is the funding organization we, along with several other churches in the area, have created to fund the unaccompanied immigrant youth, some of whom are living in our Parish House. This event begins with a Fajita Buffet, cash bar and fellowship time at 5:30 PM. You can also view the Lansing Refuge Exhibit during the first hour. The Cabaret Show will begin around 7:00. Performers include Pastor Bill Uetricht, Joel Dulyea, Dana Olsen and Pastor Ellen. Tickets for this event are \$50 a person and you can purchase your tickets from the church office.