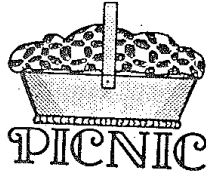


CONCORDIA LUTHERAN CHURCH CHRISTOGRAM



ANNUAL PICNIC...

It's time again for our annual congregational picnic. Mark down July 12th from 12:00 - 4:00 pm!!

This year's picnic will be held at the Campbell home. There's plenty of room for games, even volleyball/softball in the vacant lot next door.---- Cake walk and auction --- lots of games and prizes!! Bring a dish to pass and your own table service.

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Still possible to register for Family Festival '87



Registrations are still being accepted for the Synod's Family Festival '87, "Celebrating God's Way," to be held July 26-29 at the Olympia Village resort in Oconomowoc, Wis. Some 45 percent of the 1,126 registrations received are for participants age 18 and under.

A mailing next month to all registrants will include an updated schedule, a final list of more than 60 workshops, and a "travel kit" including packing tips and games, puzzles and songs for long car rides.

Those who wish to attend the four-day event are advised to register as soon as possible. For more information, contact the Board for Parish Services, LCMS, 1333 S. Kirkwood Road, St. Louis, MO 63122-7295; (314) 965-9917, ext. 259.

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'MIRACLES' TO BE PERFORMED

JULY 25th ...



A congregational work day has been scheduled for Saturday, July 25th for the purpose of performing landscaping miracles on Concordia's property.

Many things need to be done --- some to comply with the terms of our building permit, some to demonstrate our concern for the feelings of our neighbors and to proclaim God's glory to them, and some just to make our church a more beautiful, enjoyable place to be!

The specific projects that will be undertaken on the 25th depend on the preparatory work that can be accomplished before that date. There is so much to do, and something for everyone. Watch for the project bulletin board and sign-up sheets describing work to be done and soliciting your assistance. Persons who feel a calling to assume a team-leadership position are encouraged to contact Steve Witte (879-5442).

Many helping hands can make those miracles happen --- so please plan to participate on the 25th!



YOUTH GROUP ...

The BIG news is the youth will be conducting the worship service on August 9th. You may want to bring your Bible to church on that day. This will be an experience you won't want to miss!

Other plans are in the works for a camping retreat and a fellowship weekend in Denver.

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WOMEN'S NEWS ...

LWML --- LWML met at the home of Elaine Stroncek on June 17th for a short business meeting and a delicious salad supper. This was the last meeting until September. Have a great summer but please reserve Saturday, September 19th for a trip to Montrose. The Zone Rally will take place on this date in Montrose.

Mary Ann Campbell and Elaine Stroncek were privileged to attend the LWML International Convention in Ft. Worth, June 22-25. The theme was "Radiant With God's Love" and what a thrill it was to share this love with nearly 5,000 sisters in Christ.

LADIES' BIBLE STUDY --- The Ladies' study time will resume again July 7th, 9:30 am at Mary Kay Witte's home at 1166 Boulevard. All visiting women and congregational women are invited to attend. Please come --- it's a wonderful time to share with Christian women.

BAZAAR WORKSHOPS --- Tuesday, July 7th -- following Ladies' Bible Study at 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. Bring a sack lunch if you like.

Wednesday, July 22nd -- 7:00 - 9:00 pm at the church

Wednesday, July 29th -- 9:30 am to noon at the church

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

August 3-7, 1987

The staff is preparing a fantastic week of worship, study time, crafts, fun and goodies.

The theme is developed from the Apostle Paul's words in Philippians 1:29, "For you have been given the priveledge of serving Christ."

The daily lessons help the students to see Jesus as a servant, to recognize the gifts they have and how they can serve, and to praise and thank God for the opportunities to be God's servants.

Everyone ages 3 yrs. through those entering the 7th grade are invited --- and please feel free to bring your friends.

If you have questions or suggestions, contact Mary Kay Witte (879-5442).

We are all looking forward to a great week!!

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Dear Friends in Christ;

"At this present time your abundance (will be) a supply for their want, that their abundance also may become a supply for your want, that there may be equality."

II Corinthians 8:14

I see this passage as an important piece of the "blueprint" of my life as a Christian. God has filled my life with many blessings. But how? When I examine that which has given me such joy I see people - people who have given to me out of their abundance, or simply out of their desire to share. Thus I can see in my own life the Sunday Offertory prayer "fleshed out" as I give and as I receive.

There are times in my life when I am able to give more than I receive, and times when I need to receive more than I can give. Paul reminds me in verse 12 that I can only give from what I have, not from what I don't have. And whether I am able to give little or give much, I will have nothing more and nothing less than what I need (vs. 15). This, too, is very good news!

I thank you for your gift of \$133.25 given to supply the needs of Captive Free. Your support is a joy to me, and crucial to the ongoing mission of this organization.

Peace to you,

Gary S. Pearce
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Vice President, Business Administration

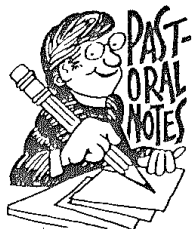
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Liberty is not the right to do what one wills,
But freedom to do what one ought.

SOME-MORE (Summer) THOUGHTS ...



+++ CROSSWAYS! is coming, and you won't want to miss it! I spent an enjoyable week in Omaha growing in the Word and learning about the CROSSWAYS! Bible study program. CROSSWAYS! will take you through the Bible, from Genesis to Revelation, and help you to understand it better than before. We will begin in September. More on that to come later in the summer.

+++ God is not on vacation, and we should not take a vacation from worshipping Him! When you are away from Steamboat, take the opportunity to worship with fellow Christians where you are. My family had the opportunity to worship in for different churches during the month we were away. It was good to praise God with brothers and sisters in Christ. And when you are home, by all means, worship -- for your own good, and for the good of those who come to worship with you. Summer is the peak of the "church shopping" season, as two-thirds of the families who change their place of residence do so during one-third of the year from mid-May to mid-September. Be here to welcome our visitors.

+++ Grow in fellowship around the Word. Bible study opportunities are continuing through the summer. Classes meet on Tuesday at 6:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m., on Thursday at 7:00 p.m., and on Sundays at 10:15 a.m. The Sunday class will be viewing tapes on different churches and religious groups during July and part of August. Call the church office for more information on the various classes.

+++ Kudos to the Fellowship Committee for planning various fellowship opportunities for us. The next big one is the Church Picnic on July 12th. Don't miss it!

+++ We continue with the HIS LOVE-OUR RESPONSE emphasis through this year. This program is reminding us that all we have is a result of God's love for us, and everything we do as Christians is a response to that love. God continues to bless us during the summer, and he continues to look for our faithful stewardship of his gifts and blessings. Remember that the needs of the kingdom continue during the summer, even when you are not here.

+++ A good chance to use some of your time and abilities for the church is to help in the landscaping and other projects that will be done in these next weeks. Work days will be announced; other projects and needs will be made known. Do what you can, because the Lord appreciates what you are willing to do in his name.

+++ We welcome, in Jesus' name, our friends from Sun City and other warm-weather areas who are with us in July and August. Please make yourselves at home and join in our congregational activities!

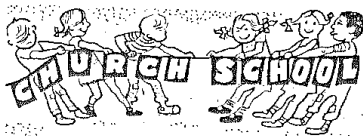
+++ Don't forget the Voters Meeting on July 14th!!!

Peace and Joy,

Pastor Norm

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SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS ...



Summer Sunday School --- Just a reminder that we are having Sunday School during the summer months with a variety of activities planned. Kathy Deepe will be featuring the children's version of HIS LOVE-OUR RESPONSE for 6 Sundays and we will also plan to sing at the Extended Care Center in late August. Don't let your children miss out on Sunday School during the summer.

District Sunday School Convention --- Plan ahead! Put "Bound to Grow" on your calendar! The date is August 29th at St. John's Lutheran Church in Denver.

This convention is for everyone involved in parish education, Sunday School teachers, aides, Superintendents, Pastors, VBS staff, and Youth workers.

Let's consider coming to this convention as a way to renew our commitment to our ministries.

Information is posted on the Bulletin Board downstairs or ask Elaine Stroncek.

Share a Smile, Share a Health Kit -- The following items are needed to assemble kits to be distributed by Lutheran World Relief. The Sunday School children will be assembling these kits. Items needed are: hand towel, washcloth, bar of new soap (bath size), comb, toothbrush, tube of toothpaste, nail file, bandaids. Please bring these items by August 2nd. Look for a collection box in the Sunday School area.

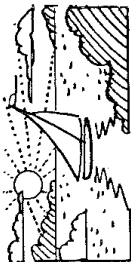
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The weekly bulletin must have items submitted by the Thursday morning before its Sunday publication.

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BITS AND PIECES ...



We share our Christian love and sympathy with SUE WARNER, whose brother died in May. We are strengthened and comforted in Jesus Christ, who who is the Resurrection and the Life.

"Syl is with the Lord." So began the memo from District President John Peterson announcing the death of CHAPLAIN OSCAR SYLWESTER. Chaplain Sylwester preached at Concordia for our 50th Anniversary Service and on other occasions. He had the faith in Jesus that "no cemetery could bury" (a phrase from his anniversary sermon here).

We rejoice in the birth of PATRICK WEBER, son of Jake and Dianne. Patrick was reborn in Holy Baptism on June 21st.

MADISON PROPER was reborn in the waters of Holy Baptism on June 14th. Madison is the daughter of Kenneth and Debra Proper.

We pray God's continued healing upon BILLEE HARRIS and IKE GEHRMAN, both of whom underwent surgery in these last weeks; and upon PHYLLIS WARNER, who spent a short time in the hospital.

HOLY NAME CATHOLIC CHURCH has invited the members of Concordia to take part in its 75th Anniversary festivities on August 16.

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*Christian love is the doorway
Through which man passes
From selfishness to service.*



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Concordia Lutheran Church 755 Concordia Lane Steamboat Springs, CO	Altar: Alma Baldwin Elaine Gehrman			2	3 Pastor's family day	4 Independence Day UP: Riewe/Riggi DN: Schuelke
Norman W. Schmooch, Pastor Office: 879-0175 Home: 879-7542	Ushers: Harold Baldwin Steve Nelson					
5th Sunday after Pentecost	6	7 6-Bible Study	8	9	10	11
9:00 Communion (Schibline) Elder: Upham	9:30 Women's Bible study	9:30 Women's Bible study			Pastor's family day	UP: Carrell DN: Rimel
10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Cooper	11-Bazaar Workshop	11-Bazaar Workshop	7:30 VBS Staff	7 - Bible study 9:15 Softball	7:05 Softball	
12th Sunday after Pentecost	13	14 Bible study 6 - Bible study 9:30 WBS	15	16	17	18
9:00 Worship (Panepinto) 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Ella Jurischk					Pastor's family day	UP: Whiteman DN: Witte
Noon- CHURCH PICNIC		7:30 VOTERS 9:15 Softball		7-Bible study 7:05 Softball	8:10 Softball	
19th Sunday after Pentecost	20	21 6-Bible study 9:30 WBS	22 St. Mary Magdalene	23	24	25 St. James the Apostle 17:30 - 4:00 WORK DAY!!!!!!
9:00 Communion (Rimel) Elder: Harris					Pastor's family day	UP: Carbaugh DN: Upham
10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Baird/Svendsen			7-Baz. Wkshop	7-Bible study 7:05 Softball		
26th Sunday after Pentecost	27	28 6-Bible study 9:30 WBS	29 9:30 Baz. Wkshp	30	31	1
9:00 Worship 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Mattlage/Rimel					Pastor's family day	UP: Havener DN: Jurischk
12:30 Nursing Home Service		7-Fell. Comm. 7:05 Softball		7-Bible study		

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 nd Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Communion (Jurischk) Elder: Taylor 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Fritz	3 9 - VBS	4-6-Bible study 9 - VBS	5 9 - VBS	6 9 - VBS	7 9 - VBS Pastor's family day	1 UP: Havener DN: Jurischk
9 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Worship (Baldwin) 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Witte	10	6-Softball 11 6-Bible study 9:30 WBS	12 13	7-Bible study 9:15 Softball 13	7:05 Softball 14 Pastor's family day	8 UP: Weber DN: Worrell 15 Mary, Mother of Our Lord UP: Goldie DN: Svendsen
16 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Communion (Matthews) Elder: Upham 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Riggi	17	18 6-Bible study 9:30 WBS	19	7-Bible study 20	21 Pastor's family day	22 UP: Voyek DN: Sherman
23 rd 11 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Worship (Schibline) 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Taylor 12:30 Nursing Home Service NEWSLETTER DEADLINE!!!!	24 th St. Bartholomew, Apostle	25 6-Bible study 9:30 WBS	26 7-S.S. Staff	27 7-Bible study	28 Pastor's family day	29 UP: Schlie DN: Mattlage
30 th 12 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Communion (Panepinto) Elder: Harris 10:15 Sunday School Flowers: Mattlage	31 Concordia Lutheran Church 755 Concordia Lane Steamboat Springs, CO Norman W. Schmoock, Pastor Office: 879-0175 Home: 879-7542	7-Fell. Comm. 7:30 Elders	7-Bible study	7-Bible study	Altar: Connie Jurischk Ella Jurischk	