

The Bulletin Board

Messiah Lutheran Church – 1200 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068

May 12, 2018 – Mother's Day



Sunday, May 12, 2018 – Sunday, May 20, 2018

| | |
|---------------|---|
| <u>Sun.</u> | Happy Mother's Day |
| 8:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| 9:30 | Contemporary Communion Service |
| 11:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| 11:00 | Baptism (Luna Parson) |
| 1:00 | Parson Birthday Party (Fritz Hall) |
| <u>Mon.</u> | 9:00 ESL Class (FH) |
| 6:30 | Bell Group Dinner (FH) |
| 6:30 | Outreach Visionary Mtg. (Conference Room) |
| 6:30 | Bear Den 4 Pack 277 (Room 113) |
| 7:00 | Joyrangers (Sanctuary) |
| 7:00 | Altar Guild (Fritz Hall) |
| <u>Tues.</u> | 9:00 ESL Class (FH) |
| 1:30 | Staff Mtg. |
| 2:30 | Meditation in Motion/Qigong (FH) |
| 6:30 | Men's Chapel Chorale (Erni's house) |
| 7:00 | Leadership Small Group (1180) |
| 7:00 | Quarry Park Board Mtg. (FH) |
| <u>Wed.</u> | 9:00 ESL Class (FH) |
| 10:00 | Senior Saints (Fritz Hall) |
| 11:30 | Pastor's Class (Nursery) |
| 5:30 | Fellowship Meal |
| 6:00 | VIP Choir Ice Cream Party (Shelter House) |
| 6:30 | Children's Ministry (Sanctuary) |
| 6:30 | Adult Education (Fritz Hall) |
| 6:30 | New Member Class (Room 113) |
| 6:30 | Whole Again Group (Teacher's Lounge) |
| <u>Thurs.</u> | 6:30a Men's Breakfast (Scrambler Marie's) |
| 9:00 | ESL Class (FH) |
| 6:30 | Chancel Choir (Fritz Hall) |
| 6:30 | Brownie Troop 726 (Room 110) |
| <u>Sat.</u> | 8:00 Quilters (FH) |
| 8:30 | Habitat for Humanity Event |
| 9:00 | Praise Band Practice |
| 9:00 | Landscape Spring Clean-up Day |
| <u>Sun.</u> | Day of Pentecost |
| 8:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| 9:30 | Contemporary Communion Service |
| 11:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| 6:00 | Getting to Know You Party |

Congratulations to Adam and Betsy Barkalow, our Children's Minister, on the birth of their baby girl. Margaret Elizabeth (Maggie) was born at 1:12 p.m. on Sunday, May 6.

One Bed One Child

Messiah will be partnering with The Columbus Foundation and Joseph's Coat to provide beds for Central Ohio Families. Mattresses/Beds are the most requested form of furniture that Joseph's Coat receives. In 2017, they delivered 393 mattresses. They could have distributed twice as many, if more had been available. We are asking our Messiah Family to help provide beds to Columbus area families.

If you have gently used beds/mattresses that you can donate, please sign up in the Gathering space. Fill out all requested information and Joseph's Coat will contact you about picking it up.



Children's Ministry is looking for a committee of 4-6 people to be in charge of the Summer Sunday School program which will run from June 10-August 19. The curriculum is provided! If you are interested, please sign up on the table in the Welcome Center or contact our

Children's Minister, Betsy Barkalow



Are you ready to cast away this summer? Join us for **Vacation Bible School June 25-29 – 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Children ages 3 (potty trained) – 5th grade

If you want to register your child or are looking to volunteer then the steps are as easy as 1, 2, 3!

Step 1: Download [QR Code Reader](#) in your app store

Step 2: Open app and scan the code

Step 3: Sign up!

<https://www.vbspro.events/p/messiahlutheranvbs18>

High School Mission Trip Info Meeting -

For those who signed their youth up for the mission trip, our information meeting has been rescheduled to **Sunday May 20th at 12pm**, following the 11am service. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall.

End-of-Year Youth Group Cookout -

The last youth group before the summer will be a lot of fun! Come out for food and games in the Shelter House on **Friday May 18th at 6pm** (inside the church if it rains). Those who have complete 8th grade are also invited to attend. Please RSVP to Pastor Liz so we have enough food.



Altar Flowers

This morning's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and are given by Judy Ann Hodge in memory of her mother, Martha Hodge (for Mother's Day and her birthday), and for her birth mother, Lois Ann Jones Loftis.



Please keep in your prayers. . . Kimberly Beery, Meg Reidler, Harlan Soppe, Christine Ickes, Susan Franklin, Lauren Blake, Holly Hessler, Darrell Sickles, Mary Hodge, Beverly Healy, Julie Searls, Karen Butler, Karen Dooley, Tracy Schuricht, Jack Speakman, Todd Boring Family, Darlene Domres, Howard Jones

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

Happy Mother's Day

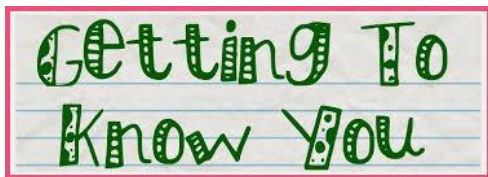


Messiah's Landscaping Committee is planning a spring clean-up of the grounds around the church and the Parsonage on **Saturday, May 19th** starting at 9:00am. Volunteers are needed to help spread mulch, pull weeds and plant flowers. We are normally finished by noon, but you are welcome and appreciated if you can come and help for an hour or less. If you have them, please bring garden tools - rakes, hoes, wheel barrows, etc. Please call or email Geoff Campbell if you can help (614-563-8978 or gcampbe10@att.net).



Habitat For Humanity – Outreach

On Saturday, May 19th, all Messiah members (ages 16 and up) are invited to help with the building of an east side, Columbus-area house at **1618 Myrtle Ave.** Worksite hours will be from 7:45 AM-3 PM (7:45 AM safety brief and a 1-hour lunch break at 11:30 – a lunch will be provided). Water will be available on site, but feel free to bring your own water thermos. Dress for the weather, accordingly (no open toe shoes). For those who would like to car pool, we will leave from the church Saturday morning at 7:15 AM. No experience is necessary – only a heart for serving and helping others. A sign-up sheet is the gathering space. Contact Doug Arnold (d_arnold@reagan.com / 614-738-1342) with any questions.



Getting To Know You Party - May 20th, 2018 at 6pm

We are looking forward to hosting another Getting to Know You Party! This is a group for adults who attend Messiah church. We come together 3 or 4 times a year to meet other people who attend Messiah. We ask people to bring an appetizer or dessert to share and we will provide drinks. Look for the sign-up sheet in the gathering space. Hope to see you at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Doug & Kay Arnold, 12485 Teal Lane, Pickerington on May 20th.

Questions: Donna & Geoff Campbell [614-575-1466](tel:614-575-1466)
Doug & Kay Arnold [614-361-1790](tel:614-361-1790)



Our next Senior Luncheon is Tuesday, May 22 at noon.

Hot dogs will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. We will be honoring those deceased service men and women. Please bring your pictures to share.

Middle School/Confirmation - We are planning details for the summer trip on July 8th. If you signed up with the camp and did not notify me, please let me know right away, so I can make transportation plans. Thanks. jim.diehm@gmail.com.

MEDITATION IN MOTION

Doug Arnold is leading and inviting everyone to participate in free, weekly Vitality Enhancement

Methods and Integral Qigong Practices class. These 30-45 minute sessions will start at 2:30 PM on Tuesdays (5/15 - 6/19). Class will be in the Fellowship Hall area. **No experience necessary.** Qigong is often referred to as "Meditation in Motion." This class focuses on Vitality Enhancement Methods and Integral Qigong Practices that are designed to relieve stress, improve physical balance and heart health, increase immune function and improve mental focus and clarity. Wear comfortable clothes for ease of motion. Practices can be done sitting or standing. No sign-up in advance is needed – please come on any or all Tuesdays. Any questions - contact Doug Arnold (614-738-1342; d_arnold@reagan.com).



Changes are here...

Two times per year we make room on the name tag rack for our new members and confirmands. Today, your name tag may be in a new location. The good news is that your tag will remain in its new local until fall. We send a hearty welcome to those who are joining us! ...and we'll get to know each other faster by wearing our name tags! Thanks to all of you who are wearing them now! For all new members and confirmands, you will have your name tag spot marked for you today.



Free Stuff - Messiah Quilters With Joyful Hearts invite you to help yourself to items on the table in the Welcome Center this Sunday.

The Quilters are gearing up for our Annual Pillow Case Drive supporting the Ronald McDonald House. Saturday 5/19 - 8:00-12:00 is our sew-in day - we meet in the Fellowship Hall. We are looking for: pressers, cutters, those who sew, and others who want to help. If you would like to participate please sign up and we will call you to find the perfect fit for you in this endeavor. We have fun in this Outreach Ministry and look forward to this event every year - we welcome you.

For additional information you may contact Bessie McGarvey at 740-927-1542 or bmcgarvey@insight.rr.com.

Pro-Choice - Pro-Life

Like many topics, abortion is a hot-button issue in our society and in our faith communities. And for many, this hot-button issue is very personal. For the next two weeks we will discuss together, with humility and love, what our denomination teaches around the difficult decision of ending a pregnancy. Pastor Karl will be leading this class at 6:30pm on Wednesday, May 16 and 23.

Come to worship on **Pentecost Sunday, May 20th**. We celebrate *new* revelations and *fresh* transformations that are given to us *today* by the Holy Spirit. Remember to wear **RED!**