

NEW LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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 NewLifeinPearland

Sunday's Cool @ 9:15 am • Worship @ 8:00 am & 10:30 am



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Don't Let Go

The Lifeline

Mark Your Calendars

Monday, September 2nd

Labor Day - Office Closed

Mondays September 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th

Modified Yoga @ 6pm

Houseband Practice

Tuesdays, September 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th

Quilting Workshop

Wednesday, September 4th

Seniors (55+) Lunch - LWR School Kits

Thursday, September 5th

Property Team Meeting

Sunday, September 8th

3/4 Year Old Blessing

Sundays, September (All)

LYO - Lutheran Youth Organization - Lunch

Monday, September 9th

Church Council

Wednesday, September 11th

WELCA Lunch @ Casa Ole'

Thursday, September 12th

Bazaar Meeting GLOW Meeting

Tuesday, September 17th

Men's Night Out

Wednesday, September 18th

Mary Martha Bible Study

Friday, September 20th

WOW - Women of Worth - Bazaar Crafts

Saturday, September 21st

Orange St Clean-Up

Sunday, September 22nd

Men's Sunday - Blood Drive

Saturday, September 28th

MiM @ Lutherhill - Tree Clearing

Sunday, September 29th

Congregational Meeting

Wednesday, October 2nd - Bazaar SetUp

Friday, October 4th & Saturday, October 5th

New Life's 28th Annual BBQ & Bazaar

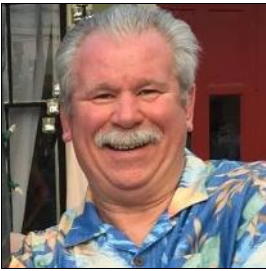
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PASTOR'S PONDERINGS...

...for people like us...

... in times like this...

“PRACTICING THE PRESENCE OF GOD!”

Dear friends & followers @ New Life,

A long time ago, Green Bay Packers coach, Vince Lombardi, was quoted saying, “Practice does not make perfect. PERFECT practice is what makes perfect.” Let’s hear it for the cheese heads! J.J. Watt would probably agree... because if you practice something incorrectly over and over you have created a habit that is insufficient and lacking in detail. It’s kind of like what Rev. Nils Dahl wrote so many decades ago about life in America. In his book, “Work, Worship & Play” he suggested that our American life-style has gone askew... instead of work being work and worship being worship and play being play he fleshed out that we “worship our work”... “work at our play” and that leaves one thing... to “play at our worship”... so maybe it’s time for you to recalibrate your faith life... to get a tune-up for heart, body, mind and spirit... or as they say over in the factory corridor along the Houston Ship Channel... a “turn-around” has become necessary for a work area to be useful again...

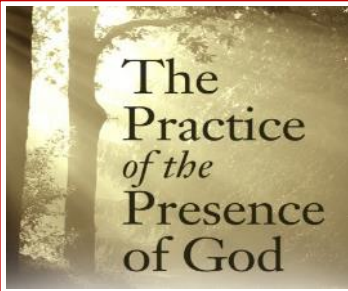
In the 1600s there was a man by the name of Nicholas Herman. He was born into poverty and forced to join the military to survive. Having a place to live and meals each day was a luxury for few. He saw war (*the 30 Years War kind*) and he served as a footman for an aristocrat in Paris seeing both wealth and power politic as well as the brutality of brother killing brother. This experience moved him to withdraw from daily life and he entered a monastery... a Carmelite order and took on the name of Brother Lawrence of the Resurrection. Get it? Resurrection? New Life? Believe it. Faith can flow up and down... back and forth and our list of questions for God can become long and cumbersome. Truth be told, your life and my life ... deep down inside is not that much different from Brother Lawrence’s.

It is said that in the deep of winter, as he looked at a barren tree, stripped of leaves and fruit, waiting silently and patiently for the sure hope of Summer’s abundance... he grasped for the first time the extravagance of God’s grace and the unfailing sovereignty of divine providence. Like the tree, he himself was seemingly dead, but God had life waiting for him, and the turn of seasons would bring fullness. At that moment, he said, *“that leafless tree flashed in upon my soul the fact of God,”* and a love for God after that moment never ceased to burn...

Brother Lawrence’s book, *“Practicing the Presence of God”* will be a key focus for New Lifers and their friends this SEPT and OCT... as I share a new series of messages by the same title with an sub-theme of *“sustaining my Christian faith in a high tech social media culture”* Copies of the book will be available for \$10 very soon. It is an easy read. This book is considered a “Christian classic” and you’ll want to be involved from the first Sunday... God IS present in all our circumstances... good and not... so, invite a family member or friend to join you as we “practice the presence of God!”

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+++ PRAY + WORSHIP + STUDY + INVITE + ENCOURAGE + GIVE + SERVE +++



"PRACTICING THE PRESENCE OF GOD"

A new series of messages for Christians living a high tech social media driven world!

Sunday September 15 - *"Where is God? – A Game of Hide & Seek!"*

Sunday September 22 – *"Life's Hard – Wear a Helmet!"* (**Men's Sunday!**)

Sunday September 29 – *"Inside, Outside & All Around – When God Seems Far Away"*

Sunday October 6 – *"Burnt Offerings and Proper Worship"* (**A Gospel Service!**)

Sunday October 13 – *"Staying Alert & Aware of God's Presence!"*

Sunday October 20 – *"Seeing the Presence of God in Others!"* (**World Hunger Sunday**)

Every day brings challenge and opportunity! Think like this... if I let some old air out of my tire, I have room for new and better air! If my engine runs with some hiccups and pauses, a tune-up might be good! Take this time to invite a friend or family member to "practice" God's presence with you!



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS @ NEW LIFE

Creator of all things, true source of light and wisdom, origin of all being, graciously let a ray of your light penetrate the darkness of all understanding.

Give all students a keen understanding, a retentive memory, and the ability to grasp things correctly and fundamentally.

Grant them the talent of being exact in their explanations and the ability to express themselves with thoroughness and charm. Lord, point out the beginning, direct the progress, and provide your help in the completion.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Jordan Barthelme / San Jacinto Community College

Erin Bates / UH-Clear Lake

Hannah Bickham / University of Texas

Katy Childs / University of Denver / MA

Kyle Flick / University of Texas

Emily Guidry / University of Houston

Mia Gunter / Baylor University

Taylor Jones / Texas A&M University

Audrey Kaiser / University of Houston

Mika Reed / UH / Clear Lake

Jeremy Rincones / UH / Clear Lake

Hayden Schmidt / Baylor University

Edward Scott / The Citadel

Catherine Sinacori / Texas A&M University

Sydney Sweet / University of Houston

Daniel Venglar / New England Conservatory of Music

Jolissa Villalobos / TX A&M Health and Science Center



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As many of you know I am not a man of many words. I am straight and direct. Many of you like this. So here goes, Last week I received a letter from the IRS. It basically stated that they were reviewing our case and would get back to me on or before October 31, 2019. The good news is that we are not accruing any more fines or penalties. I will update all of you as this saga progresses.

Now, have a happy and safe month. I look forward to seeing all of you in church.

Please feel free to contact me if you ever have any questions or concerns.

In Christ,

Rudy Moreno

2019 Church Council President
281-734-5019

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

The Language of God's Stewards:

TRUTH

LOVE

FORGIVENESS

BLESSING

COMPASSION

SACRIFICE

GRATITUDE

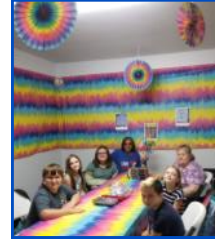
The words out of our mouths are powerful, and they define us as much as our actions. Who do you portray with what you say?

WHOLE-LIFE MINISTRY

Sunday School RALLY DAY



Sunday, August 11th



9:15am
Sunday's Cool
Opening





Youth & Family

Hello, New Life Church family,



My 4th summer at New Life has come and gone. Wow, what a memorable summer! The highlight, of course, was our God's Creation "Wonder" Trip to the Grand Canyon, Meteor Crater, White Sands and Carlsbad Caverns. As I've mentioned, I can't thank Jenaro and Aimee enough for their leadership, planning and experience. They brought a mature, calm tone to the trip whenever we got a little disorganized. They brought the tents and any number of necessary supplies. Good work, good teamwork and good tone throughout. As you saw in the Facebook posts, we were very conscious about keeping Jesus front and center in this trip. We had devotions throughout (most days in the morning as well as the night) and prayed and prayed and prayed. One of the long-term consequences that I am hoping for is that the little ones and the high school ones will have such vivid memories that they will make this trip again in the decades to come. Again, church family, thank you so much for your generosity, support and faith. Doug recently asked me about the trip during men's group. I was happy to give him my quick recap. The Men's group financial generosity was also very touching.

On Sunday, August 11, Rally Day was celebrated with all the bells and whistles of backpack blessing and meeting new Sunday's Cool teachers. For whatever reason, our turnout was definitely lower than previous years (thanks, Pearland ISD?), but we were happy to show a Grand Canyon video and give awards to teachers and students for attendance. May the Lord Bless the teachers and Sunday's Cool students throughout the school year of 2019-2020. Please see me for the names and phone numbers of students who are in a similar demographic as your child. This is so that you can call one another, spend time with one another and grow in fellowship and friendship with one another. So far, my 7th-12th graders are doing a good job showing up and participating very well. Hopefully, this year, attendance will be consistently better than 2016-2019. The Sunday's Cool theme this year is "Wonder", following Lutherhill's Summer theme. The matching Scripture is from:

Psalms 66:5-6

*"Take a good look at God's wonders – they'll take your breath away.
He converted sea to dry land; travelers crossed the river on foot.*

Now isn't that cause for a song?

Yes, I am going to tell you about Lutherhill 2020: the confirmation retreat date will be in July so I beckon you to register as early as December so you can get a major discount in your registration as well as make that the priority for your teenager who can attend next summer. This summer we had a variety of scheduling problems which included moving the date around as well as dealing with priority issues. Thus, I truly hope this will be your priority for your confirmation aged teenager. Finally, the cost for registration is 30% (For example: \$120 retreat will cost you only \$36!!!) of the cost while 40% comes out of the budget of the church and the remaining 30% is raised from fundraising done through-out the year. Here are retreat dates for the fall and spring of 2019 and 2020 (even for adult women!):

[CONVERGE](#) Nov. 8-10, 2019 A Gathering for 6th – 8th grade youth to laugh and learn.
[WORSHIP. LEAD. SERVE.](#) Feb. 7-9, 2020 A gathering for 9th-12th grade youth to practice discipleship.
[UNWIND](#) March 6-8, 2020 Renew your body and spirit with your favorite female friends.
[EXPLORE](#) | March 27-29, 2020 A gathering for 1st-6th grade youth to discover camp.

Sincerely,
Sang Kim

Director for Youth and Family Faith Formation



New Life Seniors' Opportunities

(open to all persons age 55 and up)

New Life Seniors Luncheon



**Wednesday,
September 4th
12:00 pm**

SENIORS

**Packing LWR School Kits
Following Lunch**

**Please bring your favorite entrée,
side dish or dessert.**

For questions, please contact
Helen Beckman at 281-485-3159.



Lutheran World Relief School Backpacks



Everyone is invited to bring school supplies to
help New Life Seniors pack 200 kits on
Wednesday, September 4th.

LUTHERAN MEN IN MISSION



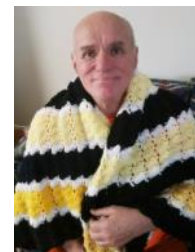
**Tuesday, September 17th
@ 6:00 pm**

For information contact any participating member of
Lutheran Men in Mission RSVP to Charlie Gaevent at
c_gaevent@yahoo.com or the church office at 281.485.1818.

*Day @ Lutherhill – September 28th
see Pastor for details*



As of August 2019, 697 prayer shawls and 33 baby afghans have been made and distributed to those in need. This ministry only has a few members and really needs more people who would like to help make shawls and afghans. Please contact Carole Wright @ 713-826-8749 if you are interested.



Other Senior (and younger adult) Opportunities:

Men in Mission
Women of the ELCA, Women of Worth
Quilters
Altar Guild
Prayer Shawl Ministries
Bereavement Team
Meals on Wheels
Christian Helping Hands
GLOW (God's Love, Our Work) Care Team
Property Team
Sunday's Cool Teaching
Bazaar Team
Gardening





LUTHERHILL MINISTRIES

Work Weekend

SEPTEMBER 27-28, 2019

CONTACT RUSSELL DITTRICH FOR MORE INFO
RUSSELL@LUTHERHILL.ORG | 979-249-3232



What? Please join Lutheran Men in Mission for a work weekend at Lutherhill that will focus on preparing for our future and making way for a new retreat center. *The land where the proposed facility will be built needs to be cleared and we need your help!*

When? Friday, September 27th (arrive anytime!) to late afternoon Saturday, September 28th

Details: If possible, please bring your own equipment and gear to help with the land clearing.

Accommodations: Friday night housing will be provided free of charge but is based on availability.

Meals: Lutherhill will provide complimentary meals for our volunteers on Friday for lunch & dinner as well as on Saturday for breakfast & lunch.

Questions? Russell Dittrich at russell@lutherhill.org or our office at 979-249-3232

Lutherhill's maintenance crew is looking forward to working and worshipping side by side with all who come!

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New Life Lutheran Church

Sunday, September 22
9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Donor Coach

Contact Tiffany Brown
(281) 485-1818
sponsor code: C125

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receive a
Free Pair of Hero Donor Socks



Artemio, blood recipient



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donation story



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Blood Drive



Gulf Coast Regional
Blood Center



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EVEN HEROES GET COLD FEET.

GET YOUR HERO SOCKS WHEN YOU DONATE
BLOOD IN SEPTEMBER.



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Thank you so much. . .



I was so touched
by your kindness.
My shawl is beautiful
and will much appreciated
this winter in Kansas.
Thank you so much
Susan

I know my Aunt Carole is
responsible for you having my
name. We are all so blessed
to have her in our lives.

Ladies,

During a time
like this
we realize how much
our friends and relatives
really mean
to us

Your expression
of sympathy will always
be remembered

With love
Susan Smith

5.15.19
Thank you so much for remembering me with
birthday, Valentine, and Easter cards. The lovely
hankie with violets is so thoughtful and I
will treasure it always!

After almost 1 1/2 years here, I don't know who
is going to the extra effort for me - Becky maybe?
New Life L.C. is really special!

I usher monthly at Christ Our Shepherd L.C.
and have made many new friends. L.C. is nice, but I
still miss Tx.

Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good,
for His kindness endures forever.

1 Chronicles 16:34

Your thoughtfulness and generous heart
will always be remembered.

Thanks and Many Blessings to all,
Jon Zverner



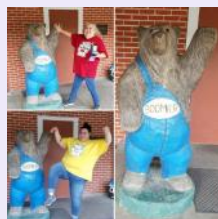
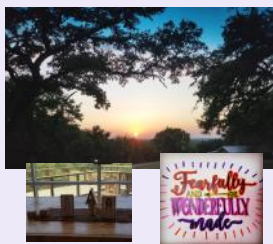
WOMEN OF THE ELCA is the women's organization of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. As a partner in the total ministry of the church, the organization affirms, supports and challenges women in their daily ministries at home and around the world. **All women** of the congregation are included and **ALL** are invited to any of the opportunities listed below for fellowship and friendship. For more information, call Julia Sweet at 281.481.2508 or Cheryl Robinson at 713.471.4128.

THE MARY-MARTHA BIBLE STUDY continues third Wednesday bible study from the national WELCA magazine named Gather, thanks to Helen Beckman who leads us at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

Questions? Call Julia Sweet at 281.481.2508.

WELCA LUNCH BUNCH (all the women of the church) Lunch with New Life women and friends! Arrive about 11:30 am at Casa Ole on 518 on Wednesday, September 11th. Questions? Call Julia Sweet at 281.481.2508.

Synodical WELCA Retreat @ Lutherhill – Aug. 16-18 – Only Tiffany and Karen went, but we had a great time. Class on Spiritual Direction, shopping at the Free Trade store, enjoying wine and snacks at night, amazing food through the whole weekend, paintball slingshot shooting, driving/walking around camp and of course the “meetings”. We wish you ALL could have been there!



WOW (Women of Worth) usually meets on the 3rd Friday of the month at 7pm

WOW is moved to the 4th Friday due to the WELCA Convention. Friday, September 23rd, we will meet at in the Fellowship Hall to start making Bazaar Crafts. Please bring ideas and/or supplies to Karen or Tiffany.

is a part of the WELCA of New Life, so all women over the age of 16 are invited.

Contact Karen at office@newlifelutheran.com



WELCA/WoW planned 2019



Sept 20th – Bazaar Crafts

Oct 4th & 5th – Bazaar – WELCA Booth

SE Fall Cluster Meeting – Oct 19th @ Peace

Oct 18th – relaxing Movie night

Nov 15th – Friendsgiving – Tiffany to lead

Dec 15th – (Sunday after 2nd service) WELCA Christmas Party



Save the Date/s:

Quilters keep building quilts (for LWR) and friendships on Tuesday mornings.

All are welcome to come and visit on Tuesday at 9:30am! Come to quilt or just for fellowship.

For more information, call Vera White at 713.775.6254.

If you are looking for a unique gift for any occasion, consider giving a New Life Quilt. See Vera to open the quilt room to browse the finished quilts. Purchase one for \$45. Proceeds go to purchase batting and thread for these amazing Lutheran World Relief quilts. 237 were displayed on Palm Sunday, 203 of which were sent to LWR after Easter.





Thank you to all who served as Worship helpers for last month.



Thank you to all who served coffee, juice and food during Fellowship Hour: Sunday's Cool Parents & Teachers, the 3rd Sunday group, the Men in Mission and many mystery individuals.



Our next week for delivery is July 29-Aug2. A huge **THANK YOU** to Walt & Carol Wright, Joann Morrison, Phyllis Deats, Jan & Becky Homerstad, Lynn Cope, Bill & Doris Clements, Roland & Nancy Bryars, Hap & Bobbi Cummings, Bubba & Barbara Flowers for stepping up and helping out this month. There are several volunteers on summer vacation and some of the people listed above have stepped up to help multiple days! Thank you!

Our next dates for delivering meals will be **Sept 23-27, & Nov 18-22, 2019. PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

We are always in need of volunteers. If you find you have a day during one of these weeks and you think you might like to help, please feel free to talk to me about this. I can match you up with an experienced driver. If you have any questions, please contact me (Barbara Flowers) at 713-817-1012. You can also contact the church office at 281-485-1818.

On another note, if you know someone who might benefit from this program, you can call **Pearland Meals on Wheels @ 281-485-5081** for information.



Thank you: Lynn Cope, Mike & Terri Kiser, Linda Stavinoha and Korie Williams for the volunteer time they have contributed in the office this month. It is very much appreciated!

New Life Staff

Thank You! From Church Council & Staff

- To all members and 'friends' for stepping in and supporting "your" church.
 - To ALL who generously came forward and gave to the IRS fund. New Life is grateful for our amazing congregational family/s.
 - To Rudy and the Church Council for being diligent and forward thinking regarding all things New Life.
 - To Aimee & Jenaro Castillo and Sang Kim for driving multiple youth across 3 states to the Grand Canyon on a WONDER trip.
 - To all those who came and helped on clean up day.
Karen, Ed, Charlie, Nancy, Cheryl, Rannie, Sonny Boy, Sabastian, Linda S., Korie, Tiffany & Lorraine.
 - To all teachers and parents who participated in the Sunday's Cool Rally Day.
 - To all the Sunday's Cool children who got themselves and their backpack blessed on Rally Day.
 - To Karen and Tiffany for running the kitchen at the All Church Picnic.
 - To Rudy and Floyd for cooking up dogs, sausage and brats for the picnic.
 - To New Life for hosting the Coastal Bay Conference Leaders meeting on August 13th.
 - To the quilters for their tireless work on the Bazaar quilt and the LWR quilts.
 - To Vera White for finding a pattern and the perfect fabric for the beautiful Bazaar quilt and for piecing the top, getting it ready for hand-quilting.
 - To Marjorie Wilcoxson for donating an iron to the quilters.
 - To Julie Watkins for donating wonderful door prizes for the monthly WOW meeting.
 - To Karen and Tiffany for representing New Life at the Synodical WELCA retreat at Lutherhill.
 - To Bob Leach for an amazing donation to carry on Dianne's passion for helping with LWR kit supplies.
 - To all who donated items for LWR School Kits. Our goal is to pack at least 200 kits. Seniors pack Sept 4th.
 - To Rudy Moreno for continuing to hang family crosses on the new Sanctuary wall.
 - To Mike Kiser, John F Gestl & Charlie Gaevert for organizing and keeping up with the sound maintenance/production.
 - To Walt Wright for replacing lights and continually trimming bushes and trees around the Church.
 - To Karl Sweet for trimming rose bushes and redoing the cylinder garden for the 4th-6th graders to replant.
 - To Rannie Daughtery for donating world's finest chocolate.
 - To Donna Patschke for donating craft and prize items.
 - To those who make and distribute prayer shawls for comfort and blankets to newborns.
 - To Dee Roe for donating several baby shawls for the prayer shawl ministry.
 - To all those on the prayer team and beyond who are praying for this congregation, friends and family.
- New Life appreciates all work done to the Glory of God!
Let us know if we missed thanking someone.



2019



Thursday, September 12 is the Monthly Garden Lecture, sponsored by Brazoria County master Gardeners and Keep Pearland Beautiful. The topic this month is “Native Trees and Shrubs.” The lecture begins at 7 P.M. at the Delores Fenwick Nature Center in the John Hargrove Environmental Complex on Magnolia Parkway.

Monday, September 16 is Open Garden Day at the Harris County Master Gardeners’ “Genoa Friendship Garden” on Genoa Red Bluff at 9 A.M. Come and enjoy the multiple gardens, orchards, and flower/herb gardens. There are always plants for sale in the greenhouse as well.



Saturday, September 21 is Community Cleanup Day in Pearland. We will meet at the church at 8:30 A.M. to pick up litter along E. Orange Street, our adopt-a-spot. The next clean up is scheduled for November 9.

Coming up in October and November are Keep Pearland Beautiful’s annual fundraiser, Plant Thyme Fall Luncheon and native plant sale, Drug Take Back Day, and Texas Recycles Day, the annual collection of tires and mattresses. By now, I hope you have had a chance to visit our Delores Fenwick Nature Center. We are fortunate to have this nature educational facility. Take the opportunity someday to walk along the trail, visit the demonstration garden, or just sit and watch the birds at the John Hargrove Environmental Complex (JHEC). Then take a quick tour of the DF Nature Center. It’s a great stress reliever after a busy day and an ideal place for reflection and relaxation.



The city of Houston also has a wonderful facility for learning about green building. It’s the Green Building Resource Center, located at the Houston Permitting Center, 1002 Washington. There you can see their solar panels, wind turbines, and roof garden irrigated with condensate from the AC. They have 50 different interactive kiosks with information about products for green building. If you are planning to build, you can get ideas and guidance there for building an environmentally friendly building. Dave and I toured the building quite a few years ago and I hope to go again soon. Let me know if you would be interested in seeing it. In the meantime, be good to our planet. It’s the only home we have. Reduce unnecessary wrappings and avoid buying no. 6 plastics. Reuse when you can and Recycle responsibly.

Helen Beckman

Thrivent Action Team Cards

2019 - Lent and beyond



For early 2019 Events, New Life thanks the following: (Red are sponsors who have initiated the card)

Epiphany Party & UnGreening - Jon Sweet
Pancake Supper & Mardi Gras Party - Gige
St Patrick's Day/Blood Drive - Jon Sweet
Lenten Suppers - Becky Homerstad
Baskets of Promise - Karl Sweet
Seder Meal - Donna Patschke

Good Friday Fish Fry - Doug Barron
Children's Easter Party - Elaine Damewood
Men in Mission Night @ BAKFish - Gige
Mother's Day Flower Fundraiser - Evelyn Baldauf
Men's Sunday - Blood Drive - Doug Barron

If you have not signed up to submit an Action Team Card for 2019, please contact the office. Karen and Tiffany are working with the below list and Thrivent to try to help defray costs. Some of these need to be submitted asap.

To learn how you can help make a difference with New Life's campus and outreach ministries, please contact the office.

Upcoming Events that Thrivent Cards could be useful for:

Oct 4-5 - Bazaar (several for different areas)
Oct 26 - Children's Halloween Party
Oct 27 - Reformation Sunday
Nov 10 - Confirmation Sunday
Nov 24 - WELCA ThankOffering Sunday
Nov 30 or Dec 1 - Greening
Dec 20 - Caroling - Blanket Drive

? - Volunteer Appreciation Dinner
Dec 7 - Children's Christmas Party
? - Council/Staff/Leader Dinner
Dec 24 - Christmas Eve/Senior Reception &
Jan 5 - 2020 Un-Greening

Hurricane Season is from June 1st to November 30th.

Hurricane kit supplies checklist (from CBS and the Red Cross)

- Water: At least a 3-day supply; one gallon per person per day
- Food: At least a 3-day supply of non-perishable, easy-to-prepare food
- Flashlight
- Battery-powered or hand-crank radio (NOAA Weather Radio, if possible)
- Extra batteries
- First aid kit
- Medications (7-day supply) and medical items (hearing aids with extra batteries, glasses, contact lenses, syringes, cane)
- Multi-purpose tool
- Copies of personal documents (insurance policies, birth certificates, lease or deed to home)
- Sanitation and personal hygiene items
- Emergency blanket
- Insect repellent and sunscreens
- Baby supplies (bottles, formula, baby food, diapers)
- Rain gear



For more information go to:

<https://gulfcoastsynod.org> gulf-coast-resources 72-hour-lutheran - checklist posted last month
Also: <https://abc13.com> [weather/hurricane-preparedness](https://abc13.com/weather/hurricane-preparedness) 101-what-you-need-in-your-kit

Updates for the Church Roster:

Change of Address and/or email:

Yvonne & David Perez Address Change:

2549 Garden Rd Pearland TX 77581

*The Church Staff Thanks everyone for helping us keep the database up-to-date with addresses, phone numbers and emails. for each of your family members.
Also: Birthdays, Baptisms, Confirmations, and Wedding dates with the year.*

HOW DO PEOPLE START ATTENDING CHURCH?

A Friend Invited Me - 86%

Organized Visitation - 6%

Invited by the Pastor - 6%

Advertising - 2%

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Barbara is looking for someone who would be willing to work with her as a "Co-Coordinator (to fill in when she is out of town visiting Grandkids or traveling). Lynn Cope has stepped up and offered to help out as needed, but it would still be great if someone would like to come aboard and experience this rewarding work (3 is always better than 2).

Please prayerfully consider this position/opportunity. You may give Barbara a call at **713-817-1012**.



**Take a picture.
Keep it in your phone
for your trips to Kroger.**

Kroger Community Awards New Life Lutheran's Number changed to TX769

**New Life hasnt received a check since 10/23/2018.
Please update your Community Award number.**

**Thank you to all who have used the New Life
Number!**

**The old number is still associated with us but cannot be
used when enrolling or accessing our account anymore.**

GLOW is caring for New Life Members.

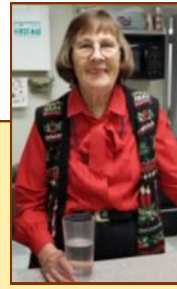
GLOW – God's Love, Our Work.

If you would like to join the GLOW care team or are in need of a care ministry, please contact the church office at 281-485-1818 or GLOW@newlifelutheran.com or write your need on your yellow "Count-Me-In" card from your bulletin.

The GLOW team meets on the second Thursday of the month at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. GLOW welcomes new care ministers! The team sends cards, makes phone calls, provides communion, and sets up meal schedules for those in need.



Thank you to all who served coffee and juice (and more) and/or cleaned up during Fellowship Hour!



Coffee Hour at New Life Lutheran is a wonderful opportunity for visitors and members of our church to meet one another in an informal setting between Sunday services.

If you enjoy having breakfast and fellowship, please consider pairing up with other members to host a week to serve in this important ministry. On past Sundays where there was no sponsor, therefore no food, several people were surprised and complained. As the church cannot fund breakfast, if no one brings food, there is nothing to serve. If you and/or your family expect something more than coffee—bring something.

Note that MOST 1st and 2nd Sundays of the month NEED Sponsors.



Contact Tiffany Brown-Pineda at CommunityLife@newlifelutheran.com or the church office (281-485-1818) or to sign up!



Christian Helping Hands is in need of many things all year around

Please consider donating the following items EVERY month:

Soup (Ready to eat – like Chunky Soup)

Cooking Oil/spray

Tomato products (diced, sauce, paste, spaghetti sauce, etc.)

Cream soups

Packets of tuna (not just cans)

Macaroni & Cheese (boxes & cups - Kraft is preferred by most visitors)

Single serve meals (canned and packets)

(Tuna salad & crackers, spaghetti-o's, ravioli, shelf tv dinners, etc)

Canned beans (ranch style, kidney, pinto, refried, etc.)

Shampoo (& Conditioner)





Lots of things going on behind the scenes...

Thank you to the New Life Property team for all their efforts to keep up with ongoing maintenance including:

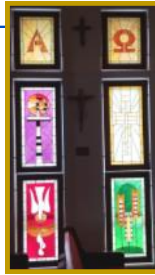
Walt Wright, Rudy Moreno, Ronnie Stavinoha, Rich Newell, Charlie Gaevert, Foster Foucheaux, Richard Lowery, Will Sinacori, Karen Sweet Cheney, Cheryl Robinson and many more are working the property to keep it safe and running smoothly. If you see one of these guys, please shake their hand and let them know they are appreciated! See the thank you page for individual job thanks.



Property updates, cleaning, and replacements are being done continuously. If you see something that needs to be addressed or you have a talent you are willing to share, and time to share it, please let Charlie Gaevert, Rudy Moreno or Karen Sweet-Cheney know. (Even if you only have 15 minutes on a Sunday to help with something you would like to share!) Suggestions are welcome as well. Text to Karen @ 972-841-2600.



Thank you to all those who provide special offerings to help with Lawn Care. If you are not giving and would like to be added to the reminder list, please contact the office. Lawn Care is \$380 per month for the front of the property. The ball teams who use the back field are under contract to keep the field mowed.



New Wall with Family Crosses



Saturday, Sept. 21st New Life will be doing our quarterly "Orange Street Clean-Up".

Meet in the Fellowship Hall at 8:30am.

With the new sidewalks, the clean-up runs pretty fast.
The more people (adults AND kids) we have the quicker we get done!

New Life Needs:

We are always in need of air filters to make all the units run optimally. They are changed every other month.

Please consider donating:

Air Filters: 20x18x1 (1) & 20x20x1 (10 every other month)

Light Bulbs: T-12 and T-8 Fluorescent Tubes (we are moving to LED)

Other consistent needs: Bottled water is used year round (all sizes), Coffee (regular and decaf), little creamers (mini moos, Hazelnut & French vanilla), Z fold paper towels & 2 ply toilet paper (Charmin ultra plus). We purchase some of these items when there are events using Thrivent cards, but if you are at Sam's and can pick an item up it would be appreciated! (let the office know)





*There are Sunday's Cool classes for everyone
(youth & adults).*

*Sunday's Cool has classes for everyone (youth & adults).
Take time for Life-Long Learning!*

Sunday's Cool Teachers 2018-2019



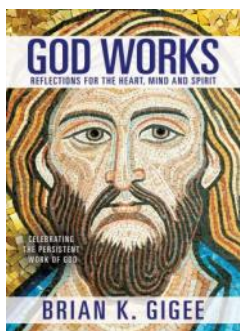
Partial group of Sunday's Cool Teachers 2019-2020



- **ALL youth from 3 year olds through 3rd grade meet in their respective rooms upstairs in the Fellowship Hall, 4th-6th graders meet downstairs across from the DVD room and 7th-12th graders meet in Sang's office in the Administration Building.**
- Ø **The ABC class... Adult Bible Class is studying the gospel of John in the New Testament. This class meets in the Admin Building Library.**
- Ø **The DVD class... Daring Video Disciples will watch and discuss a series entitled "How Jesus Became God" by Professor Bart D. Ehrman. Meets in the DVD room.**
- Ø **Pastor Giguee will lead a "Spiritual Direction 2.0" discussion based on Sunday's Gospel reading – the class meets each Sunday starting on September 15th, in the Fellowship Hall with a fresh topic.**

Consider joining the Teaching Team this Fall - Contact Aimee or Sang for details.

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By Pastor Brian Giguee
*reflections for the heart, mind
and spirit*

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reflective reading as you
embolden your faith this Fall!

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See Lutherhill Retreat Schedule on Page 4



Senior High Retreat 2018

For more information on retreats, see Sang's Youth Director page 10 or visit



Summer Camp 2018



Confirmation Camp 2017

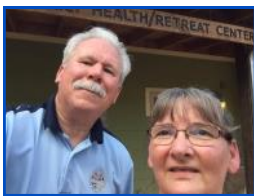


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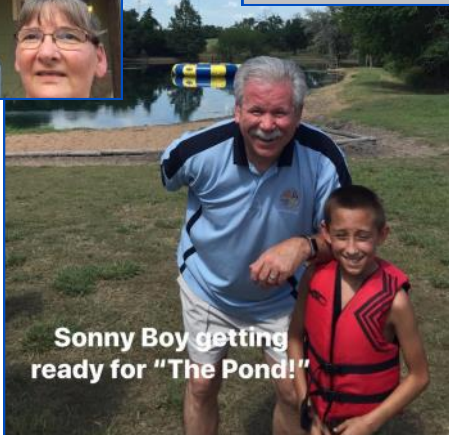
Elementary Retreat 2019



Senior High Retreat 2019



Sonny Boy & Sabastian @ LutherHill Summer 2019



Sonny Boy getting ready for "The Pond!"



Ga-Ga Ball!





ELCA SPIRITUAL CENTER DAILY BIBLE READINGS

As we continue to share in the emerging 21st century ministry, please take time as you are able to visit the Spiritual Center at the ELCA website: www.elca.org/spiritual.html

"To be Christian without prayer is no more possible than to be alive without breathing." - Martin Luther

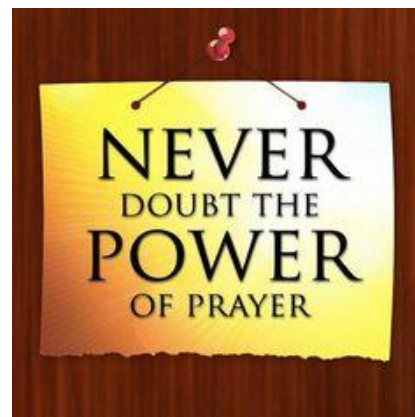
GOD'S PEOPLE PRAY!

Pray for renewing health: Chris Baldauf, Annie Bates, Brian Bates, Kate Bates, Susan Bickham, Bryan Bradford, Ed Bradford, Lucas Bradford, Robyn Bradford, Leta Branum, Barbara Brown, Terry & Floyd Brown, Rannie Daugherty, Carl Ericsson, the Gestls & Goschs, Margo Giguee, Kelli Grage, Harvey Hamilton, Walter Hayes, Homerstad families, Linda Hudgens, the Kisers, Larry Magers, Tina Meyer, Jerry Migl, Tamsey Mims, Pete Mistrot, Cheryl Newell, Hubert Pardue, Allen Patschke, Allison Patschke, Viola Patschke, Tyler Peterson, Janet, Frannie & Mike Porter, Scott & Leeta Sanger, Glenn Sponholtz, Julia Sweet, Karen Sweet-Cheney, Patrick Sweet, Claudia Thomas, Ben Viccellio and Vera White.

Special prayer needs: Angelo family, Barnes & Daeschner families, Barrett and Ruddock families, Barron, Larson, Reed & Moore families, Bradford family, Broughton & Boeker families, Buckels family, Burt family, Childs family, Zachary Cope, Fraker family, Gosch family, Kaiser family, Kyle Lawson, Lawson family, Magers family, Marcha & Castillo families, Marcha & Salazar families, Mistrot & Meyer families, Patschke, DeWeese, Schneider & Yancey families, Porter family, Purdum & Hayes families, Reynolds & Galloway families, Eric Schmidt family, Schroder family, Tatuaca family, Thomas family, Vavrecka family, Welch family, Wellman family, Wilson family and the Wood family.

New Life prays for those serving in the military: Keagan Barthelme, Jeremy Foster, Zach Gottlieb, Eric Metzger, Mason Moore (reserves), Ryan Newell, Michael Porter Jr., Berkeley Scott, Joe Wishart & Christopher Young.

PRAYER CORNER



You may wish to cut out this section and place it where you will see it and remember to pray.



dear LORD,

Let me be just what they need.

If they need someone to trust, let me be trustworthy. If they need sympathy, let me sympathize. If they need love, (and they do need love), let me love, in full measure.

Let me not anger easily, Lord, but let me be just. Permit my justice to be tempered in your mercy.

When I stand before them, Lord, let me look strong and good and honest and loving. And let me be as strong and good and honest and loving as I look to them.

Help me to counsel the anxious, crack the covering of the shy, temper the rambunctious with a gentle attitude.

Permit me to teach only the truth. Help me to inspire them so that learning will not cease at the classroom door.

Let the lessons they learn make their lives fruitful and happy. And, Lord, let me bring them to You. Teach them through me to love You.

Finally, permit me to learn the lessons they teach.

amen



These petitions are offered as guides to prayer for the global, social and outreach ministries of the church. Thank you for your continued prayers for the life and mission of this church.



1 Pray that we learn humility, respect and hospitality from the example and teachings of Jesus and the Spirit at work in the lives of people around us, and that we exercise in daily life this regard for others without bias, reluctance or feeling that we deserve something in return.

2 *Labor Day* On this day we recognize and pray for the work and service people do to sustain their families and benefit their communities and society. Pray that all receive fair wages, work in safe environments, are renewed through times of sabbath, and experience joy and fulfillment in their labor; pray that all those who seek employment will find work and for the well-being, care and support of people unable to work.

3 Give thanks to God for our early-learning centers, K-12 schools, lay schools for ministry, colleges and universities, and seminaries, and for the significant role they serve in faith formation, education and equipping leaders throughout life.

4 Praise God for filling us with mercy, compassion, joy, a sense of justice, and a bold, confident faith that spills over into the world.

5 Give thanks and praise to God as we celebrate with the 2019 graduates of the ELCA International Women Leaders initiative: Sthela Gun Holly Hanitrinirina (Malagasy Lutheran Church); Yuen Ching Lee, Abby Lai and Melissa Neo (Lutheran Church in Malaysia); and Elisa Pérez-Trejo (Mexican Lutheran Church). Give thanks for all who have supported them throughout the program, and ask God to bless their service and ministry as they move forward.

6 Pray that our actions, words, work, service and concern for our neighbors in need — be they strangers, friends or forgotten — bear witness to the word and ways of God made known to us through Jesus Christ and instilled in us by the Holy Spirit.

7 Give thanks for the ministry and witness of ELCA missionaries serving alongside our global companions in Senegal, South Africa and Eswatini, as well as the six young people serving in Senegal and the four serving in Southern Africa as part of the ELCA's Young Adults in Global Mission program.

8 *"God's work. Our hands."* Sunday Pray for children, youth and adults involved in volunteer community service across the country in partnership with neighboring congregations, Lutheran agencies and community organizations. Give thanks for the living, daring confidence in God's grace from which our every act of service throughout life flows!

9 Continue to pray for peace, justice, reconciliation and economic opportunity for the people and countries of Central America, and pray that the United States and other nations will respond to their needs with humanitarian and economic assistance, collaborative efforts to find effective, lasting solutions to the crises they are experiencing, and prayerful, enduring support.

10 Praise God for knowing us better than we know ourselves and assuring us that we are loved and are never forgotten or alone in the world.

11 Pray that the peace, confidence and grace of God given to us in Jesus Christ will prevail and calm our every fear and anxiety in these turbulent and uncertain times.

12 As members of the body of Christ we are like "trees planted by streams of water," sustained in all that we do, nurtured to bear fruits of the Spirit and strengthened to follow the word and ways of God. Pray that we are not shy about inviting others to have faith in God's redeeming love through Christ and enjoying the life-enriching blessings of being in a community of faith.

13 Approximately 1 in 10 people around the world can't access the food he or she needs to live an active, healthy life; more than 40 million people in the United States are unsure where their next meal will come from; and 10% of the world's population lives in extreme poverty on less than \$1.90 per day. Remember in prayer those who suffer with poverty and hunger, and give thanks for the work of ELCA World Hunger, our congregations and other partners as they respond to communities in need, striving for sustainable solutions that get at the root causes of hunger and poverty.

14 *Holy Cross Day* Today, give thanks and lift up words of celebration for Jesus' self-sacrificing, redemptive, life-giving offering on the cross for the sake of all humanity.

15 *National Hispanic Heritage Month* Give thanks for the gifts, contributions and rich cultural diversity of our Latino brothers and sisters and pray for the work and growth of the 147 ELCA Latino ministries in the United States as they share the gospel, encourage our unity in Christ, support pastors and lay leaders, and serve their neighbors in many community contexts.

16 Pray for God's mercy, forgiveness and guidance when we stray from God's ways or find ourselves worshipping wealth, earthly possessions, power or status more than we worship God.

17 Pray that our church in all its expressions — congregations, synods and the churchwide organization — are guided by the wisdom and enthusiasm stirred by the Holy Spirit to implement and live into decisions made during synod assemblies and the ELCA Churchwide Assembly for the sake of doing God's work in the world, sharing the gospel, growing the church and serving our neighbor.

18 Pray that we might be persistent and caring in seeking, inviting and welcoming people who have left our congregations, feel unwelcome because of who they are or what they've done, have been hurt by conflict or feel they have no place in the church, the body of Christ.

19 Pray for relief and access to clean water where people are suffering from extreme heat and drought in the world; ask God to help us work with one another to care for our environment and precious water resources, find ways to ease and prevent the impact of climate change, and share generously our resources to provide for the essential needs of people everywhere.

20 With grateful hearts, thank God for the mercy and grace we receive through Jesus Christ, who embraces who we are in all our humanness and shortcomings and transforms us for service and faithful leadership in the world.

21 *Matthew, apostle and evangelist* Pray that we will serve as willing, faithful and bold followers of Christ even though our backgrounds, life experiences, professions and gifts are diverse and may seem incongruent with what we imagine God desires in a disciple or evangelist.

22 Pray that the Holy Spirit will work in us and guide us to be faithful, trustworthy and responsible with all God has entrusted to us in this life, that we may serve our neighbors in need, care for creation and honor God.

23 Remember in prayer ministry candidates who have responded to God's call to ministry and leadership through the church and are involved in the process of preparation, discernment and waiting for assignment. Pray for candidates and their families during this time that can be both joyful and anxious; and pray that leaders and ELCA staff involved in the assignment process will be guided by the Holy Spirit in their discernment and decision-making.

24 Pray for the 15 ELCA missionaries serving in parish ministry and education as they work alongside our companions in Slovakia and Russia.

25 Praise God who exists throughout the universe and all time yet has compassion and concern for people who are poor and in great need; pray that we will be moved by God's ways, examples and commands to show attentiveness, mercy, compassion and love for our neighbors in need.

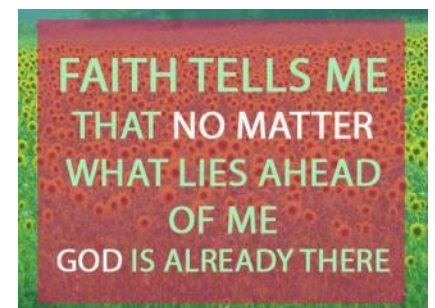
26 Pray for the ministry of ELCA Advocacy, its Washington office and its state public policy offices as they work with ELCA members to develop and advance legislation that will overcome poverty, defend God's creation and promote peace, dignity and justice.

27 Give thanks that God is slow to anger and inclined to forgive our sins, shortcomings, mistreatment of our neighbors and deliberate wrongdoings, and to treat us with mercy and compassion for the sake of restoring our relationship with God and setting us back on track in our daily lives.

28 Pray for Bible study leaders, teachers and volunteers serving in our congregations who share their faith, help us study and explore Scripture, join us in prayerfully and thoughtfully wrestling with spiritual questions, and help us connect the word of God with everyday life.

29 Reflect on the gifts, abilities and courage of faith we have received from the Holy Spirit, and on the joy and confidence we have in the promise of eternal life through Jesus Christ; give thanks for who we have become in Christ for the sake of mission and service in the world.

30 Give praise and glory to God that through our worship and liturgy we will be reminded of the promises spoken at our baptisms, the forgiveness and new life we receive through the washing with water and the word of God, and the call we receive to pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness - as individuals and communities of faith.



September 2019

Wedding Anniversaries

Susan & Jim Burkard	09/06
Guadalupe & Austin Caballero	09/07
Shirley & Norm Griffith	09/08
Tally & Trent Perez	09/08
Saundra & Charles Foster	09/09
Terry & Floyd Brown	09/11
Maria & Roland Moreno	09/12
Elaine & Larry Damewood	09/05
Terri & Mike Kiser	09/21
Vera & Tony White	09/22
Judy & Foster Foucheaux	09/27

Baptismal Anniversaries

Reagan Peterson	09/02
Mika Reed	09/02
Joseph Glenn	09/04
Mathew Glenn	09/04
Brandt Barrett	09/09
Monica Marcha	09/09
Joyce Willeford	09/13
Nicole Martinez	09/14
Stacy Drake	09/15
Clayton Migl	09/16
Casey Crawford	09/18
Kyle Crawford	09/18
Laura Krajca	09/18
Vanessa Rincones	09/19
Kenneth Peterson	09/22
Kim Koepke/Johnson	09/23
Brianna Payette	09/24
David Porter	09/25
Louis Marcha	09/27
Phyllis Mistrot	09/28
Risa Cates	09/29
Keith Lawson	09/29
Kelly Lawson	09/29
Nathan Gige	09/30

Birthdays

Juliet O'Banion	09/03
Kate Bates	09/05
Scott Sanger	09/07
Justin Burt	09/09
Marcos Salazar	09/09
Cathy Lee	09/10
Reagan Peterson	09/10
Isabel Moreno	09/11
Quinn Velasquez	09/11
David Wishart	09/11
Barbara Flowers	09/13
Laura Gaevert	09/13
Stacia Sweet	09/13
Chris Young	09/13
Bob Conners	09/15
Katherine Browdy-Paul	09/16
Gary Bishop	09/17
James Johansen	09/17
Abbey Grage	09/18
Carole Wright	09/19
Doug Barron	09/20
Eric Metzger	09/20
Terri Kiser	09/21
Sheila Schmidt	09/21
Josiah Gwendon	09/22
Parker Perez	09/22
Joyce Willeford	09/22
Lynn Cope	09/23
Norm Griffith	09/23
Victoria Manrique	09/23
Don Purdum	09/23
Felicity Campbell	09/24
David Porter	09/25
Cheryl Robinson	09/25
Christie Young	09/25
Benita Kovar	09/26
Mike Lassiter	09/27
MacKenzie Wise	09/28
Vivienne Reed	09/29
Kyle Lord	09/30
Pam McDonald	09/30

If your name or date needs updating, please contact the New Life office to have your name included in next year's posting.

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WOW [Women of Worth]

**Worship Assistants needed. Please contact the church office if you would like to serve*

Communion Wine/ Wafers are provided by Robin & Vince Gottlieb

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SEPTEMBER

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 8a Traditional Worship 9:15a Sunday's Cool and Calm 10:30a EPIC Worship 12p LYO - Lutheran Youth Outreach 12p Word Fellowship Cer	2 Labor Day 8p AA Meeting (Co-Ed) 8p Ala-non	3 9:30a Quilting 7p Word Fellowship Cer	4 12p Senior (55+) Lunch	5 7p Property Team	6 Church Office Closed	7 10:30a Phoenix Group I 7p Word Fellowship Cer
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OCTOBER