



Holy Cross Lutheran Church

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Making peace by the blood of his cross — Colossians 1:15-20

Grace, peace, and mercy to you from our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!

Job 1:21 records the lament of the righteous and wealthy man who lost everything: “Naked I came from my mother’s womb and naked shall I return. The Lord gave, and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord.”

We do enter the world naked, but rarely remain so for long. Parents or nurses are quick to give a blanket and clothing. Not much time passes and the baby adds a stuffed animal, a crib, a rattle, and so the collection of stuff grows. Over the weekend, I met a few ladies who hoped to shop our yard sale. They were a week early and in addition to inviting them back, I said there was a yard sale going on in my neighborhood. The ladies responded, “Oh, there’s only baby stuff at that one.”

So naked we come into the world, but quickly we get stuff, but then we grow out of that stuff. Yard sales are a good time to reflect, how much stuff we can collect that we have no use for.

And yet it can be so hard to get rid of stuff we no longer have use for. Our memories collect around the stuff, so that even if our hands don’t have a use for them, our hearts still do. We may not have used that kitchen gadget, but it reminds us of the party we threw and the people we miss and let’s keep it for another year.

When we think of all the stuff we don’t want to lose, the words of Job hit home: “and naked shall I return.” None of the stuff goes with us. Not a lick of it passes into the next life.

Job did not give away his stuff. It was taken. And his response is amazing. “The Lord gave, and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord.” Job not only blesses the God who gave, he blesses the God who took.

When I was a child, I had a blanket I would take with me everywhere, like Linus from *Peanuts*. My parents told me I couldn’t keep carrying a blanket around as I got older. Of course, I didn’t understand this. It was my stuff! So my parents took to cutting away part of the blanket, a piece at a time. Eventually, I had just a handkerchief. And then one day after school, that was gone.

As a parent now, I see their wisdom. My parents gave and my parents took away; blessed be my parents who loved me both in the giving and the taking.

Through faith, we learn to approach stuff the same way. None of it can go with us anyway. In the taking, as well as the giving, we may learn to see the loving hand of God.

Your servant in Christ,

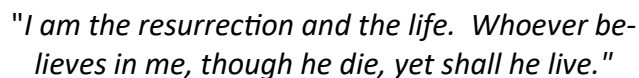
Pastor Daniel Guagenti



4- CHARLIE SCHUFER
8- BRITTANY FRERKING
9- TODD WIGGEN
11- CHARLIE MOODY
11- MERRIE FEOLE
13- VICKI BONO
16- JESSICA ASH
16- LORIE RUSCH
18- KATHY ADAMS
18- DEBORA LEE
20- HARLAN JOSEPH
22- ELLIOTT GARRETT
26- ANDY GUAGENTI
30- JEFF HILBERT

- 1- DAVE & ANITA THEMER (1991)
- 14- ROD & JENNIE SHREVE (1969)
- 19- JEREMY & DANIELLE BOTKINS (2010)
- 20- CARL & TAMMY CLARK (1981)
- 22- MIKE & JENNIFER HARROD (2002)
- 23- CHRIS & BRENDA PHOEBUS (1979)
- 23- IAN & ERIKA FEOLE (2012)

Rev. Robert A. Brockhoff, Emeritus, was called to glory on Thursday, May 30, 2019. Rev. Brockhoff was instrumental in planting Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Shelbyville. May our risen Lord comfort those who mourn.



Welcome JULY

CELEBRATIONS IN JULY

3- BILL CHAPMAN
3- MATTHEW RUTLEDGE
4- AMYE GARRETT
6- SANDY RUNNER
8- CASEY JAGER
10- TIMMOTHY MCCARTY
13- AARON FRANKE
14- CHARLES MOODY III
15- MAELYN BOTKINS
15- JEREMY BOTKINS
15- JOSHUA BOTKINS
15- DAVE THEMER
21- BRENNY BOTKINS
21- COLESYN BOTKINS
22- FRED WILBUR
25- SHONTELLE ADAMS
28- LETHA BUTTS
29- SERENE LOPPNOW

15- DAVID & DEBRA CONDER (1995)
20- PASTOR DANIEL & ALENA GUAGENTI
(2002)
25- PASTOR HENRY & SERENE LOPPNOW
(1959)
27- ALEX & JANINE SHREVE (2002)

Lutheranism 101 looks to start up June 22 at 10 am. This ten-week course covers the basics of our faith, the Bible, and church history. New members go through this class before joining to get a sense of what we believe, teach, and confess. Everyone is welcome to join. Please see Pastor Guagenti for more information.

Baby Bottle Boomerang



The ALC Pregnancy Resource Center, Inc. in Shelbyville will start their annual Baby Bottle Boomerang fundraising campaign beginning on Mother's Day May 12, 2019 and will conclude on Father's Day, June 16, 2019.

During this campaign baby bottles will be available in our church for members / friends of our congregation. Please consider taking one or more bottles and filling them with loose change (cash or checks if you prefer).

Monies raised will fund the ministry of ALC which is a 501c3 nonprofit offering services free of charge to anyone experiencing an unplanned pregnancy and / or who needs peer counseling, pregnancy tests, baby clothing and items, food and formula, diapers, classes in Parenting, Bible Study and Homemaking, Abstinence information., Adoption referrals, Male Mentoring or Post Abortion Recovery.

Please take as many bottles as you like, fill them, and return them to the church on Father's Day, June 16. You may also drop them off at ALC if you'd prefer. They are located at: 7121 Henry Clay Street in the back of the same building as Operation Care. Their hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9am to 5pm or you may call them at (502) 647-0300. Your donation assists them in saving the lives of unborn children and ministering to their parents. Last year, Holy Cross requested 35 bottles and returned 29 with a total of \$182.79 donated!

LADIES NIGHT OUT: JUNE 4

Ladies Night Out will be going to The Blind Squirrel, 529 N English Station Rd, Middleton on Tuesday, June 4. They will meet there at 6:30pm. Please let Rita Whitehouse know if you will be attending.

THREADS OF GRACE

Threads of Grace will not meet in June and July. They will meet again on Tuesday, August 20.

CAMP LAKEVIEW OPEN HOUSE: JUNE 9

We hope you'll join us on June 9th from 1:30-4:30pm for an open house. There will be food, bounce houses and other games, and fellowship. Lakeview Springs committee members will be available to answer questions you may have with regard to planning and development at camp that is already underway.

SHAKER VILLAGE : JUNE 11

Seniors will be going to Shaker Village in Harrodsburg in June 11. We will leave church at 9:00 A.M. We will be taking the van. There is a \$10 admission. We will have lunch at the onsite restaurant. I will post a newsletter on the bulletin board to read if you want information on their different activities during the summer. Please see Rita Whitehouse for more information.

BOOK CLUB: JUNE 9

For June, the Book Club will be reading Lars Walker's The Year of the Warrior an historical-fantasy series of novels based on the real-life Erling Sjalgs-son, Norway's first Christian lord. They will meet June 9. For more information please see Shelah Shreve.

YOU MIGHT BE A LUTHERAN IF...

- A midlife crisis means switching from the old hymnbook to the new one.
- You forget to put water in the baptismal font but never forget to put water in the coffee pot.



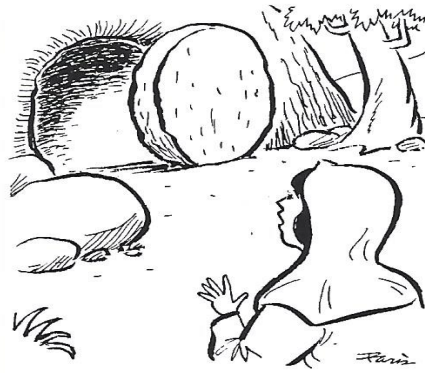
LIFE QUOTES

"The good things that fathers do for their children and give to their children are blessings from God, for fathers and mothers are God's representatives to their children. As disciplinarians they are representatives for His holiness. As providers they are representatives of His goodness and generosity. As teachers of the Gospel they are representatives of His grace. And as representatives not only do they act toward their children on God's behalf, they also demonstrate to them who their God is and what He is like, for it is His blessings that they bring to their children."

"From the Lutheran Spokesman"

A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life
www.lutheransforlife.org

KNOW YOUR BIBLE



First Appearance

According to Mark, to whom did Jesus appear first after His resurrection?

Look for the answer in the August Newsletter
 May's Answer: Andrew (see Mark 1:16)

Volunteer Schedule

SUNDAY	Acolyte	Reader	Ushers	Cleaning	Nursery	Altar Guild	Mowing
June 2	Zoe Shreve	David Franke	Charlie Moody Rita Whitehouse	Kathy Vetter	Kathy Vetter	Jennifer Harrod	Dave Franke Max Themer June 5-8
June 9	Eden Guagenti	Jeff Wilson	Don Williams Bob Myers	Harlan Joseph	Shelah Shreve	No Communion	Josh Botkins Jeremy Botkins June 12-15
June 16	Elijah Smith	Charlie Moody	Alex VanPelt Charlie Adams	Sandy Runner	Jennie Shreve	Brenda Moody	Alex VanPelt Mike Carlson June 19-22
June 23	Max Semeniuk	David Themer	Joel Franke Harlan Joseph	Botkins family	Alena Guagenti	No Communion	Chris Phoebus Greg Rutledge June 26-29
June 30	Brenyn Botkins	Nancy Kovach	Rod Shreve John Feole	Franke family	Kathy Vetter	Rita Whitehouse	Dave Pontius Jack Bink July 3-6
July 7	Isaac Guagenti	David Franke	Harlan Joseph Aaron Franke	Katy Vetter	Josh Botkins	Rita Whitehouse	Dave Themer Brian Gehrman July 10-13
July 14	Gabriel Guagenti	Jeff Wilson	Charlie Moody Rita Whitehouse	Harlan Joseph	Shelah Shreve	No Communion	John Feole Steve Rusch July 17-20
July 21	Zoe Shreve	Charlie Moody	Don Williams Bob Myers	Sandy Runner	Jennie Shreve	Brenda Moody	Greg Rutledge Pastor July 24-27
July 28	Eden Guagenti	David Themer	Alex VanPelt Charlie Adams	Botkins family	Alena Guagenti	No Communion	Josh Botkins Jeremy Botkins Jul31-Aug 3

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Fathers of the Bible

- Who was the father of David?
Saul, Samuel, Jesse, Jonathan
- Whose name means 'father of a great multitude'?
Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph
- Whose father was so pleased to see him that he gave him the best robe and killed the fatted calf?
Isaac, Joseph, Jacob, Prodigal son
- Who stole her father's household gods?
Leah, Rachel, Naomi, Ruth
- Who was the father of Abraham?
Terah, Methuselah, Laban, Haran
- 'Honour thy father and thy mother' is one of the ten commandments. Which one?
4th, 5th, 6th, 7th
- Whose father was prepared to sacrifice him on an altar?
Moses, Joshua, Isaac, Samson
- Which father came to Jesus to seek help for his little daughter who lay at the point of death?
Jairus, Simeon, Lazarus, Cornelius
- Who was the father of James the disciple?
Timothy, Paul, Zebedee, Joseph
- Who was Paul writing to when he wrote 'I will receive you and will be a Father unto you and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty'?
Colossians, Corinthians, Thessalonians, Romans
- Which of the following was used of God to mean Father?
Rabbi, Elohim, Eheyeh, Abba
- Who does James say is the source of every good and every perfect gift?
Father of Lights, Father of Mercies, Father of Glory, Father of Spirits
- What nationality was Timothy's father?
Jewish, Roman, Egyptian, Greek
- Who was the father of Saul?
Benjamin, Samuel, Kish, Elihu
- What should you not do openly before men, otherwise you will have no reward of your Father in heaven?
Speak in tongues, Alms, Lie, Beg
- Who was to be named Zacharias, after the name of his father, until his mother intervened?
Zechariah, Jesus, John, Peter

Happy Father's Day



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 9-11; 6-8:30PM

LIGHT MEAL SERVED 5:15 TO 5:45PM



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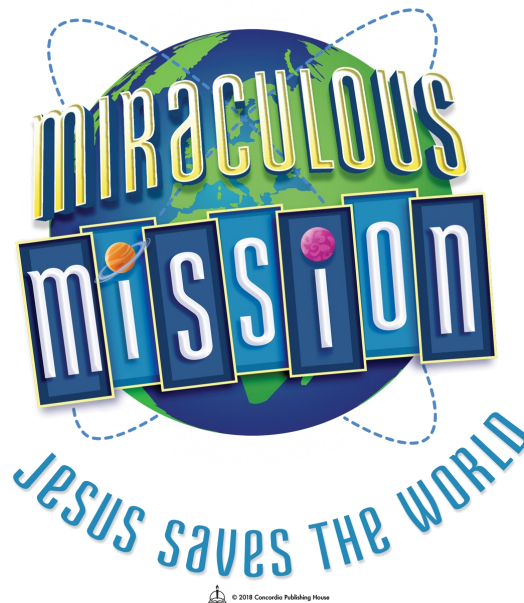


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Divine Service-11:00am

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