

The Bulletin Board

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

June 24, 2018 – The Fifth Sunday After Pentecost



MEDITATION IN MOTION

Meditation in Motion – New Classes! Two additional weekly

Vitality Enhancement and Integral Qigong classes will be offered:

1. Wednesdays (8/1 - 9/5) at 6:45 PM
2. Tuesdays (7/31 – 9/25) at 2:30 PM

No sign up needed – please attend any or all sessions! Any questions, contact Doug Arnold (614-738-1342 or d_arnold@reagan.com).

Habitat for Humanity - Messiah is signed up to work Saturday, August 25th and October 27th. To open this opportunity to more members, Betsy Barkalow has agreed to coordinate babysitting services (potty trained and older) at the church during the work day. With two houses being built, inside and outside work will be available. Look for additional details in late July / early August.

Sunday, June 24, 2018 – Sunday, July 1, 2018

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| <u>Sun.</u> | 8:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| | 9:30 | Contemporary Communion Service |
| | 9:30 | Children's SS |
| | 11:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| | 1:00 | Pack 277 Planning Mtg. (Fritz Hall) |
| <u>Mon.</u> | 9:00 | ESL Class (FH) |
| | 6:00 | Vacation Bible School |
| <u>Tues.</u> | 9:00 | ESL Class (FH) |
| | 12:00 | Senior Luncheon (FH/Kitchen) |
| | 6:00 | Vacation Bible School |
| <u>Wed.</u> | 9:00 | ESL Class (FH) |
| | 6:00 | Vacation Bible School |
| <u>Thurs.</u> | 6:30a | Men's Group Breakfast (Scrambler Marie's) |
| | 9:00 | ESL Class (FH) |
| | 6:00 | Vacation Bible School |
| | 7:00 | Property Committee Mtg. (Conf. Room) |
| <u>Fri.</u> | 6:00 | Vacation Bible School |
| <u>Sat.</u> | 9:00 | Praise Band Practice |
| <u>Sun.</u> | 8:00 | Traditional Communion Service |
| | 9:30 | Contemporary Communion Service |
| | 11:00 | Traditional Communion Service |



Altar Flowers

This morning's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and are presented by Jon and Meg Reidler for their beautiful and loving daughter Sara on her 26th birthday, and Joann Barrett to thank the wonderful volunteers of JOSEPH's Coat and to thank all for their donations to the JOSEPH's Coat ministry.



Please keep in your prayers. . . Kimberly Beery, Meg Reidler, Harlan Soppe, Christine Ickes, Susan Franklin, Lauren Blake, Holly Hessler, Mary Hodge, Beverly Healy, Julie Searls, Karen Butler, Karen Dooley, Tracy Schuricht, Jack Speakman, Darlene Domres, Judy Hodge, Mike Sneed, Barbara Teague, Nicole Bunce

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

If you're an Ohio college student and want to learn how to better manage your \$ today so you can have more \$\$\$ tomorrow there is a 90-min course designed for you. Students who complete the course will receive a \$50 Amazon gift card as thank you for completing. You can register at <https://goo.gl/forms/JZIJyKLYcaohaKGT2> or learn more by contacting soziegbe@preventionactionalliance.org



The Man Who Rediscovered God and Changed the World

Who was Martin Luther? What did Martin Luther do before he allegedly nailed his 95 thesis to the Church Door? What influence does he have in our lives here at Messiah Lutheran Church today? If these are questions you might have, join together with the Thursday morning Men's Group at Scrambler Marie's at 6:30am. For more information contact Richard Hansgen (614-604-9437) or Lloyd Porter (312-307-2550).



SENIOR LUNCH BUNCH

– Our next luncheon is **June 26 at noon**. In honor of June wedding month we cordially invite you to bring reception-like food; for instance fancy salads, fancy sandwiches and fancy desserts. Please RSVP to Bob and Peg Rabe (614-751-0335). We hope you will join us.



Thanks to everyone who cooked and served for the Family Center & Choices Dinners Monday, June 18th.

Immigration Crisis - Several of our members, moved by the media attention to the plight of children on our border, have asked if there is any Lutheran organization that is on the ground serving. There is. Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Services has been at the camps, providing services for both parents and children. If you would like to read more and financially support their good work, go to their website, www.lirs.org.



**VBS is only 1 Day away – June 25 – 29
from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Make sure you sign up to join the fun!

**Children 3 years (potty-trained) through
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>

One Bed One Child

Messiah is 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.

1. 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.
2. A box for contributions is also in the gathering space and money collected will go towards buying beds/mattresses.
3. Sign up in the gathering space to help Joseph's Coat pick up beds/mattresses.

Joseph's Coat seeks Operations Manager

We are looking for a part-time Operations Manager to coordinate operations for the organization, which is open to the public 10 hours per week. The person in this position will have responsibilities that include managing the facility, creating and maintaining communications among the volunteers, improving processes, and other basic operational tasks, but, is not expected to be present for all open hours.

The ideal candidate will have a strong sense of volunteerism, and dedication to helping those in the community who are facing significant challenges and are in need of the most basic essentials. The position is posted at 12 hours per week and reports to the Board of Directors. As both the organization and donations grow, there may be an opportunity for increased hours.

Please contact Pat Lutz 614-395-2057 or email at palutz108@gmail.com. See our website at josephs-coat.org for additional information about us. Joseph's Coat is located at 240 Outerbelt St. #5, Columbus, 43213.

Joseph's Coat Needs Furniture Volunteers

Are you available on Wednesday or Saturday to volunteer with us? Are you a young man or woman over 16 who can assist our clients getting beds and couches/chairs etcetera into their vehicles? Could you ride in our truck with 2 others to pick up furniture donations in our area? We desperately need help with our furniture area. You will be happy and feel blessed that you came.

We also need volunteers who might not be as strong, but definitely able to help our clients check in an out, or work in our sorting areas. There is no cost for anything at Joseph's Coat, but you get many God Bless You's! You can come Wed/ Sat from 9-12 or Tues/Thurs from 6-8. Contact Michele@josephs-coat.org to get more information and come for a tour. **Volunteering is Good for the Soul!**



If you didn't have an opportunity to take the special HEART Grocery Bag last week you can still take one this morning and fill it up for your neighbors. HEART is in special need in the summer since few local groups supplement the shelves from food drives. On the HEART Grocery Bag you will see the ideal items to fill it with, but any food in that bag or as many more bags from home you want to fill would be a delight. You can drop off the filled bags throughout the week or next Sunday in our Welcome Center. Love your neighbor, help them out this summer. If you like, head over to www.heartfoodpantry.org and give just a small amount of money to help our local pantry's shelves stay full.

Handicapped Bathroom Doors - Through June, all loose change that is thrown in the offering plate will go to the purchase and installation of automatic handicapped doors at the main bathrooms by the kitchen. We have a generous gift of \$2000 towards this \$4000 purchase and so far loose change has raised about \$1800 more. Any money raised over that amount will be rolled over to use for our next loose change designation that begins in July, the servant ministry of a partner congregation, First English Lutheran on Main Street in Columbus.