

The Bulletin Board

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

July 22, 2018 – The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost



Sunday, July 22, 2018 – Sunday, July 29, 2018

<u>Sun.</u>	8:00	Traditional Communion Service
	9:30	Contemporary Communion Service (Adalyn Walters Baptism)
	9:30	Children's SS
	11:00	Traditional Communion Service
<u>Mon.</u>	9:00	ESL Class (FH)
<u>Tues.</u>	9:00	ESL Class (FH)
	12:00	Senior Lunch Bunch (FH/Kitchen)
	6:15	Quilters (FH)
	7:00	Property Committee Mtg. (Conf. Room)
<u>Wed.</u>	9:00	ESL Class (Fritz Hall)
<u>Thurs.</u>		Faith on 8th
	9:00	ESL Class (FH)
<u>Sat.</u>	9:00	Praise Band Practice
<u>Sun.</u>	8:00	Traditional Communion Service (George Bower Baptism)
	9:30	Contemporary Communion Service
	11:00	Traditional Communion Service



A NEW OUTREACH MINISTRY

Transportation Needs: Marcia Calos has offered to be a coordinator of our new service. Anyone needing a ride to Messiah please call Marcia @ 614-401-6679.

Calling all drivers - If you are willing to transport someone to church- please call Marcia.



We celebrate with Craig and Amanda Walters this morning as their daughter, Adalyn Sophia is baptized.



LOOSE CHANGE - Our loose change collection is going to the servant ministry of a partner congregation, First English Lutheran on Main Street in Columbus.



Join us for the next Senior Luncheon. Tuesday, July 24th at noon in the Fellowship Hall. Hamburgers will be provided. Please bring an Americana dish to share in celebration of our country's birthday. Let Peg and Bob Rabe know if you will attend (614-751-0335).



Articles for the August Newsletter should be submitted to the church office by noon **Wednesday, July 25.**



Altar Flowers

This morning's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and are presented by Robert Clifton in honor of his birthday and in memory of his wife Hideko's birthday and their wedding anniversary. They are also from Charlie and Ellie Lepley in honor of their 64th wedding anniversary.



Please keep in your prayers. . . Kimberly Beery, Meg Reidler, Harlan Soppe, Christine Ickes, Susan Franklin, Lauren Blake, Holly Hessler, Mary Hodge, Julie Searls, Karen Butler, Tracy Schuricht, Nicole Bunce, Roberta Hammond and her 15 year old granddaughter, Helen Schonhardt's granddaughter Sally, Roger Solt, Debbie Drumm, Alisa Limbers, Kathleen Botley

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

Thank you so much for providing a meal for our family and friends. It was wonderful to have everyone together after the service and not having to worry about preparing a dinner.

Blessings,
Ruth Ann Sickles



VISION HEALTH INTERNATIONAL

In the last 13 years Messiah has sent almost 1500 pairs of your used prescription eyeglasses to Vision International. This non-profit organization is staffed by professionals who not only volunteer their time but also pay all of their own travel expenses, travels to Central and South America to provide eye care and vision restoration services at no charge to people who would not have the care otherwise. The results are life changing for the recipients allowing them to lead much improved lives with social acceptance, school, jobs, community participation, independence in the family, etc.

You may place your unbroken glasses in the collection bin in Fellowship. Ask family, neighbors, and co-workers if they have any to contribute. Many pairs of glasses lie forgotten in drawers. The next batch will be sent in mid- September.

A BIG thank you to Erni and Mano Orso for volunteering to take over this vital ministry.

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
3. 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.



Servant Opportunities

- July 26 Faith on 8th (Contact Dave Long)
- August 2 First English (Contact - Georganna Price)
- August 2 Ronald McDonald House (Contact - Kay Arnold)
- August 14 Free Produce Market (Contact - Margaret Messick)
- August 20 Y Family Center (Contact - Suzanne Schmandt)
- August 23 Faith on 8th (Contact - Dave Long)

KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY

“I was in prison and you visited me.”

Matthew 25:36



The Kairos Prison Ministry program shows prison residents, and those who work with them God’s love and forgiveness through faith in Jesus Christ, and allows them to grow in faith and in Christian community. There will be singing, praying, laughing, crying and a lot of love and forgiveness. The Kairos team has served the Hocking Prison at Nelsonville for the past 10 years. Early this year, this prison was closed for good. Our Kairos team has been working to serve at the Southeastern Institution Prison in Lancaster. We will be presenting our fall weekend for the first time on October 4, 5, 6 & 7. This will be known as SCI #1. Rich Mederer will be the Kairos team leader for this event. Our Kairos team at Messiah has grown to include Lloyd Porter, Doug Arnold, Ben Kelch and Ziggie Kurz. Mac Kelly is also part of our team. The new Kairos team in Lancaster needs to be about three times larger than at Hocking. The prison population at Hocking was about 500. The population at Lancaster is about 2500.

Prayer is the heart of Kairos. You have an opportunity to join us through prayer utilizing the prayer chain strips that state your prayer day and times for the weekend event between Thursday, October 4th and Sunday, October 7th. Posters and placemats are also part of the agape we bring into the prison. Our children have always generated the placemats to be used by the inmates at the weekend meals that Kairos serves.

Cookies are also shared during the weekend and we are responsible to provide 400-500 dozen cookies. You can help by contributing to the cost of the ingredients. Food is also brought in so that the team and the residents can eat together. The costs to cover food and supplies are borne by the volunteers individually along with donations from their churches. Your generous donations will help support your Messiah members engaged in this powerful ministry.