



LIVING SAVIOUR LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcements for the Week of September 17, 2017

Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

The Reverend Angela K. Powell, Pastor

Don Huff, Minister of Worship and Music



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God's Work:
Our Hands

WELCOME TO WORSHIP: We are delighted you are here and have been praying for you. If this is your first visit, we are honored you chose to worship with us. If you are returning, welcome back! We invite you to leave contact information on the guest cards inside the friendship pads, or at the welcome center. All are welcome at Holy Communion, and instructions regarding our meal are in our worship folder. Children are welcome in worship, and we seek to find ways to include them, such as our Children's time and our "pray-ground," where those under 4 have a place where they can see and hear, yet be quietly active with quiet toys and books. We have a nursery downstairs, where Ms. Carla provides loving care for those up to age 5 who need a different environment; as well as quiet bags, books, and children's bulletins near the entry way for older children. Restrooms are located in the sanctuary through the door directly opposite the entryway. We pray this worship will renew and prepare you to go out into God's world to love and serve.

THE ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY are given to the glory of God by Barbara Avard and in memory of my sister, Sandra Avard Jamula.

TODAY WE WELCOME JUDY FRYE, our guest pianist and organist at both services of worship, while Don Huff and Nancy Mersereau are away on Retreat with the Chancel Choir at Lutherock in Newland, N.C. Judy is the wife of retired Pastor Michael Frye, former pastor/mission developer of Living Saviour, who is now serving as Interim Pastor at St. Mark's Lutheran in Charlotte. Our thanks, also, to **Sarah Gist** for playing a musical selection on the piano during the distribution of Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m.

MARTIN LUTHER MOVIE: Faith Forum today at 9:30 in the educational wing. Please join Pastor and other leaders for a time of discussion about the movie, [Martin Luther: The Idea that Changed the World](#). All are welcome to participate, whether or not you have seen the movie.

G.I.F.T. (multi-generation/age, interactive educational experience for all ages), Russell Hinson, leader, meets at 9:30 a.m. downstairs in the Activity Room, next to the Choir Room. All ages are welcome!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY will meet tomorrow, September 18, 10:00 a.m. in the conference room.

SORTING DONATIONS AT CRISIS ASSISTANCE MINISTRY: Monday, September 18, 1:15-3:15 we will sort donations at CAM (500A Spratt St.). If you can help, contact **Caren Ballantine**.

NEW MEMBERS WILL BE RECEIVED on October 1 or October 8. Please let Pastor Angela know, if you are interested in joining and which Sunday would work out best for you.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY on **September 20, 10:00 a.m.** We will continue a study of *Together by Grace: Introducing the Lutherans*. All are welcome to join us on Wednesday mornings.

PRIMETIMERS will eat lunch together at Trio's Restaurant (10709 McMullen Creek Parkway) on **Wednesday, September 20, 11:30 a.m.** Everyone 50 and older welcome! Please join us for great food and fellowship - you'll be glad you did!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY is on **Thursday, September 21, 7:00 a.m.** in the conference room. All men are invited.

HOPE CIRCLE will meet **Thursday, September 21, at 1:00.** We will be working on a service project - filling baggies with travel size toiletries for our Room In The Inn neighbors. One item in low supply is deodorant; we have good amounts of all other items. We will assemble some learning enrichment materials for Smithfield Kindergarteners. Our planned book discussion will be postponed until another time. Ladies, if you have been considering attending a Hope Circle meeting, this is an easy project and your help would be much appreciated.

CAPSTONE REFORMATION 500 WORSHIP SERVICE will be held **Saturday, September 23, 2:00 p.m.**



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at Covenant Presbyterian Church with Bishop Elizabeth Eaton preaching and special music by a variety of choirs. Live Stream of worship is available. Make plans to carpool, celebrate and enjoy this opportunity.

FAITH FOUNDATIONS - Saturday, September 23, 4:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. All children 4 years and younger, their parents and siblings will gather for a story, simple song, activity and game focused on one of our faith ancestors, followed by a simple meal. RSVP to **Jennifer Huber** jlhuber81@yahoo.com, so enough supplies and food can be prepared.

MENDELSSOHN'S REFORMATION SYMPHONY will be performed by the Salisbury Symphony on Saturday, September 23, 7:00 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Salisbury. The symphony will be joined by the Symphony Chorale, the St. John's Chancel Choir and Men's Chorus. For tickets go to: www.stjohn's-salisbury.org or www.salisburysymphony.org.

LSLC MARRIAGE AND WEDDING POLICY: Faith Forums will take place with Pastor Angela leading on Sunday, September 24, a discussion of our marriage and wedding policy. Who can legally marry in NC? In the ELCA? At Living Saviour? Who decides? How is that decision made? This is a sensitive topic for some people and a difficult one for others; all are welcome to come share your thoughts, your concerns, and to find out what our marriage policy is at Living Saviour.

NEW CHOIR SEASON IS BEGINNING AND YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN! Rehearsals as follows:

Chancel Choir (high School-adults) **Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30 p.m.**

Joy Children's Choir (K-Grade 5) - on announced Sundays, following G.I.F.T.

Alleluia Bell Ringers (High school—adults) **Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.**

Jubilate Bell Ringers (Middle and High school) announced Sundays, after 10:30 worship.

FESTIVAL CHOIR: Would you love to sing in the choir but don't have time to devote to choir rehearsals all season long? Then Festival choir is for you. Join the choir for special events such as Christmas Concert, Reformation Sunday, Easter or other festival Sundays.

Speak to Don Huff for information.

INSTRUMENTALISTS for 8:30 and 10:30 worship services are needed. Please speak to Don Huff.

MEETING FOR WORSHIP LEADERS: On Sunday, October 1, following both services, Sarah Gist (Council Representative for Worship and Music) will meet in the conference room with leaders who coordinate scheduling for Ushers, Altar Guild, Communion Assistants and Servers, Acolytes, Nursery attendants, and Carmel Place leaders. Please plan to attend one of the two meetings.

THE CHRISTIANS, a Tony Award nominated play coming to Charlotte, Booth Playhouse/Blumenthal Performing Arts Center. What do you believe? Why? And what would you be willing to sacrifice for those beliefs? Set in a megachurch in today's America, this story revolves around a pastor who challenges his congregation with a radical new definition of faith. You are invited on **Friday, September 29 at 8:00 P.M. or Saturday matinee, September 30 at 2:00 P.M.** With the special group discount code "LSLC" you will save \$5.00 per ticket. Call Group Sales at 704-348-5752 and give promo code "LSLC".

FAITH FORUM: Adult Faith Forum discussions begin on **October 8**. The first topic will be a fascinating journey by land through the first five books of Moses, also known in the Jewish tradition as the Torah, based on the book "Walking the Bible" by best-selling author, Bruce Feiler. **Marty Jenkins**

"IN GOD'S OWN COUNTRY," Interested in good local theater? Interested in history? Me too! Coming to Salisbury NC's Meroney Theater, **October 12-15,18-21**, "In God's Own Country," a play about Henry Muhlenberg and the struggle to establish the Lutheran Church in America. Check it out, in this 500th year of Reformation, learn how Lutherans were established in this new and wild land we call America. www.PiedmontPlayers.com

HURRICANE HARVEY RELIEF: Gifts to Lutheran Disaster Response will be used entirely (100 percent) for this disaster. Make checks payable to Hurricane Response - United States and send to: Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009 Link to website: https://community.elca.org/ushurricanerelief?_ga=2.56943725.678399813.1504024004-882007503.1494944435

LIVING SAVIOUR'S ANNUAL CRAFT AND GIFT FAIR will be **Saturday, November 4**. If you want to reserve a table to display and sell your specialties, see the kiosk for information and reservation forms.

HOSPITALIZED THIS PAST WEEK: **Wayne Patterson** at CMC Pineville. Please keep him in your prayers.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Last Week's Attendance: 173

Sunday, September 17	
Non-Traditional Worship	8:30 a.m.
G.I.F.T	9:30 a.m.
Faith Forum- Martin Luther Movie discussion	9:30 a.m.
Traditional Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
AA Women's Meeting	
Monday, September 18	
Prayer Shawl Ministry	10:00 a.m.
CAM Sorting of Donations	1:15-3:15 p.m.
Tuesday, September 19	
Cub Scout Den Meeting	6:45 p.m.
Wednesday, September 20	
Bible Study	10:00 a.m.
Primetimers at Trio's	11:30 a.m.
Alleluia Bell Ringers	6:00 p.m.
Pastor's Book Study	6:30 p.m.
Chancel Choir Practice	7:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 21	
Men's Bible Study	7:00 a.m.
Bridge Group	10:00 a.m.
Hope Circle	1:00 p.m.
Friday, September 22	
Saturday, September 23	
CAPSTONE Worship at Covenant Presbyterian Church	2:00 p.m.
Faith Foundations	4:30 p.m.
Mendelssohn's Reformation Symphony at St. John's Lutheran Church in Salisbury	7:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 24	
Non-Traditional Worship	8:30 a.m.
G.I.F.T.	9:30 a.m.
Joy Children's Choir	10:15 a.m.
Faith Forum—LSLC Marriage and Wedding Policy	9:30 a.m.
Traditional Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
Jubilate Bells Practice following worship service	

Thank you for remembering to silence your cell phone!

TODAY'S WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

8:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Greeter	David and Linda Frixen	Cindy Quinlan
Ushers		Don Pearce, Bob Loges, Betty Reynolds, Sharon Smith
Assisting Minister	Josh Wullenweber	Josh Wullenweber
Communion Servers		Chalice: Jim Crawford, Lynn Stephens Tray: Janet Mayer, Amanda Thom — Empties: Jeanette Schick
Acolyte	Caroline Cochran	
Child Care Attendants	Carla Gearheart, Pam Williams	Carla Gearheart, Shallen Gordon
Altar Guild	Anita Mitchell and Lorene Thom	
Carmel Place (9:15 a.m.)	Chuck Malinowski	

Serving Next Week — September 24, 2017

8:30 Service: Ryan and Jennifer Huber; Josh Wullenweber; Carla Gearheart and Carol Cochran

10:30 Service: Betty Reynolds; Don Pearce, Sharon Smith, Bob Loges, Linda Honeycutt, Betty Reynolds; Ray Kilminster; Carla Gearheart and Danielle VanOcker; Anita Mitchell. Lorene Thom

Carmel Place (9:15) Ray and Glenda Kilminster

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY Pastor Angela can be reached on her day off or on weekends,
at 704-408-9534. She will return your call as soon as possible.

Forward Announcement Bulletin submissions to sherry@livingsaviourlc.org by Thursday at 9:00am

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