

UNILU NEWS AND EVENTS



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May 9, 2018

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From Pastor Jon

Pastor Jon is on vacation May 8 – 22, returning on May 23rd.

Celebrate Generosity: The Gift of Giving

The Stewardship Committee is having an event called *Celebrate Generosity: The Gift of Giving*. The purpose of this event is to help us all remember why we give: to celebrate the generosity of God by being generous. Giving of our gifts from God is an act of worship, an expression of faith, and a spiritual discipline.

On Pentecost Sunday, May 20, we ask you to give an additional 10% above your normal offering. Special envelopes will be provided for

these additional gifts (or you may indicate on the envelope the amount of your additional gift if you included it with your regular offering). Whether you give an additional gift or not, please give prayerful consideration as to why you give. We hope this event will remind us all of the spiritual side of giving and will help us find a renewed sense of joy and excitement that comes from giving generously.

All special gifts received for this event will be donated to Clemson Community Care to support their important work in our community. This serves as a reminder of the good feeling that comes from gift giving and the good works that can be done when we give generously.

(Envelopes will also be available on May 13 for those who wish to participate but will not be present on May 20.)

WELCA Convention Project

The Women of the ELCA (WELCA) are collecting the following items as part of our convention project this year to help Lutheran Services Carolinas with three of their programs: Refugee Services, Host Homes-Individuals with Developmental and/or Intellectual Disabilities, and Transitioning Out of Foster Care. These items will be taken to the SC WELCA Convention in June. We will be collecting these items now and thru the first Sunday of June. There will be baskets in the Narthex for you to place your donations.

Toiletries Needed:

Shampoo
Soap
Toothbrushes
Toothpaste
Pads/tampons
Razors
Shaving Cream
Hairbrushes
Combs

We are also collecting monetary donations to help replace furnishings for girls' dormitories in Tanzania damaged by fire. If you would like to donate to this project please make your check out to SCWELCA. There will also be a Silent Auction at convention to help raise funds for the Tanzania project so if you have any handcraft items (quilts, crocheted or knitted afghans, woodwork, etc.) you would like to donate those would be appreciated greatly as well.

Thanks to everyone for helping us with these worthwhile projects.

UNILU Quilters



The Uni Lu Quilters will meet on Monday, May 14, in the Fellowship Hall to tie quilts for Lutheran World Relief. We will be working from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 a.m.—come for as long as you can. No quilting skills are necessary—stop by and tie some knots and enjoy the fellowship.

Clemson Community Care

Clemson Community Care has a shortage of many food items at the present time: oatmeal, grits, jello, pork and beans, canned and instant potatoes, dry macaroni and spaghetti pasta, spaghetti sauce, crackers, canned and powdered milk, canned vegetables. Your generous donations will allow us to continue helping our neighbors provide food for their families.

Ruth Circle

The Ruth Circle will meet Monday, May 28 at noon in the church social hall. This will be our annual "Salad Luncheon." Everyone will bring a salad to share. All ladies are invited and encouraged to attend. Meg Moyle and Barbara Chapman are the hostesses for May. Also please don't forget your paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, and Kleenex) for CCC. These are needed items for them. See you on the 28th.

A Novel Bunch's Book Selections for May and September

Our church's book club, *A Novel Bunch*, will meet on Thursday, May 17th to discuss *The Hue And Cry At Our House* by Benjamin Taylor. Then, we will take a summer break and reconvene in September with *The Great Alone* by Kristin Hannah. Our meetings are at noon in the Cry Room off the Narthex. You are always invited to join us.

May's novel selection, *The Hue And Cry At Our House*, is a short 182- page autobiographical novel that reflects on the author's 11th year beginning with his handshake with President Kennedy in Ft.Worth, Texas on Friday morning, November 22, 1963, the day of the President's assassination in nearby Dallas later that day. An older Benjamin writes "about his younger self and his older self, about his parents and friends, about a life lived over time, and about all our lives lived over time."

Calvin Schoulties, Reporter for *A Novel Bunch*

Buon Appetito!

Parish Life invites you to an Italian inspired potluck, Saturday, May 19th from 5-9pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a dish to share. Sign-up sheet is in the Narthex, and childcare will be available. Feel free to BYOB if you wish. Ciao!

Summer Soccer Camp at SWU

Southern Wesleyan University is hosting a summer soccer camp July 9-12. Day Camp is for players from all levels interested in competition, development, and fun. It is a camp designed for individual skill development that incorporates those techniques into a larger team and game environment. Each morning campers will receive instruction on the foundational skills of passing, receiving, dribbling, turning, change of direction, and ball striking. These skills are then developed and applied functionally in small sided games and larger activities.

After morning training, all-day players have lunch at SWU's well-equipped dining commons. The afternoon is set aside for "League Games" which provides an opportunity for their coaches to apply the techniques players have learned as well as teach basic attacking and defensive concepts.

The camp is broken down into three age groups:

6-7 year-olds: Micro Division
8-9 year-olds: Junior Division
10-12 year-olds: Senior Division

Here is the link to sign-up information:

[SWU Soccer Camp](#)

Summer Refreshments

We are looking for volunteers to provide refreshments during the summer months to be enjoyed between the services from 9:30-10:30. If you are willing to do this, please sign up on the form in the Narthex. Summer refreshments will begin on June 10th and end on August 5th.

Education for Ministry (EFM)

EFM (Education for Ministry) is an opportunity to explore and reflect on one's theology and spirituality in an open and safe environment. It is a four-year program with just a one-year commitment at a time. The group gathers at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. For a description of the program, in particular at Holy Trinity, please go to the [EFM at Holy Trinity website](#). Please contact Mel O'Day (864-944-6329) or Wendy Brooks (864-557-5683 or [wbross76@gmail.com](mailto:wbcross76@gmail.com)) if you would like to attend a seminar in April or have any questions.

We will be registering for the 2018-2019 seminar from the 3rd week of May to the 3rd week of June.

Highway 93 Construction During April and May

The first phase of highway construction will begin on Highway 93 between Cherry Road (near the president's house) and Calhoun Drive (near Sikes Hall). Highway 93 will be reduced from four to two lanes, with one lane for eastbound traffic and one lane for westbound traffic.

Men and Women in Blue

The Evangelism Committee is once again providing a lunch, Wednesday, June 6th for the Men and Women in Blue who work in Clemson as Police, Fire Fighters and EMS. If you would like to contribute a dessert for the lunch, please sign up in the Narthex or contact Lena Jones at lena.m.jones@nctv.com or 864-425-2622. Desserts may be dropped off Wednesday, June 6th by 9:00 am.

Cardboard City for Family Promise

For the third straight year Family Promise will be hosting an evening at Gateway Park in Clemson where groups will be spending a night in their own personal cardboard box home. Each box will be part of a cardboard city that will help raise awareness for homelessness in our area.

This year Family Promise is encouraging youth groups to participate! This is a great opportunity to expose youth to the struggle of those without homes and a great way to get them involved in the community. We will have a speaker, live music, and snacks throughout the night to provide entertainment. The event will begin on Friday, May 18th in the evening and will conclude the morning of Saturday, May 19th. A group of any size can sponsor a cardboard home for \$500. A group of 20 would only have to raise \$25 a piece to reach that goal! A flyer for this event is attached to the email.

If you have any questions, please contact Thomas Clanton; Office phone: 864-859-4220; Cell phone: 843-206-9870
Email: thomas@easleypresbyterian.org

Hilltoppers May Outing

Our annual May outing will be held on Wednesday, May 16 at 12 noon. We will be going to "The Rock Restaurant" up near Table Rock Mountain for lunch then we will be touring Table Rock Tea Company afterwards. If you would like to ride the church van, please sign up on the sign-up sheet. The sign-up sheet is located on the cabinet on the right in the narthex as you leave the sanctuary. Please indicate what meal option you would like as well. Hope you will join us! Don't forget to invite someone.

**Sunday Worship
at 8:30am and 11am**

**Sunday School
at 9:45am**

Council President

Jean Mehlman
jpmehlman@bellsouth.net

Church Office Hours

The church office is open
Monday through Friday
8am-12noon and
1pm-3pm.

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DEADLINE for NEWSLETTER

Please have your information to
unilusecretary@gmail.com
by Tuesday at 3 pm.

Miss a service?

The recorded church sermons are posted
weekly to the website:
www.uniluclemson.org

UniLu Web Site

www.uniluclemson.org

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can be reached through the church
office.

Mission Statement

University Lutheran is a family of faith, called by the Holy Spirit to be one ministry serving both our community and university. The Spirit calls us to make known, by word and deed, the story of God's love in Jesus. Our worship together empowers us to grow as disciples as we receive, celebrate, and share God's gifts with all of God's creation and created ones.

Serving this Sunday- The 7th Sunday of Easter

Preaching/Presiding	Pastor Chris Heavner
Assisting Minister at 8:30	Connor Lehmacher
Assisting Minister at 11:00	Gary Smith
Communion Assistant at 8:30	Charlie Smith
Communion Assistant at 11:00	Herm Spitzer
Altar Guild	Chris & Amy Cox, Laura Scott, Jim & Diana Vetter
Minister of Music	Judi Key
Lector at 8:30	Sarah Smith
Lector at 11:00	Linda Holt
Cantor at 8:30	Caroline Scott/Anita Edge
Cantor at 11:00	Gary Smith
Greeters at 8:30	Tristin Phelan/Elise Donnan
Greeters at 11:00	Linda Holt and Herm Spitzer
Ushers at 8:30	Bella Rockow and Erika Summers
Ushers at 11:00	Rick Sanders and Becky Spray
Acolyte at 8:30	Julia Summers
Acolyte at 11:00	
Tellers	John and Karen Dreher
Sound Technician at 8:30/11:00	Ned Johnson/Gary Smith

PRAYER CONCERNS

† For University Lutheran Members, Family and Friends: Wayne Gilchrist; Marvin Doerr; Sarah Heyer; Gail Paul; Emma Piazza; Rilla Bartsch; Pat Wagner; Ron Black; Jack Flanigan; Beverly Iverson-Bedford; Keith Phelan; Dave Moyle; Marilyn Thompson; John Wagner; Ric Perry, friend of the Joneses; Mark Smith

† Jean Taras and family in the death of Mike

☪ Celebrating birthdays this week: Karen Waltz, Frank Honeycutt, Keith Kargel. Freddie Waltz, Marc DeDecker, Callie Heyne

♥ Celebrating wedding anniversaries this week: Dwayne and Susan Lusk

* Worship attendance last Sunday was 79 at 8:30am and 75 at 11:00am.



Calendar

Parish

THIS SUNDAY

LCM

Pastor Jon is on vacation from through May 22.

Worship at 8:30am and 11am
Sunday School and Coffee at 9:45am
Education ministry Meeting at 12:30pm
Worship and Music Meeting at 12:30pm

Monday

Quilters at 9 am

Tuesday

Wednesday

Hilltoppers at noon
Handbells at 6:30pm
Adult Choir at 7:35pm

Thursday

Novel Bunch at noon

Friday

Saturday

Italian Potluck Dinner in Fellowship Hall at 5pm

NEXT SUNDAY: Worship at 8:30 and 11am
Sunday School and Coffee at 9:45am

Greetings from the Schneiders

Well the moving van finally arrived after waiting 10 days. On Sat., the hall way was lined on both sides with boxes. By Sunday evening, there were two left. However, there is a path through the living room lined with boxes. Without the help of my daughter, son and daughter in-law, there would be a hall lined with boxes. Our cat has been hiding under the sofa afraid she'll be move again. It is spring here in Lebanon, OH. Many years ago there was a Shaker community located here.

I have been corrected on our address. The official address is: 834 Shaker Drive # 303, Lebanon, OH 45036. Our land line phone no. is: 513-970-1070 and our email address is m.h.schneider.john316@gmail.com

We want to thank the Wiggins and the Edge families for the thoughtful cards and Mr. Hudson's phone call. We attended Resurrection Lutheran Church and found the coffee bar. Their Passing of the Peace is at least 15 minutes long. You greet everyone. Oh, they have two big screens above the altar. We send love to all our friends at University Lutheran Church. May GOD shine HIS blessing on all.

Harriet and Martin

Prayer Fellowship

The following is a list of people for whom prayer has been requested. If you know of anyone in need of prayer, please email unilusecretary@gmail.com with their name, address if you'd like a card sent to them, and the reason for the request if it is not confidential. Please also let us know if they improve and need to be removed.

Marge Butler

Susie Coffman

Mary Durnin

Kathy Francis

T. J. Frost

Lee Honeycutt

Ken Ingram

Bob and Faye Lawson

Ilse and Eberhard Lemcke

Barbara Lemcke

Sam Lockard

Fran and Billie Mentz

Kay Powers

Linda Smith

Steve Thomas

Gavin Todd

Mark Cothran

Judie Kreider

Sister of John Wagner

Sister of Martha Harris

Friend of Marie Lynn

Friend of the Wagners

Son's in Law Brother of the Joneses

Brother of Frank Honeycutt

Father of Cheryl Smith

Friends of the Sanders

Parents of Susanne Lemcke

Sister of Susanne Lemcke

Friend of Rosalyn Flanigan

Uncle and Aunt of Kerry Smith

Friend of Patty Hudson

Friend of Rosalyn Flanigan

Friend of Ron and Laura Black

Son of Cindy Donnan

Nephew of Ken Cothran

Sister-in-law of Ada Lou Steirer



PRAYER OF THE DAY for Upcoming Sunday

Gracious and glorious God, you have chosen us as your own, and by the powerful name of Christ you protect us from evil. By your Spirit transform us and your beloved world, that we may find our joy in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.