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July Newsletter

Glad to Worship With Joy

Dear Friends in Christ,

In ancient Jerusalem, the temple was on the top of the hill that was the city. David wrote many Psalms labeled “Song of Ascents” filled with joyful thoughts and images of going to worship his dearly loved Lord. Trinity Lutheran is at the top of the hill of our expansive property so why shouldn’t we identify with him as we go up to worship?

Nothing makes a pastor’s heart happier than seeing and hearing the congregation singing loudly – even boisterously in worship. I

sing my heart out in the service for two reasons. First, it is my God-given opportunity to worship my Lord during that week. Secondly, it is my duty to lead the rest of the congregation to the best of my ability. Everyone loves to stand next to the person singling loudly and beautifully – so why not do *your* level best to be that person for the one next to you? Try it for a month and see if the service isn’t better for you!

In this month of July when we also celebrate Independence Day as a nation, we expect that the

newly declared citizens of these “United States of America” surely sang with gusto about their new-found liberty. A parallel to our freedom from oppressive English rule is the freedom Jesus, our Savior, won for us through his death and resurrection. The devil and sin no longer have the power to subject us to their rule. We are free as Christians to do good works as acts of love and thankfulness for our God. May this July 4th holiday and the entire month be a time of JOYFUL worship as we follow King David’s ad-



vice to “go to the house of the Lord.” Amen.

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Glenn

“I was glad when they said to me, “Let us go to the house of the LORD!”” (Psalm 122:1, ESV)

NEW 911 address

The Post Office and 911 service has assigned us new 911 addresses. The church is 1100 W. Washington, Krebs, OK 74554 and His Place is 1110 W. Washington, Krebs, OK 74554. We are working on getting a new sign at the drive and on the mailbox.

Windows 7 for Church Desktop?

The great Microsoft has decreed an end to Windows XP, which runs our church desktop. We could upgrade it to Windows 7 and then it would gain several years of potential life and improved performance. Perhaps you have a junk PC with Windows 7 or can pick one up cheap at an auction, then we can take the software license and use it? Perhaps you know where a Windows 7 license can be had for next to nothing (because that’s about all we have)? Realize that the latest Microsoft offering is Windows 8 so we are looking for last generation stuff that people may be junking as they move up. Please keep an eye out for us.

MINISTRY NEWS

Evangelism

Nothing to report

Denise Hosay

Fellowship

July is vacation month for most people so I didn't schedule any events. Happy Birthday America!

Christina Wacker

LWML

We will be having our monthly meeting July 19th, 9 am in the Hyatt room. Ladies, please make

time to come and having some fun and fellowship.

Loretta Meyer

Social Ministries

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights! Psalm 148:1 Our food pantry has been very busy, serving 9 families so far this month. We are down to mostly corn and green beans and if we keep up at this rate, I will need to be asking for donations to restock.

Teresa Dove

Youth

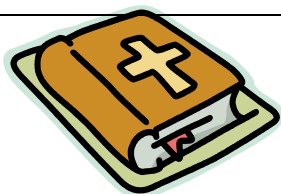
Our youth went on a trip to Sardis Lake June 14th. We had 8 youth and 4 adults attending this joyful day of picnic, swimming and tubing behind the boat. We earned \$26 in can recycling.

Loretta Meyer

Disc Golf

Mini tournaments each Saturday starting at 10 am

Glenn Meyer



BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

Clayton Bible Study July 1st 6:30 pm
Men's Breakfast Sat., July 12th at 8:30 am
Sunday Bible Study 9:15 am
Youth Night 7pm at His Place every other week

Sunday Morning Bible Class: The Story of Angels

Sunday Bible Class is studying the topic: The Story of Angels. We explore the creation of angels, their work and their attributes. Do come when you can. Opening for the group is at 9:15 and class starts up with hot coffee provided about 9:25 am.



Church Secretary Hours to be Adjusted



Due to the financial situation of the church, one of the areas that was brought up to the council was to adjust our secretary's hours from 12 to 6 a week or possibly eliminate the position. It was decided that we would give her some time to try and find another part-time job so this does not put a financial strain on her household. The Council had a very hard time coming to this decision but finally agree to this being part of the solution. If anyone knows of a part-time that she could check into or apply, please get with Teresa. She would rather stay in the business/clerical field. Volunteers will be needed to fill in areas needed.

Monthly Men's Man Card Breakfast !

If you don't have your **Man Card**, yet we can help you get one. 6 men attended the June breakfast, with Keith Doyel earning his Man Card. July 12 will be our next Men's breakfast. Prayer, food, fellowship and an invigorating video Bible study: "How We Got the Bible" by the Lutheran Hour will earn you an official Man Card from Pastor Glenn (suitable for carrying in your wallet). We meet the second Saturday at 8:30 am at His Place.



Introducing *Consecrated Stewards*

Consecrated Stewards is a ministry of growth and commitment in which the people of God celebrate His gifts and grow in the joy of giving and serving.

As congregations recognize the need to renew or give regular attention to activities essential to the mission of the church, with increasing frequency they are seeking help in the area of stewardship. Congregations are receptive to—even seeking—help to address their stewardship needs in a very direct way.

LCEF's Capital Funding Services has developed a resource to meet this stewardship need in congregations. This new resource is being made available through local administration in the District in order to fully address the needs of congregations.

***Consecrated Stewards* Raises Annual Giving by Raising Christian Stewards**

Consecrated Stewards—Overview

Consecrated Stewards is based on the need of the giver to give, not the need of the church to receive.

It is not tied to the church budget, and can be used at any time of year. Budget based emphases never raise more than what is needed to meet the budget. Stewardship emphases raise people to a new level of spiritual commitment and annual giving. Congregations often experience intentions of giving that exceed previous envelope giving by 15%-35%.

Consecrated Stewards is a stewardship education and commitment emphasis. It recognizes that churches that fail to talk about Christian stewardship on a regular basis often wind up talking about money all year long.

Consecrated Stewards is based on the Biblical principles of percentage-based, grace-motivated, sacrificial giving. It urges people to take a step forward in their stewardship life without pressure or legalism. It does not use gimmicks or fund-raising techniques. It emphasizes equal sacrifice, not equal amounts.

Consecrated Stewards ties the commitment process to the Sunday morning act of worship. It reaches the maximum number of people in the most spiritual setting. It does not have members asking other members one-on-one for a financial commitment.

Consecrated Stewards requires minimal organization:

- Four weeks of preparation and four weeks of emphasis.
- A working committee of eight.
- Usually only four committee meetings plus attention to ongoing stewardship.

Consecrated Stewards utilizes a trained facilitator to keep the process on track, maintain Biblical focus and avoid expensive shortcuts.

Consecrated Stewards raises Christian stewards, not just money. It is based on the need of the giver to give, not the need of the church to receive.



BIRTHDAYS

- 1st Sue Borgelt
- 5th Abigayle Loman
- 7th Jerry James
- 14th Buster Hurd
- 15th Denise Hosay
- 24th Pat Suter
- 26th April Lopez
- 27th Joseph Hutten
Loretta Meyer
- 28th ZJ Edwards
- 30th Christina Wacker

Prayers to Remember



BAPTISMAL BIRTHDAYS

- 1st Lee Moore
Betsey Henson
- 10th Maggie Steidley DeFrance
- 16th Don Gleichman
- 28th Sarah Steidley



ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE MONTH

Bill & Sue Borgelt
In Celebration of Sue's Birthday



LORD, We Implore You to Hear Our Prayers:

Please contact the office when a name can be removed or changed to another category



For Healing: Winfred Boriak (Pastor's uncle), Deanna Bostick (friend of Teresa Dove), Oleta Burke (acquaintance of Teresa Dove), Debbie Galler (Pastor Glenn's cousin), Freda Gleichman (Don Gleichman's sister-in-law), Chad Hobbs (Jade Burdick's cousin), Denise Hosay, Tanesha Gibson (friend of Velva Jacobson), Kelly Jundt (Glenn Hosay's cousin), Bill & Billie Moore (Connie Loman & Teresa Dove's parents), Irene Meyer (Pastor Glenn's mother), Laura Moore (Primus & Veronica Moore's daughter-in-law), Carol Roberts (Misty Robert's aunt), Robert Yoast, Ester Valenta (Linda Valenta's mother-in-law)

Thanksgiving: For the Church air conditioning being repaired

Special Needs: Pastor Mark Carter (Redeemer Lutheran, Bartlesville) scheduled for surgery, Steve Phipps, Colin Coats (Pastor Glenn's nephew) healing, Eric Wise (Clayton) unexplained chest pain, Olivia Dodson (Mandy Loman's cousin) leukemia, Braden Page (acquaintance of Denise & Glenn Hosay) sinus cancer, William Anderton (Denise Hosay's brother-in-law) lung cancer,

In Hospice: Lyle Drews (Doris Blake's brother)

For Strength: Misty Roberts, Bradford family (friends of Denise Hosay), Carlene Fletcher (Tina Hile's sister), Doyel family, Brenda Phipps, Lee Moore family, Peggy Gleichman family, Vic Jundt (Glenn Hosay's cousin), John Peasha Jr.

Serving in the Military: Wesley Blake (Karen Brown's nephew) David & Courtney Guidry (Teresa & Gary Dove's grandchildren), Cole Jackson (Connie Loman & Teresa Dove's cousin), Mike Starry (Mary Starry's son), Robert Starry (Mary Starry's grandson) Jordan, Canaan & Alivia Potter (Viola Potter's granddaughter), Teddy Stevens (Audrey Brown's brother)

For Transformation: That we are feeling empowered by the Holy Spirit to keep inviting the lost to church so that God might save them and equip his kingdom workers at Trinity as evangelists.

Prayer Focus for the Month of July: For Persecuted Christians Throughout the World



TRINITY PRAYER WARRIORS

If you know of someone that is in need of prayer contact Denise Hosay 539-832-7623 and she will start the prayer chain.

USHER CAPTAIN
Glenn Hosay
COMMUNION ASSISTANT
Harold Dunlop

July 2014

ALTAR GUILD
Denise Hosay
GREETER
Denise Hosay

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Clayton Bible Study 6:30 pm	2	3	4 Pastor's Day Off	5 Pastor's Day Off Disc Golf Mini weekly 10 am
6 Sunday Bible Study 9:15 am Holy Communion	7 Elders meeting 10 am	8 Pastor at Eufulaula on shut- in visits Youth Night 7 pm	9	10	11 Pastor's Day Off	12 Pastor's Day Off Men's Breakfast 8:30 am Disc Golf Mini weekly 10 am
13 Sunday Bible Study 9:15 am Voter's meeting Clayton Worship 6	14	15 16 Youth Night 7 pm	16	17	18 Pastor's Day Off	19 Pastor's Day Off LWML Meeting 9 am Disc Golf Mini weekly 10 am
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