

Week of July 17-23, 2023

Weekly E-Blast



ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN
Home of Traditional Worship

This Sunday, July 23, 2023—8th Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Isaiah 44:6-8; Psalm 119:57-64; Romans 8:18-27; Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

CELEBRATE THIS WEEK

Birthdays This Week

- 7/17 Jason Williams
- 7/18 Linda Heffner
- Keith McMillan
- Bob Weed
- 7/19 Darin Roberts
- 7/21 Linda Ballington
- Richard Hodgkiss
- Gerald Long-96**
- 7/22 Kay Amick
- 7/23 Debbie Dent
- Adam Ellisor
- Dick Sullivan-96**



Anniversaries This Week

- 7/19 Chuck & Alli Bledsoe
- 26 years
- 7/19 Bob & Sandra Martin
- 5 years
- 7/21 Stephen & Katie Kupchinsky
- 22 years
- 7/21 Keith & Jennifer McMillan
- 11 years
- 7/21 Brett & Jennie Porth
- 16 years
- 7/23 Gene & Joyce M Porth
- 35 years
- 7/23 Calvin & Missy Porth
- 40 years

MEETINGS & EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday, July 17:

- Matins 6:30 pm
- Lutheran Men 6:30 pm / FH

Thursday, July 20:

- Ed 2:7 Group 7 pm / CR

Friday, July 21:

- Men's Bible Study 6:15 am/FH

Saturday, July 22:

- Family Movie Night 6:30 pm/PLC

Sunday, July 23:

- Worship w/Communion 8:30 am
- Coffee Time 9:30 am/PLC
- Sunday School all ages 10 am
- Chancel Choir 10:15 am
- Worship w/Communion 11 am
- Youth Week Begins

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR OLDEST MEMBERS

This week we celebrate the 96th birthdays of **Gerald Long** (Friday) and **Dick Sullivan** (Sunday), our two oldest members.

Gerald doesn't come on Sunday mornings, so we will celebrate him at Loving Group on Tuesday, July 25th.

Dick doesn't come to Loving Group so we will celebrate him Sunday. If you are able, please bring a card (no need to mail) to church Sunday so we can shower Dick with love. If you don't know him, he's a Marine Corps Veteran who still **drives himself from St. Andrews** to church each Sunday.

Neither of them use email so this will be a surprise. 😊

LUTHERAN MEN

July meeting **TONIGHT**.
Be sure to join us at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall for dinner & a discussion on the history of Lexington led by Ron Cook.
Questions?
Call Bill Jennings

Serving Sunday, July 23, 2023

Acolyte	8:30 am—Addison Cook / 11:00 am— Volunteer Needed
Altar Flowers	Dwight & Kay Amick (Call & give Carol information for bulletin)
Altar Guild for July	LeeAnn Crapps & Catherine Porth
Bulletin Stuffers for July	Russell & Robin Rawl
Camera (alternating weeks)	8:30 am—Crystal Dennison / 11:00 am—Debbie Arnold
Coffee Time	Jean Hundley and Friends
Communion by Intinction	8:30 am—Bread: Pastor Cassie & Pastor Judson Wine: Pat Allen & Steve Wyndham 8:30 am—Bread: Pastor Cassie & Pastor Judson Wine: Debbie Dent & Barbara Weed
Greeters	8:30 am— Brenda Hedgecock / 11:00 am—Debbie Dent
Lectors	8:30 am—Sheryll Gill / 11 am—Debbie Dent (readings on breezeway)
Pew Crew for July	Russell & Robin Rawl
Ushers for July	Ean Crapps & Keith McMillan—Chairs Landis Sandel & Wayne O'Neill

SANCTUARY LEAK

The recent rains have exposed a leak in the roof of our sanctuary (at the base of the steeple) that is going to require attention. If you would like to contribute to this cause, you may do so by writing "LEAK" or maintenance on your check or on your envelope. THANK YOU!

A/C COMPRESSOR

If you were in the PLC Sunday evening for VBS, you were warm. Turns out the 2nd compressor on the unit we repaired *last* summer is entering it's final days. We have a band-aid on it, but we need to start raising funds for that repair. Last year's total was \$11,000. Ugh! Mark donations maintenance or A/C. THANK YOU!

Service Committee Project

Don't forget to check out the [July Proclaimer](#) for a list of foods needed by Mission Lexington. This is the focus for July & August by the Service Committee. Thanks for being the hands & feet of Jesus in our community.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS Summer Edition

- **Lutheran Men—July 17 @ 6:30 pm/FH**
- Family Movie Night: A Man Named Otto
July 22 @ 6:30 pm / PLC
(bring your beverage, popcorn provided)
- **Youth Week—July 23-29**
- Loving Group—July 25th
- **Youth Back-to-School Bash-August 6**
Skating from 2-4 pm
- Lutheran Men—August 7

*If you need a ride to any church event, please call
Dot Rish @ 803-606-5117.*

YouTube The stars have aligned and our 11:00 am Sunday worship is on YouTube this week.