

Prayer Requests

Special needs, Hospital, Sickness & Recovery

RLC Pastor and Staff: Pastor Steve, Amanda, Jenny, Lisa, Merri, Susan, Sue, Keith, Paula, Korbin, and Trey
 Congregation Council
 Those estranged from family members
 Gayla and Terry Davis - ongoing health concerns
 Emma Whitney - recovery from addiction
 Gloria Gibbons - health
 Mike & Julie Penley - health
 Bob Riggers - health
 Lil Solbrack - health
 Donna Brown - healing for legs from neuropathy
 Jim Lachut - complete healing of right hand
 Rich Barchet - relief from insomnia
 Roy Ballard - health issues
 Azalea Stetter - glaucoma
 Pastor Dave Hogan - treatment for multiple myeloma
 Loris Schmidt - health issues
 Margaret Arnst - health
 Lois Chilton - back pain
 Henry Solbrack - health issues
 Geri Simkins - recovering from shoulder surgery
 George Simkins - recovering from acute heart attack

Home-bound or Residing at Assisted-living Facilities:

Carleen Lust, Carmie Peterson, Margie Steinwand, Vicky Willingham, Verna Wischart, Reefa Dahl, Mary Ellen Thomas, Mille Nierman, Jean Loss, Warner Blyckert, Loren Schmid, George and Geri Simkins, Emil Leitz

US Military

All who are in the armed forces and their families:
 US Air Force: Johnny Loss, Alyssa Loss, Carlos Cardenas
 US Army Reserves: Clay Underwood
 US Navy: Adam Weissenfels
 US Navy Reserves: Joe Martinez
 US Army National Guard: Jack Page

If you have any prayer requests, please contact the RLC office at 509-943-3164 or officeatrlc@gmail.com.

If you do not receive the email prayer chain requests and would like to, please contact the office and ask to be added to the distribution list.

Non-Member Requests: Please obtain permission to print full names for prayer

Annoor Sanatorium, Jordan
 Estonia, Pastor Anti Toplann (Holy Jakob), Pastor Siimon Haamer (Tartu Academy of Theology, Home of Hope)
 Caleb & Emily Arnold, Deslianne, Cohen, Avonlea, Tessa Jo - missionaries in Mexico
 All those who work in the healthcare field, first responders, etc.
 Persecuted Christians around the world
 Middle East - peace
 Rachel (Davis) - recovery & healing from brain surgery
 Chris McAnally (Pleyo) - currently serving US Navy on submarine
 Kyle/Gloria & family (Edgemon) - healing from motorcycle accident for Kyle & peace, strength and wisdom for the family.
 Angie (Hogan) - continued prayers for fighting cancer
 Joe (Hogan) - continued prayers for fighting cancer
 Mick & Connie's family (Gilbertson) - prayers for the loss of his grandmother.
 Elaine (Silva) - loss of husband Gary
 Ken (Lachut) - prayers for mental, physical and spiritual healing

Worship Support for May 12, 2024

	8:30 AM	11:00 AM	5:00 PM
Acolytes	Carter Maier Paige Maier	Olivia Benjamson	n/a
Assisting Minister	Sue Meek	Brandon Wheeler	****
Communion Assistants	Pastor Steve Ernst Amanda Daniels Jan Leitz Erlan Leitz Sue Meek	Pastor Steve Ernst Amanda Daniels Brandon Wheeler Vicki Glasford	Kelly Arnzen Marcia Vogel
Lector	Ken Meek	Vicki Glasford	
Lead Ushers	Gary Weible ****	Diane Bonin Chris Bonin	
Asst. Usher	David Curran Jem Curran	****	
Children's Church	No Children's church	Julie Bishop Lauren Heaslet	n/a
Projection Technician	Lori Maier	Kris Mitchell	n/a
Communion Prep/ Clean Up	Jan Lietz (set up 8:30) Jan Lietz (clean up 8:30/set up 11:00) Nancy Ballard (clean up 11:00/set up 5:00) Kelly Arnzen & Marcia Vogel (clean up 5:00)		
Recycler	Todd Maier		
GNMM Tech Team	Scott Carswell Ed Cox		n/a
Safety (7:30-10:00 AM)	Bill Bishop Bob Parr		
Cashiers (Monday)	Kathy Snyder Debbie Honeyman		



Sixth Sunday of Easter - May 12, 2024 - 5:00 PM

*Holy Communion is a Christian Sacrament – a Holy Rite where we receive God's divine grace and presence – practiced to respond to God's invitation to believe and trust in him. All those who would like to receive this Sacrament, or a blessing, are encouraged to approach the altar at the usher's instructions with faith, humility, and reverence. Please follow the usher's instructions to the altar rail. Those receiving communion should hold out their hand as the ministers come by with the bread and wine. Those receiving a blessing should fold their hands under the railing. **Gluten-free wafers** are available in the round container on the bread plate and should be taken by those who require them. For those who prefer **grape juice** rather than wine: the center ring of glasses on the communion tray is white grape juice. **For those who are not able to come to the railing, or who are not yet comfortable with coming to the railing, simply remain in your pew, and a communion assistant will come to you with the tray of elements for you to take while in your seat.***

What's Happening This Week

Please check the online calendar on the website for full details

Sunday, May 12

8:30 AM Traditional Worship
 9:00 AM Good News Today on KVEW
 9:45 AM Coffee Hour, 2nd Sunday Parent Coffee hour, Confirmation Hour, Sunday School, Healing Book Study
 11:00 AM Contemporary Worship
 5:00 PM Evening Worship

Monday, May 13

12:00 PM Mary Martha Bible Study
 1:30 PM Grief Support Group

Tuesday, May 14

7:00 AM Men's Gathering at Denny's
 10:00 AM Staff Meeting
 1:00 PM Food Pantry Distribution
 5:30 PM Cub Scouts
 6:00 PM Regular Council Meeting
 7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Wednesday, May 15

9:00 AM Sewing Bee
 9:30 AM Healing Prayer Advisory Team
 10:30 AM Prayer for the Church
 10:30 AM Property Ministries
 10:30 AM Luther Center Bible Study/Lunch
 2:00 PM Knitting Group
 4:00 PM Deadline for Preview Articles
 6:00 PM SuperKids!/Wed Night Youth
 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 16

9:00 AM Chapter A Day Bible Study
 10:30 AM Prayer for the Church
 5:00 PM Steele Small Group

Friday, May 17

5:00 PM Youth Recovery Meeting
 6:00 PM AA Meeting

Saturday, May 18

7:00 AM Men's Ministry Breakfast
 9:00 AM Food Pantry Distribution

Just Do It!
James 1:19-27

Weekly Announcements
Office Hours: Monday -Thursday 9AM-4PM; Friday By Appointment Only

Introduction

Just Do It...Being and Making Disciples

1. Listen to God’s Word - vs. 19-21

*“My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: **Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry,** ²⁰ because human anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires. ²¹ Therefore, get rid of all moral filth and the evil that is so prevalent and **humbly accept the word planted in you, which can save you.**”*

2. Do God’s Word - vs. 22-25

*“Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. **Do what it says.** ²³ Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror ²⁴ and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like. ²⁵ But whoever looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues in it—not forgetting what they have heard, but doing it—they will be blessed in what they do.”*

3. Practice True Religion - vs. 26-27

“Those who consider themselves religious and yet do not keep a tight rein on their tongues deceive themselves, and their religion is worthless. ²⁷ Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.”

Closing

What I want to remember:

How can I apply what I learned today in my life this week?

Worship Ministry

Pentecost Sunday May 19th: There will be one combined worship service at 10:00 AM, followed by a luncheon in the Prince of Peace to celebrate our confirmands.

Summer Worship Service schedule will begin on **May 26** with one morning service at **10:00 AM** and 5:00 PM informal evening worship service. We are excited to announce this Summer we will have the opportunity to worship with a traditional style some weeks, and with a contemporary on other weeks. We will return to our regular worship service schedule on September 8.

Altar Flowers were given today by Bill & Julie Bishop in honor of their granddaughter Briar’s 5th birthday.

Spiritual Growth Ministry

Sunday School: The last day of class for the school year will be today 5/12.

Vacation Bible School: VBS begins in the evenings, Monday—Thursday, June 24-27. Registration began, 5/1. Space is limited, so don’t wait to sign up your kids. Help is needed for this ministry. Please note, a background check is required for all individuals over the age of 18 to help with this ministry. Contact: Jenny Page.

Mary Martha Bible Study: A Bible study meets on Mondays at 12:00PM, entitled "The 7 Virtues of a Proverbs 31 Woman", by Darlene Schacht. Join us as we discover the timeless wisdom and transformative power of the Proverbs 31 Woman. We will dive deep into Scripture as we seek to understand and embody the essential qualities of a godly woman. For more information, and to order the study guide, please contact Vicki Glasford or Donna Brown.

Summer Blast Camp: 4 day over-night biblical camp for kids ages 3rd-6th grade this fall is being held at Camp Wooten July 7-10. Cost is \$280. For more information look for the flyer in the Fellowship Hall. Contact: Paula Cox.

Confirmation Sunday, May 19: Our students who will be confirming their faith on 5/19 are Olivia Benjamson, Bentley Daniels and Trell Miles. We will have gift bags available at the luncheon on May 19th for cards of encouragement and congratulations to celebrate with our Confirmands.

Christian Service Ministry

Outreach: Would you like to “Just Do One?” The Outreach team is looking to grow our team. For more information please contact: Diane Bonin.

Block Party Lead & Co-Lead: In September we host the neighborhood Block Party. We are in need of people to Lead & Co-Lead this fun event. We have all the details and just need someone to take charge. One or two people would be best. If you would like more information please contact: Diane Bonin.

“Just Do One!”

Where is God leading you to do ministry in response to the prayer prompts listed in the ministry plan?

- **“Just Do One!” - Worship: Worship Service Per Week**
- **“Just Do One!” - Grow: Spiritual Growth Habit**
- **“Just Do One!” - Serve: RLC Vision/Mission Activity**
- **“Just Do One!” - Steward: Witness to the Gospel of Jesus**
- **“Just Do One!” – Life Together: Intentional Spiritual Relationship**

If you need another slip to fill out, they are located on the small table in the Narthex outside the Sanctuary doors.

<u>RLC Financial Snapshot</u>			
Tithes & Offerings			
<i>2024 Avg. Weekly Amt. Needed: \$19,495</i>			
Jan	\$ 59,313	05/01/24	\$6,600
Feb	\$105,995	05/08/24	\$13,613
Mar	\$ 82,425		
April	\$ 60,938		

