



The Bulletin Board

Messiah Lutheran Church – 1200 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068
 September 23, 2018 – The 18th Sunday after Pentecost



Sunday, September 23, 2018 – Sunday, September 30, 2018

<u>Sun.</u>	8:00	Traditional Communion Service
	9:30	Contemporary Communion Service
	9:30	Adult/Children SS
	9:30	Baptism (Linihan)
	11:00	Traditional Communion Service
	1:00	Sayre Party (FH/Shelter House)
<u>Mon.</u>	9:00	ESL Class (1180 Waggoner Road)
	10:30	Karl Schweikert Celebration of Life Service
	6:30	Pack 277 Mtg. (FH)
	7:00	Bells
<u>Tues.</u>	9:00	ESL Class (FH)
	12:00	Senior Lunch Bunch (FH/Kitchen)
	2:30	Meditation in Motion (FH)
	6:15	Quilting With Joyful Hearts (FH)
	6:20	GS Troop 5993 (Fritz Hall)
	6:30	Men's Chapel Choral (Sanctuary)
	7:00	Property Committee Mtg.
<u>Wed.</u>	9:00	ESL Class (FH)
	10:00	Senior Saints (Fritz Hall)
	11:30	Pastor's Class (Nursery)
	5:30	Messiah Night Fellowship Meal
	6:00	Whole Again Group (Teacher's Lounge)
	6:30	Children's Ministry (Fritz Hall)
	6:30	Adult Education (Sanctuary)
	6:30	FaithWalk (Room 111)
	6:30	Confirmation/Middle School (1180)
<u>Thurs.</u>		Faith on 8th Serve
	6:30a	Men's Breakfast (Scrambler Marie's)
	9:00	ESL Class (FH)
	6:30	Chancel Choir (Fritz Hall)
	6:30	Dart Ball (Welcome Center)
<u>Fri.</u>	6:30	Cub Scout Pack 277 (Fritz Hall)
<u>Sat.</u>	9:00	Praise Band Practice
<u>Sun.</u>	8:00	Traditional Communion Service
	9:30	Contemporary Communion Service
	9:30	Adult/Children SS
	11:00	Traditional Communion Service

The *Portals of Prayer* (October – December) are in the pews. Please take one this morning.

VIP Choir! Great news! Longtime member, Judy Hodge, and former VIP Director, Barbara Teague, will be leading the VIP Choir until Lori Hitsman returns. They will meet in Fritz Hall at 6:00pm beginning Wednesday, September 26. VIP is for grades 1-5.

Children's Ministries – We need cardboard rolls from aluminum foil and wax paper. Please hang on to yours when you empty them and bring them to church! We need them by September 26. You can place them in the white laundry basket in the Welcome Center.



MAX and ERMA'S Fundraiser - TODAY

It's the annual youth fundraiser at Max & Erma's. Here's how to help raise money for the youth trips in 2019. Go to 8050 East Broad St. Max & Erma's on Sept. 23rd, order some food, show them your flyer, pay for the food and the youth will receive a portion of your purchase.

➔Where can you get the flyer? In the welcome center and online this year.

It is on the church Facebook page (posted 8/20/18), and on our website, <http://messiahlutheran.net/support-messiahs-youth-at-max-ermas>.

Take-out orders count also. Share the Facebook post to everyone you know, we can earn money even if the person is not a member of our church!

Thank you for your support - and buy that dessert, you deserve it.



This morning's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and are presented by Meg and Jon Reidler in honor of their 33rd wedding anniversary (9-28) and from Andy and Heather Moore in honor of their 21st wedding anniversary (9-20). Congratulations to two wonderful couples.



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, Roger Solt, Debbie Drumm, Martha Koeplin, Jennifer Solt, Amanda Patterson, Norma Schweikert and family, Carolyn March, Reggie Howorka, Joann Speakman

Pray for those in the military... MM Paul Newell (Navy) Madison Epperly, Corporal (Marines), Andrew Bailey (Army)



SHUT-INS – Mac Kelly is forming a group who go out from time to time visiting our shut in members. If you are interested in being on this team please contact him (614-604-8632). The shut-ins look forward to seeing their friends from church and it is very heartwarming to those who visit them.



Many of you may remember Larry Welch. We are sorry to inform you of his passing on September 13. Larry was a very faithful volunteer for Faith on 8th.

DID YOU KNOW? Copies of the monthly Council and Financial Reports are in the kiosk in the Welcome Center. Please pick one up.

Messiah Night

Wednesday, September 26

Fellowship Meal – Turkey and Noodles, Broccoli, Salad Bar, Fruit Salad, Cottage Cheese, Applesauce, Dessert Kid-Friendly Meal (5:30pm)

Children...

VIP Choir – Grades 1-5 in Fritz Hall at 6:00pm

Children's Ministry – Kids gather in Fritz Hall for worship, hearing a Bible story, and playing fun games at 6:30pm.

Middle School – meet at 6:30pm at 1180 Waggoner Road for Bible Study, games and other activities.

Adults...

Whole Again – Teacher's Lounge at 6:00pm.

Faith on the Move – Sanctuary at 6:30pm.

FaithWalk – Room 111 at 6:30pm.



Kairos - Buy a meal ticket

All the meals that the Kairos team serves are funded by donations. On October 4 through the 7th our team will be serving 375 meals to the prison residents and Kairos team. You can help fund this ministry effort by buying one or more meal tickets for \$5 each. Your ticket is placed on a resident's place mat at a meal. This is great agape. One more way to show these men that people on the outside do care and love them.

See any of the following Messiah Kairos team members to purchase meal tickets: Rich Mederer, Ben Kelch, Doug Arnold, Lloyd Porter and Zig Kurz. Any questions, please call Rich Mederer at 614-284-6785.

Messiah Quilters with Joyful Hearts would like to express our sincere thanks for a successful raffle this year. You may contact Bessie McGarvey for additional information if you are interested in joining the group bmgarvey@insight.rr.com.

Winners:

Queen Quilt and Shams - Deb Drumm
\$100 Lowe's Gift Card - Deb Drumm (not a typo)
4 Placemats - Andie Boring
Fall Table Runner - Joanne Barrett
Wooden Train - Terri Esmieli
Toy Story Quilt - Pat Roper
Music Quilt - Mr. Capazillio
Doll Outfits - Fiona Clark
Rainbow Quilt - Kim Harris

➔ **We are excited to announce** our Thrivent Builds Special **Women's Build Day** Event on **October 6th, 2018 - 8am until 3pm**. Please join as we support our partnership with Habitat for Humanity Mid-Ohio by buckling up your work belt alongside other women! A sign-up sheet is in the Welcome Center. Contact Suzanne Schmandt for details at suzanne.schmandt@gmail.com. See the insert in today's bulletin.

JOSEPH'S COAT needs children's shoes. Any donations would be greatly appreciated. Their shelves are bare.



Senior Lunch Bunch –

Plan to join us Tuesday, **September 25** for our annual Tail Gate Party. Bring your favorite tail gate food and wear your favorite team attire (or if you don't have a favorite wear whatever you like). Come and try some bear (provided by Pat Roper). We hope to see you at noon on September 25. Please let Bob and Peg Rabe know if you plan to attend 614-751-0335.



Bells in Worship This Year - This year while we transition from Linda's leadership, we will continue to enjoy the good gift of the octaves of bells that have been a part of our worship life for decades. **Linda will direct adult and older children on Monday nights at 7:00.** They will practice adding bells to hymns, liturgies and of course special music. All levels of skills invited, even newbies. We hope to bring back a children's bell choir next year. If you would like to be a part of a separate daytime bell group, contact Linda or the church office so we can gauge the interest.



On October 24 from 6:30-7:30pm, Messiah is hosting our first ever Trunk or Treat event! There are several ways you can take part! There is a sign-up sheet in the Welcome Center if you would like to decorate your trunk, dress up, and pass out candy to our Trunk-or-Treaters. You can also help with games or crafts! Along with that, we will have a Treat Walk (similar to a cake walk) and need people to donate baked goods for the game. Please take a look at the various sign-up sheets in the Welcome Center. If you have any questions about the event, please email Betsy Barkalow at betsy.barkalow.cm@gmail.com.



We celebrate with Edward and Cassandra Linihan this morning as their son, Julian Marcus Alan Linihan is baptized.



Articles for the October newsletter should be submitted to the church office by tomorrow, September 24th before noon.

Landscape Help Needed

Please plan to join us next Saturday, September 29th from 9am until 12 noon. We will be mulching, planting grass and shrubs, and tidying up.



On Sunday, September 30th, we are celebrating the gift of creation and marking the life of St. Francis of Assisi at all three services. If weather permits (temperature above 60 and no rain), we will hold a pet blessing at the 9:30am service. You are invited to bring your friendly pets to receive a blessing. Stay tuned via Facebook and our bulletin board email.