

Serving Christ During the Week

Today: 8am, Divine Service

9:15-10am, Sunday School & Adult Bible Class

10:15am, Matins

4pm Reformation 500th Anniversary Lecture (see notes)

4:30pm Youth Planning Team meeting

6:30-8:30pm HS Youth Gathering and Bible Study at the Horning's house

Monday: 7pm Wyneken PTL meeting

Tuesday: 6am Early Bird Bible Study

9:30am-4pm Circuit Pastors meet at the seminary

7-9:15pm Lutheran Bible Institute (see notes)

Wednesday: 8:20am Wyneken Chapel

9:10am and 1pm Kinderchapel

7pm Adult Choir

Thursday: 4pm Public School Catechism

Friday: (No Wyneken School; Teacher in-service in Ft. Wayne)

Saturday:

Next Sunday: 8am, Matins

9:15am, Sunday School and Adult Bible Class

10:15am, Divine Service (with Baptism)

11:30am-3pm Parish Hall in use

6:30-8:30pm HS Youth Gathering & Bible Study at Horning's house.

NEWS AND NOTES February 12, 2017

⊕ During Communion distribution, the Communion hymn is sung. As long as people are still communing, the next consecutive hymns in the hymnal are sung. We do not stand for doxological hymn verses during Communion distribution.

⊕ Today's opening hymn (394) is the "Hymn of the week". As such, our Wyneken children have learned stanza 1 this past week. Since it summarizes so well what Epiphany is about, we used it also on Epiphany Sunday.

⊕ Our Wyneken Choir will be singing "Arise and Shine in Splendor" today while the offering is being received in second service.

⊕ We continue our study of the book of Hebrews in Adult Bible Class. Join your brothers and sisters in our discussion of God's Word, and join them also in refreshments which volunteers frequently prepare for Bible class hour.

⊕ Today at 4pm, the second of the Reformation 500th anniversary lectures: "The Reformation at 500: Still Worth Celebrating!" Dr. Cameron A. MacKenzie, Chair and

Professor of Historical Theology will discuss the origins of the Reformation in the teaching of Martin Luther, especially the 95 Theses, and argue for the ongoing significance of what Luther taught about God, man and salvation. There is no charge for these lectures that take place from 4-5pm in Luther Hall on the Seminary campus, 6600 N. Clinton St., Fort Wayne.

⊕ **YOUTH NEWS: February 12:** Youth Planning Team meeting 4:30pm, HS Youth Gathering & Bible Study at Horning's house 6:30-8:30pm. **February 19:** HS Youth Gathering & Bible Study at the Horning's house 6:30-8:30pm. **March 25-April 2:** 500th Anniversary of Reformation Trip to Germany.

⊕ Our Wyneken parents who attend worship here with their Wyneken children are reminded to initial their column on the special books in the narthex. Recall that each family with their Wyneken children must attend at least 14 services at the church to retain their member tuition status.

⊕ There are two more weeks to attend the 49th annual Decatur Lutheran Bible Institute. Four stimulating courses are open to the public: *Praying the Catechism* with Professor John Pless, CTS, Ft. Wayne; *Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Faithfulness* with Dr. Peter Scaer, CTS, Ft. Wayne; *Where's Jesus? Hiding Behind Every Corner* with Rev. James Voorman, Pastor, Zion Lutheran Church, Decatur; *Ruth: Foremother of Jesus* with Rev. Randall Wurschmidt, Pastor, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Ossian, on the Tuesday evenings of February 14, and February 21 from 7-9:15pm. It will be held at our Wyneken School.

⊕ **Save The Date!** Dancing through the Decades! Adult Prom and Silent Auction fundraiser for Wyneken's 50th Anniversary Reunion and Celebration. Tickets will be available starting January 8th at Bingen, Friedheim and Preble churches. **When:** Saturday, March 4, 7pm to Midnight. **Where:** Orchard Ridge Country Club. **Who:** All are welcome who are 21 and older. Cost is \$75.00 per couple or \$50.00 per single. Drinks, Hors oeuvres, dancing and a silent auction! We are looking for donations for the silent auction. If you have items you would be willing to donate, or perhaps you would be willing to put together a goodies basket, please contact Bobbi Shane at bobbishaneabc@yahoo.com.

⊕ Babysitters for "Dancing Through the Decades Event": Looking for a youth member to babysit while you attend Wyneken's "Dancing Through the Decades" Adult Prom Event" Please contact: Marily Melcher (260) 223-5688, Maddie Johnson (260) 415-5071, Hanna Walker (260)223-5683, Natalie Hammond (260) 740-2526, Kylee Wefel (260) 341-5685.

⊕ "Nelson Port-A-Pit Chicken Fund Raiser for Lon Buuck's Medical Expenses". When? **February 25th**. Where? New Hope Lutheran Church, Ossian, IN. Take out only

and serving from 10:30 to 1:30. Presale \$6.50 ½ chicken or \$10.00 ½ chicken with pit-tatoes. The day of tickets will be \$7.00 ½ chicken or \$11.00 ½ chicken and pit-tatoes. Pre-sale tickets are guaranteed until 12:30 pm day of event. Call the Church office at 622-7954 or 622-4627 to order your tickets.

⊕ Our congregation's 2016 Annual Report is available in the narthex for members to peruse or take home. The OASIS Youth Report was inadvertently duplicated.

⊕ **PTL Meeting on Monday, February 13 @7pm:** This will be a regular business meeting with discussions on various school projects, upcoming spring activities and fundraising ideas. Please join us! Your thoughts and ideas are always welcome! **We are in need of three people willing to serve within the PTL for the next school year. Two people are needed to serve on the Food/Beverage committee. It is not a difficult job and only requires providing food, beverages and refreshments several times during the school year for various activities. One person is needed to fill the treasurer position. If you would like to learn more about these positions please come to the meeting or contact Tina Caston ([260-724-8907](tel:260-724-8907)) for the food/beverage committee and Jennifer Sprague ([260-438-1492](tel:260-438-1492)) for the treasurer position.

⊕ *Worship for Shut-Ins* Scripture Readings and Sermon Summary for January 29, 2017 - **Seventh Sunday after Epiphany.** Psalm 94:3-5; Epistle: 1 Corinthians 3:18-20; Gospel: Matthew 5:38-48. **"Two Kinds of Wisdom" - Sermon Text:** I Corinthians 3:18-20 by Rev. Dr. Walter A. Maier III, Concordia Theological Seminary ~ Ft. Wayne, IN.

⊕ "Prayer list" for members to use as they bring the needs of others before God's throne of grace: Carol Bieberich' cancer has returned; Cathy Terhune (nee Jeffrey) has miraculously shown improvement! Sydney Tinkel (4 yr. old acquaintance of Suzie Steiner); Mrs. Harvey; Bonnie Gallmeyer; Penny Smith; Ruth Brege re-diagnosed with pre-leukemia.

⊕ The lessons for next Sunday are Lev. 19:1-2, 9-18; 1 Cor. 3:10-23; Matt. 5:38-48.

Saint Paul Lutheran Church Preble

Sermon: "Jesus, a New Moses?" Matthew 5:21-37

- I. Moses: You shall not murder.
 - A. Jesus exposes that we have broken this!
 - B. Jesus never murdered; He then saves even Moses from this sin.
- II. Moses: You shall not commit adultery.
 - A. Jesus exposes that we have broken this!
 - B. Jesus never committed adultery; He then saves from this sin.
- III. Moses: You shall not swear falsely.
 - A. Jesus exposes that "all men are liars".
 - B. Jesus spoke the truth and absorbed all lies in His death.

P: Lord, in your mercy **C:** Hear our prayer.

The Communicants

Our Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Call: Rev. Peter Brock has a call to Our Redeemer L. C. in Illinois
The Nation

Our Sick & Shut-in

Birthdays: Amanda Bluhm, Jim Merriman, Julie Smith, Jaxon Harkless, Kathryn Terhune, Travis Fravel, Eric Rabel, Amber Riley, Dan Bleeker, Gene Bulmahn, Brittney Gallmeyer, Karlann Bieberich, Tori Miller

SERVICE OF LOVE IN CHRIST

Serving Christ and Being Served in Worship

8am Worship: 123 10:15am Worship: 123

Adult Bible Class: 75

Serving Christ in our Offerings

Need Weekly: \$7,181.70 Received Last Week: \$4,808.30

(+) or (-) Weekly: -\$2,373.40 (+) or (-) Year to Date: -\$16,227.83