

Messiah Lutheran Church – 1200 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068 January 28, 2018 – The Fourth Sunday After Epiphany



Sunday, January 28, 2018 – Sunday, February 4, 2018		
Sun.	8:00	Traditional Communion Service
	9:30	Contemporary Communion Service
	9:30	Levering Baptism
	9:30	First Communion Class (Fritz Hall)
	9:30	Adult/Children SS
	11:00	Traditional Communion Service
	5:30	HS Youth
Mon.	6:00	Bells of Glory (Sanctuary)
	7:00	Joyringers (Sanctuary)
Tues.	1:30	Staff Mtg.
	6:30	Men's Chapel Chorale (Erni's house)
	7:00	Property Mtg. (Conference Room)
Wed.	10:00	Senior Saints
	11:30	Pastor's Study (Nursery)
	5:30	Fellowship Meal
	6:00	VIP Choir (Sanctuary)
	6:30	Children's Ministry (Sanctuary)
	6:30	Confirmation (1180 Waggoner)
	6:30	Adult Education (Fritz Hall)
	6:30	Faith Walk (Room 109)
	6:30	Whole Again Group (Teacher's Lounge)
Thurs.		First English/Ronald McDonald House
	6:30a	Men's Breakfast (Scrambler Marie's)
	6:30	Dart Ball (Welcome Center)
	6:30	Chancel Choir
	6:30	Brownie Troop (Room 110)
<u>Fri.</u>	3:00	Cochran (Kitchen)
	6:00	Tiger Den # 5 (Fritz Hall)
Sat.	8:00	Cochran (Kitchen)
	9:00	Praise Band Practice
	1:30	Blue and Gold (FH/Fritz/Welcome Center,
		Kitchen
S <u>un.</u>	8:00	Traditional Communion Service
	9:30	Contemporary Communion Service
	9:30	First Communion
	11:00	Traditional Communion Service
		(Boy Scout Recognition)



This morning's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and are presented by Sally Wallace in honor of her daughter Elizabeth's 21st birthday.



Please keep in your prayers. . . Kimberly Beery, Meg Reidler, Harlan Soppe, Christine Ickes, Pat Ramsey, Harold Koehler, Susan Franklin, Lauren Blake, Holly Hessler,

Darrell Sickles, Mary Hodge, Sue McLeod, Beverly Healy, Julie Searls, Mary Thompson, Karen Butler, Kimberly Maningo, Jason Craley, Sue Vesely, Rozsalyn Thomas, Grant Botley, Paige Hanf, Sally Cochran

Pray for those in the military....MM Paul Newell (Navy) Madison Epperly, Corporal (Marines), Dan Porta (Air Force)



Faith Walk - Pastor Liz leads a weekly group that discusses scripture, shares

experiences and ends in meaningful prayer. The next class is January 31 in Room 109 at 6:30pm. Week 4: Ministry.

Pastor Karl's class continues this Wednesday at 6:30 pm in Fritz Hall. Come grow with us in Adult Education. A video by Dr. Mark Allan Powell, from Trinity Lutheran Seminary, is giving us some insights that we will spring from and learn from.



The last first communion class is at 9:30 this morning in Fritz Hall. First Communion will be a celebration in worship next Sunday, February 4 at 9:30.



Mark your calendars...The Reynoldsburg Community Association will hold a Valentine Dinner (all you can eat spaghetti) on

Saturday, February 17, 2018 from 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall at Messiah Lutheran Church. Great Food, Live Entertainment, Fun and Fellowship will be provided. Carnations will be available for you to purchase for your Valentine and we will have lots of door prizes.



Please save the church money in postage by picking up your Giving statements for 2017 in Statements the Welcome Center this morning. Thank you.



Thank you again for hosting us at this year's event. It was our biggest event so far!!! TOTALS: 41 Donors and approximately 2,136 total pounds. With the amount of materials collected, we will be able to teach over 53 hours of job skills to the men and women in our training programs.



Summer Middle School Trip - It's time to learn about our summer trip, planned for July 8th through July 13th. We will have an information

meeting Feb 4th - following the 9:30 service - in Fritz Hall. We're going to a new location this year. If your child is going to be in Grades 6-8 this summer, they are invited. Come hear about this good opportunity.



The next Serve at the LSS Food Pantry is Tuesday, January 30th. Please contact Tom Braden at 614-397-3644 to offer your help.

HEART Valentine Dinner and Dance

Visit www.heartfoodpantry.org or stop by the church office to purchase tickets for the first annual HEART Valentine Dinner and Dance held on February, 17, 2018 from 6:00 PM till 10:00 PM at Tall Timbers on Main Street, in Reynoldsburg. The \$75 ticket provides for a wonderful evening with appetizers, a three course meal with choices of chicken, fish and pasta, dessert, and a staffed bar with water, soft drinks, beer or wine provided by Prost on Main Street. Beautiful dinner music and lively dancing music are provided by our own Gus Gustavson from Maximum Music. All proceeds from the dinner and dance go to support the good work that HEART Food Pantry is doing every week in our community. Neighbors helping Neighbors in food emergency. Do something good for the community and have fun doing it.

Sound and Video People Needed

The 11:00 Worship Service has need of new sound and video people to serve once every four or six weeks. Sound and video leadership are crucial for good worship to happen on Sunday morning. Please consider learning this new skill to serve our congregation. Contact Gary Schmandt at gary.schmandt@gmail.com or call the church office for more information.

Contemporary Worship Assistant

We need a new individual or family to volunteer to serve one Sunday a month at our 9:30 Worship service to make sure the important details of worship happen. Our Contemporary Worship Assistants prepare the bread and wine for communion; light the candles, prepare the font for baptism, organize the communion assistants, and help clear the altar at the end of worship. These volunteers insure that the very purpose of worship happens every Sunday, coming into the presence of God. Contact Lesley Kerkman at lsheaks10@gmail.com or the church office for more information.

A heartfelt THANK YOU to my Messiah Family for all your expressions of sympathy in the recent loss of my sweet sister Joanne Oswalt. I'm deeply grateful for your support, cards, caring thoughts, comforting hugs and Love in my grief. I don't know what I would do without you all.

Kay Morrissey



We celebrate with Matt and Allison Levering this morning as their daughter, Finley Kate, is baptized.



Souper Bowl Sunday is February 4, 2018

Many families right here in our community struggle with hunger every day. We

need YOU to make Super Bowl Sunday souper! We will split the amount we get that day between LSS and HEART Food Pantries. Whether you are a Patriot or Eagle fan, winning the game against hunger is the most important game of all! Be looking for Dave and Sally Long and their soup pots on February 4 and plan to support this effort!



Messiah Lutheran Church will be recognizing all Boy Scouts from our community at the 11:00am service on February 4. The service will include a special Children's Message, Scout Blessing, Slideshow, and a reception following the service. If your child/troop/den is planning on participating come to the church by 10:45am wearing your uniform and bring with you any flags or banners for the processional. Please contact our youth minister, Betsy Barkalow to RSVP with your name, and if you're the leader, the number of boys and girls and any photos you would like to be considered for the slideshow to Betsy.Barkalow.CM@gmail.com.

We look forward to celebrating the good gift of Scouts. Invite your friends to come too!

High School Winter Retreat

The high school youth group will be going to Luther Memorial Camp on March 2-4th. Games, Bible study, bonfires and more! Cost of the retreat is \$65. Sign-up online or in the welcome center.



Have you always wanted to be in a band?

Kids from 2nd through 12th grades are invited to join **Messiah's 2018 Youth Praise Band.**

- No experience necessary.
- Rehearsals are Sundays 10:45 12:00 from Mar 3 Apr 22.
- INCLUDING EASTER SUNDAY!
- You must attend at least 7 of the 8 rehearsals.
- You must be available ALL MORNING on Sunday, Apr 29.

SIGN UP ONLINE: http://messiahlutheran.net/youth-praise-band-2018/

Questions? Email Michelle at tuozzo@yahoo.com