

Weekly Update



IN-PERSON
ATTENDANCE

80



OFFERING
RECEIVED

\$3,758



ONLINE
ATTENDANCE

30

Prayers

Praises

- Kim & Duane Voegel – birth of granddaughter, Wren
- Steve & Marcia Epperson – birth of grandchild, Gillian
- Charlie Bragg – recovering
- Caiden Webb – received Master's diploma

Concerns

- Nancy & Bob Elder
- Dale Dudley
- Shannon McGregor
- Barb Neuhauser
- FUMC Pastors Mike & Beth Fender
- Quinn Rogers & family – settling in Germany

Due to your generous giving, we received \$625.00 in donations for Week of Compassion that were designated for "Hawaii Fires." Thank you!

News

1st Tuesday Lunch is Tuesday, the 5th, at the VFW. Meet at 11:30 am to have great food and fellowship with Pastor Grant and church friends.

Choir practice begins this Wednesday, at 7:00 pm, in the Sanctuary. Debbie will have homemade ice cream and goodies ready to enjoy for some fellowship afterwards. Old and new members are welcome! The choir returns to singing during worship on Sunday, September 10.

Preparations are under way for this year's Holiday Market, which will be Saturday, November 4, 2023. Hours are the same as in the past, 9:00 am–1:30 pm. Please look over the volunteer sign up sheet that is attached to this Update. Volunteers are needed in many different areas, and your help is vital in the success of this event. This year's fearless leaders are Debbie Seelhoefner and Deb Best. Please let them know where/how you will be able to serve.

Sunday Events for 9-10-23



SERMON & SCRIPTURE
"A Helping Hand"
Luke 6:6-11 NLT



FELLOWSHIP BIBLE
STUDY CLASS
9:00 AM



COFFEE HOUR
IN PARLOR
9:30 AM



SUNDAY
WORSHIP
10:00 AM



KIDS'
CHURCH
10:15 AM

Spiritual Life

Inspirational Quote

"An entire sea of water can't sink a ship unless it gets inside the ship. Similarly, the negativity of the world can't put you down unless you allow it to get inside you." — Goi Nasu

Prayer for the Week

Father, Miracle-Worker,

I put my trust and my faith in You because I know that nothing is impossible with You. Just as You told Sarah about the coming birth of Isaac, I know You will make a way when there is no way. You raised Lazarus from the dead. You made the dry bones have flesh again and then made breath enter them. Father, You look out for Your people, and for that, I praise You. You are the same God today as You were then. I believe in the power of Your hand. I believe in Your intervention. My mind has silenced the critics. I cannot hear the non-believers. All I hear is You, my Father. What harm can come to me when I walk with You?

Amen.

Extended Prayer List

CCIW Weekly Church Prayer List: NAPAD Ministry, Korean Christian Springfield, Living Stone CC Evanston, Chicago Christian Church Des Plaines, Happy Christian Church North Brook

Local Church of the Week: Faith Lutheran Church

Illinois National Guard: Zach Ohlsson, Dakota Freese, Lake Atchison, Dylan Short

U.S. Navy: Carra Scott, Cody Hawbaker, Jordan Spear, Coby Wood, Sam Dowling, Blake Kroll

U.S. Army: Brandon Parrish, Quinn Rogers, Derek Elder, Nate Blakemore

U.S. Air Force: Neils Abderhalden

U.S. Marines: Matthew Ray

Courtyard Estates: Harry McCorkle, Jackie Grace, Darcel Vitzthum, Diana Lane, Dorothy Craig, Bernadine Casteel

Sullivan Rehab & Health Care Center: Dale Dudley, Janet Daily

Green Gardens: Mary Lou Kidwell

Aspen Creek: June Hutchcraft

Evergreen Senior Living-Decatur: Rose Crane

Carriage Crossing Senior Living-Arcola: Roger & Barb Daily

This Week

"Labor Day" – Monday, Church Office Closed

1st Tuesday Lunch – Tuesday, 11:30 am, at VFW

Fellowship Hall Reserved – Wednesday, 5:00 pm (Red Cross Club)

Spiritual Habits Small Group – Wednesday, 6:00 pm

Fellowship Ministry Team Meeting – Wednesday, 6:30 pm, Conference Room

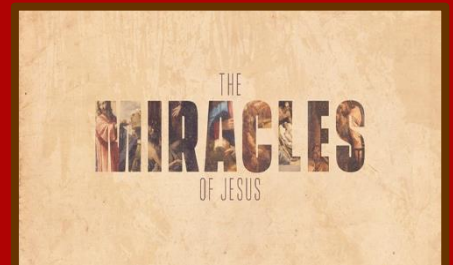
Choir Practice Begins – Wednesday, 7:00 pm, in Sanctuary

Ladies of Faith – Thursday, 10:00 am, Fellowship Hall

Men's Group – Saturday, 8:00 am, at Hardee's

Fellowship Hall Reserved – Saturday, All Day

Sunday
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