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Prince of Peace Lutheran

August Newsletter

A Note from the Pastor

God's Plan for Disciple-making

Jesus is in the disciple-making business, and discipleship is not just for the chosen few. It's for everyone who would follow Jesus – it's for you and me too. Right after His baptism, signaling the beginning of His public ministry, Jesus gathered men and women who would "follow" Him and sit at His feet to learn. Jesus personally called 12 men to become His students, men who would sit at His feet as pupils to be taught by the one who was sent from heaven and who spoke with divine authority. Jesus opened their minds to understand the Scriptures and how the entirety of the Old Testament pointed to His birth, life, death, and resurrection in order to give forgiveness of sins, peace with God, and eternal life for all who would believe in Him.

Those 12 disciples were the core and the beginning of all those who would follow our Lord. Right before Jesus ascended into heaven, He gave his disciples a command, "make disciples." The disciples were to make disciples, but how? And who? For how long?

Let's let our Lord answer these questions. "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have



Important Meeting Dates:

August 6, 2019

- School Board 6 pm
- Board of Directors 7 pm

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commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age” (Matt. 28:19-20).

1. **A disciple’s faith is fixed on Jesus.** Jesus’s command to baptize is the first step in disciple-making. Why? Baptism points our faith from ourselves and onto Jesus. Baptism is what God does to us not what we do for God. Baptism is where God gives us a new identity as His child who now belongs to His family. Baptism delivers to us what Christ has won for us through His death and resurrection. A disciple’s eye of faith is fixed on Jesus, who is the author and finisher of our faith. This disciple-making is for “all nations.” God doesn’t discriminate; discipleship is open to all ages, to males and females, to all people from every part of the earth. Christ died for all, so all are invited to a life of “following” Jesus.

2. **A disciple is a learner.** Baptism is the initiation of the discipleship, learning marks the life of a baptized follower of Christ. Notice how “teaching” is a continual activity. A disciple never grows out of being a “learner.” This is what Peter meant when he wrote, “Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation” (1 Peter 2:2). How easy it is to fall into the thinking and practice of “I don’t need to learn anymore. I’ve read the Bible cover to cover. I’ve been to enough Bible studies. I’ll learn on my own. I have already studied that Bible book. I know what I believe and don’t need to learn anything new.”

Disciples are made, actually they are continually being made, because they are to be continually learning all that our Lord Jesus has taught. It’s not so much about learning information as it is about the Holy Spirit continuing to convict us of our shortcomings and building us up in the faith delivered to us in our baptism. The Word of God is rich and active and is the source of strength and life of a disciple. How are you growing and learning? How is your life as a disciple of Jesus? Are you a “learner?” Do you have the hunger as a little child to learn all that our Lord has to teach you?

This is my prayer for myself and for you. May we humble ourselves, and sit ourselves at the feet of Jesus to learn from His Word. May we never grow bored of the Scriptures and think we have no need to learn from Him. Let’s do this together. Let’s learn, and study, and pray, and share this life of discipleship together, and let’s keep making disciples of all nations. We don’t do this alone, thank God. We have a promise from Jesus as we live as His disciples and make disciples: “and behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” So what are we waiting for?

In the name of Jesus, Amen.



Pastor Darrin Sheek
949-370-7198

August 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<div>Wednesday Chapel Services 9 am-9:25 am Pre-K-Kindergarten 9:30 am-9:55am 1st-8th Grade One Service for all 9:00am</div>		<div>Sunday Service 8 am Traditional Service 9:15 am Sunday School Adults and Children 10:30 am Contemporary Service 1:30 pm Emerald Court Service</div>		Boy Scouts 7pm (HOF)	Church Office Closed	Master Gardners 9-12pm (FR) Korean Prayer 6-7am
Sunday Services Communion		Sch-BD 6pm & BOD Mtg. 7pm (BR)		Church Office Closed Elders Mtg. 7pm (BR) Boy Scouts 7pm (HOF)	Church Office Closed	Korean Prayer 6-7am
Sunday Services Private Party Parking Front Lot 3-8pm				Parent Orientation 6pm (church)	Church Office Closed	Korean Prayer 6-7am First Family Service Day 9-noon Private Party Parking Front Lot 3-7 pm
Sunday Services Communion Emerald Court			1st day of School noon dismissal Chapel	Boy Scouts 7pm (HOF)	Church Office Closed	Korean Prayer 6-7am
Sunday Services	PTAL Mtg. 7pm (LB)		Chapel Panda Express Dine Out Anaheim Location 10 am-11 pm	Boy Scouts 7pm (HOF)	Church Office Closed	Korean Prayer 6-7am



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your phone to go
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July Offerings

Budgeted Monthly	\$ 13,076.00
Offering	\$ 9,928.00
Offering Variance	\$ -3,148.00



A donation/payment page is now
available on our website.

**Follow us on Facebook,
Instagram, and Twitter!!!!**

Those who Serve in the month of June

Ushers 1st service

Richard Gamboa
Joshua Scott

Elders

1st Service – Joshua Scott
2nd Service – Matt Henderson
Emerald Court– Joshua Scott

Ushers 2nd service

Matt Henderson

Readers 2nd Service

Cynthia Cade 8-4-19
Randy Cade 8-11-19
Ron Jones 8-18-19
Steven Sarandis 8-25-19

*God's Word is daily
bread– not cake for
special
occasions!*

Readers 1st service

Julie Gamboa 8-4-19
Joshua Scott 8-11-19
Darrik Sheek 8-18-19
Carol Smallwood 8-25-19



Altar Guild 1st service

Mary Drennan

Altar Guild 2nd service

Sandy Sarandis

Acolyte 1st service

On Communion Sundays

Ian Gamboa

Acolyte 2nd service

Jonnelle Wilson

A Note from the Principal

Dear Members and Friends of Prince of Peace,

The summer seems to have flown by. The faculty returns August 12th to begin preparing for the coming school year. We are excited about the coming year and the opportunity that God has given us to share the message of God's love with children and their families. With the craziness that is going on in the world around us, we have the blessing of sharing TRUTH everyday.



We are excited about the STEAM LAB project that is under way. We are transforming the under-used library into a space where we can challenge and inspire creativity in students. Sixteen Lutheran High School athletes came to school to help us empty the room and do other projects around our campus. They worked hard and accomplished more than we could have done in months. We are grateful for their help!

We appreciate the support and prayers of the congregation. Please continue to pray for more students! Also, pray for the faculty and staff as we prepare for the new school year.

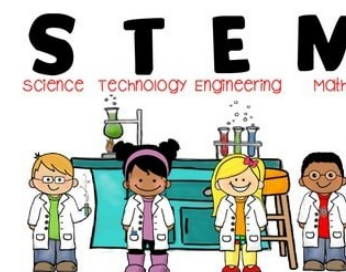
Blessings,
Mrs. Smallwood



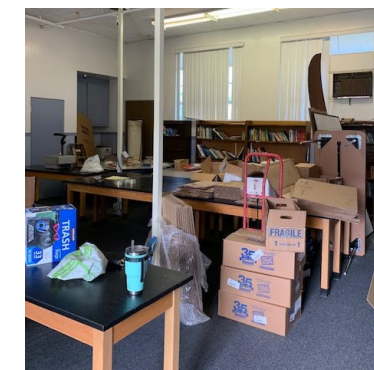
Thank you to the Wonderful
Football Players!



Pulling up the Carpet



Before Picture of the
Library



Disney Employees

Did you know that Prince of Peace partners with Disney Employees and offers them a discount on student enrollment? Well, if you didn't we do! Please share this information with your family and friends and have them call the School Office for the rates and registration packets. The gift of education is a gift that will last a lifetime.



We offer quality, affordable Christian Education. We have before and after school care. Outstanding after school programs. This year we open our brand new STEM Lab. Where the children can experience Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. We also have Robotics! We are very excited to share so schedule your tour now!

714-774-0993

Join friends and families for a special Lutheran Night at Angel Stadium with Lutheran Social Services of Southern California.



SEPT 14TH 2019

LUTHERAN NIGHT

ANGEL STADIUM

Saturday, September 14th at 6:00pm

LA ANGELS of ANAHEIM vs TAMPA BAY RAYS

ALL UNRESERVED SEATS \$21 PER TICKET (REGULARLY \$45)

Lutheran Social Services of Southern California in partnership with the Pacifica and Southwest CA Synods of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America present Lutheran Night at Angel Stadium featuring a postgame fireworks show and concert with R&B superstar Lauryn Hill of the Fugees and Sister Act II fame. Tickets for this inaugural event are limited so don't miss out. Purchase your tickets by August 14th to secure the Lower View MVP Section with deeply discounted pricing today!



www.angels.com/lutheran
Lower View MVP Deeply Discounted Seats
\$21.00 plus online fees. (Regularly \$45.00)

For additional questions or info please contact: Angel Rodriguez
angel.rodriguez@angels.com

**Tickets must be purchased by August 14th to ensure discounted pricing in the Lower View MVP Section.*

Prayers of Praise and Concern

Prayers for those afflicted with Cancer



Warren, John, Lyndsey, Miguel, Martin, Michelle, Ruth, Mike, Claudia, Linda, Alan, Roman, Nick, Jessica and Tricia.

Prayers for the World



- Our Country, our State, and its Leaders.
- Prayers for our Pacific Southwest District.
- Prayers for all our Missionaries who are working in harsh conditions.
- Prayers for our Pastor and other Pastors in need.
- Prayers for our Schools and Teachers.
- Prayers for re-elected President of the LCMS Rev. Dr. Matthew C. Harrison.
- Prayers for our called workers.
- Prayers for Dr. Mary Scott who accepted the call to serve as CEO and Executive Director.



Praying for those serving in our Military

- Savannah Burrows- serving in the Navy.
- David Sheek- serving in Guam.
- Paul Fexas- serving in the Army Reserves.
- Philip Esquibel- serving in the Navy.
- Michael Ochoa- serving as an Army Field Medic.
- Hunter Winton- serving in the Navy.
- Nick Coon- serving in the Navy as a Nuclear Engineer.
- Xavier Velasco- serving in the Army.
- Sean McQuesten- serving in the Airforce as a Helicopter Pilot.
- Jeremiah Andrew- serving in the Marines as a flight line mechanic for CH53 in Mira Mar.
- David Ottens- Currently in Marine MOS Training.

Prayers of Praise and Concern



If you have any prayer requests please fill out a prayer card that is located in the pew. Hand to an Usher, Elder or drop it in the offering plate. You may email the pastor at PastorSheek@gmail.com also. Prayers will stay for 3 weeks unless asked to be removed.



Prayer for those in need

- Pray for continued student enrollment at Prince of Peace School and Preschool.
- Tony and Donna Beltran– prayers of Comfort, Love and Gods Blessing for both of them.
- Carol Maltsberger-prayers of Comfort, Love and Gods Blessing for her.
- Tom Hanscom-prayers for employment and healing of back pain.
- Melinda Penner-continued prayers of healing.
- Robin Hierlmeier-prayers for back surgery.
- Lisa Gilbertson-continued prayers of healing.
- Debbie Cekorich–continued prayers of healing.
- Nick Rippeto-prayers for a clean brain scan and continued healing. The infusions are working.
- John Henderson-prayers of healing after his back surgery.



A Note from the Preschool Director

Last month the children enjoyed the water play day, which included a water slide, that even the toddlers class enjoyed jumping in the water slide pool.

Our summer theme was Creation. They learned that God is the Creator of everything, including them. And that they are a very special child.

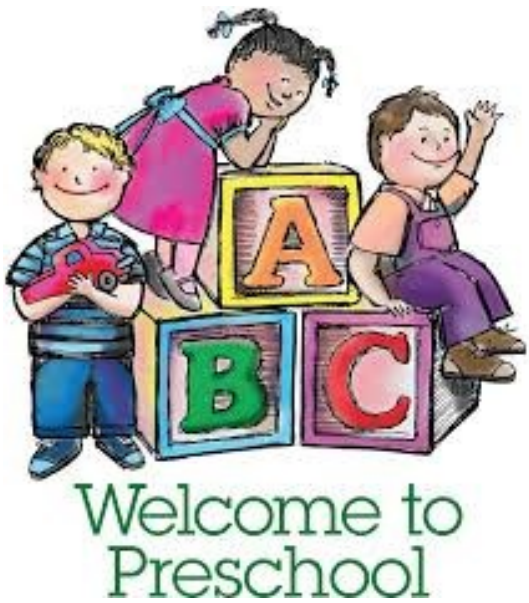
On August 1st, we are going to watch the movie The Creation, have our last water play day, bubble day and free lunch.

The week of August 12- 16 we are closed for teachers' training and classroom setting.

On August 21 they will dig for gold nuggets in the sand box. This is an exciting activity that the children look forward too. It helps with imagination and dexterity.

Please keep our preschool in your prayer. We need more children to share the Gospel with them and their parents. If you know of anyone looking for daycare, preschool, transitional kindergarten please have them call me. I would love to show them what we offer over public school and that we care for the whole family here at Prince of Peace.

Sincerely,
Maria Milla





Listen to
Pastor Darrin Sheek
and host
Pastor A J Espinosa
on

<https://www.kfu.org/category/thy-strong-word/>

Thur., Aug. 8, at 11:00 a.m. CT
Thy Strong Word

**Daniel Chapter 1:
Daniel Taken to Babylon**



Family Dine Out



Take a photo or cut this flyer out and show to the cashier. They will make sure we get credit.

FUNDRAISER EVENT

Raise Money For:
Prince Of Peace Lutheran Church and School

When	Where	How
Wednesday, August 28, 2019 10:00 AM - 11:00 PM	Panda Express at Euclid & Ball 927 South Euclid St., A Anaheim, CA 92802	In-store: Show paper or digital version of this flyer Online: Enter 270648 in the promo code box during online checkout.

20% of event sales will be donated to: Prince Of Peace Lutheran Church and School

Participating fundraiser guests are required to present a valid fundraiser flyer (hard copy or smart phone) with each order to receive credit for the fundraiser. Flyers may not be distributed inside or within vicinity of restaurant including, without limitation to, the restaurant parking lot before or during your fundraiser. Panda Restaurant Group reserves the right to cancel any and all fundraiser events for any reason and/or withhold payment of associated donation funds if the Panda Restaurant Group Fundraiser Guidelines are not followed.

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One Church Service at 10:30 am
followed by our Family BBQ (free)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2019

LAST NAME BEGINS WITH
A-M BRING A DESSERT AND CHIPS
N-Z BRING A SIDE DISH
CHURCH WILL PROVIDE THE MEAT
AND POTATO SALAD

CHECK OUT OUR INFO TABLES
on all the groups and
activities going on here at
Prince of Peace

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LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Back
to School

Parent Orientation
Starts at 6 PM





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PE Clothes, Pick up
Uniforms, and Make
registration payments.

August 15th

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- Purchasing Scrip helps the ease of Gift Giving. Whether you are purchasing for a Wedding, Birthday, or the Holidays, it is always the right size and loved by all.
- Scrip donates a percentage back to Prince of Peace. We split that percentage and apply it to your last tuition payment! Win! Win!
- No need to drive around town getting gift cards, they are sold right here in the School Office. Or you can conveniently order them online.
- With some of the new lower denominations they make great stocking stuffers.

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| • Target | • Bed Bath and Beyond |
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| • Regal | • Barnes & Noble |
| • Mobil | • Tj Maxx |
| • Kohl's | • Marshall's |
| • Stater Bros | • Chili's |
| • Walgreens | |
| • Shell | |
| • Lowes | |
| • Home Depot | |
| • Subway | |





To Those Loved by the Father in Christ Jesus,

Our times of worship, fellowship, and study of God’s Word are truly blessed times. Thanksgiving, forgiveness, and peace abound when we gather. What a juxtaposition with the age in which we live! If we spend any time observing the news, or our own community, the sense that the period of time in which the Lord has appointed for us to live is troubled cannot be denied. Indeed, one of the many troubles seems to be a

heightened divisiveness. Not long ago, within the lifetimes and memories of most of us, ideas of patriotism and the concept of the “melting pot” undergirded our society, granting a sense of unity that no longer pervades this nation. Racism, sexism, and religious persecution have once more reared their ugly heads, though our forebears dealt the apparent killing blow in events you may have heard of – the Civil War, Women’s Suffrage, and the American Revolution. Now, diversity, inclusion, and social justice reign in the public square, all promising deliverance and equality, while highlighting and intensifying dividing lines.

There is some truth in what is being put out there in the name of diversity and inclusion and social justice, that human beings are always tribal, always finding groups and ideas to be a part of. And, this tribalism inevitably leads to the shedding of blood, like what we are seeing in Portland, Oregon. In fact, that kind of division and bloodshed is exactly what God has done in Jesus Christ: a people purchased through the shedding of His blood! Through the death of Christ, God made us part of His family. Listen to what God said through the Apostle Paul:

“¹¹ Therefore remember that at one time you Gentiles in the flesh, called “the uncircumcision” by what is called the circumcision, which is made in the flesh by hands— ¹² remember that you were at that time separated from Christ, alienated from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. ¹³ But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. ¹⁴ For he himself is our peace, who has made us both one and has broken down in his flesh the dividing wall of hostility ¹⁵ by abolishing the law of commandments expressed in ordinances, that he might create in himself one new man in place of the two, so making peace, ¹⁶ and might reconcile us both to God in one body through the cross, thereby killing the hostility. ¹⁷ And he came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near. ¹⁸ For through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father. ¹⁹ So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, ²⁰ built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, ²¹ in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. ²² In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.” – Ephesians 2:11 – 22 (we were formerly separated in our tribes and separated from God, but now have been reconciled to God and made into one people in Christ)



Rather than embrace the lie of our racial, gender, cultural, or social differences dividing us to the point of hostility, let us embrace the true peace, unity, and love for one another we have in Christ Jesus. It is in Christ that we have our identity, not in those earthly things. Praise God for that!

- Joshua Scott— Head Elder*
Nick Latimer
Randy Cade
John Henderson
Matt Henderson
Steven Sarandis

Conference for Defending Life



Defending the rights of the poor and needy.
-- Proverbs 31:9b



A free conference
September 6 & 7, 2019
Pacific Lutheran High School
1473 W. 182nd St. Gardena, CA 90248

Keynote Speakers

Abby Johnson

Author, *Unplanned* & Founder of And Then There Were None

Michael Salemink

Executive Director, Lutherans for Life

Kathleen Eaton Bravo

CEO/Founder of Obria Group, Inc., & Founder of Obria Medical Clinics

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register at: www.defendinglifeconference.org

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Membership



Have you thought about becoming a member but you have questions... Would you like to become a part of our



growing church family?

What's your next step? Join the Journey with us.

Email, call or speak with the Pastor. He is always, available to answer any questions you may have.

949-370-7198

Pastor's Cell

You are a piece of Gods plan!

A Growing Church of Growing Christians. Let's get started together. Acts 2:40-47

Thanks and Praise



Thanks and Praise

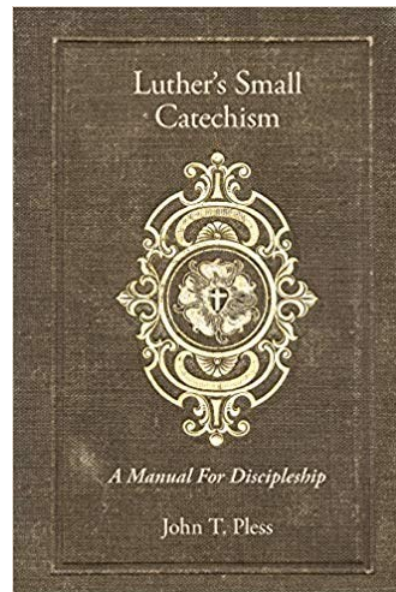
- † We are so grateful to the Orange Lutheran Football team who work very hard prepping the Library to turn it into the Stem Lab.
- † Thank you to the Gamboa Family, Carol Smallwood and Heather Walton for helping with the walls and the floors.
- † Congratulations to Richard and Julie Gamboa on their daughters recent marriage.
- † We are very grateful for the Donation of the Refrigerator in the Preschool. Such a Blessing!
- † Thank you to Richard Gamboa for installing our new RO water system in the School Office and the Church Kitchen. This cuts down on our bottled water usage and tastes so much better.
- † Thank you to Brian and Sarge for working hard to get our school ready for the new year.

Altar Guild



Altar Guild Proudly Presents the Envelope Challenge. Take any numbered envelope and donate the corresponding number. Take envelope #2, donate \$2 dollars. Place money or check inside with Altar Guild on memo line. Please place in the offering plate. Thank you in advance. We have raised over \$1,447.00 We were able to order our Pentecost Paraments and Stole. We need \$1000.00 more to finish our Reformation paraments. Then we are completed.

Reading with the Pastor



*This is what I'm reading,
Read along with me...*

Who are disciples? What is a life of discipleship? As a follow-up to Praying Luther's Small Catechism, this book answers those important questions by looking at Luther's Small Catechism as a field manual for how to live in faith and serve in love according to God's commandments.

Author John Pless argues that, in contrast to both American Evangelicals and members of mainline liberal denominations, Lutherans have a unique view of discipleship. This book will capitalize on the Lutheran view of discipleship to equip our pastors and laity to better utilize Luther's Small Catechism as a guide - a field manual - for a life of discipleship.

<https://www.amazon.com/Luthers-Small-Catechism-Manual-Discipleship/dp/0758661010>

Senior Living Ministries at Emerald Court

Pastor Sheek will be providing an afternoon satellite service once a month with Communion at Emerald Court. All are welcome to join. Some of our church members who cannot make it out to our regular services would love to see you and have the opportunity to worship together. Please consider joining them at this additional service. Services will be at 1:30pm. Future services will be announced in the Bulletins. This month will be August 18th.



**1731 West Medical
Center Drive
Anaheim,
CA 92801**

Adult Ministries

Grab a donut and a cup of Coffee and join us in the Fellowship Room for our 9:15 am Adult Bible Class.

Our time together focuses on gaining a greater understanding of the Scriptures - how they form what we believe and how we live as men and women of faith.



- 8-4-19 Ps 23
- 8-11-19 Ps 51
- 8-18-19 Ps 46
- 8-25-19 Ps 136

Summer Psalms

We are studying
A selection of Psalms that lead
us to pray and ground our
faith in Jesus.



Living Way Bible Study

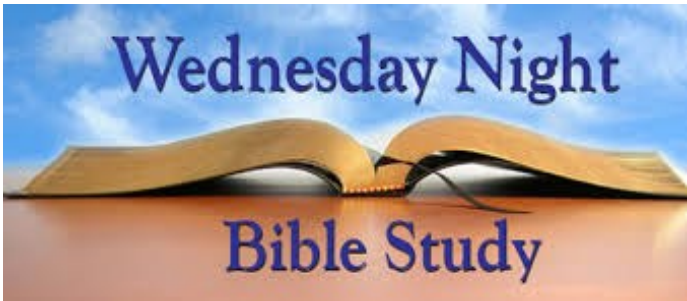
9:30am Bible Study in the (FR) on Tuesday mornings, is currently on break till Tuesday September 11th after the Fall Kick off in September. Enjoy your summer.



Wednesday Adult Bible Study

Schedule of studies-

On Break till the Wednesday September, 11th after Fall Kick Off.



Sunday Service Times

- 8 am Traditional Service
- 9:15 am Sunday School Adults and Children
- 10:30 am Contemporary Service
- 1:30 pm Emerald court Service third Sunday of the Month



Wednesday Chapel Services

During the School Year

- 9:00 am-9:25 am Preschool and Kindergarten
- 9:30 am-9:55am 1st grade thru 8th
- 9:30 am on One Service Chapel Days



LWML 2019 Officers

President: Mary Rode
Secretary: Elaine Kercher
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VP Human Growth & Gospel Outreach: Debbie Cekorich
VP Communication, Growth, & Development: Alicia Qjeda

LWML Mite Boxes – What Does This Mean?

Over the years, many Lutheran Women in Mission have used the Mite Box to gather funds in support of national, district, and local ministries. Women all over, raise funds through voluntary offerings. Instead of "Mite Boxes" some societies called their ingathering devices "blessing boxes" or "mission boxes" or "thank offering boxes." Place your Mite Boxes in visible areas so that we are reminded every day to give thanks for all His blessings.

Put your offering in the Mite Box at the end of each day.

Say "thank you" with an appropriate amount whenever calamity or misfortune has been averted.

Empty all your loose change from your kitchen coin bowl into the Mite Box weekly.

Put a dollar in the Mite Box for every pair of shoes you own.

Pay for items with bills and then empty your coins that have gathered in your wallet each day into your Mite Box.

In thanksgiving, put a dollar into the Mite Box for every family member.

Throughout the decades, Lutheran women have stepped out in faith, setting goals and trusting God to move the hearts of His people to give generously to LWML's mission of proclaiming the Gospel.

Times and Mite Boxes Change

Mite Boxes have changed in color and design over the years, but what has never changed is the dedication of freely given offerings for the purpose of reaching out to others with the Good News of Jesus Christ. Districts still retain 75% of mite offerings for the work of the LWML at that level. Based on the Biblical account of the widow's mite, the Mite Box is intended for regular contributions of "mites" — *offerings* above and beyond the support given to the congregation and the Synod. Mite Box contributions amount to millions of dollars that fund district and national mission grants. In fact, the LWML has collected over **\$100 million dollars** since 1942. Yes ... these coins have and will continue to make a difference. Thank you for contributing to the Mite Box and providing the opportunity for us to spread the Gospel to the world.

August 26, 2019

Ladies Event at 7 Pm

We Need Your Help

We need hostesses for our upcoming meetings and events this year. Please check the LWML board for the sign up sheet.

Hostesses are in charge of making sure we have snacks and beverages at our meetings and events.

**Mite Box
Sunday**
4th Sunday of each
month

IGNITE YOUTH GROUP



**Youth Group will resume
when school starts!**

Join us
for Bi-
ble
Study,
Music,
Games
and
More!



Matt and Amanda Henderson
Youth Group Leaders

Meets every Tuesday

5:30pm – 7:00pm

Grades 4th-8th

Children's Sunday School



*Children's Sunday
School begins at 9:15am*

August

Sunday School Lessons

8-4-19	Jesus calms a storm
8-11-19	Jesus Heals Jabirus' Daughter
8-18-19	Jesus walks on Water
8-25-19	Jesus Heals a Blind Man

Classes are broken
up by grade level
and where they meet
are listed below:

Pre-K-1st grade
(TBA)

2nd-3rd grade
(Kinder)

4-6th grade (LB)

7th-12th grade (YR)

Andy & Kristen Weathers' Report

Serving with Wycliffe Bible Translators

June 2019

Dear Praying Friends,

Praise God with us. In the language where we are working, the books of Genesis and the New Testament have been sent to the print shop in South Korea!

Save the date - Togo style:
During the dry season, December to March, this community will celebrate the arrival of Scripture in their language. They will interact with His Word in song, through memory contests and even using cell phone apps. We'll let you know as soon as a date is picked.

Please pray for:

- excellent quality printing of the Scriptures
- smooth transit during shipping
- minimal import formalities
- protection from persecution or backlash in response to this public event
- community acceptance of the Scriptures in their language

We are so thankful for:

- You! your prayers, encouragement and support over the last 20 years
- God's faithfulness and protection
- the power of the Holy Spirit's work
- the team from Wycliffe UK who visited and took these photos
- Philippe and Heidi who did the typesetting of Genesis & NT

These are some of the people who will receive Scripture for the first time in their language.

...so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.
Isaiah 55:11





Milestones:

June 2019

Typesetting is finished for the New Testament & Genesis

Looking ahead:

One thing we learned in this past year is that the Lord is sure to redirect our plans - for our good and for His glory. Things we anticipate:

- Andy is getting used to his new CGM (continuous glucose monitor) more effectively balancing insulin and diet
- Translation team makes new recordings of revised NT portions so that audio matches written text
- Printed scriptures leave the port in Korea and begin their journey across the seas
- Andy creates cell phone apps that combine the scripture text with MP3 audio recordings
- Printed scriptures arrive at the port - negotiations begin over the customs fees to be paid before the books will be released from the port

Our family is wrestling with decisions about the boys' schooling - moving back to Lome to attend an international school

- Printed scriptures transported from the port to the language area
- Audio scriptures reproduced on MicroSD cards for those with limited internet
- Reserve facilities, caterers and security for the dedication
- Distribute invitations
- Special times of prayer and fasting in preparation for the festivities
- Week of dedication festivities
- Andy begins coaching a language next door in Benin as they choose an Ajami script and typeset the book of Genesis



Rejoicing in God's faithfulness,

Andy + Kristen Javarin + Joshua

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