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Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

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Service Schedule

8:30 a.m. Fellowship
8:45 a.m. Sunday School/Adult Bible Study
10 a.m. Communion Worship Service

**Special COME AS YOU ARE Drive In Worship
Services for Easter, Memorial Day, Independence
Day, and Labor Day**

**Sunday Communion Worship Services (Ind.
Cup)**

Communion 5th Sunday (Common Cup only)

July 2018

FROM OUR PASTOR

To encourage you to read Luther's Works in our library I offer these snippets from: *Luther's Works, Vol. 44 : The Christian in Society I*. I hope you find it helpful in your thoughts concerning faith and good works.



2. In this way the Holy Spirit shows that there are three kinds of preaching or teaching which make for three kinds of conscience and three kinds of sin, as well as three kinds of the good life with three kinds of good works. All these differences are helpful, and a Christian needs to know them lest he confuse one with the other and do nothing properly. He must not mistake the sanctuary for the churchyard, nor the churchyard for the nave. To understand these things better we propose to call the holy of holies the sanctuary, the holy place the nave, and the court the churchyard.

3. We start with the churchyard. It is preaching or teaching which is concerned only with outward works which are bound up with time and place. These matters are the ceremonies, the outward performances and techniques in matters of dress or food which cause severe damage to the conscience if a preacher does not alert his people about them. Now he who does these things holds that such teaching has been established by law and that they are called good works, the good life, the spiritual office. When he has done them he believes that he has most certainly earned a good conscience (for what it is worth) and that he has done the right thing. The opposite is true, too—if he overlooks one of them or neglects to do it, for example, if he does not wear his garb properly or does not observe the hours, he gets a bad conscience, like a man who has not kept the commandments.

8. Let us now leave the atrium or churchyard and proceed into the holy place, the nave. This means teaching, works, and concepts of conscience which are really good. These are humility, meekness, gentleness, peace, fidelity, love, propriety, purity, and the like. These are not bound up with food and clothing, or with place, time, or person. For in these matters a layman may do more of value than a priest, a priest more than a pope, a woman more than a man, a boy more than an adult, a poor man more than a rich man, a naked man more than a man richly

clad; more of value may be done in the field than in the home, more in the secret chamber than in the church. This is what God looks for. It is here that a man strains camels and swallows gnats. It is here that a man gathers up the corn and casts away the chaff. It is here that Abel sacrifices a lamb and lets Cain sacrifice his straw. It is here that a man must fight against pride, avarice, immodesty, anger, hatred, and the like. Here must we keep ourselves fully occupied as long as we live, so as to forget the churchyard altogether and not want it. Here we see what is the proper road to piety and holiness, for we see for ourselves that those who practice this become truly righteous, but those who practice “churchyard” piety do not. That proves that this way and not the other must be the right way.

11. ... To this end, then, God has built the sanctuary and *Sanctum sanctorum* for us. Here he has set Christ before us and promised that he who believes in him and calls on his name shall at once receive the Holy Spirit. As he says in John 16, “The Father will send the Holy Spirit in my name.” A man who denies himself and calls upon Christ in genuine trust is certain to receive the Holy Spirit. Where Christ’s name is, there the Holy Spirit follows. He who calls on Christ in faith, however, possesses his name, and the Holy Spirit most certainly comes to him. When the Spirit comes, however, look, he makes a pure, free, cheerful, glad, and loving heart, a heart which is simply gratuitously righteous, seeking no reward, fearing no punishment. Such a heart is holy for the sake of holiness and righteousness alone and does everything with joy. Faith alone saves. Why? Faith brings with it the Spirit, and he performs every good work with joy and love. In this way the Spirit fulfils God’s commandments, and brings a man his salvation, all of which is signified by the sanctuary and the nave (the *Sanctum* and the *Sanctum sanctorum*) being built in one and the same structure. But the atrium, the churchyard that lies apart, is to show that good works without faith cannot happen, and that faith without works cannot endure. A preacher should not try to separate the two, although he should push faith to the fore. ¹

 God Bless!
Pastor Guillaume Williams, Sr.

¹Luther, Martin: Pelikan, Jaroslav Jan (Hrsg.) ; Oswald, Hilton C. (Hrsg.) ; Lehmann, Helmut T. (Hrsg.): *Luther's Works, Vol. 44 : The Christian in Society I*. Philadelphia : Fortress Press, 1999, c1966 (Luther's Works 44), S. 44:242

ELDERS

We hope you are surviving this “hot” weather. We have not seen some of you in church or Bible Study this summer. If you don’t want to go out in the heat come to church it’s cool inside!

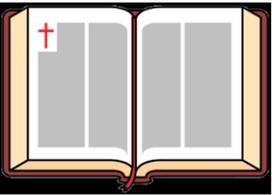
God is never far away, He’s with you every second of every moment. Come join us on Sundays for the 10 a.m. communion service. We miss you! Our July drive-in service will be at 7:30 am.

Your Elder is as close as your phone if you need him. Look in the directory by your name to find the name of your Elder.

*In God’s Service,
Chuck Kiel (302-0438),
Gene Scheiter (346-2442),
Alan Wiese (817-3355)*

BIBLE STUDIES

Sunday’s Bible Study Classes A topical study, led by Pastor Williams will meet in the downstairs fellowship hall.



Monday’s Bible Study Classes are on hiatus until fall.

All are welcome to join any of the classes at anytime.

MISSIONARY MAHLBERG



*In God’s Peace,
Rev Steven and Martha Mahlberg
Autumn, Liberty, Skye, Rose and Duncan*

Check out our blog:
<https://MissionSriLanka.wordpress.com/>

Follow us on: [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#)

Our missionary page is here:
lcms.org/mahlburg

BUDGET INFORMATION

2018 Budgeted weekly amount is \$3,445.55.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Service Type</u>	<u>Total Offerings</u>	<u>Total Attend.</u>
May 6, 2018	Sunday	\$ 1,708.10	45
May 13, 2018	Sunday	\$ 1,281.07	45
May 20, 2018	Sunday	\$ 1,679.94	43
May 27, 2018	Sunday	\$ 1,847.80	71

LCMS Stewardship Ministry

“For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery” (Gal. 5:1).



We celebrate this month because of the freedoms and liberties our country has afforded us. We are right to do this. We should be thankful for these liberties: the freedom to gather together to worship and to live out what we believe in our daily lives.

But freedom and liberty in our age has devolved. It has become a freedom from duty instead of a freedom for it. Indeed, freedom and liberty in our age has turned into licentiousness: a license to do what we want, when we want.

This license is a submission, again, to a yoke of slavery. For freedom as license to do what we desire when we desire it means we are slaves to our desires, slaves to our passions.

Christ died to set us free from our sinful desires. In Holy Baptism, our Old Adam is drowned and put to death along with all sin and evil desires so that a new man may arise and live before God in righteousness and purity.

In Christ, we are a new creation. We are set free from the passions of the flesh so that we are free to do our duty and bear fruits of the Spirit.

Our duty is what God calls us to do as members of a family, society, and the church.

God calls us to believe in His Word and gladly hear and learn it. He calls us to pray for all people. He calls us to live in faith toward Him and in fervent love for our neighbor. He calls us to put the gifts He gives to us in His service. God calls parents to provide for their children and raise them in the fear and admonition of the Lord. And God calls children to honor their parents and provide and care for them when they are no longer able to do so themselves.

God calls the government to punish those who do evil and to reward those who do good. He calls citizens to pay their taxes and honor the governing officials as God's servants. He calls pastors to preach and teach the Gospel as well as repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And He calls hearers to support those who teach them with every good thing.

Christ died to set us free from the works of our selfish flesh, giving us the freedom and liberty to do our duty. Stand firm, then, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

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LWML Ladies Guild News



Summer is here and we are working on pulling together Junk n Trunk. Do you have enough stuff to rent a space for \$20? We will be participating in the city wide bingo again and selling baked goods and snacks. There will be a sign up sheet on the credenza for those who want to help. Also watch the bulletins as we will be bringing back Sunday mufcups to help raise money for Christmas Sharing.

We will not meet in July and August. Have a wonderful summer. Be sure to take Jesus with you on your vacation.

Save the Dates!

September 15, 2018 – Junk n Trunk here at Hope
December 2, 2018 – Ladies Luncheon

*Kathy Heinemann
President*

Here is a summary of the LWML District Convention activities. There is a convention book along with a couple of the handouts on the credenza (next to the mite box) if you would like to take a look at the overall event.

PRESIDENT -- SALLY HANDRICK

PASTORAL COUNSELOR -- REV. DAVID M. ODDI

VP OF ORGANIZATIONAL RESOURCES -- LAURA COOLEY

VP OF COMMUNICATION -- DORIS VIETS

VP OF GOSPEL OUTREACH -- KAREN DRURY

NOMINATING COMMITTEE -- TERESA BACKS (CHAIRMAN), DONNA HECHT,
JANET LATHAM, MARY TALBOTT, ROSE MARY THOMPSON

Attendance:
Past Presidents: 5
Board of Directors: 15
Delegates: 236
Clergy: 9
YWR's: 19
Members: 175
Guests: 51
Total: 513

GRANT PROPOSALS THAT WERE VOTED ON IN ORDER OF VOTES

1. SUPPORTING THE RURAL CHURCH WITH A HANDICAP ACCESSIBLE CHURCH \$18,000.00
2. SUPPORT FOR CONCORDIA SEMINARY'S INTERNATIONAL GRADUATES \$20,000.00
3. LCC COMFORT DOG MINISTRY -- TRAVEL ASSISTANCE FUND \$10,000.00
4. SAXONY LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL -- TUITION ASSISTANCE \$20,000.00
5. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR CONCORDIA, FT. WAYNE FOOD & CLOTHING \$2,000.00
6. CREATING COMMUNITY AROUND CHRIST AT CALVARY LUTHERAN HIGH \$20,000.00
7. REACHING VISUALLY IMPAIRED INMATES WITH GOD'S LOVE \$8,000.00
8. ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY CAMPUS MINISTRY & OUTREACH PROGRAM \$20,000.00
9. OUTREACH TO REFUGEE FAMILIES FOR ABUNDANT LIFE \$20,00.00
10. MOVING OUR FAITH INTO TOMORROW BY PRESERVING OUR HERITAGE TODAY \$12,000.00
11. MULTIPLYING INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP CENTERS FOR OUTREACH TO MUSLIMS AND HINDUS IN ST. LOUIS \$12,000.00
12. RESOURCING AND EQUIPPING CONGREGATIONS TO GROW MINISTRY WITH PEOPLE OF ALL ABILITIES \$10,000.00
13. NEIGHBORS TO DISCIPLES IN URBAN ST. LOUIS \$15,000.00
14. PROJECT JOEL -- OUTREACH TO YOUTH IN LATIN AMERICA (PARTIAL FUNDING) \$3,000.00

*All Mission Grants for
2016 – 2018
Were Paid in Full!
\$359,448*

**New Mission Goal
For 2018 – 2020
\$370,000**

DRIVE IN SERVICES



VICES are here! Our drive in services were started in 1958. *Help us keep this amazing ministry going.* A lot of work goes into them and the more workers we have - the easier it is for everyone. Please consider helping. Some of the jobs are: Set up of carport area, take down of carport area, sound system set up and take down, parking directors, greeters, fellowship hosts, kitchen set up, kitchen clean up. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex.

GIFT/CARD SHOP

Christian Greeting Cards, Bibles, Books and Gifts are available in our Card Shop located at the top of the stairs next to the coat room.

We are self-service, if you would like to pay by check, please make it out to Hope Lutheran Ladies Guild. Just mark your purchase on the log and place your payment in the pitcher next to the log.

If you are looking for something in particular, just ask Doris or the church secretary and we will be able to find it for you.

All items are sold at cost or just a little above as all proceeds benefit our library or a special need here at Hope Chapel.

*Have a Blessed Summer,
Hope Lutheran Ladies Guild*

Thank You!



Thank you to everyone that helped with VBS this year! We couldn't have done it without you!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Date	Lesson
1	The Baptism of Jesus <i>Luke 3:15-22</i>
8	Zacchaeus <i>Luke 19:1-10</i>
15	Paul and Silas in Prison <i>Acts 16:16-34</i>
22	Job <i>Job 1:1-2:10; 42</i>
29	God Provides Manna and Quail <i>Exodus 16</i>

Service Projects 2018

Please place your offerings in the jar or basket during the Sunday School hour and Thank you for your donations!

<u>Month</u>	<u>Beneficiary</u>	<u>Amount Collected</u>
January	Benevolence	\$ 27.00
February	Seminary Student	\$ 12.95
March	Radio Program	\$ 26.96
April	Swaddling Clothes	\$ 37.50
May	Radio Program	\$ 21.56
June	Heifer International	TBD
July	Heit's Point	TBD

HELP WANTED!!



Sunday Morning Help:

Greeters – Sign up on the credenza

Fellowship Host(s) – Signup sheet is on the credenza

Communion / Altar setup – Call Lois Grawe

Counters – Call the Church Office or speak to Betty Merli.

Don't know what a Counter is? They are the ones that "collect" the offerings from the collection plate after the last Sunday service and get it ready for depositing in the bank. If you are a communicant member, can count money and make a list, you can help!

Sunday School Teacher Needed!

Our Board of Education is looking for 1-2 volunteers to help share the word of God with our kiddo's. No previous experience necessary, if you can read, you can teach! Lessons and materials are provided just contact Debbie Thompson, Jan Loman, or Tina Cardin if you are interested!

(Psst! SS Teachers are not just women 😊)

REQUIREMENTS: ~ Love of God ~ Love of kids ~ Can read and write

OFFICE UPDATE



Coffee Pots! Please remember to turn them off. Especially the large one in the downstairs kitchen. It has been left on a lot lately.



Recycling – I have a paper box sitting to the left of the copier in the office for bad copies and old bulletins.

Empty Ink jet cartridges are still accepted. A few are used at Staples to offset office supplies and the rest go to Habitat for Humanity. Next time you have an empty cartridge, **PLEASE DON'T THROW IT AWAY!** Just put it in a Ziploc bag or the original cartridge box and bring it to the church office. All proceeds go towards office supplies and to build more homes in the spirit of humanity.

Collections requested:

“infant items” – for Swaddling Clothes mission

“Cancelled stamps, no liberty bell or flag forever stamps” – for missions (LWML)

“Money-off coupons – no expiration date” - for Concordia Seminary Food Bank (LWML)

“Portals of Prayer” – Prison Ministries (LWML)

“Empty Inkjet Cartridges” – Offset office supplies & Habitat for Humanity



Office Secretary Hours for July

Monday thru Friday - 8 am to 12 pm.

New Article/Bulletin Deadlines:

Newsletter Articles – 2nd to last Sunday of the Month

Bulletin Notes – Wednesdays at 9 am

WARNING: Articles not received by their deadline will not be included.

Acknowledgments

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FELLOWSHIP SCHEDULE ~ 2018

July 17th 7 pmLake Area Community Orchestra and Ice Cream Social
Hosts: Hope Chapel/OBSC

September 15thJunk N the Trunk
Hosts: Ladies Guild



SUMMER 2018 SCHEDULE

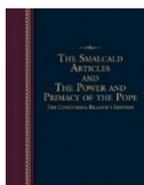
LAKE AREA COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

- Tuesday, July 10 Hope Lutheran Chapel/OB Senior Center, Osage Beach Pkwy, Osage Beach
- Tuesday, July 17 First Christian Church, East Capitol Ave., Jefferson City
- Tuesday, July 24 Versailles Royal Theatre, Versailles
- Tuesday, July 31 Lake Ozark Christian Church, Bus. 54, Lake Ozark

All Concerts begin at 7:00 pm. There is no admission charge.
Free will donations are welcome

THERE IS SOME GREAT MUSIC IN STORE FOR US AT THESE CONCERTS. SELECTIONS INCLUDE AMERICAN RIVER SONGS, A TRIBUTE TO ARTIE SHAW, A SCOTT JOPLIN RETROSPECTIVE, JAMES BOND, AND SEVENTY-SIX TROMBONES. AND WE CLOSE WITH SOUSA'S STARS AND STRIPES FOREVER.

New Witness Tool!



Have friends who are on the fence Roman Catholics?

Need something to help better express your faith, brush up on your faith knowledge or Wondering about the Pope?

This “little” pamphlet is on the credenza in the Narthex and can help!

FREE! (But if you could donate a \$1 each to Christian Literature that would be great).

Daily Devotions

Our Pastor publishes daily devotions on our website, facebook, twitter, and linkedin.

Our website:

www.hopelutheranchapel.org

Follow us on Twitter - @hopelutheranmo

And Facebook - [Hope-Lutheran-Chapel](https://www.facebook.com/Hope-Lutheran-Chapel)



OUR WORSHIP SERVICE can be heard every Sunday (on a week delay basis) from 8:30-9:00 am on KRMS 1150 AM and 97.5 FM Radio. If you would like to help sponsor this broadcast, place your contribution in a designated gift offering envelope marked “Radio Broadcast”. **You can also tune into 89.3 fm at any time to listen to one of our previous services.**