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CONCORDIA LUTHERAN CHURCH

CHRISTOGRAM

RALLY DAY...

Sunday School classes for age 3 - grade 8, and Bible classes for high school students and adults will begin again at Concordia on September 12th. That day is scheduled as Rally Day with a Christian education emphasis in the worship service and a special group celebration with a movie during the Sunday School hour, beginning at 10:15 a.m.

Every member should be participating in at least one Bible study opportunity during the week. Only by studying the Word do we grow in our Christian understanding and our Christian living. Refusing to grow in the Word results in spiritual immaturity.

The Adult Bible Class on Sundays will be studying the Gospel of Luke. The Women's Bible Class on Wednesdays (which will begin on Sept. 15) will be studying the Parables of Jesus. The High School class on Sundays will be looking at the High School Survival Kit.

Plan now to arrange your schedule and priorities to spend an hour with fellow Christians around the Word of God.

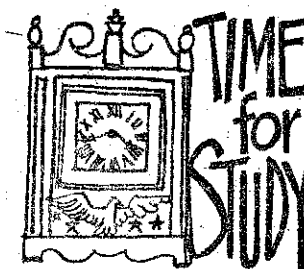


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CONFIRMATION CLASS...

Confirmation Class for 7th and 8th graders of the congregation will be held on Mondays at 6:15 p.m., beginning Sept. 13th. Families involved should have received a letter concerning this. Any questions should be addressed to Pastor Schmoock at 879-7542

ONE Great
hour
of SHARING



September finds the LWML regrouping and looking forward to an exciting year!

The first meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 15th at 7:30 p.m. at Ivie Goldie's home. Ladies will meet and carpool from the church at 7:15. All women in the church are invited!

The first project for the new year will be the serving of a luncheon at the Methodist Church on September 17th. The LWML will be compensated for this project. Ladies are needed to work the luncheon and to provide salads. A sign-up sheet is posted on the church bulletin board.

Any questions or ideas? Talk to the LWML officers: Tami Havener-Pres., Sher Scheiwe-V. Pres., Rosemary Schmoock Christian Growth, Alma Baldwin-Treas., Ivie Goldie-Secy., and Billee Harris-Past Pres. There will be an Executive Board meeting on September 8 at 3:30 at the church.

"You Light Up My Life" will be the theme of the LWML Western Zone Fall Rally being held in Glenwood Springs on Thursday, September 23. Interested in attending? See Tami or Sher for more details.

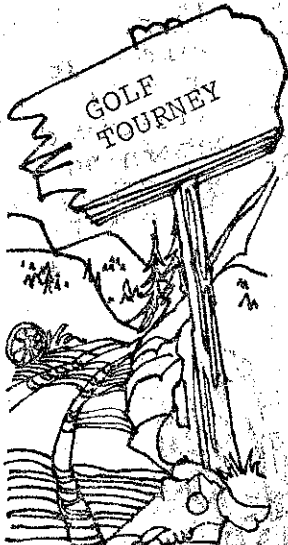


ATTENTION ALL GOLFERS...

The First Annual Concordia Lutheran Building Fund Benefit Golf Tournament is scheduled for Wednesday, September 8 at the Steamboat West Golf Course. Tee-off time for the 9-Hole tourney is at 5:30 p.m. and competition is open to all. Prizes will be awarded for the longest drive on Hole No.1 and the closest shot to the pin on No.3.

If you wish to participate, please sign up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board at church. A \$10.00 entry fee should be turned in to Mike Eidem or Pastor Schmoock with checks payable to "Concordia Lutheran".

A potluck dinner will be held at the church following the competition. Hope to see you all there for an evening of Christian fellowship!





HEALTHY CHRISTIANS?...

As we head into the Fall with its increased schedule of Bible study opportunities, fellowship opportunities, programs and meetings, it is good for us to take our spiritual pulses and check our "vital signs". Robert Eggold gives us the following things that motivate Christians to draw close around the Word for Bible study:

Christian Fellowship - We show our love for each other and for our unity in the body of Christ by gathering for worship, the Sacraments, and Bible study. Our fellowship is weakened when we fail to edify each other in the mutual study of Scripture.

A Means Of Grace - The Spirit's power comes to us through the Sacraments and by hearing, learning, and living His Word. The Word and Sacraments are the "means of grace". They are equally important; neither is to be neglected.

Discipleship - Jesus said: "If you continue in My Word, you are truly My disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." (John 8: 31-32)

Living Water - In John 4, Jesus tells the Samaritan woman at the well that He is the promised Messiah. He offers her the "living water" and promises that those who drink this water will experience a perpetual spring of living water.

Burning Hearts - When Jesus walked with the Emmaus disciples on Easter afternoon he conducted a seven mile long Bible class, "beginning with Moses and all the prophets He interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself." After discovering that their guest was Christ they confessed, "Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?"

Energized Christians - What a joy it is to discover enlivened fellow Christians who perhaps were sad, confused, and half-hearted in their commitment to Christ and his Word. They experience a sense of renewal and refreshment as they drink more deeply of the Living Water, as Scripture is opened to them so they can grasp the full impact of the Gospel message.

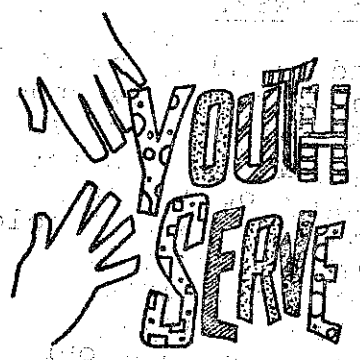
Growth To Full Maturity - In Ephesians 4, Paul suggests that there are, among the believers, those who are still spiritual infants posing as adult Christians. They are still on the "milk diet" of infancy. Paul urges them to "grow up in every way into Him who is the head, into Christ."

May we at Concordia heed Paul's word to "Grow in Christ". It doesn't just happen in worship. We must chew on the meat of the Word to be nourished for Christian living. Check your spiritual "vital signs"!

Peace and Joy,

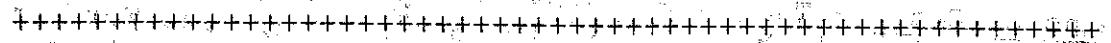
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LUTHERAN COLLEGE NIGHT...



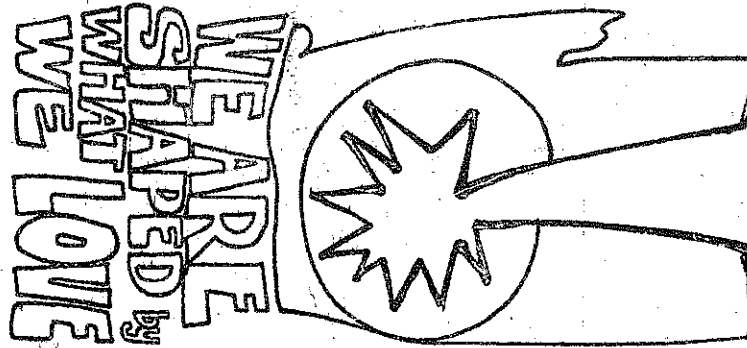
Students, their families and pastors are invited to attend Lutheran College Night on Sun*, September 26th at 7:00 p.m. at the Regency Hotel in Denver. The two hour occasion will center around admissions counselors from many of the Lutheran colleges around the country. These counselors welcome the chance to meet informally with students and parents to discuss any questions they may have about college programs, careers, financial aid opportunities, and development of faith and intellect.

The Lutheran Council in the USA has been pleased to coordinate these events for the last sixteen years. More information is available and posted on the church bulletin board.



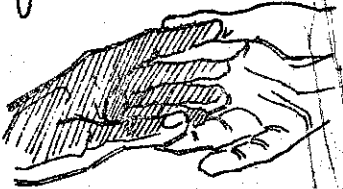
BITS & PIECES...

Congratulations to Mike Peters and Callie Converse who were married on August 7 in a Concordia ceremony!...John David Monsees, son of Duane and Lola and grandson of Dick & Georganna Monsees was baptized on August 8...The Monsees family (Dick, Georganna, Penny, Rusty, and Kathy) has moved back to Ft. Collins...\$103.35 was contributed at the door offering on August 22 for Lutheran Social Service of Colorado. This was added to the \$100.00 the congregation had budgeted to give them earlier this year...Special thanks to everyone who helped make this year's Vacation Bible School a success!...Helen Sherrod is home recovering from knee surgery. Welcome back, Helen!...Our prayers have been answered and Jean Wiese is recovering from surgery at Lutheran Medical Center in Denver. We hope to see her back in Steamboat real soon...Jonathan Ohler had surgery August 31...Happy 35th Wedding Anniversary to Lou & Florence Volberding!- They celebrated at dinner on August 31 with Ruth & Heinz Schirr and Elaine & Hank Stroncek. God's Blessing Lou & Florence...We're glad to have Pastor, Roe, & Andrew back after a well deserved vacation in Michigan...Sher Scheiwe, Tami Havener, Marty Jo Boomgarden, and Lara Mattlage will be attending a Youth Ministry Workshop in Denver September 17-19.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5 14th Sun. after Pentecost 9:00 Holy Communion Acolyte: E. Riewe Serving in September Altar: Gene Cooper Gert Farrell Ushers: Scott Havener Walt Taylor	6 Labor Day	7	8 5:30 Golf and Pot-Luck	9	10	11 Lackey/ Lausten clean
12 15th Sun. after Pentecost 9:00 Rally Day Worship 10:15 Movie Acolyte: J. Sandvik	13 6:15 Confirma- tion 8:00 Elders	14 7:30 VOTERS' Mtg.	15 1:30 Women's Bible Class 7:30 Concordia Guild	16	17 Citizenship Day	18 Carrells clean
19 16th Sun. after Pentecost 9:00 Holy Communion 10:15 Sun. School/Bible Class	20 6:15 Confirma- tion 8:00 Elders	21	22 1:30 WBC	23 7:30 Adult Class - Hayden	24	25 Campbells clean
26 17th Sun. after Pentecost 9:00 Worship 10:15 Sun. School/Bible Class	27 6:15 Confirma- tion	28 7:30 Planning Committee	29 1:30 WBC	30 7:30 Adult Class - Hayden	1	2 Teramotos clean