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Announcements for the Week of June 3, 2018

Second Sunday after Pentecost/Church Music Sunday

The Reverend Angela K. Powell, Pastor • Don Huff, Minister of Worship and Music

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 Dan and Rob Slusser and Linda Honeycutt, in honor of Diana Slusser's birthday which was today.

TODAY IS CHURCH MUSIC SUNDAY, 8:30 and 10:30 WORSHIP. A few years ago on Church Music Sunday, I was surprised to see one of our members coming into the church because she had been quite ill for some time, and I certainly did not expect to see her in church so soon. I greeted her and told her how surprised I was, and how glad I was that she could be present on Church Music Sunday. She replied very sincerely, "I wouldn't miss it for the world!" Obviously the day held a great deal of meaning for her each year. Sunday after Sunday it is the goal of your musicians to glorify God through our music and is so doing to build up God's kingdom here on earth. This year, Church Music Sunday's theme is "Build Your Kingdom Here." We will worship together in word, in song, and in the hearing of instrumental music. **Prelude music prior to 10:30 worship will begin at 10:15.**

FAITH FORUM will meet this morning at 9:30, and then the class will break for the summer. Classes will resume in September.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for Field Day(s) at Smithfield Elementary on June 5 - K&1st grade; June 6 - 2nd and 3rd grades; June 7 - 4th and 5th grades. Most help will be needed June 7, but any help will be welcome. Events are in the morning. Watch for details coming soon

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY will meet tomorrow (June 4) at 10:00 a.m. in the conference room.

CHURCH SOFTBALL SEASON has arrived! This week's games will be on Monday, June 4, 6:30 p.m. at Jack Hughes Park in Pineville and on Friday, June 8, 6:15 p.m. at Sharon Presbyterian church. All are invited to come out to enjoy church ball games and support our team!

CHURCH LAWN MOWING/MAINTENANCE: It's that time of year when the grass and plants are growing and the lawn needs mowing every week on Friday or Saturday. There is a sign up sheet posted on the kiosk in the fellowship hall. If you'd like to help out, please sign up. Any help you can offer will be appreciated! For information and questions, please contact Frank DeLoache at 704-245-2985.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets on Thursday, June 7, 7:00 a.m. in the conference room. All men invited!

WE WILL WELCOME GUESTS FROM SALVATION ARMY CENTER OF HOPE SHELTER next Sunday (6/10). They will receive a gift from LSLC Endowment Fund during service of worship.

POOL PARTY FOR KIDS IN CHRIST AND YOUNG KIDS IN CHRIST: Craig and Lori Kolasch and family will host a pool party next Sunday, June 10 at 2:00 p.m. for KIC/YKIC and their families.

NEW MEMBERS: Been worshipping with us for a while, but not yet a "member?" What is it to be a member of a congregation? It is to belong, to have a place to grow in faith, to experience God's grace, to be part of what goes on, able to vote on decisions, included in the official membership roster. New members will be joining Living Saviour in July and we'd love to have you be part of that. Contact Pastor Angela or the church office.

CHURCH DINNER NIGHT OUT: Saturday, June 16 - 12:00-3:00 p.m. This event will be different. We are planning a trip to Over Mountain Vineyards for tastings and cookout. They are located at 2012 Sandy Plains Road in Tryon (towards Asheville). The drive is about 1 1/2 hours. We will stop by the Tryon International Equestrian Center on the way home to see what is happening. Please sign up on the sheet on the kiosk in the fellowship hall. If you have questions, contact John and Pam Williams at jfwilliams7200@aol.com.

CAMP VIVACE, Living Saviour's music, drama and art camp will be July 16-20, 9:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m. daily. On Friday evening at 7:00 the campers will present the musical we learn during the week. Two of our participants, Ava and Hannah Kolash have this to say about Camp Vivace: "Camp Vivace is so much fun!!! We get to hang out with friends, and make new friends!! We do arts and crafts and play lots of games! We also sing and dance and put on a production at the end of the week for our families!!!" The youth camp is for rising 2nd through 6th graders. Registration brochures are on the welcome table in the gallery. If you don't have kids who are eligible, share the news with neighbors and friends who do! This is an outreach project of Living Saviour. Talk to Don Huff if you need more info.

CONGREGATION FINANCIAL NEEDS AND WANTS: Thank you to all who participated in the congregation meetings with Deacon Mitzie Schafer, the ELCA Foundation staff member and Regional Gift Planner for the Carolinas. The financial needs and wants expressed in those meetings guide the Council in making better decisions for our congregation. If you would like an opportunity to meet individually with Mitzie to help you formulate your own Lutheran charitable giving plans, in conjunction with your family giving needs, she can be reached at mitzie.schafer@elca.org. A list of all the needs and wants expressed in those meetings can be found in the June InnerNet and will be posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

PRIMETIMERS Wednesday, June 20, 11:30 a.m. at Olive Garden 9421 Pineville-Matthews Road Pineville, N.C. 28134 Ages 50 and above welcome! Please join us and invite a friend!

We gather for lunch and fellowship on the 3rd Wednesday of every month all year long. For more information, contact: **Tom and Jeanette Schick (miners28269@yahoo.com) or 704-910-4146. For 10 years Harry and Dawn Gibson have been the enthusiastic, faithful coordinators/planners for the Primetimers' monthly lunch outings. They have done a fabulous job in making arrangements with the different restaurants and getting the information out to the congregation, via the monthly newsletters and in Sunday announcement bulletins. They have passed this responsibility on Tom and Jeanette Schick.** Many thanks to Harry and Dawn for their faithfulness in service and to Tom and Jeanette for taking the leadership in this ministry.

LIVING SAVIOUR CELEBRATES ITS 40TH ANNIVERSARY: Are churches good at celebrating? YES! They can be with proper planning and preparation. The council is seeking some folks who have the gift of celebrating, organizing, and putting on a great party to make our 40th anniversary (Sunday October 7) a smashing success. Coordinators and task groups who can oversee hospitality for our former pastors, coordinate the catered meal, and a variety of other tasks are needed. As we celebrate our past it launches us with excitement into the future. Find out more about how you can help, contact Pastor Angela or Shallen Gordon.

LOAVES AND FISHES: Please remember that our gifts of food to **Loaves and Fishes** are always appreciated by those who are hungry and without nourishment. The grocery wagon is located in the fellowship hall under the coat rack. All canned goods and other non-perishable food items may be placed in the wagon any time. Priority needs are canned meats, soup, canned fruit, peanut butter and 100% fruit juice. **No glass, please.** Thank you for your generosity in donating food to the needy in our community.

OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is expressed to Janet Mayer and family at the death of her husband on May 26 in Charlotte, NC. May God fill the emptiness left in all of our hearts by his passing, and may we remember that the Resurrection of Jesus Christ means the certain hope to eternal life for all those who die with faith in Him. A memorial service was held at Living Saviour for Paul on Thursday, May 31. Please keep Janet and all the family in your prayers.

This Week's Activities

<p><u>Sunday, June 3 - Church Music Sunday</u> Casual Worship 8:30 a.m. Faith Forum Adult Class 9:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m. AA Women's Group 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><u>Monday, June 4</u> Prayer Shawl Ministry 10:00 a.m. Church Softball game 6:30 p.m. at Jack Hughes Park</p> <p><u>Tuesday, June 5</u> Cub Scouts 6:45 p.m.</p> <p><u>Wednesday, June 6</u></p>	<p><u>Thursday, June 7</u> Men's Bible Study 7:00 a.m. Bridge Group 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><u>Friday, June 8</u> 6:15 p.m. Church Softball game 6:15 p.m. At Sharon Presbyterian ball field</p> <p><u>Saturday, June 9</u></p> <p><u>Sunday, June 10</u> Casual Worship 8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Guests from Salvation Army Center of Hope Shelter KIC/YKIC Pool party at Kolasch's home 2:00 p.m. AA Women's Group 6:00 p.m.</p>
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Thank you for remembering to silence your cell phone!

Today's Worship Assistants

	8:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Greeters	Ryan and Jennifer Huber	Shallen Gordon
Ushers Digital Team	Terry Godwin, Emma Allen, Margaret Conrad, Brian Powell, Bill Reardon	
Assisting Minister	Lorene Thom	Linda Honeycutt
Communion Servers	Chalice: Cindy Quinlan, Tom Schick Tray: Lynn Stephens, Pat Sipe	
Acolyte	Tanner Axtman	
Child Care Attendants	Carla Gearheart, Pat Snodgrass	Carla Gearheart, Mackenzie Miller
Altar Guild	Cathy Lyall, Alice Jenkins, Sherry Wooldridge	
Carmel Place (9:30 a.m.)	Dawn Schaeffer and Sandra Sample	

Serving Next Week — June 10, 2018

8:30 Service: Brian Powell, Jan Sundberg; Cathy Lyall; Amanda Thom and Pam Williams

Carmel Place (9:30) Tom and Jeanette Schick, Anna Pearce

10:30 Service: Scott, Kari, Kariya Proctor ; Terry Godwin, Emma Allen, Margaret Conrad, Brian Powell, Bill Reardon; John Williams; Sherry Wooldridge, Dan Haseley, Kari Proctor, Ray Kilminster; Kariya Proctor; Amanda Thom, Scott Proctor; Cathy Lyall, Alice Jenkins, Sherry Wooldridge

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.

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Last Week's Attendance: 180